

The National Jewish Committee on Scouting established the Shofar Award to recognize outstanding service by adults in the promotion of Scouting among Jewish youth. Just as the Shofar (Ram's Horn) calls people to the service of God, so the Shofar Award is a recognition of the individual who has answered the call to serve Jewish youth in Scouting. Self and spouse nominations will not be accepted.

A Shofar recipient should:

- Promote the use of Scouting in synagogues, Jewish Community Centers, and other Jewish institutions.
- Encourage Jewish youth to join the Boy Scouts of America as Tiger Cubs, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, and Explorers.
- Recruit Jewish leaders on unit, district, and council levels.
- Encourage and assist Scouts in earning the Maccabee, Aleph, and Ner Tamid emblems.
- Promote religious observance on camping trips and at camporees, summer camp, Scout Sabbath, and other functions.
- Exemplify religious convictions by personal participation in the ideals of Jewish Life.

## **Application Information**

### Nomination Procedure

1. Nominations may be made by Scouting volunteers or professionals.
2. Letter of Recommendation: The nominator must submit a letter of recommendation detailing the nominee's qualifications, which must be included with the application.
3. Completed Application: The nominator must submit the application form to the local BSA Council's Jewish Committee on Scouting for approval.
4. Required Signatures: The nominator must submit the application form to the local BSA Council for approval (the Scout Executive's signature is required).
5. Payment Information: Check the P.R.A.Y. website for the latest pricing. A check for the award package plus shipping/handling should be made payable to P.R.A.Y. (11123 S. Towne Sq. Ste B, St. Louis, MO 63123). Payment by check, money order, MasterCard, Visa or Discover is accepted.

# THE NATIONAL JEWISH COMMITTEE ON SCOUTING

## Shofar Award Nomination

*This emblem has been developed by the National Jewish Committee on Scouting for Jewish Scouts and may only be awarded to Jewish Scouters or those that have made significant contributions to Jewish Scouting.*



**Ship To:** Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Award: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominees Information:** Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed exactly as it is to appear on the certificate

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ BSA Council: \_\_\_\_\_

Synagogue Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Certification:** In recognition of a major commitment to Jewish youth in Scouting, we recommend the nominee to receive the Shofar Award. Attached is a letter of recommendation detailing the nominee's qualifications.

Chairperson, Awards Subcommittee: \_\_\_\_\_  
Or other Jewish Community Leader if there is not Awards Subcommittee Chairperson

Chairperson, Local Jewish Committee of BSA Council: \_\_\_\_\_  
Or other Jewish Community Leader if there is not Awards Subcommittee Chairperson

Scout Executive of BSA Council: \_\_\_\_\_  
I certify the Scout applying for this emblem is a registered member of the BSA.

Order Information:	Number	Cost/Per	Subtotal
Award Package	_____	\$36.00	_____
Required Shipping/Handling \$5 for each award maximum \$15	_____	_____	_____
Total Payable	_____	_____	_____

**Rush Order/Fax Service:** \$6.00  
Fax orders are assessed \$6.00.  
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**Check One:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Standard Shipping via First Class Mail (included above)	_____	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> USPS Priority Mail 2-3 days not guaranteed	\$7.50	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Ground 3-5 days — No PO Boxes	\$15.00	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Expedited — 1 or 2 days depending on zip code	\$25.00	_____

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The CV2 code is the last three digits on the backside of the credit card in the signature box.

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**St. Louis, MO 63123**

**www.praypub.org**  
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Letter of recommendation must be submitted with completed application including required signatures above. Letter must detail nominee's qualifications based on eligibility guidelines. For more information, visit <http://www.jewishscouting.org/shofar-award>.