

## Outstanding Troop Scout Family Carrie and Tom Christensen Family

This family has been and is involved in Scouting on so many levels and on both sides of the fence. Mom grew up in Camp Fire Girls, serves as a Girl Scout leader, as an Assistant Webelos Den Leader, an Assistant Scoutmaster, Merit Badge Counselor and OA member.

Growing up in a rural area, dad never had a chance to join Scouting as a youth, but now serves as a parent volunteer for both Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts. He participates in park cleanups, bell ringing, caroling, fish fry, local festivals and parades, driving the Troop trailer to camp, serving on boards of review, and generally being there if an extra hand is needed; and will be attending Sea base this summer. For Girl Scouts, he helps with many events, crafts, cookie sales, hauling camp supplies, and tent setup.

Their daughter is quite active in Girl Scouts, has earned two religious emblems, numerous other recognitions plus the Bronze Award, has attended Twilight Summer Camp every year since joining, graduated the Honor Weekend program, and recently joined Venture Crew 777.

Their son joined Scouting as a Tiger, earned his religious emblems, the Webelos Super Achiever Award and Arrow of Light. Now a Life Scout, he's held many leadership positions including Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, has earned numerous recognitions, 27 merit badges, and also recently joined Crew 777.

This is why Chanhassen Troop 330's Carrie and Tom Christensen Family with daughter Amanda and son Alex are an Outstanding Troop Scout Family in the Lake Minnetonka District.