

OA Troop Representative

An Order of the Arrow Troop Representative is a youth liaison serving between the local OA lodge or chapter and his troop. In his troop, he serves as a communication and programmatic link to the Arrowman and adult leaders and Scouts who are not presently members of the Order. He does this in a fashion that strengthens the mission of the lodge and purpose of the Order. By setting a good example, he enhances the image of the Order as a service arm to his troop.

Qualifications:

- Appointed by Senior Patrol Leader and Assistant Senior Patrol Leader with Scoutmaster approval
- OA Member in good standing
- May not serve three consecutive terms

Reports to: The Assistant Senior Patrol Leader

Trained by: Assistant Senior Patrol Leader with assistance from the Assistant Scoutmaster for Older Scouts

OA Troop Representative duties:

- Serves as a communication link between the lodge or chapter and the troop.
- Arrive 5 minutes before the start of troop meetings.
- Encourages participation in monthly camping outings.
- Encourages participation in summer camp.
- Encourages older Scout participation in high adventure programs.
- Encourages Scouts to actively participate in community service projects.
- Encourages Arrowmen to assume leadership positions in the troop.
- Encourages Arrowmen in the troop to be active participants in the lodge and/or chapter activities and to seal their membership in the Order by becoming Brotherhood members.
- Participate in outings. Attendance expectation 80%
- Attend troop meetings. Attendance expectation 50%
- Sets a good example.
- Wear the field uniform (class A) correctly to all regular troop meetings and religious services.
- Wear the activity uniform (class B t-shirt) to all outings, fun meetings, and other troop activities.
- Lives by the Scout Oath, Scout Law and OA Obligation .
- Shows Scout spirit

