



## 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Newsletter

### Hou Koda District

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#### Welcome to Boy's Life Happy Birthday BSA Photo Contest!

Show off your photography skills in the *Boys' Life* "Happy Birthday, BSA" photograph contest.

Wow us, and your photograph just might appear on the cover of the February 2010 issue of *Boys' Life*. What's so special about February 2010? It's the 100th birthday of the Boy Scouts of America!

The *Boys' Life* "Happy Birthday, BSA" photograph contest is open to readers age 6 to 17. Its theme: The Five Pillars of Scouting. Use your imagination and come up with a photograph or photographs that illustrate one or more of these important BSA values:

- Character
- Leadership
- Achievement
- Outdoors
- Community Service

#### Entry Rules

- Enter in the appropriate age category: ages 6 to 11 or 12 to 17.
- Each entrant must be a registered member of Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts or Venturing.
- Photographs must be taken in 2009.
- You must enter through the "Submit your photo" tab at the top of the contest page <http://contests.boyslife.org/engine/Welcoming.aspx?contestid=5843>.
- All entries must be digital in JPEG (.jpg or .jpeg) format. Files should be as high of a resolution as your camera (and your computer, for uploading) will permit.
- Maximum of two entries per contestant.
- Deadline for entries: Sept. 1, 2009.
- For complete official rules, <http://contests.boyslife.org/upickem/index.asp>

#### Awards

Each of the age categories – ages 6 to 11 and ages 12 to 17 – will have first-, second- and third-place winners. Each first-place winner gets a Canon PowerShot G10 digital camera worth \$500. Second place wins a \$200 iPod nano. Third place wins a \$100 Scout Supply gift card.

Winning photographs will be published in the February 2010 issue of *Boys' Life* and on [www.boyslife.org](http://www.boyslife.org).

Good luck. Now go out and start the birthday celebration!

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