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**CORNELL ROBERTSON**  
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**VIRTUAL EVENT**

THURSDAY  
OCTOBER 22, 2020  
12:00 P.M.

# 2020 North Star Award Event

*Simon Kenton Council, Boy Scouts of America*

<b>Welcome</b>	Jeff Gill Pastor Newark Central Christian Church
<b>Pledge of Allegiance</b>	Pack 197
<b>Scout Oath/Scout Law</b>	Pack 197 & Troop 84
<b>Council Update</b>	Jeff Moe Scout Executive Simon Kenton Council
<b>Eagle Scout Feature</b>	Redwan Kamel
<b>2019 Eagle Scout Recognition</b>	Jeff Gill
<b>North Star Award</b>	Cornell R. Robertson, P.E., P.S. Franklin County Engineer
<b>Closing Remarks</b>	Jeff Gill

# Featured Scout

## Redwan Kamel

### *Eagle Scout*



Redwan Kamel is an 18-year-old Eagle Scout from Troop 418 in Hilliard, Ohio.

He started in Cub Scouts because his mother thought it would be a great program to help him grow his leadership skills.

Since joining Scouting, Redwan has started Redwan's Egyptian Ice, which is a pushcart business that sells treats.

Redwan's business enabled him to adopt Hayden Run Village Park near his house and he keeps the park clean and well taken care of. Redwan's passion for parks began when he picked up litter with his fellow Scouts at a nearby park.

For his Eagle Scout project, Redwan chose to make and install a flag-retirement box at the American Legion's William R. Schnug Memorial Post 614. Since the box was built, at least two 55-gallon drums with flags have been retired.

Because of the impact Scouting has made on his life, Redwan is mentoring his younger siblings, Yasmeeen, Asalah and Rahim in Scouting.

Redwan is pursuing a degree in mechanical engineering online at the Newark branch of the Ohio State University.

# North Star Honoree Cornell R. Robertson, P.E., P.S.

*Franklin County Engineer*



Cornell Robertson has served as the Franklin County Engineer since June 2017. He began his career at The Franklin County Engineer's Office in 1992 and has held positions in construction, design, and overall engineering management.

The Franklin County Engineer's Office is responsible for constructing and maintaining 800 lane miles of county roadway including 359 bridges and 185 culverts.

The Engineer's office continually makes improvements to the county's roads, bridges, sidewalks, bike lanes, and shared-use-paths to meet the changing transportation needs of the county. The Engineer's office also utilizes the latest technologies for surveying, tax map maintenance, and land record keeping.

Cornell received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from The Ohio State University and is a registered Professional Engineer and Professional Surveyor in Ohio. Cornell and his wife, Jill, live in Hilliard, and they have three children who have grown up: Hayden, Blake, and Kathryn.

Raised in southern Ohio, Cornell enjoyed the outdoors and Scouting as a Cub Scout, WEBELOS, and a Boy Scout. His pack and troop had many adventures in Scioto Trail State Park, Tar Hollow State Park, Chief Logan Reservation and on the Jenny Wiley Trail.

Many years later, Cornell got to enjoy Scouting again through his sons, Hayden and Blake who were in Troop 200.

# 2019 Buckeye District Eagle Scouts

*Serving Hilliard, Tri-Village, Clintonville and Worthington*

Spencer McClellan  
Kieran York Jr  
Samuel Panizo  
Luke Stottlemire  
Jude Rosinski  
Carter Taylor  
Joshua Roemer  
Richard Matter  
Kenneth Reese  
Thomas Grabauskas  
Willem Black  
Ethan Hughes  
Jacob Strous  
Andrew Bell  
Shaun Hamilton  
Jacob Cuttitta  
Garett Grobe  
Paul Fields  
John Ryerson  
Ryan Griesmer  
Samuel Weller  
Benjamin Bundschuh  
Maximilian Major  
Andrew Mullett  
Grady Isaly  
Evan Montgomery  
Oliver Turley  
Patrick Drury  
Benjamin Moffit  
Joshua Stock  
Iain McCormick  
Jackson Aldridge  
Samuel Aldridge  
Jeremy England  
Andrew Leonard  
Shyam Sai Bethina  
Drew Heck  
Michael Terveer  
Nathan Watkins  
Colin Lauber  
Alexander Panico  
Nathan Schirtzinger  
Jonathan Miller  
Wesley Frank

Aaron Fernando  
William Bartram  
Nathaniel Asbury  
Michael Reilly  
Tylar Wallace  
Joseph Elder  
Spencer Cook  
Charles Kiehl  
Avery Hauser  
Everett Helm  
Jared Mars  
Steven Hanks  
Parker Harrington  
Aaron Mars  
Ethan Roberts  
Ryan Connolly  
Sean Cook  
Dylan Louk  
Aidan Primm  
Seth Berridge  
Ankit Kumar  
Colin Schleappi  
Nikolas Hinkle  
Nathan Vokac  
Nathan Massey  
Preston Buterbaugh  
Zachary Stabile  
Andrew Thompson  
Clayton Rogers  
Daniel Alford  
Alec Caswell  
Elijah Voorhees  
Benjamin Crespo  
Alex Hulteen  
Riley Wike  
Nathan Ashbrook  
Michael Bruggeman  
Donald Search  
Nathaniel McGurk  
Samuel Nagle  
Brendan Tansky  
Nicolas Gama  
Angelo Carroll  
Caleb Schiering

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# COVID-19 Safe Restart Update



The COVID-19 pandemic has challenged us all – in our personal lives, in our communities and across the country and the world.

Over the past several months, I have been inspired by the many ways our Scouts, leaders, families and supporters have kept Scouting moving forward. Our families have taken full advantage of the classroom in the woods that Scouting offers.

Our programs wouldn't be possible without our generous supporters. Your dedication to Scouting and youth in Simon Kenton Council has enabled our staff to continue serving 500 volunteers and 17,500 Scouts. Times are difficult but your donations ensure that we can make a difference in the lives of youth, developing them into your future employees and community leaders. Thanks again for your support.



# North Star Award Information

## Overview

This event brings the Scouting community and community members together to present the North Star Award to a deserving community leader; and to celebrate Scouting by recognizing a strong Scouting unit presence who shows community leadership, and Scouting spirit.

## About the Award

The North Star is bestowed upon individuals who have demonstrated integrity and care for others in both their professional and personal lives. It recognizes leadership in business, industry, government, education, and social work in the local community, state and nation. Recipients need not have been Scouts but must carry the “Spirit of Scouting” into their adult lives. They are people who have been unselfish in their service to others on an individual and community basis. They seek no return for their service other than the satisfaction of aiding their fellow citizens, their community, and their nation.



## The Simon Kenton Council

The Simon Kenton Council is one of the largest councils in the nation serving 19 counties in central and southern Ohio and Greenup County in northern Kentucky. The council is staffed by more than 31 professional and administrative Scouters with more than 6,000 adult volunteers delivering the Scouting program to more than 17,500 youth.

We are joined by more than 550 charter partner organizations sponsoring the 560 Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, Venturing Crews and Exploring Posts in our council. Through these partnerships, the council's goal is to be the premier leader in youth development for central and southern Ohio as well as Greenup County, Kentucky.

In addition, we maintain and operate four year-round camps that include 1,152 acres of woods, forests, ponds, trails and camping sites. Youth served include boys and girls ages 6-20 living in urban, rural and suburban areas.

## Scouting in Buckeye

Scouting in Buckeye District which includes Hilliard, Tri-Village, Clintonville and Worthington is thriving. Currently this community hosts more than 3,364 Scouts in 86 Scouting units. These Scouts learn the importance of character development, dedication to a goal, and striving for excellence. Thank you for supporting these young people from Tiger Cub to Eagle Scout and beyond.



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# Special Thanks & Recognition

## North Star Award Event Committee

William “Fritz” Crosier, James Jewell and Brent Welch

*The dedicated team of volunteers who help plan, strategize, fund raise, and execute this fantastic event. Thanks for all your efforts in helping to recognize this year’s class of Eagle Scouts in Buckeye District.*

## A Special Thank You

Cornell R. Robertson, P.E., P.S.

*A fantastic county engineer for a warm and welcoming county. Your energy and enthusiasm for Scouting is contagious. We wouldn’t have near this level of success and participation without your leadership and guidance.*

**All those dedicated volunteers who give of themselves and their time to support local Scouting in Buckeye District and beyond.**



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