

2019 Lake Minnetonka Volunteer Recognition



Glowing Ember Award Bonnie Vos Troop 5424 - Excelsior – Girls

I'm excited to nominate Bonnie Vos for recognition for the Glowing Ember Award. She is Troop 5424's new fearless leader. Bonnie was eager to step up and lead the new troop. It's such a pleasure to witness Bonnie's creativeness, leadership and tireless commitment. Her enthusiasm and excitement to embrace taking on this leadership role as Scoutmaster for a brand new Troop while balancing her family's many other activities is more than admirable - it is inspiring. Bonnie's energy seems to seep into the earth around her as somehow, in the midst of all Bonnie has going on, she also manages to grow (and cheerfully share!) some of the best vegetables in town! Bonnie's enthusiasm rubs off on everybody she comes into contact with. She is such a great role model for the new scouts. She has huge enthusiasm for camping and nature. She has visited more national parks than anyone I've ever met. She also has great stories from all those adventures. The knowledge and experience she passes on is invaluable. When she is teaching our new scouts you can feel the respect and admiration. This was on full display at the first campout. With only damp wood and a temperamental wood stove, Bonnie crept out of her sleeping bag every few hours to stoke the fire and try to keep everyone warm and comfortable throughout the night on the troop's first winter campout. How thoughtful! We are all so thankful for Bonnie's commitment to scouting! Bonnie exemplifies The Glowing Ember Award!!!