



## Congratulations Brotherhood Candidate

Congratulations on completing your first year as a member of Sikhs Mox Lamonti Lodge! I am sure you have found it to be an exciting year and are hopefully asking the question “Is there more”? Fortunately, there is.

The next step will reaffirm your commitment to the Order of the Arrow by rededicating yourself to the ideals of Brotherhood in the Order. You may now seal your membership in the Order through the Brotherhood ceremony if you have continued to faithfully serve your fellow man and have completed the following requirements:

- Completed 10 months of unit service as an Ordeal member,
- Maintained your registered membership in Scouting
- Maintained your registered membership in the Order of the Arrow
- Memorized the Obligation, the Order of the Arrow Official Song, the Admonition, the sign of Ordeal membership, and the Arrow handclasp
- Gained a thorough understanding of the Ordeal through which you have passed. (See “The Customs and Traditions of the Ordeal” in the *Order of the Arrow Handbook*.)

It is important not only that you meet the above requirements but that you feel you are prepared for the Brotherhood. Write a letter to the lodge secretary expressing your feelings. In your letter:

- Explain what you think the Obligation means
- Describe how you have been fulfilling this Obligation in your troop or team and in your daily life, and how you have used your understanding of the Ordeal to aid in your service
- Describe your specific plans for giving future service to the lodge program

The Brotherhood Ceremony is generally offered at every lodge event starting at 1pm on Saturday afternoon starting with the Brotherhood walk and ending with the Brotherhood Ceremony.

**There is no additional fee to complete your Brotherhood.** You have paid the full induction fee prior to your Ordeal, so don't waste this opportunity!

The lodge looks forward to helping you seal your membership in the Order Lamonti lodge.