



## *National Order of the Arrow High Adventure Scholarship Information*

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**

The Section G18S National Order of the Arrow High Adventure Scholarship was created in hopes to provide monetary support to Arrowmen within the Section by paying a partial scholarship for attending the National Order of the Arrow High Adventure bases in 2023.

It is the purpose of the Section to provide for the Arrowmen of G18S in hopes to enlighten their Order of the Arrow experience through participation in many different programs. OAHA provides for a comprehensive OA experience through Brotherhood, Cheerfulness, and Service. It is for this reason that Section G18S and its leadership find it so imperative to not only encourage staffing to support these programs but to also offer financial assistance to the Arrowmen of the Cahuilla, Puvunga, and Wiatava lodges to help pay for the program costs.

The Section High Adventure Scholarship is reserved for those individuals who exhibit interest and service as well as a future commitment to the Order of the Arrow in their home lodges. It is expected of the recipients to continue their service in the OA as well as bring their enthusiasm gained from this event back to their home councils, lodges, chapters, and units. Each recipient will be required at the end of their experience to provide the Section with an account of their experiences and photo of them in a program setting that can be posted on the Section website for recognition and promotion for future programs and the scholarship.

The Key 3 (Section Chief, Section Adviser, and Section Staff Adviser) will determine the committee, which will select the recipients and amounts each year.

Requirements to be considered for the 2023 High Adventure Scholarship:

1. Must have attended the 2022 Section G18S Conclave
2. Must be in good standing with dues paid current with their lodge in Section G18S
3. Must have approval from their Lodge Adviser.
4. Must have approval from their Council Executive or their designee.
5. Must be registered for the 2023 Section G18S Conclave

Applicants will be notified of their selection. The scholarship money will be sent from the Section's host council to the applicant's lodge so that it can be applied as a payment of fees. The Lodge will monitor the applicant's commitment for attendance and refund such back to the Section if the Arrowman does not attend the 2023 High Adventure base – a waiver for such refund could be tendered if unavoidable or emergency conditions arise.

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### ***National Order of the Arrow High Adventure 2023 Scholarship Application Form***

You must obtain consent from your Lodge Adviser and Scout Executive or their designee with your application. The letter must include the following:

"I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ (name of applicant) meets the requirements for the Section G18S OAHA Scholarship and is a registered member of the BSA and is in good standing with \_\_\_\_\_ (applicant's lodge) lodge."

Any questions concerning the Section G18S High Adventure Scholarship should be directed to the Section G18S Chief, Ben Schilpp.

When completed, please scan the application, required paperwork, as well as any letters of recommendation and email to: [chief@g18s.org](mailto:chief@g18s.org) AND [adviser@g18s.org](mailto:adviser@g18s.org) by August 1st, 2023.

The Section Chief will process the Section G18S High Adventure Scholarship Request to the Committee.

#### Applicant Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(circle one) Lodge:      Puvunga      Wiatava      Cahuilla

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Current OA Honor: \_\_\_\_\_

OA Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Inducted: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Current BSA rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Attended Section G18S Conclave in 2022: (circle one) Yes No

Attending Section G18S Conclave in 2023: (circle one) Yes No

Attending which OAHA program in 2023: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Applicant Information (continued)

Please list any Order of the Arrow and unit positions you have held (include years):

Major Scouting Events or Activities attended (include years):

### Lodge Adviser and Scout Executive Approval

Arrowman, \_\_\_\_\_, has discussed his intent on participating in OAHA or Operation Arrow. I certify that the Arrowman meets the requirements for the Section G18S High Adventure Scholarship and is a registered member of the BSA and is in good standing with \_\_\_\_\_ (applicant's lodge) lodge. He has my approval and recommendation in being considered for the Section G18S High Adventure Scholarship.

Adviser Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Scout Executive signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or designee)

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### **Letters of Recommendation**

Up to two (2) additional letters of recommendation may be accompanied to this application. Please send them with the application.

### **Personal Letter of Interest**

Now it's your turn to explain your reason of interest in the 2023 OAHA program or the National Order of the Arrow program you are applying for. Also, use this as an area to explain more about your involvement in Scouting and the Order of the Arrow. Please limit your response to this sheet.

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