

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B.S.A.

DATE August 7, 1969

Full Name Ronnie Van Stewart  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 111 Maude Street

City Clarksburg State W. Va.

Age 21 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Protestant Nationality \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation Occasional Barber Worked on Camp Staff 4 years

Education Salem College in Salem, W. Va.

Weight about 165 Color Negro Height 5'10"

Color of hair black Color of eyes brown

Outstanding characteristics or interests \_\_\_\_\_

Married or single single Children \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
<u>Troop 12</u>	<u>Clarksburg, W. Va.</u>		<u>SA</u>		
<u>Post 12</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>AA</u>		

Special recognition \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Homosexual Conduct

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Scout Executive

GC-294-31

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**National Capital Area Council  
Boy Scouts of America**

9190 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20814-3897 • 301 530-9360

May 18, 2000

Mr. Ronald Stewart  
1426 Independence Avenue, SE  
Washington, DC 20003-1536

Dear Mr. Stewart:

According to our records, you have been placed on the Ineligible Volunteer File. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations you may have with the Boy Scouts of America.

You should understand that BSA membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to refuse registration whenever there is concern that an individual may not meet the high standards of membership that the BSA seeks.

If you wish to have this action reviewed by a BSA regional review committee, please write to the regional director within sixty days of the date of this letter, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration should be granted. The procedures for a review of this decision are attached.

Sincerely,

Frank C. Reigelman  
Director of Field Service

FCR:kpp

cc: ✓ Leroy Jossell, National Office  
Jim Roberts, Northeast Region  
Ron Carroll, Scout Executive



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May 11, 2000

Mr. Ron L. Carroll  
Scout Executive  
National Capital Area Council, No. 82  
9190 Rockville Pike  
Bethesda, MD 20814-3812

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: RONALD STEWART  
*aka Ronnie Van Stewart*

Dear Ron:

The above individual is attempting to register as a Webelos Den Leader of Pack C1401 in your council. Mr. Stewart is on the Ineligible Volunteer File.

Mr. Stewart needs to be notified in writing that he is on the Ineligible Volunteer File and should sever all relationships with the Boy Scouts of America. Do not use the standard revocation letter, this individual is not entitled to a regional review.

Please send us a copy of the letter so we can add it to his file. Also, please check other programs this individual may be registered in and delete, such as Order of the Arrow.

Sincerely,

5/15/00

Leroy G. Jossell, Director  
Registration Service

lw

cc: James L. Roberts, Northeast Region

*After discussing this matter with Frank Reigelman, it was decided to give him a region of review & requested.*  
*lk*

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NAME: RON CARROLL

FAX NUMBER: 301 - 564 - 3648

COUNCIL NUMBER: 82

FROM: Leroy G. Jossell, Director of Registration Service

PHONE NUMBER: 1-800-888-4705 (Ext. 2510)

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Date: 5-11-00

NAME: JIM ROBERTS

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**IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

COUNCIL #	DISTRICT #	PROGRAM CODE Pack	NATIONAL UNIT #
082	02		1401

SCOUTER Ronald Stewart POSITION WL

ADDRESS 1426 Independence Ave SE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

CITY <u>Washington</u>	STATE <u>DC</u>	ZIP CODE <u>20003</u>
DATE OF BIRTH <u>09/04/48</u>	RACE <u>Black</u>	MARITAL STATUS <u>UKN</u>
OCCUPATION <u>UKN</u>	HAIR COLOR: RED _____ BROWN _____ BLOND _____ BLACK <u>X</u> GRAY _____	EYES: BROWN <u>X</u> BLUE _____ HAZEL _____ GREEN _____ BLACK _____ GRAY _____
EDUCATION <u>UKN</u>	HEIGHT <u>5' 8"</u>	WEIGHT <u>200 +/-</u>
WHERE? <u>UKN</u>		

SIGNATURE: Fred C. Rensch DATE: 5/8/00  
Scout Executive DPS

Is his middle name Van? UKN  
 Is he a black man? YES  
 Did he ever live in West Virginia? UKN. Moved here from North Carolina  
 Per unit, he has not been participating.

