Troop 259 Position of Responsibility Record

Order of the Arrow Troop Rep.



Job Description:

The Order of the Arrow representative serves as a communication link between the troop and the local Order of the Arrow lodge, Amangi Nacha. By enhancing the image of the Order as a service arm to the troop, he promotes the Order, encourages Scouts to take part in all sorts of camping opportunities, and helps pave the way for older Scouts to become involved in high-adventure programs. The OA troop representative assists with leadership skills training. He reports to the assistant senior patrol leader.

Position Coordinator: Assistant Scoutmaster OA Representative

Qualifications: First Class AND a member of the Order of the Arrow Scoutmaster approval

Required Duties of OA Troop Representative (OARep):

- Must be currently in good standing with the OA Lodge (subscribed to annual dues (January -December)).
- Attends troop AND chapter or lodge meetings regularly as a youth representative of the troop and Order.
- Serves as a two-way communication link between the troop and the lodge or chapter.
- Encourage year-round and resident camping in the troop.
- Assist with leadership skills training in the troop.
- Arranges with the lodge or chapter for at least one camp promotion visit to the unit annually.
- Makes at least one high adventure presentation to the troop, to include the OA programs, annually.
- Leads at least one troop service project for the community or charter organization during the year. May also serve, at the discretion of the PLC, as the troop's service chairman.
- Assists the troop (as appropriate) as a trainer of leadership and outdoor skills.
- In all cases, advocates environmental stewardship and Leave No Trace camping.
- Encourage Arrowmen to assume leadership positions in the troop.
- Encourage Arrowmen in the troop to be active participants in lodge and/or chapter activities and to seal their membership in the Order by becoming Brotherhood members.
- Sets a good example by: wearing the Scout uniform correctly, showing Scout spirit, and living by the Scout Oath, the Scout law and the OA Obligation.
- Encourage older-Scout participation in high-adventure programs.

Additional Guidelines Assigned by Troop:

- Assist the ASPL with providing ILST training
- Promote participation of our troop members at Troop and Council campouts and events.
- Arranges with the lodge or chapter election team to conduct an annual Order of the Arrow election for the troop at a time approved by the Patrol Leaders Council.
- As requested by the SPL, participates in Troop Courts of Honor by recognizing: high adventure participation of troop members, induction of new OA members, changes in OA honors of troop members, leadership of troop members, and other appropriate activities.
- Consider participation in a NYLT course.
- Consider attending the National Leadership Seminar training.



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Record activity or task you completed and the date that the assignment was completed in the table below. Each activity must be initialed by your assigned adult leader or Scoutmaster. Follow the attached generalized and specific duties for your position. It is your responsibility to complete the tasks necessary for your Position of Responsibility and keep this form up to date.

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