

BROTHERHOOD REGISTRATION

**Nebagamon Lodge 312
Fall Brotherhood Candidate Invitation
Friday Oct. 9th, 2009 through Saturday Oct. 10th, 2009**

Congratulations! You have completed your Ordeal requirements and are now eligible for Brotherhood in the Order of the Arrow Nebagamon Lodge 312! The Brotherhood will be held at Kimball Scout Reservation (Camp Potosi) on Friday evening to Saturday evening after which you are free to depart. **All Brotherhood Candidates are required to check-in at the Keyser Center upon arrival between 6 PM and 7 PM on Friday evening.**

You must make your own transportation arrangements. BE SURE TO EAT DINNER BEFORE ARRIVING.

When you arrive at Camp Potosi on Friday evening, please wear your Class "A" Official Scout Uniform including OA sash.

You will need to bring the following items: **Be Prepared!**

Class "A" **Official Scout Uniform including OA sash**, work gloves, sleeping bag, water proof ground cloth, warm jacket or coat, poncho or wet weather gear, bath towel, wash cloth, toiletry items, water bottle and sun screen.

All youth will need to bring a tent to sleep in.

Any medications you need to take must be reported to the First Aid Station upon arrival. Any Medical or Dietary needs must be attached to the registration form.

Do not bring any food items, electronic devices or games. (This includes cell phones)

Remember we will be having a Lodge Dinner on Saturday, and your family is invited to attend, see attached form.

Registration form, current BSA physical and payment need to be turned in to the Council Office (Trading Post) at 7220 Paradise Rd., Las Vegas, NV 89119 no later than Thursday Oct. 1st, 2009. If you decide not to pay cash, your check or money order should be made payable to BSA in the amount of \$40.00.

Register early. Absolutely no registrations will be accepted after Oct. 1st, 2009. No walk-in registrations will be accepted at the event.

For more information call Randy Heimark at (702) 558-2116

Detach and return lower portion, keep upper portion for your information.

Brotherhood Registration Form

Please PRINT clearly and include ALL information

FIRST NAME: _____ LAST NAME: _____ MIDDLE INITIAL: _____

ADDRESS: _____ APT/BLD: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ TROOP/TEAM # _____

PHONE: _____ DISTRICT: _____ Adult/Youth _____

E-MAIL _____

BROTHERHOOD COST \$40.00 PAYMENT \$ _____ DATE: _____

ORDEAL CLAN: _____

PLEASE LIST ANY MEDICAL OR DIETARY NEEDS ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM.

**A Current BSA Physical, signed by your doctor, must be attached to this form.
Registration deadline is Thursday Oct. 1st, 2009. No exceptions.**

Brotherhood Requirements

You must meet five challenges before you enter the Circle of the Brotherhood. The first two of these you should meet now; the next two require steady effort, with the last challenge being completed once you are satisfied that you are meeting the first four:

1. **Memorize the signs of Arrow membership.**
 - The Obligation of the Order found on the back of your membership card and in your handbook;
 - The Order of the Arrow Official Song;
 - The Admonition;
 - The sign of Ordeal Members;
 - The Order of the Arrow handclasp.
2. **Advance your understanding of the Ordeal.**
 - Gain a thorough understanding of the Ordeal though which you have passed.
3. **Serve your Unit.**
 - Retain your registration in Scouting;
 - Continue to expand your service to your own Troop.
4. **Plan for Service in your Lodge.**
 - Retain your registration in the Lodge by keeping your dues paid;
 - Be aware that acceptance of Brotherhood membership involves a pledge of service to the Lodge;
 - Develop a concrete idea of how you plan to fulfill this pledge.
5. **Review your progress.**
 - When you earnestly feel that you have met the four challenges above, write a letter to your Lodge secretary and bring it with you to the Brotherhood Ceremony on Saturday night. In this letter:
 - Explain what you think the Obligation means;
 - Describe how you have been fulfilling this Obligation in your Troop and in your daily life, and how you have used your understanding of the Ordeal to aid in this service;
 - Describe your specific plans for giving service in the Lodge program.