

The Honorable Nikki Haley
Office of the Governor
1205 Pendleton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

September 29, 2014

Dear Governor Haley,

I am writing to you to introduce you to Boy Scout Troop 2's newest Eagle Scout, Joe Justis. Joe has been a part of Scouting since the 1st Grade and during his career in Scouting Joe has attended the 2013 National Scout Jamboree, completed a 50 Mile backpacking trek, attended the National Youth Leadership Training course and is a very active member of the Order of the Arrow, a national organization of Scouts committed to the service of others.


In addition to his Scouting activities, Joe is a straight A student at the Rollings Middle School of the Arts and was selected as the Student of the Year in the 6th grade. That year, after losing his grandmother to bladder cancer, he contacted state legislators and got a resolution passed in the South Carolina Legislature declaring May 2013 as Bladder Cancer Awareness Month.

As his Eagle Scout Service Project, Joe teamed up with the Bladder Cancer Awareness Network (BCAN) and organized an awareness walk for Bladder Cancer in May 2014. The event was a huge success as 80 walkers participated in the walk and a local urologist spoke on warning signs and treatments of the disease.

On November 22, 2014 at 2pm at St Paul's Church in Summerville, SC an Eagle Scout Court of Honor will be conducted to present Joe his Eagle Scout Award. Troop 2 is compiling letters of congratulations and other items to be presented to Joe at the event. Troop 2 invites you to participate in Joe's special day by attending or sending a token of acknowledgement.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,



Glenn P. Justis

Scoutmaster, Troop 2

