



Lowaneu Allanque Chapter

Dear Ordeal Member:

It has been more than 10 months since your induction as an Ordeal member in the Order of the Arrow.

If you have continued to faithfully serve your fellowman and have completed the following requirements, you may now seal your membership in the Ordeal through the Brotherhood ceremony:

- ✦ Ten-month service as an Ordeal member of the Lodge.
- ✦ Registered active membership in Scouting and in the Order of the Arrow.
- ✦ Memorize the Obligation, the Order of the Arrow Official Song, the Admonition, and know the answers to ***"The Customs and Traditions of the Ordeal"*** in the OA Handbook.

It is important that you qualify for the above requirements and you feel that you are prepared for the Brotherhood. **Write a letter** expressing your feelings to the Chapter Secretary in which you:

- ✦ Explain what you think the Obligation means.
- ✦ Describe how you have been fulfilling this Obligation in your Troop and in your daily life and how you have used your understanding of the traditions of the Ordeal to aid in service.
- ✦ Describe the specific plans you have for rendering service to the lodging fulfillment of the new pledge you expect to take.

The LOA Chapter Ordeal and Brotherhood ceremony will be held at **Camp Kikthewenund** during the weekend of **May 13-15, 2016**. All Brotherhood candidates should check in at the dining hall no later than 6:00 PM on Friday. The activities will end at approximately 10:00 AM on Sunday.

The fee for Brotherhood will be \$50.00; **however, if you attended the Lowaneu Allanque Chapter Ordeal last year (2105), then your fee for Brotherhood will only be \$25.00.** The Brotherhood fee includes your new Brotherhood Sash, Cracker Barrel Friday and Saturday night, all meals on Saturday, Sunday breakfast, and 2016 annual dues.

An updated BSA Health Form, signed by a parent, is required for all attendees (Parts A & B only). Without a signed health form, you will not be allowed to attend Ordeal weekend. This form can be found at: https://247scouting.com/web/BSA160/attachment/document_14400961030_1371.pdf.

All meals will be served in the dining hall, but you will need to bring a tent and other camping equipment. **Full dress uniform with OA Sash and Chapter Totem** are required for Saturday evening and Sunday.

In order to properly plan for the Ordeal, **we need to know your intention to attend as soon as possible.** Please email the information on the attached registration form to LOAadviser@jaccostownelodge.org. The deadline for registration is **Monday, May 9, 2016**. All fees are payable when you arrive at camp Friday night. Please make checks or money orders payable to **BSA-OA, LOA Chapter, W.W.W.**

Questions can be directed to John Ruggles, Chapter Advisor, at LOAadviser@jaccostownelodge.org or cell phone (317) 201-1851.

Sincerely,

Josh Pishon, Chapter Chief
Lowaneu Allanque Chapter
Jaccos Towne Lodge 21 W.W.W.

2016 LOA ORDEAL WEEKEND REGISTRATION

Deadline to register for Ordeal weekend is **Monday, May 9, 2016**.

As soon as possible, please email the following information to
LOAadviser@jaccostownelodge.org:

PLEASE SPECIFY IN THE EMAIL IF YOU ARE A:

- ☐ ORDEAL Candidate
- ☐ BROTHERHOOD Candidate
- ☐ General Member

Troop Number_____

Name_____

Address_____

City, State, Zip_____

Email Address_____

Telephone Number_____

Dietary or Medical/Physical Restrictions_____

****Pay registration fees when you arrive at camp Friday night.**

***** IMPORTANT *****

DON'T FORGET YOUR BSA HEALTH FORM (PARTS A & B ONLY).