

SHAC Crew Advisors,

As the school year is winding to a close I just want to send you all a brief message about what is going on in SHAC as it pertains to Venturing. This past year we had three Venturing Forums held at the council office and our annual weekend campout at Bovay Scout Ranch. We still have our end of the year banquet that will take place on August 12 at the Cockrell Scout Center, we hope to see you and your crew at this event.

As a reminder Venturing Leadership Award nominations are due on June 1st, the nomination form is online and can be accessed at:

<http://venturing.shac.org/venturing-leadership-award>

Venturing Leadership Award candidates must be registered and involved in Venturing as a Venturer for at least one year. They must hold a leadership position or office on the unit, district. The candidate must show exceptional dedication and give outstanding leadership and service to Venturing and to Venturers. Both Youth and Adults are eligible for this award.

Also at Banquet we will be holding elections for the council Venturing Officer Association.

<http://venturing.shac.org/voa-elections>

I encourage you to have any of your active Youth members who would be interested in becoming a part of the VOA submit their nomination forms, along with a photo, as soon as possible. Once a nomination form has been received the Venturers Bio will be posted on the election page and in Social Media. Along with the elected positions there will be a few other VOA positions that will be open and we would love to have active Venturers from across the council join us.

Along with Youth opportunities we are also looking for adults that would like to help with advising our youth officers. If you or anyone from your crew is interested please have them reach out to me at their convenience.

Thanks for all that you do for the Youth of the Sam Houston Area Council.

Yours in Scouting,
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