

Become An Achewon Nimat Village Officer For the 2017-2018 Achewon Nimat Lodge Year

Election Procedure

Village officers are elected by their peers annually within 45 days following Achiefest. Elected officers take their oath of office at the last LECM of the 2016-2017 year. Completed forms are to be turned in to your Village Adviser prior to the Village's elections. The Village Adviser will forward all form (for both elected and not elected Arrowmen) to the Lodge Adviser following the Village's election. Upon receipt of these forms, the lodge will certify that all of the candidates running for an office and/or elected meet the election requirements.

Requirements

In order to be considered for a village office:

- You must be a lodge member in good standing.
- You must be under 21 years of age throughout your term of office.
- You must have the approval of your Scoutmaster or Coach.
- See additional requirements on the reverse side.
- The term of office is July 1, 2017 until June 30, 2018.

Responsibilities

- All officers are expected to live by the Scout Oath and Law at all times.
- The Primary Responsibilities for each Lodge Office are on the reverse side.
- Participate in the Lodge LLD in May of 2017

Application Form

Name _____ Unit _____ Birth Date _____

Boy Scout Leadership Experience _____

Order of the Arrow Experience _____

I am interested in the following positions (check all that apply)

- Village Chief** (Chairs and presides over all village meetings, represents the Village at the Lodge Executive Committee Meetings.)
- Village Vice Chief of Inductions** (Responsible for Brotherhood conversion, Elangomat and Unit Elections activities within the village)
- Village Vice Chief of Communications** (Responsible for all communications, membership, and record keeping within the Village).

Required Signatures

I am prepared to commit myself to fulfilling the responsibilities of an Achewon Nimat Village office.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

I support this Scout(er)'s interest in a village leadership position within the Achewon Nimat Lodge, Order of the Arrow. I believe he possesses the abilities and can handle the challenges of a village office. A Village Officer position will not conflict with his unit's responsibilities.

Unit Leader's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

ONLY REQUIRED IF APPLICANT IS YOUNGER THAN 18

I support my son's interest in becoming a village officer for the Order of the Arrow, Achewon Nimat Lodge, I understand the time commitment estimated at 2 hours per week for Village Chief, 1 hour per week for the Village Vice Chiefs, plus meetings and activities.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

SUBMIT THIS FORM PRIOR TO THE ELECTIONS