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Same Man  
5/11/00



082-Natl Capital Area  
Bethesda MD

Person	Unit	Date of Birth	Social Security	Gender
New Registrant David Brown	Troop 1401	03/24/1959	[REDACTED]	M
Cary Richard Brown		01/01/1962	[REDACTED]	M
Dale Lamar Brown		01/01/1962	[REDACTED]	M
Donn Browne		01/01/1958	[REDACTED]	M
Gary S Brown		01/01/1955	[REDACTED]	M
James Robert Brown		01/01/1955	[REDACTED]	M
James Michael Brown		01/01/1957	[REDACTED]	M
James H Brown		01/01/1958	[REDACTED]	M
James R Brown		06/01/1962	[REDACTED]	M
Michael A Brown		01/01/1956	[REDACTED]	M
Timothy George Brown		01/01/1962	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Ronald Stewart	Pack 1401	09/04/1948	[REDACTED]	M
David T Stewart Sr		01/01/1948	[REDACTED]	M
Robert Lee Stewart		01/01/1945	[REDACTED]	M
Roger Lee Stewart		01/01/1950	[REDACTED]	M
Ronnie Van Stewart		01/01/1948	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Aaron Gomillion	Pack 1401	03/01/1942	[REDACTED]	M
Louis F Gomila		01/01/1946	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Charles Marshall	Pack 1756	11/26/1955	[REDACTED]	M
Christopher Alexander Marston		01/01/1960	[REDACTED]	M
Donald A Marsh		01/01/1956	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Philip M Hayes	Pack 0275	09/01/1950	[REDACTED]	M
Louise A Hayes		01/01/1947	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Charles D Porter	Troop 0941	05/21/1960	[REDACTED]	M
Mark Edward Porter		01/01/1960	[REDACTED]	M
Mark Paul Porter		01/01/1960	[REDACTED]	M
New Registrant Bruce D Moreau	Troop 1094	07/16/1951	[REDACTED]	M
Harry R Moreau		01/01/1955	[REDACTED]	M
Joseph Ned Moreau		01/01/1949	[REDACTED]	M

*Dist #2 WL*



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Eneligible Volunteer Data Card

Last Name: Stewart First Name: Ronnie Middle Name: Van Today's date: 8/7/69 Case Code: P

Street address: 111 Maude St

City: Clarksburg Birthdate: 1/1/48 SS#: [ ]

State: WV Zip: [ ]

Occupation: Worked as barber sometimes Religion: Protestant

Education: Salem College Salem WV

Weight: 165 Height: 5'10" Race: Caucasian Color of hair: Black Color of eyes: Brn

Marital Status: Single Spouse Name: [ ] Children: [ ]

Unit and No: T12 Unit City: Clarksburg Unit State: WV Position: SA

Date Registered: [ ] Date Resigned: [ ]

Case Description: Homosexual conduct

Reference: Sent by Council 616

Characteristics or Interests: [ ]

Special Recognition: [ ]

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August 18, 1969

Mr. Thomas Whittingslow  
Scout Executive  
Central West Virginia Council, No. 616

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Ronnie Van Stewart

Dear Mr. Whittingslow:

Your letter of August 6, 1969 concerning Ronnie Van Stewart, who was employed this summer in the Council camp of the Central West Virginia Council, has been brought to my attention through Jack Rhea. We have placed this information in our file and have taken steps to have Mr. Van Stewart's name deleted from the Post roster.

This information will enable us to identify Mr. Van Stewart, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely,

Joseph Early, Assistant Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

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August 7, 1969

Mr. Jack Rhea  
Director  
Personnel and Training  
New Brunswick, N. J.

Dear Jack:

Sometimes when we try people out in our local council situation we find things as we should before they get involved as professionals.

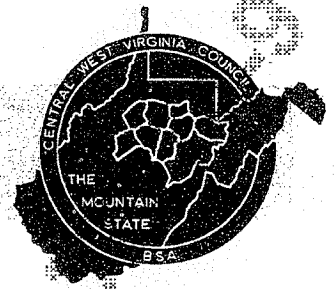
The attached letter and report from Tom Whittingslow will give evidence that this is the end of all consideration for Rommie Van Stewart who was thinking of trying for entrance into professional Scouting.

Sincerely,

*W. B. Hubbell*  
W. B. Hubbell  
Regional Executive

Attach.

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# Boy Scouts of America

227 1/2 SOUTH THIRD STREET  
CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA 26301

COUNCIL NO. 616

PHONE 223-3379

AUGUST 6, 1969

MR. ROBERT L. UNTCH  
DEPUTY REGIONAL EXECUTIVE  
REGION FOUR  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
7759 MONTGOMERY ROAD  
CINCINNATI, OHIO 45236

DEAR BOB:

ENCLOSED IS THE REPORT YOU REQUESTED REGARDING RONNIE VAN STEWART'S DISMISSAL FROM SUMMER EMPLOYMENT IN THE COUNCIL CAMP OF THE CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL, FOR ACTION UNBECOMING A MEMBER OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA.

SINCERELY,

THOMAS J. WHITTINGSLOW  
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

TJW:CF

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CONFIDENTIAL

5 AUGUST 1969

TO: THOMAS J. WHITTINGSLOW, Scout Executive  
CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL

FROM: ROBERT R. HALL, 1969 Camp Director, Camp Mahonegon  
CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL

SUBJECT: DISMISSAL OF RONNIE VAN STEWART, 1969 Program Director, Camp Mahonegon, for  
REASON OF ALLEGED HOMOSEXUAL CONDUCT.

DESCRIPTION: RONNIE VAN STEWART IS DESCRIBED AS A MALE, NEGRO, 27 YEARS OF AGE, BLACK HAIR, BROWN EYES, 5FOOT 10IN HEIGHT, MEDIUM BUILD, WEIGHING APPROXIMATELY 165 POUNDS. STEWART RESIDES AT 111 MAUDE STREET, CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA, AND IS CURRENTLY REGISTERED WITH THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, AS AN ASSOCIATE ADVISOR TO EXPLORER POST # 12, SPONSORED BY THE NORTH VIEW, UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA. MR. STEWART HAD SERVED ON THE CAMP STAFF FOUR YEARS, HE ATTENDED SALEM COLLEGE, AT SALEM, WEST VIRGINIA, AND HAS WORKED AS A BARBER.

