

2008 Southern Region Boatswain Nomination Guidelines

Qualifications:

- Be a registered Sea Scout in a council within the Southern Region
- Be recommend or approved by his or her council
- Be less than 20 years of age on May 31, 2008
- Has not previously served as the Southern Region Boatswain

Expectations:

- Serves as the youth representative for Sea Scouting on the Regional Program Committee, attending those committee meetings in September and February
- Works with the Southern Region Venturing President to foster a cooperative and beneficial relationship between Sea Scouting and other Venturing programs in the Southern Region
- Serves on the National Sea Scouting Advisory Committee as the Region's youth representative
- Communicates with the various ships and councils throughout the Southern Region in order to improve the program and bring the Scouts' concerns and program ideas to the Regional Program Committee
- Attend other Sea Scout and Venturing meetings and events around the region as available and upon request from the Southern Region Sea Scout Commodore or Staff Advisor

Term of Office: The Southern Region Boatswain will serve from June 1, 2008 through May 31, 2009.

Action: Councils should approve and send the attached nomination form by April 15, 2008 to:

Southern Region, BSA
PO Box 440728
Kennesaw, GA 30160

The Boatswain Selection Committee will in turn make their selection known by April 30, 2008.

Additional Information: The nominee should attach no more than two 8.5 x 11 inch pages on white paper to this nomination stating his or her qualifications for the Southern Region Boatswain position. Please staple these pages to this form; do not enclose them in notebooks, binders, or sheet protectors. These pages should include:

- a. Experience as a Ship or Council Boatswain or as an officer of your council's Teen Leader Council, Venturing Officer's Association, or similar council level organization
- b. Leadership experience, awards, training, honors, and other activities related to Sea Scouting, Venturing, Scouting, church, school, clubs, sports, etc
- c. A statement on college or career plans
- d. A brief statement on why you want to be the Southern Region Boatswain
- e. Other information on your qualifications for the position

2008-2009 Southern Region Boatswain

Council Nomination Form

(Due into the Southern Region Office by April 15, 2008)

Council HQ City _____ Number: _____

Nominates Sea Scout _____ for the position of Southern Region Boatswain.

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Information:

Daytime Phone (with area code) _____

Evening Phone (with area code) _____

Email Address: _____

Age on May 31, 2008: _____ Birth Date: _____ Sea Scout Rank: _____

Registered in Ship Number _____ Chartered Organization: _____

Positions held (check all that apply):

() Ship Boatswain From/To Dates: _____

() Council Boatswain From/To Dates: _____

() Council Teen Leader's Council / Venturing Officer Association

Position: _____ From/To Dates: _____

() Other Relevant School or Civic Leadership Office

Position: _____ From/To Dates: _____

NOMINEE'S AGGREGEMENT: I am able and willing to be considered for the position of Southern Region Boatswain. I meet the qualifications listed. If selected for the position, I will serve to the best of my ability.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

COUNCIL APPROVAL: We recommend and approve this Sea Scout as a nominee for the position of Southern Region Boatswain, who meets the qualifications listed under the Nomination Guidelines.

Signed (Council Executive or Designee): _____ Date: _____