Order of the Arrow
Boy Scouts of America

OA Elections

OA elections for the 2013 season opens November 1st and runs through May 31st. Troops and Teams please check your calendars and select a date to hold your OA elections. Please select a preferred date and at least one alternate date. Contact the OA to schedule your election by one of the OA election teams.

Potomac District request address: gdbsjr@aol.com
(George Gadbois – Potomac Chapter Advisor)

For more information on election qualifications as well as youth fill-in election forms and adult fill-in recommendation forms please go to:

http://www.boyscouts-ncac.org/resources/chapter-and-unit-election-resources/24628

Please note that Troopmaster election worksheet print-outs will NOT be accepted as an election form or report. Only official OA election forms will be accepted, as found on the above website. Please provide a valid e-mail address for each elected youth candidate and adult who is recommended. All candidates will be contacted by email unless the unit sends an e-mail request to gdbsjr@aol.com that they are not to be contacted, including the reason why, and an alternate contact. Please note that adult recommendations must be approved by the Lodge before the adult can attend an ordeal as a candidate. (The Chapter will notify the adult after approval is received.)

OA Members and Candidates **(candidates - by invitation only)**

There are two fall ordeals coming up: October 26-28th and November 16-18th.

For all those who attend, there will be a special item for your beaded necklace that you will receive commemorating the last of the Montgomery Chapter ordeals.

By January 1, 2013 there will be three Chapters in the Montgomery Service Area: Potomac, Seneca and White Oak. They each will have their own 2013 Spring Ordeal and join together in the fall for a combined Fall Ordeal as the Montgomery Service Area.

It is not too late to sign up for the October 26-28th ordeal weekend and still time to register for the November Ordeal. Please come and complete your Ordeal, and if a member, come and help your Chapter.