



CENTURION LODGE VERIFICATION

Instructions: Scan and email/fax or mail this form with your completed Centurion Award Petition(s). Complete this form to determine the number of Centurion recognitions that may be presented in 2015. Forms must be received between October 1st, 2014 and February 28th, 2015. Recognition items for the Centurion will be available at a later date. Do not assume approval or make public announcement until confirmation has been received. If the lodge is petitioning for additional awards (applicable to lodges with a membership less than 800 only), the lodge adviser may be contacted by a member of the national Order of the Arrow committee for additional clarification.

Complete the following information to determine the number of Centurion Awards to be given:

A) Lodge Name/Council #:

B) What was the lodge's 2013 membership enrollment?

C) Was there a lodge merger in 2014? (check one) **Yes** **No**

D) **If no, proceed to step E. If yes, which lodges merged?** What was the 2013 enrollment for each lodge? (use rear if necessary)

Sum of 2013 membership enrollments for each lodge involved in the 2014 merger:

Calculate the number of Centurion Awards that may be given by the lodge:

E) **The Centurion may be awarded to _____ lodge members** (based on the total 2013 membership enrollment/100 and rounded to the next nearest 100 – use the number on line B/100 for lodges without a merger in 2014. Lodges with a merger that occurred in 2014 should add the membership enrollment in each lodge involved and use the total number on line D/100, rounded to the next 100). Example – 903 members would allow for 10 awards.

For lodges with less than 800 members, you may petition the national Order of the Arrow committee to honor more Centurions within your lodge (up to a total of 8 awards may be considered, circle Yes or No where applicable):

F) Is the Lodge Key 3 petitioning the national Order of the Arrow committee to increase the number of Centurions? **Yes** **No**

G) If yes, how many extra awards are you requesting? _____ (8-[number listed on line E] additional awards may be considered)

H) In less than 500 words, please explain why more awards should be given.

I) Lodge Adviser contact information
(name, email, phone number)

(You may be contacted by a member of the national Order of the Arrow committee for further clarification):

Verify the appropriate ratio of Centurion Awards are being given:

J) Is the ratio of youth to adult awards given in favor of youth recipients?
(If an odd number of Centurion recipients are nominated, the awards must be primarily given for youth service)

Yes No

K) Is the ratio of living to posthumous awards given in favor of living recipients?
(If an odd number of Centurion recipients are nominated, then the majority must be given to living recipients)

Yes No

We approve the attached petitions for the Centurion Award and ask that the national Order of the Arrow committee certify and duly recognize these Scouts and Scouters for their unselfish service as exemplars of servant leadership.

Lodge Chief

Lodge Adviser

Staff Adviser/Scout Executive

**After filling out this form, obtain the three approval signatures, scan and EMAIL with Centurion Award Petition(s) to:
Stephanie.Jordan@Scouting.org or FAX to:(972) 580-2399 or MAIL to: Boy Scouts of America, Order of the Arrow
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