



KENNESAW CHAPTER

ORDER OF THE ARROW

Brotherhood

Eligibility - To be Eligible, you must be an Ordeal Member in the Order of the Arrow and it must have been at least **6 months** since your induction. If you're not sure about your eligibility, contact OAKennesaw@gmail.com.

What is Brotherhood - Brotherhood is the second level in the Order of the Arrow. It is the point at which an OA Ordeal Member seals their bond with the OA. You can learn more about [OA Membership on the National site](#).

What is the Brotherhood Trail - The Brotherhood Trail is the process that culminates in the Brotherhood Ceremony where you seal your membership and receive a new OA Sash with the bars above and below the arrow to signify your Brotherhood Level.

When Can I Complete the Brotherhood Trail - The Brotherhood trail is offered at almost every Lodge Level event in the Egwa Tawa Dee Lodge with the exception of days of service and Trailblazer. It is even offered at Induction Weekends and does NOT overlap with the new Candidate's Ordeal, so you can serve as an Elangomat AND complete the Brotherhood Trail in one weekend. Please simply let the registrar know during checking that you plan on completing the Brotherhood Trail.

How to Prepare - There are many ways to prepare for the Brotherhood Trail. If you've come to any Chapter or Lodge events, you may already know a lot of info. If you want to freshen up your knowledge of the OA, you can check out a [study guide](#) or try some [flash cards](#)! From a logistical standpoint, listen for announcements for Brotherhood Candidates during Breakfast and Lunch.

Visit <http://www.oakennesaw.com/brotherhood/> for more info or email OAKennesaw@gmail.com



Annual OA Lodge Dues

It's time to pay you OA Annual Dues! As a reminder for new and old members, the OA has annual dues just like your Troop and Crew do. One way to look at it is that the sash is yours forever, but wearing the flap is rental.

To pay your annual Lodge Dues, the process has been made substantially easier this year. Please visit <https://www.acegwa.org/pay-your-dues/>. You will need your **BSA ID** which can be found in Scoutbook, or ask your advancement chair, or email OAKennesaw@gmail.com.



Dues for 2020 have been set by the Lodge at \$25.