

# 2007-2008 All-American Lodge – Contest “A” — LODGE CERTIFICATION

NOTE: Contest Form will not be considered unless signed by Exalted Ruler, Secretary, District Deputy and State Chairman.

**SECRETARY:** Complete this section, sign and give to *Exalted Ruler*.  
 Membership as of 3/31/07 was: \_\_\_\_\_  
 LODGE NAME, No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

**EXALTED RULER:** Complete “Point Value” column by circling points, sign and mail to *District Deputy*, postmarked no later than **March 15, 2008**.  
 DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

**DISTRICT DEPUTY:** Complete and Verify “Points Earned” column and mail District Winning Entries to your *State Association Lodge Activities Chairman* postmarked no later than **April 1, 2008**.  
 Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE CHAIRMAN:** Please select State winners in each Membership Division and mail winning applications, postmarked no later than **April 15, 2008, to:**  
**JOHN G. HOLT**  
 4209 W. Magnolia Boulevard • Burbank, CA 91505-2726  
 Telephone: (818) 846-2764 • johngholt@aol.com  
 Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIVITY	(LODGE CIRCLE)	(D.D. ENTER)
	POINT VALUE	POINTS EARNED
Annual Report — Page One WITH Page Two CHARITY TOTALS — submitted by 4/30/07	10	
Annual Financial Report submitted by 6/30/07	5	
November 1 Membership Report submitted by 11/5/07	5	
Timely submission of Annual Veterans Svc. Report	5	
By-Laws Current {within 5 years of last General Revision Approval}	5	
Lodge Americanism Brochure Contest #1	10	
Community Service & Image Contest “B” — Submitted and Judged	10	
Memorial Day Program “C” — Submitted and Judged	10	
Lodge Bulletin Contest “D” — Submitted and Judged	10	
Five points for every “Outstanding Member” G.E.R. Certificate awarded — Max. 10 points. {List recipient(s) on reverse under heading “OS” with certificate date}		
Five points for every G.E.R. “Special Citation” awarded to ER/Lodge — Max. 10 points. {State ER and/or Lodge on reverse under heading “SC” with certificate date}		
Veterans Remembrance Report Contest	10	
Best Youth Program Brochure Contest	10	
National Youth Week Brochure Contest	10	
Flag Day Services observed	5	
Other Americanism Programs such as: Parades, Flag Raising Ceremonies, Flag Retirement Ceremonies, Law and Order Night, etc. Two points for each program. — Max. 100 points. {List all on reverse under heading “AM”}		
“Citizen-/Elk-/Officer-of-the-Year” awarded. Five points for each. {List names on reverse under heading “AOY”}		
Five points for every 11-Member Proposer Watch given. {List Watch Recipients’ names on reverse under heading “WATCHES”}		
Five points for every G.E.R. Membership Award Pin given. {List Pin Recipients’ names on reverse under heading “PINS”}		
Participation in Certified Ritual Competition	15	
Contribution to Elks National Home. Two points for each \$100. — Max. 50 points. List actual donation \$ _____		
Two points for each Elk passing the G/L Elks Training Program. — Max. 50 points. {List all Elks’ names on reverse under heading “ETR”}		

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3% Net Gain in Membership	15	
10% Gross Gain in Membership	20	
Lapsation: Not more than 2% membership loss	20	
Sponsoring a New Lodge	20	
National Foundation: \$4.25 per-Member Goal met	10	
National Foundation: 5 additional points for doubling goal; 10 additional points for tripling goal; 1 additional point for each \$1.00 increase per capita over triple goal		
100% Foundation participation by Officers	5	
Foundation pledge by Lodge Auxiliary	5	
Foundation: Two points each for every five new subscribers		
Local Lodge-Sponsored Scholarships	5	
Eagle Scout Recognition Program	5	
Gold Award Recognition Program	5	
Drug Awareness Education Program	15	
Participation in “Hoop Shoot®” Contest	15	
Participation in Antlers Program	15	
Two points extra per each organized Youth Activity Program, i.e., Football, Little League, Teenager of the Month, Scout Troop/pack/den, Soccer, etc., NOT per team. — Max. 100 points. {List all on reverse under heading “YA”}		
Publishes Monthly Lodge Bulletin	10	
Lodge on Internet as part of G/L site “Virtual Home Page”	10	
Two points for each type of media used for each different Public Relations activity/Event such as: Articles published in State Bulletins, Elks Magazine, Newspapers, use of Billboards, Television, etc. — Max. 50 points. {List all on reverse under heading “PR”}		
Veterans Donations: Cash, Clothes, Games, Toiletry Articles, etc. Two points for every \$100 value — Max. 50 points. {List all on reverse under heading “V-1”}		
Veterans: Two points each for participation in “November-Veterans Month” Program, Veterans Christmas Program, Birthday Card Program, etc. — Max. 50 points. {List all on reverse under heading “V-2”}		
EVERY Lodge Officer (Elected & Appointed) sponsors a New/Reinstated Member	15	
<b>TOTALS</b>		