

BSA National Hall of Leadership Nominations and Judging Timetable

- February 8, 2009 Start date for nominations to be submitted to councils at www.scouting.org/100years, coinciding with the 99th Anniversary of Scouting.
- December, 2009 Councils begin reaching out to the community to build their local panels for judging, and conduct interviews to start building judging panel.
- January-April, 2010 Finish judge selection process. Hold orientation meetings with judges to review judging criteria, check schedules and availability of judges, and help with any questions. Begin reviewing nominations in database.
- April 2, 2010 Stop date for nominations to councils. (Councils begin judging nominations.)
Time for council judging: 6 weeks
- May 14, 2010 Stop date for council judging. Electronic delivery of semi-finalists to BSA National Office for initial screening and elimination round. (Reducing entry pool from 12 entries per council to 3)
Time for initial screening/elimination round: 2 weeks
- May 28, 2010 Preliminary screening ends. Deliver pool of the maximum possible total of close to 900 finalists (3 per council) to national judging committee. National finalist judging begins.
Time for final judging: 3-4 weeks
- June 25, 2010 Stop date for national judging. Results delivered to BSA. Councils and recipients are notified.
Time for notifying recipients, inviting selected inductees by region, preparing for induction ceremony: 5 weeks
- July 25, 2010 Inductees to National Hall of Leadership are announced as part of 100th Anniversary events in Washington, D.C. on the Adventure Base 100 stage at the end of the BSA Centennial Parade.
- BSA councils announce and celebrate their own pool of local Hall of Leadership honorees at local events, banquets, etc.