

# Headwaters October Roundtable Material

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10.7.2021 Roundtable Powerpoint

We look forward to seeing you in November! Thank you for everything you do for Scouting.

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9.2.2021 Roundtable Powerpoint

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# **Mayflower Summer Roundtable – August 2021**

Here is the slide presentation from Mayflower Council's August 19 Summer Roundtable. Part 1 contains the slides from the combined session presentation focused on growing membership. Part 2 contains the individual event/activity slides and flyers. Slides from the Cub breakout are also included.

19Aug21\_RT-Final-Part1

19Aug21\_RT-Final-Part2

19Aug\_RT\_CubBreakout

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# **Mayflower Summer Roundtable – July 2021**

Here is the slide presentation from Mayflower Council's July 28 Summer Roundtable. Slides from the main session and breakouts are included.

Slide Deck

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# New Event Registration & Calendar Platform

Our council has begun transitioning to a new online event registration platform named Black Pug, which is used by almost half of all Boy Scout councils nationwide. The previous system, Doubleknot, was a major step forward when we adopted it nearly 16 years ago. After careful, thoughtful and detailed evaluation we believe the Black Pug platform will be an improvement, addressing multiple issues brought up by our members and volunteers and improving your experience when signing up for camps and other activities and accessing the council calendar.

The transition to Black Pug has already begun. Many of our recent events and summer camp sign-ups have been utilizing the new platform. Black Pug will soon become the new platform for the council calendar providing many of the most requested features including calendar subscription links and RSS feeds. We anticipate the full integration of Black Pug into the council website to be completed by June 1.

Individuals and units will have until July 31 to archive any data on the Doubleknot system they wish to retain and we will be sunseting Doubleknot in Mayflower Council in early August.

We are excited to be sharing this new event registration system with you and we thank you for your patience as we make this transition. We look forward to serving you better. If you have any questions or need assistance with Black Pug please contact Lisa Olson our Black Pug subject matter expert.

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# **Headwaters Volunteer Award Recipients 2019-2020**

## **Headwaters District has some INCREDIBLE volunteers!**

We recognize these volunteers at our Annual District Dinner. Our district leadership relies on the generosity of our unit leaders, parents, and friends to nominate the great volunteers we have each year for these awards. To help remind everyone of who has received these awards in the past few years, this post includes our complete list of District Award recipients.

You can find nomination forms at this webpage here: [LINK](#)

### **Cubmaster of the Year**

2019 – Jennifer Smith

2020 – Ryan Turncliff

### **Scoutmaster of the Year**

2019 – Matthew Peters

2020 – Chris Botchis

### **Crew Advisor of the Year**

2019 – Emily Sricharoenchaikit

2020 – Caroline Cronin

## **Committee Chair of the Year**

2019 – Marie Riddell

– Jennifer Parrella

– Ed Reitz

2020 – Lauren Rowe

– Jim Rhein

## **Charter Organization Representative of the Year**

2019 – Rob Jackson

2020 – Ted Newman

## **Unsung Hero Award**

2019 – Keith Zontini

2020 – Bill Murphy

## **Spark Plug Award**

### ***2019 Recipients***

Stephen Lavoie	Joan Provencal
Brian & Kelly Poirier	John Rosala
Chris Houle	Kevin Rudden
Christopher Bruno	Laureen Soumoulis
Darren Grant	Mark Derderian
Gene Papula	Mike & Nancy Giombetti

Greg Schorn	Paul Jackson
Jeff Somers	Peter & Janet Alberti
Jim Ares	Sharon McCabe

## ***2020 Recipients***

Adrienne Marzoratti	Jim Conners
Diane Gaughran	Michele Duffy
Gerald Bubb	Michelle DeCosta
Jack Wixted	Pam Ercolani
Jay Jorgensen	Pinky Jose
	Renee Schoch

