



Sons of The American Legion

Detachment of South Dakota

Son of the Year Program

To Squadron Commanders and Adjutants:

The following is the criteria to select and submit a member of your Squadron to the Detachment level for the "Son of the Year" program.

1. The candidate's package submitted will include a 5x7 Photo and the attached personal biography of the candidate.
2. The candidate must be a member in good standing and selected by a majority vote of the Squadron membership present at a regular meeting.
3. Can not be the Detachment Commander, Vice Commander, National Executive Committeeman (NEC), or Alternate NEC. These officers will be the selection Committee.
4. Describe the candidate's involvement in community projects and programs.
5. Describe the candidate's outstanding service within the Post and Squadron.
6. Have supported and actively participated in The American Legion programs.
7. List the awards, and provide copies, the candidate has received during the last year.
(Awards to include The 5-Star and The 10 Ideals programs, certificates/letters of appreciation, American Legion Extension Course, etc.)

Attach any additional pictures, news clippings, or documentation to support your candidate's nomination.

Mail the candidate's package by January 15, 2012 to:

Sons of The American Legion SOTY
South Dakota Detachment Adjutant
Colin Royal
1250 2nd ST SW
Huron, SD 57350

The packages will not be opened prior to the committee meeting.

