

GSUSA: OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER AWARD

The Outstanding Volunteer Award was instituted in 1987 by GSUSA. It is awarded to an adult in a position other than leader, or in addition to leader, whose outstanding service benefits the troop, service unit or association. The service is beyond the expectations of the position(s) such that it warrants local area recognition.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

GENERAL:	See General Criteria, page 3.
FOCUS OF SERVICE:	Benefits the troop, service unit or association in a capacity other than troop leader, assistant leader or advisor. A leader or advisor who also serves in other positions is eligible for the service offered in those other positions.
IMPACT OF SERVICE:	Significant service above and beyond the expectations of the position(s) held.
LENGTH OF SERVICE:	Service will usually have extended over a period of at least 2 years.

PRESENTATION OF AWARD

- May be given at association or service unit events.
- Association or service unit pays cost.
- See page 26, "How to Obtain Awards."

APPROVAL REQUIRED

Association Recognition Committee

EXAMPLES OF POSSIBLE CANDIDATES

Potential candidates might include, but are not limited to:

- A service unit event director who has managed a successful area-wide event on three or more occasions.
- A service unit product sales manager, who has efficiently promoted, managed and reported on at least two product sales.
- A troop/group chair for SHARE who has increased participation and amount of support from the families each year.

NOMINATION PACKET MUST INCLUDE

Form: Application for Official Adult Recognitions

Form: Adult Record of Service

Letters of Endorsement: 2