



# SASQUESAHANOUGH LODGE ORDER OF THE ARROW



## *National Youth Leadership Training Scholarship*

The Sasquesahanough Lodge NYLT Scholarship was created in hopes to provide monetary support to Troops within the Lodge by paying a partial scholarship to attend the New Birth of Freedom Councils National Youth Leadership Training program.

One of the purposes of the Lodge is to provide opportunities youth to expand their abilities in scouting as a leader and that they can take back to their troop. Youth leadership is key to the running of an OA lodge and also scout troop. It is for this reason that Sasquesahanough Lodge and its leadership find it so imperative to not only support this program but to also offer financial assistance to active OA Troops that desire to send scouts to NYLT.

Each chapter will have its own \$100 scholarship. If there are no applicants in a chapter, the scholarship designated for that chapter will be awarded to a Troop selected at large from all the applicants in the Council that did not receive their Chapter's scholarship. No more than a total of six \$100 scholarships will be awarded Council wide for the current year.

The award is based on Troop participation in the Order of the Arrow, and therefore is awarded to the Troop. Although it is not a requirement for the proposed NYLT participant(s) to be an active member in the Order of the Arrow, preference will be given to units that submit a proposed participant that is a member of the Order of the Arrow.

**Each Troop can be awarded one \$100 scholarship. This is per Troop, not per youth.**

**The troop may choose to divide the \$100 between multiple youth.**

**The scholarship will be distributed by the OA Lodge transferring \$100 to the Troop's council account.**

**The Troop can then use this to pay a portion of the fee for one or more youth.**

Mandatory requirements:

1. Must currently have a Troop OA Representative and Troop OA Representative Advisor.
2. Maintain an active planning process that prevents overlap between lodge and chapter events with unit events.
3. Hold an election within your unit. Have a minimum of 75% of the elected Scouts and recommended Adult Leaders complete their Ordeal within one year.

The Troop must also complete one of the following requirements.

4. At least 20% of eligible troop members seal their membership in the Order by converting to Brotherhood honor in the previous year prior to application.
5. Minimum 25% of OA members in the troop must attend at least one major lodge event in addition to their Ordeal in the year.

Troops will be notified of their selection no later than **April 1** of the current year this application is submitted.

Once application is complete please mail no later than **March 1** of the current year of application. Scholarships may be awarded on a first come first served basis, so do not delay in submitting your application.

**Mail completed application to:**

Sasquesahanough Lodge NYLT Scholarship  
Benjamin Heyser  
3017 Honey Run Dr  
York, PA 17408

**Or email to: [bheyser@gmail.com](mailto:bheyser@gmail.com)**



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## National Youth Leadership Training Scholarship Application Form

Troop Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter/District: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Troop OA Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Troop OA Representative Adviser: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Term Of Office (Date – Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Term Of Office (Date – Date) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed NYLT Applicant(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Is this Applicant a member of the Order of the Arrow? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

**The requirements below are met by your Troop's participation in the year prior to the year you are applying for. For Requirements 3, 4 and 5, if you do not have all of the information required, fill out your best estimation. The Lodge has all the information needed to calculate your status.**

Mandatory requirements:

1. Must currently have a Troop OA Representative and Troop OA Representative Advisor.
  - a. List these individuals in the spaces provided above with term of office.
2. Maintain an active planning process that prevents overlap between lodge and chapter events with unit events.
  - a. **Provide a copy of your Troop's annual calendar.**
3. Election to OA Membership
  - a. Number of Candidates elected \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Number of Candidates Completing their Ordeal \_\_\_\_\_

The Troop must also complete one of the following requirements.

4. Brotherhood Conversion
  - a. Number of Brotherhood Eligible \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Number Brotherhood Conversions \_\_\_\_\_
5. Participation
  - a. Number of OA Members \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Number Attending at least one Lodge Event In addition to their Ordeal \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Chair Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Lodge Chief Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Lodge Advisor Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_