

Order of the Arrow Membership Requirements (abbreviated)

- Be a registered member of the BSA.
- Have experienced 15 nights of Scout camping while registered with a Troop, Crew, or Ship within the 2 years immediately prior to the election...
- Youth must be under 21, hold the Scouts BSA First Class rank, Venturing Discovery Award, or the Sea Scout Ordinary rank or higher, approved by unit leader and elected by youth members of unit.
- Adults must meet camping requirements and must be approved by the lodge adult selection committee.

Purpose of the Order of the Arrow

- Recognize those who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives and through that recognition cause others to conduct themselves in a way that warrants similar recognition.
- Promote camping, responsible outdoor adventure, and environmental stewardship as essential components of every Scout's experience, in the unit, year round, and in summer camp.
- Develop leaders with the willingness, character, spirit, and ability to advance the activities of their units, our Brotherhood, Scouting, and ultimately our nation.
- Crystallize the Scout habit of helpfulness into a life purpose of leadership in cheerful service to others.



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ORDER OF THE ARROW

Zero Hero Award

This award is available to all registered Scouts, Venturers, Sea Scouts, and their leaders in the Voyageurs Area Council, for the purpose of promoting WINTER camping.





Qualifying Requirements

1. Camp out for one night in below zero weather.
2. Be appropriately dressed.
3. Cook one breakfast and one dinner.
4. Have two adults present with winter camping knowledge and experience.
5. Verify temperature by Unit leader, assistant leader, or committee member.

The Order of the Arrow is Scouting's National Honor Society

Recognition Requirements

1. Name of leader verifying qualifications completion:
2. Date of camping experience:
3. Describe the shelter/sleep system/weather protection technique used:
4. Describe the meals prepared:
5. Describe the experience and knowledge gained:

Award Recipient

Name:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

Unit:

District

Unit Leader Signature and Date:

Upon Completion

Unit leaders must send this completed application to the Council Service Center to purchase a Zero Hero patch to be presented to the recipient. The Scout Shop has the current price for the award patch.

Send to the Council Service Center:

Voyageurs Area Council
3877 Stebner Road
Hermantown, MN 55811