

Troop 73
was chartered
October 12, 1936
to the Holy Name Society of
Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Church,
Westfield, New Jersey.

William J. Ford
was appointed Scoutmaster.

The Committee Chairman was
Joseph A. Cogbill.

Other members of the Committee were:
F. L. Aires,
E. S. Johnson,
John S. McLaughlin,
and William Pfaff.

Scouts that were founding members were:
Nicholas Angelo,
Joseph L. Barrett,
Walter Barrett,
Louis M. Block,
John Driscoll,
Simon Klosky,
and John Ortlieb.

SCOUTMASTERS OF TROOP 73

1936 - William J. Ford
1941-1942 Ben C. Hague
1942-1943 Dr. Francis Bluemmel
1943-1951 Ed Jeuther
1952-1953 John "Bernie" Heroux
1954-1957 Frank Wentworth
1957-1958 David W. Nelson
1959-1961 John C. Harrington
1960-1963 Charles R. Bartels
1961-1963 Wesley J. Gibso
1962-1963 James Sidie
1963-1965 Thomas H. Kneeshaw
1965-1966 Joseph M. Pryor
1967-1972 Gustave L. Ferri
1972-1974 Robert J. Ott
1974-1976 Jack Brennan
1976-1977 John Ellerman
1977-1982 Henry M. Lloyd
1982-1983 Charlie Munch
1982-1984 Frank C. Caizzi
1984-1986 Robert Spina
1987-1988 Vacant
1989-1990 Rich Kujawa
1990-1991 David Munch
1991-1995 Tim Avis
1995-1996 Dennis Dougherty
1996-1999 Bob Fromtling
1999-2004 Rob Whitehead
2004-2008 Alec Ireland
2008-2011 Steve Deduck
2011-2015 Henry Hom
2015-2018 Seamus Cunningham
2018- Rob Lang

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN OF TROOP 73

1936 - Joseph A. Cogbill
1944-1954 Fred Marion
1954-1956 John R. Briggs
1954-1957 James J. Fennell
1957-1958 George McGuire
1959-1961 Robert Louis Byrne
1959-1961 James Sidie
1961-1962 Martin F. Nugent
1962-1963 Fred J. Nelson
1963-1965 John E. DeWan
1964-1965 James J. Montroni
1965-1968 Edward J. Guididas
1968-1969 Samuel J. Domato
1970-1973
1974-1978 John E. Engelhart
1978-1980 Charlie Munch
1981-1982 Arthur Dupras
1982-1983 Jim Sadowski
1983-1984 Brian E. Duleavy
1985
1986 Lloyd H. Nakatani
1987-1989 Joe Boscia
1989-1991 Jack Avis
1991-1992 Phil Bartlett
1992-1997 Bob Clancy
1998-2000 Tony Yudd
2000-2005 Steve McCabe
2005-2008 Peter Copeland
2008-2012 Bob Fromtling
2012-2015 Peter Hogaboom
2016-2018 Rob Lang
2018- Bob Outten

BRONZE PELICAN AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Bronze Pelican Award is a recognition approved by the Newark Archdiocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting. It may be presented to any adult who is working in the Scouting program under the Catholic auspices, and to those who have made significant contribution to Scouting in the Religious Emblems program of the Catholic Church.

1954 Ed Jeuther
2000 Rob Whitehead
2001 Joseph Wagner
2007 Rev. Msgr. Joseph P. Masiello
2009 Pete Hogaboom

SILVER BEAVER AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Silver Beaver Award recognizes Scouters of exceptional character for distinguished and outstanding service on the Council level to the youth of Patriots' Path Council. It is the highest award the Patriots' Path Council presents.

1960 Ed Jeuther

2001 Al Riker, Jr.

2010 John Korunow

2011 Tim Avis

2018 Steve McCabe

JAMES E. WEST FELLOWSHIP

The James E. West Fellowship Award is a national recognition for individuals who contribute \$1,000 or more to their local council endowment trust fund. Organizations and individuals often contribute an award in honor of someone. The award is named after the first Chief Scout Executive.

2012 John Korunow

TRAILBLAZER AWARD

The Trailblazer Award is a council award presented to a Scouter who has achieved significant accomplishments on a council level over a 24-month period. The accomplishments should be directly related to the Council Vision Statement and Strategic Plan. The award is presented to Scouters by the Council Key 3.

2013 Tim Avis

DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT

The District Award of Merit is a council award presented by districts. The award is available to Scouters who render service of an outstanding nature at the district level. The award is made available annually on the basis of 1 for each 25 traditional units or fraction thereof. The district need not present all the awards to which it is entitled each year. A nominee must have rendered noteworthy service to youth in Scouting, outside Scouting, or both.

1992 Brian Dunleavy
2001 Al Riker
2004 John Korunow
2007 Steve McCabe
2008 Tim Avis
2009 Robert Whitehead
2018 Christine O'Brien

UNIT LEADER AWARD OF MERIT

Presented to a Unit Leader for dedicated service and responsible leadership, and for providing an opportunity for young people to grow. The nominee must be a unit leader who has served in the position for at least 18 continuous months, met the training requirements for the position, effectively used the advancement method, cultivated a positive relationship with the chartered organization, and projected a positive image of Scouting in the community.

