



Lowwapanew Lodge Vigil Nomination Form

The Vigil Honor is the highest honor that a Lodge can bestow upon a member. It dates back to 1915 when our Founder, Dr. E. Uner Goodman became the first Vigil Honor Member. It is a mark of high distinction and is reserved for those arrowmen who, by reason of exceptional service, personal effort, and unselfish interest, have made distinguished contributions beyond the immediate responsibilities of their position of office to one or more of the following: their lodge, the Order of the Arrow, Scouting, or their Scout Camp. Under no circumstances should tenure in Scouting or the Order of the Arrow be considered as reason enough for a Vigil Honor recommendation. The Vigil Honor is a recognition of one's commitment to altruistic leadership and proper example of Brotherhood in Cheerful Service. Alertness to the needs of others is the mark of the Vigil Honor.

Any member of the Order of the Arrow registered in Scouting and in good standing in a regularly chartered lodge is eligible for recommendation to the national Order of the Arrow Committee for elevation to the Vigil Honor provided that, at the time of the recommendation, the individual has meet all of the criteria bellow. been a Brotherhood member for a minimum of two years. A lodge may nominate a maximum of two percent of their registered Arrowmen once a year, through the Vigil Honor petition, found in the annual re-charter packet. At least 50 percent of all nominated must be under 21 at the time of nomination.

The individual must:

1. Be Brotherhood member for at least two years.
2. Be registered in Northeastern Pennsylvania Council
3. Be a member in good standing of Lowwapanew Lodge.

Nominations for the Vigil Honor ought to be taken seriously. Please provide as much information about the nominee as possible. In this way the Vigil Honor Selection Committee can make a fair assessment of the contributions of the nominee to Scouting and the Lodge.

In order for a nomination to be accepted, it must be submitted on an official and current Vigil Honor Nomination form. Any additional information can be attached to the nomination form.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS DECEMBER 1st: All nominations must be received at the Northeastern Pennsylvania Council Scout Service and Training Center no later then the close of the business day.

Completed nomination forms may be turned in or **mailed to**

Lowwapanew Lodge
c/o NEPA Council
ATTN: Dave Srebro
1 Bob Mellow Drive
Moosic, PA 18507

Vigil Nominee Information

Name: * District: * Unit: *

Address: * Date of Birth:

City: * State: * Zip: * Phone: *

Degree date & location:

Ordeal

Brotherhood

***Required Information**

List any awards received:

List all troop positions held by nominee:

List all District and/or Council positions held by nominee:

List all Lodge positions held by nominee:

What about this nominee makes them worthy to be recognized for exceptional service with the Vigil Honor? *

Nominated by: *

Address: * Email: *

City: * State: * Zip: * Phone: *

* Required Information