



# TALAKO LODGE ORDER OF THE ARROW

## Lodge Officer Letter of Intent

Becoming a lodge officer in the Order of the Arrow is an honor. Officers are youth members, elected by their peers, who are chosen to give leadership to the Order of the Arrow program in Marin Council. Officers are recognized as some of the top leaders in all of Marin. The Order of the Arrow offers a high level of leadership opportunity. You must fill out this letter of intent if you want to run for office. Lodge officers serve for one calendar year.

To become a lodge officer, you must meet the following requirements:

- Be a lodge member in good standing (your dues must be paid throughout your term of office).
- Be younger than 21 years old for your entire term of office.
- Submit this letter of intent with the required signatures to verify that you have the permission and support of your parents and your unit leader.

Lodge officers have the following responsibilities:

- Perform the officer's duties which are listed in the lodge rules.
- Attend lodge meetings, lodge executive committee meetings, and section meetings to the best of the officer's ability.
- Live by the Scout Oath and Law at all times.

### Contact Information

NAME		DATE OF BIRTH	
STREET ADDRESS		CITY	ZIP CODE
UNIT TYPE AND NUMBER	CURRENT RANK	HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE
EMAIL ADDRESS		PARENT'S EMAIL ADDRESS	

### Qualifications

I would like to run for the following lodge officer positions:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Lodge Chief	<input type="checkbox"/> Vice Chief of Program & Administration	<input type="checkbox"/> Vice Chief of Membership & Ceremonies	<input type="checkbox"/> Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary
I have held the following troop and crew leadership positions:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Patrol Leader	<input type="checkbox"/> Assistant Senior Patrol Leader	<input type="checkbox"/> Patrol Leader	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Assistant Scoutmaster	<input type="checkbox"/> Troop Guide
<input type="checkbox"/> Quartermaster	<input type="checkbox"/> Scribe	<input type="checkbox"/> Librarian	<input type="checkbox"/> Historian	<input type="checkbox"/> Instructor
<input type="checkbox"/> President	<input type="checkbox"/> Vice President of Administration	<input type="checkbox"/> Vice President of Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/> Treasurer
I have completed the following training courses:				
<input type="checkbox"/> National Youth Leadership Training	<input type="checkbox"/> National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience	<input type="checkbox"/> National Leadership Seminar		
Outside of Scouting, I have had leadership experience in the following organizations:				
School:		Church:		
Other organizations:				

### Signatures

I am prepared to commit myself to fulfilling the duties of an officer in Talako Lodge. I will attend all lodge meetings, lodge executive committee meetings, and section meetings to the best of my ability. I will do my best to live by the Scout Oath and Law at all times.	
Candidate signature:	Date:
I support my son's interest in a leadership position in Talako Lodge. I understand that it represents a high level of responsibility and agree to help him manage his time and his attendance commitments.	
Parent signature:	Date:
I support this Scout's interest in a leadership position in Talako Lodge. I believe he is ready for a high leadership challenge and I will help him make his OA responsibilities a top Scouting priority. A lodge officer position will not conflict with unit responsibilities.	
Unit leader signature:	Date: