

# **Jim Gamble 1999 – 2000 Eagle Scout Class**

## **Ansel Bowden – Troop 32 – Traverse City – October 12, 1999**

Ansel constructed and put up signs on the Lone Pine Trail in Traverse City for his Eagle Project. The signs identified trees and shrubs on the trail and gave a short description of each.

## **Paul Breithaupt – Troop 30 – Traverse City – October 26, 1999**

Landscaping at Faith Reform Church in Traverse City was what Paul did for his Eagle Project. Getting the sod, all the planning and the actual labor was all included in this great project for members of the community.

## **Adam Putney – Troop 41 – Beulah – November 10, 1999**

Adam presented a program to second and third graders in Benzie on gun safety for his Eagle Project. He planned and presented the Eddie Eagle Gun Safety Prevention Program.

## **Adam Johnson – Troop 5 – Petoskey – November 9, 1999**

## **Jacob Bach – Troop 32 – Traverse City – November 17, 1999**

Jacob re-established the Historic Women's Walk Trail at the old State Hospital grounds in Traverse City for his Eagle Project. He cleared the trail and put wood chips down and led others in this community project.

## **Eric Baar – Troop 70 – Hersey – November 18, 1999**

## **Peter Bechtold – Troop 32 – Traverse City – November 24, 1999**

Planted bushes and shrubs at low income housing for Home Stretch in Traverse City. His landscaping and hard work will benefit many member of the community.

## **Bret Johnson – Troop 30 – Traverse City – December 8, 1999**

For his Eagle Project, Brett restored the cabin on Oleson Island in Long Lake that is used by youth groups in the area. He painted, put a plastic covering in the loft, cleaned up the area, put up signs and fixed the run off for the water pump.

## **Kent Wood – Troop 35 – Traverse City – December 29, 1999**

Kent surveyed people on the NMC Campus to determine what changes needed to be made in campus signs and maps. He then supervised the moving of campus map stands to more convenient locations. He worked with a professional sign company in his project.

## **Eric Kent – Troop 48 – Cadillac – January 5, 2000**

Eric improved the park on the corner of Fifth and Second Streets in Cadillac and made it a safer place for children to play for his Eagle Project. He installed parking posts, put sand under the swings and jungle gym, replaced broken swing seats and chains, put in 2 park benches, and replaced the basketball hoop and backboard.

## **Alex Wood – Troop 35 – Traverse City – January 8, 2000**

For his Eagle Project, Alex took a piece of land with trees and some grass and dirt, and turned it into a picnic area for Northwestern Michigan College. He put in picnic tables, benches, birdfeeders, windchimes, and a climbing toy for children.

**Ryan Wojan – Troop 200 – Beaver Island – January 15, 2000**

Ryan improved the condition of his school's soccer field located on Beaver Island. For his Eagle Project he had to level the soil and re-seed the field. He rebuilt a picnic table for a scorers table and added a score board and benches. His project will benefit athletes on Beaver Island for years to come.

**Cole Morison – Troop 5 – Petoskey – January 17, 2000**

Cole built 10 park style benches for the Emmet County Fair Grounds for his Eagle Project. He got a sponsor for each bench and constructed them out of treated lumber. The community will benefit from the added seating for events and for people to rest on during the fair.

**Brian Fleetwood – Troop 41 – Benzonia – February 7, 2000**

Brian participated in a nationwide effort to preserve information for genealogists called a tombstone transcription project. He did this in Crystal Lake Township of Benzie County. He recruited people to record information, prepared forms for them to use, organized the information into a booklet and made a copy for the local library, and created a webpage with a link to the Benzie County Gen-Web.

**Robert Wilks – Troop 76 – Bellaire – February 7, 2000**

For his Eagle Project, Robert worked on a nature trail in the village of Bellaire. He lead a group that cleared the trails of branches, brush and dead trees, built a few benches for resting places, and piled the extra brush for wildlife to inhabit. His work will benefit hikers, mountain bikers, cross country skiers, and fisherman.

**Joel Soelberg – Troop 147 – Cadillac – February 9, 2000**

For his Eagle Project, Joel supervised and planned the cleaning, painting, and waxing of the Wexford-Missaukee Intermediate School District's heavy equipment. (Tree Planter) This project improved the forestry classes and equipment for the school district.

**Christopher Stowe – Troop 35 – Traverse City – February 12, 2000**

Chris repaired a public fitness course on the NMC Campus for his Eagle Project. This included woodchipping the area, replacing wooden borders, staining, putting rustoleum on exposed metal services, and replacing many items on the course. The students at NMC and the general public will benefit greatly from the project.

**William Lambert – Troop 5 – Petoskey – February 12, 2000**

Will lead a group of Scouts in building 7 benches for the pathways in the Grass River Nature Preserve located between Clam Lake and Lake Bellaire in Antrim County. Visitors to the preserve will benefit greatly from this project.

