

Lowwapaneu Lodge 191 ~ Order of the Arrow

Please return completed form no later than April 15, 2025 to:

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This Area For Adult Selection Committee Only

Selected Not Selected

COMMENTS:

Authorizing Signatures

Selection Chairman: _____

Lodge Advisor: _____

Assoc. Lodge Advisor: _____

Lodge Staff Advisor: _____

Scout Executive: _____

Approval Date: _____

2025 Order of the Arrow Adult Membership Nomination Form



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Completed applications must be submitted to the Scout Service Center by April 15, 2025. Late applications will not be accepted. Incomplete applications will be returned.

Each year, upon holding an election for youth candidates that results in at least one youth candidate being elected, the Unit Committee may nominate registered Unit adults, 21 years of age or older, to the *Lodge Adult Selection Committee* for approval to be candidates for induction. The number of adults nominated can be no more than two thirds of the number of youth candidates elected, rounded up where the number of youth candidates is not a multiple of three. In addition to the two-thirds limit, the Unit Committee may nominate the currently-serving Scoutmaster/Advisor (but not assistants), as long as he or she has served as Scoutmaster/Advisor for at least the previous 12 months.

The *Lodge Adult Selection Committee*, with the approval of the Scout Executive, will determine adult candidates for induction provided the following conditions are fulfilled:

1. Selection of the adult is based on ability to perform the necessary functions to help the Order fulfill its purposes and is not for recognition of tenure or service, including current and prior achievements and positions.
2. The individual will be an asset to the Order because of demonstrated abilities that fulfill the purpose of the Order.
3. After becoming registered with the Unit, have experienced 15 days and nights of camping during the two-year period prior to nomination. The 15 days and nights must include 1, but no more than 1, long-term camp consisting of at least 5 consecutive days and nights of overnight camping, approved and under the auspices and standards of the Boy Scouts of America. The balance of the camping (10 nights) must be overnight, weekend or other short term **outdoor** camps of, at most, 3 nights each.
4. The adult leader's membership will provide a positive role model for the growth and development of the youth members of the lodge.
5. If approved for induction, adults **must agree** to complete 1 of the 2 current year's Ordeal weekend and Ordeal ceremony.

After the meeting of the *Lodge Adult Selection Committee*, all adults will be personally notified. **If selected**, the adult candidate may then register through the Scout Service Center for an Ordeal weekend.

Do not register/pay for an Ordeal before you receive confirmation that your nomination has been approved.

2025 Order of the Arrow Lowwapanew Lodge 191 Unit Adult Candidate Nomination

(Age 21 and over)

The selection and induction into the Order of an adult Scouter should take place only when the adult's job in Scouting will make the Order of the Arrow membership more meaningful in the lives of the youth membership. It must not be for the purpose of adult recognition.

Unit Number: _____ District: _____ Date of Nomination: _____

BSA Membership ID# (required!): _____ Registered Scouting Position: _____

First Name: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

"Nickname" (if any): _____ Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Gender (circle one): Male / Female

Email Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Scout Trainings Taken: _____

How long registered as an adult: _____ Positions held: _____

Were you a Scout as a youth?: _____ Rank: _____ #Years as a Youth: _____

Church / Community Activities: _____

Special Interests: _____

➤ ***If approved for induction, I agree to complete 1 of the 2 current year's Ordeal weekend and Ordeal ceremony.*** YES NO

The following conditions are the basis for selection and must be fulfilled completely to be considered. Make a brief statement regarding the individual for each item.

1. *This item to be completed by the Unit Committee:*

Selection of this adult is based upon ability to perform necessary functions and not for recognition of tenure or service, including current or prior achievements and position. This individual's personal strengths, skills and resources include:

2. *Please circle the committees you may be interested in:*

Lodge Activities	Technology/Website	Camp Promotion	Elections Team
Drum Team	Unit Representatives	American Indian Affairs	Food
Ceremonial Team	Induction Committee	Newsletter/Communications	Camp Service

3. Adults serve as an asset to the Order due to demonstrated skills and abilities. List special skills or resources: hand tools, power tools, building materials, hobbies, leadership, talents, vocation, etc. that you would bring to your Lodge work:

4. The camping requirements that apply to the youth also apply to adult candidates and must have been fulfilled within the most recent two years prior to the nomination for membership. The requirement: A minimum of 15 days and nights of camping under the auspices and standards of the Boy Scouts of America, including one, but not more than one, 5 consecutive days and nights of long term camping, was fulfilled as follows:

Long Term (5 consecutive days and nights):

Location: _____ Dates: _____

Short Term (An additional 10 days and nights):

Location: _____ Dates: _____

Location: _____ Dates: _____

Location: _____ Dates: _____

Location: _____ Dates: _____

Location: _____ Dates: _____

5. My membership as an adult leader in the Lodge will provide a positive role model for the growth and development of the youth members of the Lodge because:

**Must Be Signed
Unit Nomination**

The adult leader who fulfills the above requirements (complete all above information) is nominated for membership consideration in the Order of the Arrow - Lowwapaneu Lodge

Date: _____ Unit Leader: _____ Committee Chair: _____

or District/Council Nomination

The adult leader who fulfills the above requirements (complete all above information) is nominated for membership consideration in the Order of the Arrow -Lowwapaneu Lodge

Date: _____ By: _____ Position: _____