



## TOLOMA LODGE

# James E. West Fellowship Award Criteria

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The Lodge presents the James E. West Fellowship Award to individuals based on a contribution of \$1000 by the Lodge to the local Council's James E. West Fellowship Fund.

The Award is given by the Lodge to honor and recognize fellow Lodge members who make a contribution of his/her time to benefit fellow Arrowmen, the Lodge and Scouting. The award is intended to recognize only those Arrowmen who have contributed to the vision, direction, and growth of the Lodge.

The prestige of the award requires the criteria be general in nature to allow members of the Lodge to exercise wisdom, flexibility, and discretion in the evaluation and selection of a worthy recipient. Although any past or present member of the Order of the Arrow may be the recipient, a recipient **must** meet the following criteria:

- **Brotherhood or Vigil Honor** member;
- Not a previous recipient of the James E. West Fellowship Award;
- Continued to render outstanding and dedicated service to the Order of the Arrow on a local and/or sectional level;
- Member of the Order of the Arrow for a minimum of 5 years for youth and 7 years for adults.

Given the nature and prestige of the award, it is recommended that no more than two recipients be recognized each Year. If more than one is awarded, at least one must be to a youth under the age of 21. The award recipient(s) should not be notified prior to the award ceremony.

In keeping with the nature of the award, the recognition includes the James E. West Fellowship square knot, Bronze pin, Certificate and Lodge Recognition Plaque.





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### Fellowships Presented by the Lodges

#### Yo-Se-Mite Lodge 278

- 1995 James H. Mock (D) "Brotherhood Manager"
- 1997 Ray Baltz (D) "Teacher"
- 1999 Theresa Kendrick (D) "Cheerful Reliable One"

#### Sumi Lodge 342

- 1996 Sumi Lodge "Order of the Arrow"
- 1997 John S. Pappas "Dances With Bears"

#### Toloma Lodge

- 1999 Ronald C. Miller (D) "Keeper of the Well"
- 1999 John Newman (D) "Cutter of Wood"
- 2001 Charlie Chituras "Helpful Elder Brother"
- 2002 Dennis Cummins VP Properties "1975-2000"
- 2003 Tom Crist "Adviser Who Travels Afar"
- 2003 Kevin Lowery "Worker Who is Humble"
- 2003 Dan Perdue "Caring Gray Fox"
- 2003 Kim Stevenot "Killdeer"
- 2004 Clint Armes "Willing Chef"
- 2004 Kris Baltz "Big Whisper"
- 2004 Eric Handel "Windy Speaker"
- 2004 Suzan McCoppin Brotherhood Member
- 2004 Bill Warren "Happy to Lead"
- 2005 Pam Handel "Teacher of Knowledge"
- 2005 Dave Tucker "Accomplished Instructor"
- 2007 Yo-Se-Mite Lodge 278 "Order of the Arrow"
- 2008 Mark "Mike" Montoya (D) "Buffalo Web Master"
- 2009 G Bruce Olson "Beaver Who Cooks"
- 2010 Milton C McEwen "One Who Instructs"
- 2011 James Doyle "Weasel"
- 2012 Teresa M Chituras Brotherhood Member
- 2013 Daniel Wilson "Mountain Rider"
- 2014 Charles Carnahan "Big Hearted"
- 2015 Andrew Gonzales "Quiet Helpful Brother"
- 2016 Timothy Long "Dog Whisperer"