



## Yankee Clipper Council

### Scout Press Corps

*"Creating a better program through awareness"*

#### **Earn this Patch!**

#### **Become a Member of the YCC Scout Press Corps**

The YCC Scout Press Corps encourages Scouts and Scouters to write and submit news worthy stories about their unit's activities.

Any news release, feature story, or event where your unit receives media coverage is eligible to receive Press Credentials and a Scout Press Corps collectable patch. **Please submit an electronic news release to your District Executive. Your submission may be published by the Yankee Clipper Council website.**

By participating in the Scout Press Corps, youth can fulfill advancement requirements- example: A boy scout's news story would fulfill requirement 3a of the Journalism merit badge. **Note: Cub Scouts should verify all advancement requirements with their parents, and Boy Scouts should verify all advancement requirements with their merit badge counselor or troop advancement chair.**

Simply fill out the information below. Attach a copy of your published article and drop it off at the Service Center to the attention of "YCC Scout Press Corps". Only one submission per program year (Sept-Aug) is allowed for earning the patch.

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#### **Please Print**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Type (check one) \_\_\_ Pack \_\_\_ Troop \_\_\_ Crew

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Youth \_\_\_ (Rank \_\_\_\_\_) Adult \_\_\_

Below are the approved publications/media sources (please check one):

Daily Newspaper : \_\_\_ School Newspaper : \_\_\_ School Website : \_\_\_

Weekly Newspaper : \_\_\_ School Newsletter : \_\_\_ Community Website : \_\_\_

Church/Synagogue Bulletin : \_\_\_ Local Magazine \_\_\_ TV (local, cable, etc.) : \_\_\_

Community Newsletter : \_\_\_ Company/Business Newsletter : \_\_\_ Radio : \_\_\_

Name of Media Source : \_\_\_\_\_ Date(s) of Story Run : \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us who your Scoutmaster, Cubmaster or Crew Advisor is:

Name : \_\_\_\_\_ Address : \_\_\_\_\_ City : \_\_\_\_\_ Zip : \_\_\_\_\_

Return this form along with the story/photo/video/audio from the media source to:

Yankee Clipper Council, BSA • 36 Amesbury Road. • Haverhill, MA. 01830 or send to [info@yccbsa.org](mailto:info@yccbsa.org)

*\*Submitted items will not be returned*