

For Eagle BORs after 8/1/17

When an **Eagle Scout** has completed 5 additional merit badges, beyond the required 21 badges, he is qualified to receive a PALM award. He may receive additional awards after each successive 5 merit badges.

**It is the scout's responsibility** to notify the Troop of this auspicious achievement, so that he may be presented with the award at the next Court of Honor ceremony.

Please send an email to initiate the process to: [troop82@hptroop82.org](mailto:troop82@hptroop82.org)

### **The right way to wear a combination of palms**

The **Bronze Palm** represents the first five merit badges beyond the 21 required for Eagle.

The **Gold Palm** represents the next five (10 total), and the **Silver Palm** the third five (15 total).

After that, you'll combine multiple Palms. While qualifying Eagle Scouts can wear multiple Silver Palms, they should never wear more than 1 Bronze or 1 Gold Palm. You'll see why in this handy chart that shows the proper Palm combinations.

<b>Total number of merit badges</b>	<b>Beyond the minimum</b>	<b>Palm combination</b>
21	0	None
26	5	1 Bronze
31	10	1 Gold
36	15	1 Silver
41	20	1 Bronze, 1 Silver
46	25	1 Gold, 1 Silver
51	30	2 Silver
56	35	1 Bronze, 2 Silver
61	40	1 Gold, 2 Silver
66	45	3 Silver
71	50	1 Bronze, 3 Silver
76	55	1 Gold, 3 Silver
81	60	4 Silver
86	65	1 Bronze, 4 Silver
91	70	1 Gold, 4 Silver
96	75	5 Silver
101	80	1 Bronze, 5 Silver
106	85	1 Gold, 5 Silver