

Court of Honor Program

Fill in troop details before printing. One program per attendee. Ceremonies typically run 45–90 minutes.

Troop number: _____

Date: _____

Location: _____

Time: _____

Scoutmaster: _____

Committee Chair: _____

ORDER OF EVENTS

1. Call to Order

Committee Chair or Scoutmaster

2. Opening Ceremony

Color guard, Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath and Law

3. Welcome & Introductions

Scoutmaster welcomes scouts, families, and guests

4. Rank Advancement Presentations

See advancement section below

5. Merit Badge Presentations

Badges earned since last Court of Honor

6. Special Awards & Recognition

Leadership positions, service awards, other recognition

7. Eagle Scout Ceremony

(If applicable — see Eagle ceremony guide)

8. Scoutmaster Minute

Brief inspirational message

9. Closing Ceremony

Retiring the colors, Scout benediction

10. Reception

Refreshments provided by _____

RANK ADVANCEMENTS

Scout Name	Rank Earned	Previous Rank	Notes
_____	_____	_____	_____
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MERIT BADGES EARNED

Scout Name	Merit Badge(s)	Counselor	Eagle-Required?
_____	_____	_____	_____
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SPECIAL RECOGNITION & AWARDS

Leadership Positions Appointed:

Service Project Recognition:

Other Awards / Eagle Palms / Recognitions:

Scoutmaster Minute — theme / notes (speaker preparation only, not printed in programs):

Tip: Courts of Honor are not religious services — keep the program scout-focused and inclusive. The Eagle Scout ceremony is separate and may follow a specific ceremony script from your council or the BSA. Confirm any Eagle ceremony details with the Scout and family well in advance.

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