



**Attention
All OA Members**

**Help Your Troop and Lodge!
Become an OA Troop Rep!**

"Let it be remembered that the Order of the Arrow was created to help the unit - to help it present its membership a better ideal of the inner qualities of the good Scout camper. Qualities of character, like cheerfulness and service, are hard for a boy or a man to understand in the abstract. They come easier when seen in human life."

"Let us realize the significance of the Order of the Arrow in the unit - for the unit is our best hope in Scouting."

*Dr. E. Urner Goodman
Founder, Order of the Arrow*

- *What is the Order of the Arrow Troop/Team Representative program about?*

This program was created for Troops/Teams to have better communication between the Lodge. We in the Order of the Arrow, pride ourselves on service, and a very easy way to do this is just simply get active within our troops.

- *Why become an Order of the Arrow Representative?*

Besides being a six-month leadership position, as required for the Star, Life, and Eagle Ranks, it will take the community service off the responsibility of the Senior Patrol Leader. You see the Representative takes up the responsibilities of the troop's service chairman, and finds community service for Scouts that need it. After all, there is nothing like serving others through Cheerful Service.

- *Who can serve as an Oa Representative?*

Anyone who is a youth member (ages 11-17) in the O.A. and a currently registered member of the B.S.A. can sign up to become an O.A. Rep. If this is you, sign up today! But what if I am over 18, but not 21 you ask?! Talk to your Chapter Chief and see how you can get involved in your chapter!

- *Now that I am an Oa Rep, what's next? I'm lost!*

Don't worry; know that you are never alone. There are Chapter O.A. Rep Chairmen who can answer any question you may have. If they can't answer it, feel free to send your questions to:

Lodge Chief

<http://www.samosetcouncil.org/tkc> or
tkc@samosetcouncil.org

This is the lodge website; this can be very helpful to you.