DETAILS: JULY 14, 1969 APPROXIMATELY 7:00 P.M., [REDACTED], AQUATIOS DIRECTOR, CAMP MAHONEGON, CONTACTED THE UNDERSIGNED, STATED THAT HE WAS UPSET, AND WISHED TO DISCUSS AN INCIDENT THAT HAD TAKEN PLACE DURING THE AFTERNOON HOURS OF THAT DAY.

[REDACTED] RELATED THAT AT APPROXIMATELY 2:00 P.M., JULY 14TH, HE AND STEWART WERE WATCHING TELEVISION IN THE STAFF LIVING QUARTERS. BOTH WERE ATTIRED IN SCOUT SHORTS, AND WERE ALONE IN THIS AREA. [REDACTED] STATED THAT WHILE SITTING BESIDE STEWART, ON THE EDGE OF A BUNK; STEWART PLACED A HAND ON [REDACTED]'S LEG, AND BEGAN RUBBING IT. [REDACTED] CONTINUED THAT, INITIALLY, HE THOUGHT THAT STEWART WAS JUST "HOPPING AROUND.", BUT THAT WHEN HE ATTEMPTED TO REMOVE STEWART'S HAND, STEWART RESISTED, AND BEGAN FONDELING HIS ([REDACTED]'S) GENITALS. [REDACTED] STATED THAT DUE TO SHOCK AND EMBARRASSMENT, HE DID NOT IMMEDIATELY RESPOND TO STEWART'S ACTIONS, BUT AFTER APPROXIMATELY A MINUTE HAD PASSED, HE ([REDACTED] GOT TO HIS FEET AND LEFT THE BILLETING AREA. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED], NO CONVERSATION TOOK PLACE BETWEEN HE AND STEWART, DURING THE COURSE OF THE INCIDENT, AND STEWART MADE NO ATTEMPT TO CONTINUE HIS ADVANCES, ONCE [REDACTED] STARTED TO LEAVE THE BILLETING AREA. [REDACTED] CONCLUDED BY STATING THAT HE HAD BEEN A FRIEND OF STEWART'S FOR APPROXIMATELY 10 YEARS AND HAD NO REASON, PREVIOUSLY, TO SUSPECT THAT STEWART HAD HOMOSEXUAL TENDENCIES. [REDACTED] STATED HIS WILLINGNESS TO CONFRONT STEWART, IN THE PRESENCE OF THE UNDERSIGNED, WITH THE DETAILS OF THE ALLEGED HOMOSEXUAL ADVANCE.

At 12:30 A.M., JULY 15TH, 1969, THE UNDERSIGNED INTERVIEWED STEWART, IN THE PRESENCE OF RICHARD D. NAY, ADULT CAMP COMMISSIONER. AFTER BEING INFORMED OF THE ALLEGATIONS MADE AGAINST HIM, STEWART WAS ADVISED THAT HE WAS NOT REQUIRED TO MAKE ANY STATEMENT CONCERNING THE ALLEGATIONS, BUT THAT HIS EMPLOYMENT WITH THE CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL, WAS TERMINATED, PENDING AN INQUIRY INTO THE ALLEGATIONS PLACED AGAINST HIM. STEWART STATED THAT IT WAS NOT HIS DESIRE TO HAVE FURTHER INQUIRIES MADE, AND ADMITTED TO HAVING MADE A HOMOSEXUAL OVERTURE TO [REDACTED]. HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE INCIDENT TOOK PLACE IN THE MANNER STATED BY [REDACTED]. STEWART DENIED HAVING ENGAGED IN HOMOSEXUAL ACTS OR ADVANCES WITH ANY OTHER PERSONS CONNECTED WITH THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, BUT ADMITTED TO BEING HOMOSEXUAL. FOLLOWING THE LATTER ADMISSION BY STEWART, HE WAS ADVISED THAT HIS EMPLOYMENT WAS TERMINATED AND THAT A FULL REPORT OF THE INCIDENT AND HIS ADMISSIONS WOULD BE PRESENTED TO THE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA.

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AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE FOREGOING, STEWART WAS TRANSPORTED HOME, IMMEDIATELY, AND [REDACTED] WAS CAUTIONED AGAINST DISCUSSING THIS MATTER WITH ANY OTHER PERSONS.

IN THE OPINION OF THE UNDERSIGNED, NO PERSONS OTHER THAN NAMED HEREIN, AND SCOUTING OFFICIALS OF THE CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL, ARE KNOWLEDGABLE OF STEWART'S ACTIONS.

SUBMITTED BY,

*Robert R. Hall*  
ROBERT R. HALL  
1969 CAMP DIRECTOR

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