## **District Award of Merit Recipients in Headwaters District**

Al Marquez	Eric Theis	Paul Callahan
Al Vautour	Francis McCarthy	Paul Casello
Alan Koufos	George Brenckle	Paul Gadd
Andy Defrancesco	George Giannotti	Paul LeDuc
Ann Bach	Hank Rauch	Pauline Chute
Arnold Oyola	Harry Schreffler	Pete Lane
Arthur Haviland	Jay Kanavos	Peter Geromini
Bill Mills-Curran	Jeff Maloney	Polly Thayer
Bill Murphy	Jim Tashjian	Randy LaRosa
Bob Collins	Jim Watson	Ray Hix
Brad Saunders	Joan Wordell	Rebecca Mangus
Brian VanLaarhoven	John Breen	Rick Keough
Candy Martel	John Gillespie	Robert Luongo
Charles Clayton	John Harrington	Rob Pike
Charlotte Bramley	John Houlihan	Rod Pfannenstiel
Chris Anderson	John Magoun	Ronald Johnson
Chris Miga	John Maguire	Ronald Koshko
Dan Mitchell	John Polanowicz	Rosaleen Sullivan
David Bach	Kathleen Bubier	Scott McWilliams
Dennis Rawley	Kenneth Lizotte	Shawn McConnell
Dick Mangus	Kevin Rudden	Skip Peterson

Donald Chute	Lawrence Sullivan	Steven Symes
Donald Matchinski	Leslie Jacobs	Susan Gillespie
Donna Cucinotta	Maureen Searl	Tim Howe
Eileen McCarthy	Michael Merolli	Tom Moore
Ej Dotts	Mike Barry	William Stanney
	Mike McGuire	

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# Headwaters March 2021 Roundtable Documents

Headwaters District Roundtable was held on Thursday March 4th:

Helpful Links:

1. Link to our reminder email with the powerpoints, links to topics and forms – [HERE](#)
2. Links to our Powerpoint:
  - Slide presentation
  - Activity flyers:
    - Virtual Freeze Out
    - District Nomination Forms
    - Philmont Information Session
  - Safety Moment:
    - Guide to Safe Scouting
    - Incident reporting
  - Advancement
    - BSA Advancement COVID-19 FAQ webpage
    - BSA Guide to Advancement
    - Scoutbook!
    - 2021 February Cub Scouts Roundtable – Advancements

The BSA also has Advancement Educational Presentations

PowerPoint Presentations—for group instruction or individual review. This is great to let parents or advancement coordinators of any unit or any Scout learn about the complex advancement procedures and practices!

[LINK HERE](#)

We hope you join us for roundtables, connect with our district and other unit leaders and volunteers, and represent your unit!

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# Headwaters February 2021 Roundtable Documents

Headwaters District Roundtable on Thursday Feb 4th:

Helpful Links:

1. Link to our reminder email with sign up link (preregister for which breakout room you will be in )
2. Our PowerPoint for Understanding & Engaging Millennial Parents
3. Welcoming Millennial Parents: 'Take Action' Ideas

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# District Award Nominations

Below you will find nomination forms for recognizing Scouters at the unit and district levels. As well as nationally recognized nomination forms.

## **Nomination form for District Awards – due March 15**

- Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Venturing crew advisor, committee chair (for any unit) and charter organization representative of the year awards
- Unsung Hero Award – someone who goes above and beyond in the district.
- “Sparkplug” – each pack, troop, or crew can recognize one of their adult leaders for going above and beyond.

## **Nomination for the District Award of Merit – due March 15**

The District Award of Merit is a council award presented by districts in the same manner that the Silver Beaver is a national

award presented by councils. The award is available to Scouters who render service of an outstanding nature at the district level.

These nomination forms must be sent via email to: Mayflower Awards

The district key 3 typically will present the awards at the annual district recognition dinner.



**Download the fillable PDF  
District Awards Form**



**Download the  
District Award of Merit Form**

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# **Headwaters January 2021 RT Powerpoint**

Thank you to everyone that joined us on January 7, 2020  
Roundtable!

We hope everyone had a good holiday season, happy new year to all, welcome back to what is going to be a great year of Scouting!

Below is the powerpoint from our Roundtable, please access it to see what we discussed and the points we discussed.

#### 1.7.2021 Roundtable Powerpoint

There are also many helpful links below:

- COVID-19 Updates to Advancement from the BSA: [Link Here](#)
- Bryan on Scouting – Getting ready for Pinewood Derby Events/Virtually – [Link Here](#)
- Membership and Marketing Webinars: [Link Here](#)
- Another webinar is taking place on 1/20 – discussing social media with the admins of several Scouting groups on Facebook.
  - Register Here:  
[https://scouting-org.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_M6r1Z6sLSGqkV0gapLV2Eg?utm\\_source=scoutingwire&utm\\_campaign=swemployee162021&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_content=](https://scouting-org.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_M6r1Z6sLSGqkV0gapLV2Eg?utm_source=scoutingwire&utm_campaign=swemployee162021&utm_medium=email&utm_content=)

Talk to you all soon! Thank you for everything you do!