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**Columbine West resident 917  
becomes Eagle Scout**

George and Tammy Sechrist are pleased to announce the advancement of their son, **Daniel Edward Sechrist**, a resident of Columbine West, to the rank of Eagle Scout.

Sechrist recently graduated from high school after 12 years of home education, and has been a part of the Christian Boy Scout Troop 794 for five years. He has held the leadership roles of senior patrol leader and troop historian, as well as leading a Readyman First-Aid class for young Scouts. Achieving the rank of Eagle Scout included finishing all requirements for at least 21 merit badges, as well as completing an Eagle Project as a service to the community. The Eagle Project was the construction of an outdoor bird enclosure at Denver Botanic Gardens at Chatfield, involving architectural design and plotting, researching and buying construction materials, recruiting and organizing and directing a team of volunteers, as well as hours of physical labor.

Sechrist is working in his family's Allstate Insurance business as a salesman, and plans to explore entrepreneurial opportunities in the area of using digital prototyping to create mechanical innovations.

He was honored March 14, at the Denver Botanic Gardens at Chatfield.