2018 Seamus Cunningham

UNIT SCOUTER RECOGNITION

Unit Scouter Recognitions are awards offered by districts and awarded by a unit. It is awarded to individuals associated with a unit who have gone above and beyond for their unit. Recipients do not need to be registered Scouters.

2011 Msgr. Joseph Masiello

2017 Karen Outten

2017 Suzanne Weigand

2018 Henry Hom

2018 Bob Outten

SCOUTER'S TRAINING AWARDS

The Scouter's Training Award is a recognition for adult leaders who meet training, performance, tenure, and participation requirements while serving at least two years in a volunteer position.

2007 Stephen Deduck

DISTINGUISHED COMMISSIONER AWARD

The Distinguished Commissioner Service Award is the highest recognition that can be given to a commissioner who has consistently engaged in distinguished and exceptional commissioner service resulting in significant, positive impact to youth, units, and a district and/or council. The Award is for active Commissioners who have completed training as outlined by the local council, including earning the Commissioner's Key, and achieved other requirements associated with unit health.

2009 John Korunow

2014 Steve McCabe

COMMISSIONER'S KEY

The Commissioner's Key is for active Commissioners who have completed position required training, supplemental training, tenure of a minimum of three years, provide a high level of service, and have earned the Arrowhead Honor.

John Korunow

2012 Steve McCabe

2014 Tim Avis

ARROWHEAD HONOR

The Arrowhead Honor recognizes proficiency in the tools and techniques Commissioners use to provide effective service. Specific training, performance, and leadership requirements as well as tenure of at least one year in Commissioner service are required.

John Korunow

Tim Avis

2012 Steve McCabe

2017 Christine O'Brien

DISTRICT COMMITTEE KEY

The District Committee Key is a recognition for leaders who complete advanced training, and complete tenure performance requirements, as well as extensive leadership requirements.

2012 Tim Avis

WATCHUNG MOUNTAIN DISTRICT COMMUNITY SERVICE RECOGNITION

The Community Service Recognition is given to the unit with the highest number of service hours reported during a calendar year period, or to the unit with the highest average number of hours of service per Scout.

2017 – Highest number of community service hours – 2,498 hours of service

2018 – Highest number of community service hours – 3,413 hours of service

2018 – Highest average number of service hours per Scout – 57.85 hours per Scout

WATCHUNG MOUNTAINEER AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Watchung Mountaineer Award is given to a registered Scouter, with two or more years of service, for outstanding service rendered to Scouting at the Unit and/or District Level. Nominees seek out opportunities to improve their unit and show true Scout Spirit.

2016 Henry Hom

2017 Robert Fromtling, Sr.

2017 Anne Fromtling

2018 Tim Avis

DAVID SETZER PHILMONT ALUMNUS AWARD RECIPIENTS

The David Setzer Philmont Alumnus Award is presented by Patriots' Path Council to a Philmont alumnus for his or her extraordinary work on Philmont high adventure planning, training, and participation.

2018 Tim Avis

SCOUT SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD

The Scout Scholar Athlete Award is awarded by Patriots' Path Council to Scouts that qualify. Requirements to be nominated for the award include: Star Scout or above; current member of a high school varsity sports team with at least one year of participation; a high school student during the academic year covered by the nomination deadline; and, a 3.5 cumulative GPA.

Stephen Deduck
William Frey
Anthony Scalia
Daniel Scalia
Michael Stokes
Spencer Weigand
Aidan Windorf

AL RIKER, JR. MEMORIAL AWARD RECIPIENTS

A Troop award that commemorates the spirit of Mr. Al Riker, a stalwart member of our Troop Committee and recipient of both the District Award of Merit and the Silver Beaver.

2009 Peter Copeland

2011 Tim Avis

2016 Henry Hom

PRYOR MEMORIAL AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Pryor Memorial Award honors a currently active Troop member who has provided exceptional service, dedication, and sustained contribution in a leadership role over an extended period of at least three years. The Award may be presented to an adult, a Scout, or both.

1989 Jack Avis	2013 Matt Lang	
1989 JB Boscia	2014 Henry Hom	
1990 Dan Avis	2015 Alex Applegarth	
1991 Tim Avis	2016 Rob Lang	
1992 Dave Munch	2017 Jim Ransom	
1992 Sue Hanas	2018 Seamus Cunningham	
1993 Bob Boie		
1994 Ed O'Donnell, Sr.		
1995 Roger Sullivan		
1996 Bob Clancy		
1997 Greg McManemin		
1997 Rob Tyson		
1998 Al Riker		
1999 Bob Fromtling		
2000 Paul Leonard		
2001 Sharon Machrone		
2002 Steve McCabe		
2002 Roy Villafane		
2003 Annie Fromtling		
2004 Peter Copeland		
2004 Rob Whitehead		
2005 Jeanette Valentino		
2006 Alec Ireland		
2007 John Korunow		
2008 Peter Hogaboom		
2008 Kathy Falzon		
2009 Joe Wagner		
2009 John Gilmartin		
2010 Tom O'Neill		
2011 Steve Deduck		
2012 Father Vic Kennedy		

ANGEL AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Angel Award honors the adult who has made the most significant contribution to the Troop in either an official or unofficial capacity during the current Scouting year (July-June).

