



Golden Sun Lodge Quality Chapter Award

Chapter Information

Chapter Name: _____ Program Year: _____

Chapter Chief: _____ Chapter Adviser: _____

Instructions

Chapter Officers and Chapter Adviser complete the form and check off the criteria as items are completed. Forward completed form to Lodge Chief by September 15th.

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Required Items (Must complete both requirements)

- 1. The Chapter was represented at every LEC and Business meeting by at least one Chapter officer.
- 2. All Chapter Officers, elected in the current year, attend an OA training event.

Required Items (Must do all or be replaced by three from optional category)

- 3. Our Chapter complies with all requirements in the current printings of the OA Handbook, Guide for Officers and Advisers, Field Operations Guide and Guide to Inductions.
- 4. Our Chapter held at least eight Chapter meetings during the year.
- 5. Our Chapter participated in and helped plan at least one event (pre-approved by the LEC) which was of service to the council/district.
- 6. Our Chapter participated in and helped plan at least one event (pre-approved by the LEC) which was of service to the community.
- 7. All troops and teams in our Chapter were contacted about conducting unit elections and elections were conducted for all units desiring one. 100% of the unit election forms from our Chapter were signed and returned to the Council Center by the date specified. (If no election was held, the form was still returned with the signature of a unit leader, or the person contacting the unit and the name of the unit leader contacted)
- 8. After contacting each troop and team in the Chapter, the chapter conducted a camp promotion presentation in every unit desiring one. The camp promotion team members were in proper uniform during each presentation.
- 9. The Chapter contacted all troops and teams in the chapter concerning the implementation of the Order of the Arrow Troop/ Team representative program.
- 10. Ceremonies: (both A & B must be completed to receive this checkmark)
 - A. Our Chapter provided one team for competition at the Winter Event.
 - B. Our team performed its duties (as assigned at Winter Event) at the Spring Event and Pow Wow. Duties are as follows: All parts memorized in accordance with the current printing of the ceremonial books, ceremony was presented in an effective and impressive manner, and any other duties as assigned by the Lodge Chief/Ceremonies Chairman.

- 11. 30% of our eligible ordeal members in the Chapter were converted to brotherhood, at the time of re-chartering.
- 12. Our Chapter maintains at least one active crossover ceremony team.
- 13. Our Chapter held at least one "fun" event
- 14. Our Chapter provided at least three Elangomats at the Pow Wow, and at least two at the Spring Event.

Additional District Requirements After meeting with your District Executive come up with two additional objectives to be accomplished in 2009

- 15. _____
- 16. _____

Suggestions for additional district requirements

- A. Two members of our Chapter attend a National or Sectional training session (NLS, NLATS, etc) and complete their contracts
- B. Our Chapter provides manpower resources, and or program assistance in support of the Districts Cub Scouting or Webelos program
- C. At least one youth attends an OA High Adventure program, three youth and two adults attend Section Conclave, two youth attend NOAC, all from your Chapter

Optional Category (Three count as one above. Example, you miss one above, complete three on the ones below, and it will replace the one you missed)

- D. 50% of the troops in our Chapter that attended a long term summer camp.
- E. Our Chapter provided more than one ceremony team for competition.
- F. Our Chapter has at least six people that have participated in crossover ceremonies.
- G. Chapter Chief and Adviser represented the Chapter at every LEC and business meeting.
- H. Five members of our Chapter attended a Section or National OA Event.
- I. Our Chapter ceremony team does not rely on the lodge for regalia for Chapter ceremonies (excluding headdresses).

_____ Chapter Chief* _____ Date

_____ Chapter Adviser* _____ Date

*Form will not be accepted unless both signatures are present