

Santee Lodge #116 Order of the Arrow, BSA



Dear Ordeal Candidate,

Congratulations on your election as a candidate for membership in the Order of the Arrow (OA)! Your selection by the members of your troop, who know you best, says a great deal about your character. The final step in becoming a member is attending a fellowship and completing your Ordeal, where you will be challenged with several tests.

Our Next Ordeal Opportunity is as follows:

Fall Fellowship: October 25-27, 2019 at Camp Coker

- **Check in** will be from 5:00pm- 7:00pm at Stallworth Lodge on Friday, October 25th.
- **Departure** from Fall Fellowship will be at 11 am on Sunday, October 27th.
- Please Bring:
 - A Sleeping Bag, Class A Uniform, Ground Cloth, Work Clothes, Water Container, Gloves, Toiletries, a tent (Summer Camp Tents will not be provided) and a Change of Clothes.
- **Deadline to register** is October 21st, 2016 by 5pm at the Council Office
- **Friday Night Supper isn't served unless you purchase the Steak Dinner**

We hope to see you at this fellowship! An induction weekend is a chance to reflect on the principles of the Scout Oath and Law, and learn about the Order of the Arrow. Candidates provide cheerful service alongside current OA members. For more than 100 years every OA member, both youth and adult, has completed this "Ordeal."

The OA is Scouting's National Honor Society. Its purposes include recognizing Scouts who live Oath and Law in their daily lives, promoting camping, developing leaders and turning the Scout habit of helpfulness into a life of leadership in cheerful service to others.

Induction in the Order of the Arrow will open many new doors for you. Our lodge participates in many events every year, the OA provides some of the most valuable youth leadership training available and there are special camping opportunities available only to OA members at BSA's national high adventure bases. This is truly an exciting time for you and we look forward to welcoming you into our lodge!

Yours in Scouting,

Colin Hungerpillar

Lodge Chief

Blake Parker

Vice-Chief of Inductions