**Roy McCraine Jr. – Troop 37 – Grawn – March 14, 2000**

Roy put on a Women's Ski Tour for the Women's Resource Center. He planned, organized and ran the event which benefited many in our community.

**Nathan Newsted – Troop 5 – Petoskey – March 22, 2000**

Nathan did his Eagle Project at the Resort Pike Park outside of Petoskey. He made a cement pad for a picnic table and built a roof over the platform. It will benefit community members and visitors.

**Andy Prout – Troop 35 – Traverse City – March 25, 2000**

Andy built a storage shed for the Goodwill Inn, a homeless shelter in Traverse City. He acquired plans, acquired material and organized the building of this shed.

**Keith Jaissle – Troop 22 – Traverse City – April 4, 2000**

Keith made directional signs for the T.A.R.T. Trail in Traverse City for his Eagle Project. They were put on the trail pavement. His project will help visitors and trail users. It also makes the trail safer.

**Vincent Cooper – Troop 28 – Traverse City – April 10, 2000**

Vince made reusable duck traps for the DNR so that ducks could be marked with a metal band. They set and baited the traps, banded the ducks and then released them.

**Aaron Schwartz – Troop 4 – Alanson – April 12, 2000**

Aaron installed discuss and shot-put fields for the Littlefield Public School. He cleared the area of trees and brush and leveled it. He put in slabs of cement and fencing.

**Dean Baldwin – Troop 154 – Manton – April 18, 2000**

**Logan Lockman – Troop 30 – Traverse City – May 2, 2000**

**Karl Stein – Troop 30 – Traverse City – May 2, 2000**

**Andy Bathje – Troop 27 – Traverse City – May 9, 2000**

**Robert Pennington – Troop 31 – Traverse City – May 10, 2000**

**Andrew Wasielewski – Troop 34 – Traverse City – May 23, 2000**

**William Karczewski – Troop 34 – Traverse City – May 23, 2000**

**Nicholas Nussdorfer – Troop 34 – Traverse City – May 25, 2000**

**Adam Fivenson – Troop 34 – Traverse City – May 25, 2000**

**Stephen Anderson – Troop 34 – Traverse City – May 30, 2000**

**John Cowan – Troop 7 – Petoskey – June 6, 2000**

**Brian Howard – Troop 34 – Traverse City – June 8, 2000**

**Daniel Russell – Troop 34 – Traverse City – June 13, 2000**

**Daniel Moranville – Troop 34 – Traverse City – June 13, 2000**

**Ryan Brown – Troop 34 – Traverse City – June 14, 2000**

**Brent Marsh – Troop 74 – Reed City – June 15, 2000**

**Matthew Hobson – Troop 30 – Traverse City – June 26, 2000**

**Matthew Hendricks – Troop 55 – Harbor Springs – July 24, 2000**

**Aaron Strom – Troop 48 – Cadillac – July 25, 2000**

Aaron painted the inside of 10-12 cabins at Camp Lorenta for his Eagle Project. This project will benefit Cadillac Area Public School Students.

**Nicholas Cooper – Troop 28 – Traverse City – August 24, 2000**

Nicholas fixed up the outdoor prayer garden at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Elk Rapids. They cut the grass, put woodchips down in the open space in front of the cross, remade the footpaths through the woods, planted flowers, and repaired and refinished the cross and the benches.

**Joshua Daniel – Troop 7 – Petoskey – August 14, 2000**

Josh built a storage shed for the Petoskey High School Football and Soccer Programs. His Eagle Project consisted of building it at home and moving it to the stadium. They painted it blue with white trim and put a divider down the middle to separate the football and soccer equipment.

**Matt Griffin – Troop 31 – Traverse City – September 6, 2000**

For his Eagle Project Matt constructed 25 birdhouses along the Leelanau Trail. This benefited the TART Association and the many hikers and bikers that use the trail.

**Joseph Fifer – Troop 7 – Petoskey – September 12, 2000**

Joe led others in building new shelves for Brother Dan's Food Pantry. They raised money for the material by having car washes, can drives and collecting donations. This project will help the room hold more food and be organized. The project benefited St. Francis Xavier Parish and the poor or the community in the Petoskey area.

**Eric Wohlford – Troop 125 – Cadillac – September 18, 2000**

Eric for his project worked with the DNR at the high banks rollaway of the North Country Trail. The work included cutting trees for the path and parking area and using the limbs and branches to cover the existing trail. It also included fixing the erosion problem along the trail and building a bench for visitors. His project made a very scenic lookout point more accessible for the public to enjoy.

**Matthew Ward – Troop 1240 – Cheboygan – September 20, 2000**

Matt planned two improvements to the Hospice of the Straits House in Cheboygan for his Eagle Project. He added a door to a room where medical supplies and spare oxygen cylinders are stored and he moved a handicap ramp in a garage. The improvements greatly eased the access for the residents, visitors and staff of the Hospice of the Straits. This allows for an ambulance to back into the garage sheltering all involved including EMS personnel from bad weather.