



## **Lodge Executive Committee Officer Candidacy Form**

Wahinkto Lodge's officer elections for 2018 will be at the 2017 Fall Ordeal, October 20th through October 22nd at Camp Sol Mayer. If you are elected, you are required to attend the Lodge Leadership Development Training at Camp Sol Mayer from December 27th to December 29th and the Winter Banquet at the HEB Foundation Camp from January 19th to January 21st. The following positions are as follows:

### **Lodge Chief**

The lodge chief is the center of all lodge business. He acts as the chairman of the Lodge Executive Committee, and has the power to nominate committee chairman with the consent of the Lodge Advisor. Also, the chief is the lodge's representative in the section's council of chiefs, and is the only youth member of the lodge Key 3. The chief should act as a youth advisor to the chapter chiefs, and should lead as an example of the values of the Order of the Arrow.

### **Vice Chief of Administration**

The vice chief of administration is responsible for lodge to troop communications, unit elections, and officer elections. He communicates the business of the following committees to the Lodge Executive Committee: Lodge Committee on Elections, Lodge Committee on Camping Promotions, Lodge Committee on Officer Elections, Lodge Assembly of OA Troop Representatives. With the consent of the Lodge Executive Committee, he can condense or add committees under his jurisdiction.

### **Vice Chief of Programs**

The vice chief of programs is responsible for ceremonies, event planning, and lodge leadership development. He communicates the business of the following committees to the Lodge Executive Committee: Ceremony Teams, Lodge Committee on Events and Activities, Lodge Committee on Leadership Development. With the consent of the Lodge Executive Committee, he can condense or add committees under his jurisdiction.

### **Lodge Secretary**

The lodge secretary is responsible for registration, the lodge newsletter, publications, journey to excellence, and records. He communicates the business of the following committees to the Lodge Executive Committee: Lodge Committee on Communications, Lodge Committee on Publications, Lodge Committee on Records, Lodge Committee on Registration. With the consent of the Lodge Executive Committee, he can condense or add committees under his jurisdiction.

### **Lodge Treasurer**

The lodge treasurer is responsible for the annual lodge budget and the trading post. He communicates the business of the following committees to the Lodge Executive Committee: Lodge Committee on the Budget and the Trading Post. With the consent of the Lodge Executive Committee, he may condense or add committees under his jurisdiction.

### **Chapter Chiefs**

Chapter chiefs lead the business of their chapters and report to the Lodge Executive Committee. The chapter chiefs act as the committee chairman of their chapter officer committees, and work alongside the vice chief of administration in lodge to troop communications. The chapters must provide the vice chief of programs with a ceremony team suitable to administer the call-out, pre-ordeal, ordeal, and brotherhood ceremonies. Chapter Chiefs may choose to appoint or elect officers similar to those of the Lodge Executive Committee. However, all chapter officers must be approved by the chapter advisor and receive consent from the Lodge Executive Committee.

## NOMINATION FORM

Name:

Membership Status:  Ordeal  Brotherhood  Vigil  Other

Chapter:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Email Address:

Day Phone Number:

Evening Phone Number:

### **Please Select the office(s) that you want to run for**

Lodge Chief

Vice Chief of Administration

Vice Chief of Programs

Secretary

Treasurer

Chapter Chief

**Why do you think that you should be an officer of the Lodge Executive Committee?**

**What past experiences qualify you as an officer of the Lodge Executive Committee?**

**What ideas do you have to improve Wahinkto Lodge?**

**Parent/Guardian Approval**

I, Mr. Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_ hereby understand the dedication required for my child to be a member of the Lodge Executive Committee.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send completed forms to:  
Joe Robinette  
PO Box 1285  
Bracketville, TX 78832**

**Scoutmaster Approval**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_