

2018 Annual Recognition Dinner



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The Council Annual Recognition Committee invites you to an evening of fellowship and recognition on Saturday, February 17, 2018 at 6:30PM. Our Council Banquet is held annually to recognize the volunteers of the Rio Grande Council. The highlight of the evening is the presentation of the Silver Beaver Award and the Golden Beaver Award, the highest recognitions presented on the council level. In addition, other high level awards will be presented or recognized during the banquet.

Banquet includes:

- **Order of the Arrow Awards & Vigil Honors**
- **2017 Class of Eagle Scouts**
- **District Award of Merit**
- **The “Spark Plug Awards”**
- **The Paisano Award**
- **Silver Beaver, Golden Beaver & James E. West Fellows Award Presentations**

- **Saturday, February 17, 2018 - 6:30 pm**
Knapp Medical Center Conference Center
1401 E. 8th Weslaco, TX

- Purchase an Individual Ticket for \$20 at

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And Sponsor an Eagle - \$50

Or Sponsor the event - \$2500

**For more information please contact our Banquet Chair
Cynthia Cardenas at 956-793-7868 or e-mail at cincard@aol.com**

THE RIO GRANDE COUNCIL “THE SPARK PLUG AWARD” UNIT LEADER NOMINATION FORM

This nomination is confidential. To avoid possible disappointment, please do not advise the nominee or spouse in any way of your nomination. But please make sure you get the individual to attend the dinner.

Spark Plug Award – Due by February 2nd, 2018 at earnest@bsamail.org

The Spark Plug award is presented to a Unit, District, or Council scouter who has made positive differences in a short amount of time. The Spark Plug exemplifies the Scout Oath and Law in their daily life and goes above and beyond the call of duty to spark the enthusiasm most in your unit: This is the person – who always helps (with a smile); makes one feel good by just being around them; picks one’s spirits up; and recharges one’s battery! They provide the required “spark” to keep things FUN, exciting, and moving.

- ◆ Each unit in the district may submit nominations for the Spark Plug Award.
- ◆ The Council Award Selection Committee may award one Spark Plug Award per unit.
- ◆ The Spark Plug Award is also available to members of the Council/District Committee and Commissioner staff.

Requirements:

- ◆ The Nominee must be a registered Adult Leader.
- ◆ The Nominee has made an important contribution to the success of the unit or district and has exemplified enthusiasm and determination.
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- ◆ The Nominee’s attitude and cooperation with the District and Council must be notable.

Nominee Personal Information:

Name:	Spouse:
Phone:	Street:
Email:	City, ST zip
Current Registered Position:	Unit # & Type

Noteworthy Service/Reason for Nomination *(USE ADDITIONAL PAPER IF NEEDED):*

I certify that this nominee's character and behavior reflect the ideals of the Boy Scouts of America.

Name:	Current Registered Position:
Email:	Phone: