

Wearing Scouts Canada's Awards

Congratulations! Thank you for your service to scouting!

What Awards can be worn on the formal uniform?

Regardless of your section or member type, the following awards can be worn on your formal uniforms. They are:

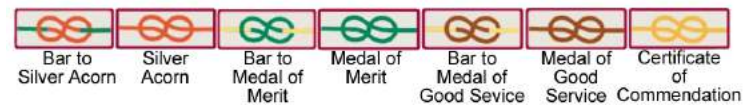
- Outstanding service awards
- Awards of Fortitude
- Gallantry Awards
- Centennial Award

Each medal comes with a cloth emblem or flash.

Where are Emblems sewn onto the uniform?



Members wear the cloth emblem on the uniform's left pocket. If more than one emblem is worn, the SENIOR emblem is worn closest to the heart. Consult the uniform fact sheets from the Scout Shop.



Other national medals such as Fortitude, Gallantry, Long Service Award as well as the Medal of the Maple are worn as received.

	Medal of the Maple		Certificate of Gallantry		Certificate of Meritorious Conduct
	Award of Fortitude		Bronze Cross		Medal of Meritorious Conduct
	Silver Fox		Silver Cross		Long Service Award
	Silver Wolf		Gold Cross		Commemorative Centennial Medal

* Any insignia of orders, decorations or medals should be worn over the left breast pocket flap and should not be co-mingled with Scouting awards in accordance with the Canadian Honours Systems guidelines. If you will be wearing Canadian Honours any Scouting insignia can be moved to the right side of the uniform.

Religion in Life emblems are also sewn on the left pocket. For more information on how to achieve this emblem as an adult or youth, visit the online support centre.

Lanyard vs Pinned Awards

Most Scouts Canada medals come with a ribbon lanyard to suspend the medal around the neck. The Jack Cornwell Decoration, The Award of Fortitude, the Medal of Meritorious Conduct and the Bronze – Silver – Gold Cross use pins to attach the award to the uniform over the right pocket.

Recognition Tips



It starts with Scouts

When to wear your Awards

On formal or ceremonial occasions, wearing your medals is encouraged. If more than one honour has been bestowed, select the SENIOR medal to wear. For example:

- Investitures
- Advancement Ceremonies
- Parades
- Annual General Meetings
- ScoutCon
- Remembrance Day ceremonies
- Major Award ceremonies
- Church services or civic meetings

What Youth Awards are sewn on the Right Pocket?



Jack Cornwell
Decoration

Top Section Program awards are worn on the right-hand pocket of the youth uniform as well as the Jack Cornwell Decoration for high character and courage by a youth member. Consult the uniform fact sheets from the Scout Shop. The most senior youth top section award is worn on the adult uniform on the right pocket.



Remember...

During BP Week, explain
what Scouts Canada
recognition is all about

Teach the youth what
the parts of the uniform
and emblems mean

Thanks!

Sew the emblems; You
never know when a
change will be required

Wearing more than one
medal & lanyard is
discouraged

Neckers, Woggles &
beads are also a form of
recognition

National Recognition Network Mission

To celebrate the significant achievements of our members and their resulting impact on the Scouting Movement.
Visit scouts.ca/thanks to tell us about your outstanding members; We'll do the rest!