

Margee's Musings

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1. The recommended order of the Eagle Project workbook is a well thought out format. See page 67 in the NCAC Eagle Scout Procedures Guide.
 - A. The original application.
 - B. Page two of the ESRA showing council verification of the records. Sometimes this will be an email with the Scout's name, unit, and chartered organization. This email is in lieu of the signed application when I am not in the office and cannot scan the signed page two. The instructions will either say to include the attachment or to include the email as proof of records verification.
 - C. Life ambitions and purpose and leadership positions, honors and awards earned.
 - D. The complete workbook: proposal, plan and final report.
 - E. Next, include project supporting documents such as drawings, diagrams, pictures, receipts, and thank you letters.
 - F. Finally, anything else that helps tell who this young man is: certificates such as Den Chief Training, documents from school or outside organizations.

A through D are mandatory. All else just gives a clearer picture of what kind of citizen this young man is.

2. DER's, before you sign the Project Proposal please ensure that the Scout has filled out the contact information page completely.
3. DER's, ^{if} ~~when~~ the Scout calls and wants a final meeting with you to go over his application, ask him to obtain a Member Summary report from his Advancement Chair. This should be a report from ScoutNet, and not from Troop Master or some other third party program.
4. Encourage Scouts, their parents, and unit leaders to attend a Life to Eagle Seminar.
5. Make sure it is clearly understood who should present the completed Eagle package to council after the successful board of review.