1989 Eileen Martin		
1990 Sue Hanas		
1991 Betty Avis		
1992 Peter Mottley		
1993 Roger Sullivan		
1995 Tim Avis		
1996 Bob Fromtling		
1997 Annie Fromtling		
1998 Steve McCabe		
1999 Rob Whitehead		
2000 Steve McCabe		
2001 Stuart Snowden		
2002 Peter Copeland		
2003 Tim Avis		
2004 Jeanette Valentino		
2005 Kim Vernon		
2006 Kathy Falzon		
2007 Kathy Gilmartin		
2008 Tom O'Neill		
2009 William Leong		
2010 Steve Deduck		
2011 Henry Hom		
2012 Alex Applegarth		
2013 Bob Outten		
2014 Bill Frey		
2015 Seamus Cunningham		
2016 Christine O'Brien		
2017 Deb Ransom		
2018 Karen Outten		
2018 Suzanne Weigand		

DUTY TO GOD RECOGNITION

The Duty to God Recognition is offered by the National Catholic Committee on Scouting and is awarded to those who have given great contributions and support to Catholic Scouting.

2018 Robert Lang

OUTTEN AWARD

The Outten Award is given, with humor, to the adult who capsizes his or her canoe during a canoe trip, particularly Wading River. It was named for Mr. Robert Outten, who has the honor of capsizing three years in a row.

2015 Robert Outten

2016 Seamus Cunningham

2017 Mihir Patel

2018 Robert Outten

ST. PADRE PIO SERVICE AWARD

Created in 2018, the St. Padre Pio Service Award recognizes Scouts for substantial and exceptional service to the community during their time as a registered youth in the troop.

2018 Benjamin Outten (673.4 hours)

2018 Samuel Outten (329.65 hours)

POPE PAUL VI TROOP AWARD

Cooperation, development, and program are the key words in the recognition of Catholic chartered units in earning the National Catholic Quality Unit Award - Pope Paul VI. The adult leadership responds to training not only in Scouting lore, but training in Catholic Scouter Development, and religious counseling. The Scouts in each Pack, Troop, Team, and Crew/Ship respond by participating in the religious emblems program respective of their status in Scouting.

2011

2017 – Silver Level

AD ALTARE DEI RELIGIOUS EMBLEM RECIPIENTS

The Ad Altare Dei emblem is for any Roman Catholic youth age 13 to 14 that is registered in a Boy Scout Troop, has been an active member for 6 months or longer, and has completed 6th grade.

Justin Almendral
James Brennan
James Capone
John Devitt
Jerry Gottlich
David Hom
Joshua Lang
Walter Lobo
George McGuire
Peter Munkittrick
Timothy O'Brien
Joseph Rohal
James Sidie
Rudy Stanko
Willard Weikel

Richard Barchi
John Briggs
Timothy Coleman
Andrew Donofri
John Harrington
Joseph Johnson
Justin Lang
Robert Mahler
David Meeker
Tom Murphy
Samuel Ransom
Gregory Schilling
Franz Smith
Francis Sullivan
Robert Wells

Robert Benedict
Paul Bumiller
Andrew Cunningham
Charles Dooley
Joseph Harrington
Charles Lachtefeld
Edward Laurent
Brian Mahoney
William Minogue
John Nelson
Frederick Roemer
William Sheehan
Friedrich Smith
Spencer Weigand
George Wolf

POPE PIUS XII RELIGIOUS EMBLEM RECIPIENTS

The Pope Pius XII emblem is for any Roman Catholic youth age 15 or older that is registered in a Boy Scout Troop.

Justin Almedral
Luke Gibbons
Tim Johnston
Mathew Lang
TJ O'Neill
Max Reo
Franz Smith

Marcello Betman
David Hom
JD Kelly
William Mild
Noah Penders
Anthony Scalia
Friedrich Smith

Stephen Deduck
Joseph Hom
Justin Lang
Chip Mulrooney
Matthew Ransom
Timothy Stein
Jonathan Tice

ORDER OF THE ARROW

The Order of the Arrow is the National Honor Society of the Boy Scouts. OA recognizes Scouts and Scouters who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives.

Justin Almendral
Angus Applegarth
Andrew Cunningham
Billy Frey
James Fritz
Robert Guididas
David Hom
Joseph Hom
Douglas Keating
Joshua Lang
Justin Lang
Peter Munkittrick
Ben Outten
Sam Outten
Matt Ransom
Sam Ransom
Joseph Rohal
Anthony Scalia
Daniel Scalia
Franz Smith
Friedrich Smith
Michael Stokes