

**President's Scout Award - Pinnacle Award**  
**(Estimated Completion Time 6 Months)**

Theme / Thread	
<p>Leadership and Interest</p> <p>Adventure and Outdoor</p> <p>Inspirations, Beliefs and Attitudes</p>	<p>1. Complete ONE of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Venturing Challenge Course (VCC)</b>            The VCC is a residential, outdoors activity-based, leadership assessment conducted by the Venture Scout Programme Council. You will be assessed on your leadership, teamwork and demonstrate <b>above average</b> level of proficiency in the area of Adventure and Outdoors. In addition, you are required to demonstrate self-reliance, initiative, responsibility, fitness and exemplary level in fulfilling the Scout Promise and Law.</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete the <b>Outward Bound School 21-Day Leadership and Service Challenge</b>.</li> </ul> <p>Record your experiences in your journal.</p> <p><u>You must complete the Pioneer Award</u> before applying for either Course.</p> <p><u>You must pass a Skills &amp; Fundamentals Test</u> before commencing either Course.</p>
<p>Nomination Process</p>	<p><b>1. PSA Review Board with Recommending Leaders</b></p> <p>The recommending Venture Scout Leader will appear before a review committee to discuss and support his/her recommendation. The Scout Leader must be prepared to show evidence of the nominee's merits to receive the PSA, to the satisfaction of the review committee. Successful nominees will be allowed to attend the PSA Nominees Forum.</p> <p><b>2. PSA Nominees Forum</b></p> <p>PSA nominees will attend a one-day forum. During this forum, nominees will be assessed on specific tasks that they will undertake. At the end of the forum, a tea session will be held for nominees to interact with a selection committee, comprising of representatives from the Ministry of Education, National Youth Council, Scout Council, National Programme Council, and the Programme Commissioner (Venture Scout). Successful nominees will be selected and recommended to receive the PSA.</p>