Two Virginia Beach Boy Scouts attain organization's highest honor

By Staff reports

Two members of Boy Scout Troop 587 recently attained the organization's highest rank: Eagle Scout.

Lucas Ramos-Orama earned the honor in September 2020, and Beau Griffey earned his in October. Each was honored June 11 during an Eagle Scout Court of Honor at the Church of the Holy Family in Virginia Beach.

Lucas, the son of Alberto Ramos and Omayra Orama, is a rising junior at Cox High School in Virginia Beach. He's a violinist with the school's chamber orchestra and plays on the lacrosse team. He's also a member of the National Honor Society.

He began his scouting career with Cub Scout Pack 406 at All Saints Episcopal Church, and after earning his Arrow of Light, crossed over to Troop 587. He has had multiple leadership positions, earning 39 merit badges. Lucas' Eagle Scout project was the design and construction of a prayer garden at the Church of the Holy Family.

Beau, a senior at Cox High School and son of Patrick and Gretchen Griffey, has been a member of the Cox varsity lacrosse team the past four years. He started in scouting when he turned 11, and also has had many leadership positions. He earned 23 merit badges on his way to Eagle.

Beau's Eagle Scout project was the design and finishing of the children's nursery at Blessed Sacrament Church in Norfolk. Beau will be attending Longwood University in the fall.



Two scouts from the same troop, Beau Griffey (left) and Lucas Ramos-Orama, recently both earned the rank of Eagle Scout. **COURTESY OF THE GRIFFEY FAMILY**