



## 2024 Alamo Area Council's Baden Powell Unit Excellence Award

Unit Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Boy/Girl/Family  
Charter Organization \_\_\_\_\_

To achieve any level, your unit must have **completed, submitted, and council has approved** your unit's charter with all signatures and all AAC requirements and trainings to the front desk by close of business Thursday, November 28, 2024. To achieve any level, we recommend your unit have a planning and budget unit meeting, and make sure it is regularly reviewed by the unit's committee, following BSA policies relating to fundraising.

Item	Tier 1 (25 Points)	Tier 2 (50 Points)	Tier 3 (75 Points)	Point Earned	
<b>Service</b>					
1	<b>Service projects:</b> Participate in service projects.	Participate in one service project, log hours and activity in Scoutbook, and send picture & description to council for media publication (social/TV/print)	Participate in two service projects, one must be a Council led activity	Achieve Tier 2, and participate in a third service project. At least one be conservation-oriented.	
2	<b>Building Scouting:</b> Recruit new youth into the unit in order to grow membership.	Attend Council Sales Training & have Growth Chair for Unit. <b>CS:</b> hold 2 formal recruitments. <b>Troops:</b> hold two joint activities/open houses.	Achieve Tier 1, and either increase youth members by 25% or have at least 40 members.	Achieve Tier 2, and either increase youth members by 50% or have at least 60 members. Have active retention Chair (100 points)	
<b>Adventure</b>					
3	<b>Advancement:</b> Achieve a high percentage of Scouts earning rank advancements.	50% of Scouts advance one rank during the calendar year.	60% of Scouts advance one rank during the calendar year.	75% of Scouts advance one rank during the calendar year.	
4	<b>Outdoor activities:</b> Conduct outdoor activities, field trips, or unit camping trips.	Pack/Troop has the opportunity to participate in three outdoor activities, field trips, or unit camping trips during the year.	Each Pack/Troop has the opportunity to participate in four outdoor activities, field trips, or unit camping trips during the year.	Each Pack/Troop has the opportunity to participate in five outdoor activities, field trips, or unit camping trips during the year, one must be a Council led day event.	
5	<b>Day Camp, BSA Summer Camp:</b> Scouts attend council led day camps, family camps, and/or resident camps.	30% of Registered Scouts participate in a Council camp during the summer, or have improvement over the prior year.	50%, or 30% and have improvement over the prior year.	70%, or 50% and have improvement over the prior year.	
6	<b>Unit meetings and activities:</b> Units and their Den/Patrols have regular meetings and activities.	Hold eight Pack/Troop meetings in a school year.	Achieve Tier 1, plus Den/Patrols meet at least twice a month during the school year.	Achieve Tier 2, plus meet a minimum of once a month from June-August	
<b>Fundraiser</b>					
7	<b>Unit Fundraisers:</b> The unit is proactive in raising funds to support unit's budgetary needs. <i>**A Unit Money-Earning Application needs to be received by council 2 weeks before proposed date for any non-council fundraising efforts.</i>	Participation in at least one council fundraiser with total sales of \$3,000 in popcorn, or 250 adventure cards. Have active fundraising chair.	Participation in at least one council fundraiser with total sales of \$5,000 in popcorn, or 500 adventure cards.	Participation in at least one council fundraiser with total sales of \$10,000 in popcorn, or 1,000 adventure cards.	
8	<b>Unit Planning:</b> Calendar planning and unit budget planning.	Unit conducts an Annual Adventure Planning Conference with the Unit Committee. (For Troops, the PLC must be present).	Achieve Tier 1, plus Committee meets with Commissioner to review budget and calendar, and shares it with unit parents/guardians.	Achieve Tier 2, and the Unit Leadership has a succession plan for every position specific leader, and this has been reviewed with the Unit Commissioner.	
9	<b>Unit Leadership Development</b>	The unit has 6 scheduled Committee meetings as part of their annual calendar.	Achieve Tier 1, plus each Committee Member have designated responsibilities within the unit.	Achieve Tier 2, plus there is a system implemented to track and monitor leadership for Leader Awards	

- Baden Powell:** Earn at least 500 points by earning points in 8 objectives and at least Tier 1 in category 2, 5, and 7.
- Our unit has completed online renewal by the deadline in order to maintain continuity of our program.
- We certify that these requirements have been completed:

**Total points earned:** \_\_\_\_\_

Head Leader \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Committee chair \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner/Engagement Team \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



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