

Lenapehoking Lodge IX ~ Code of Conduct

The success of our Lodge and the enjoyment of an Induction Weekend depend on the conduct of all participants, all of whom understand and follow these rules:

Uniforms

A Full **Class A** Scout Uniform (i.e. Scout shirt, pants/shorts, socks, belt, and OA Sash) is required of all candidates and members at the following times:

- ✓ **Friday:** From arrival to taps
- ✓ **Saturday:** From the late afternoon snack to taps (and the Brotherhood Hike)
- ✓ **Sunday:** From reveille to departure

Candidates

All members must be supportive of Candidates during their Ordeal. Hazing of any type by **anyone**, is strictly prohibited and will be met with swift disciplinary action.

Clans

The Elangomat-Clan system is integral to the success of the Ordeal. At no time should a Clan be broken up for any reason. During the day on Saturday everyone should respect the code of silence when they are with or near a Clan or Candidate.

Facilities

All Brothers must stay in one of the camp's designated sites, cabins or lean-tos. No personal cabins are permitted. Adults may be asked to switch cabins to maintain at least two adults per cabin, per the Youth Protection Program Guidelines.

Leaving Camp

Once registered, everyone is expected to remain in camp until departure on Sunday. Any exceptions to this must be for a reasonable purpose (e.g. purchasing supplies, attending religious services). Anyone under the age of 18 will need a note signed by their parent or guardian and stating the reason for departure, and will need to be accompanied by one other youth and two adults, one of whom must be 21 years old or older. Anyone who is between the ages of 18 and 20, must be accompanied by an adult 21 years old or older. All persons departing must sign out at Registration with the Lodge Adviser who will record names, the purpose of the trip, the destination, and the expected return time. No one is permitted to leave camp once the final evening events have finished (i.e. after the Pre-Ordeal Ceremony or the Banquet).

Cabin Clean-Up

No one may leave on Sunday until their site, cabin or lean-to has been cleaned and inspected by the Camp Master, Lodge Adviser or an otherwise appointed inspector.

Smoking

Boy Scouts of America policy does not permit smoking in buildings, or in the vicinity of youth. Smoking is only permitted in the designated area, which is behind the Dining Hall. Youth members under the age of 18 are prohibited from smoking at all times and in all areas of camp.

Alcohol & Drugs

Alcohol (including beer, wine liquor, etc.) and illegal drugs are not permitted at any time. Prescription drugs required for youth members and candidates should be checked in with the EMT, who will make sure they are held securely.