

House Resolution No. 719

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Ryan Nathaniel Barnhart of Cedar Hill, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on March 12, 2005, at the Lions Hall in House Springs; and

Whereas, Ryan, a member of Boy Scout Troop 553, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building an outdoor classroom at Cedar Hill Intermediate School and placing numerous benches around a nature trail and butterfly garden; and

Whereas, during his twelve years in Scouting, Ryan mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-two merit badges, three Mile Swim awards, BSA Lifeguard certification, the World Conservation Award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Ryan demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Librarian, Troop Guide, and Order of the Arrow Representative; and

Whereas, the son of Keith and Patrice Barnhart, Ryan developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include completing Junior Leader Training Camp, working on staff at Beaumont Cub Scout Camp, taking part in Extreme Scouting activities, and attending eight summer camps and various Camporees; and

Whereas, Ryan's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Ryan Barnhart for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Ryan Nathaniel Barnhart.

Offered by _____
Representative Harold R. Selby
District No. 105

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 719, adopted February 22, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker