

# Squawks

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## Start the 3 North Experience

Hello as some of you may or may not know we have a new section, W3N. Here's some info to get an idea about W3N.

Totem: Phoenix (fee-nicks')

Plural: Phoenicis (fee-nahy-sis)

Description: A giant bird completely made of fire, average lifespan of 500-600 years. Whenever it dies it is reborn from its own ashes.

Formal Name: Anuim Wuntschi Na Ponk (rising from the ashes)

Lodges in Section W3N

Amangi Nacha #47 Totem: Quail from W3B (truly weird people)

Orca #194 Totem: Orca Whale from W3B

Talako #533 Totem: Bald Eagle From W3A

Tannu #346 Totem: Pronghorns From W3B

Ut-In Selica #56 Totem: Grizzly Bear From W3A

### Section Chief's Message

Fellow Arrowmen,  
I am truly honored and excited to serve as your 2008-2009 Section Chief. Although the realignment caught many of us off guard, I am very pleased with the outcome. Our section consists of five of the strongest and most dynamic lodges in the nation. Each lodge brings something unique to the table and I feel that with this change, we can bring a new perspective to what a section is capable of achieving. As chief, I bring a clear vision of what I want to accomplish and where I want our section to go. I encourage your participation in making this year successful. If you have any questions or concerns that you would like to address, please do not hesitate to contact me and I will do what I can to find you an answer or a solution. I look forward to working with our five lodges to ensure a successful conclave and a successful year. Go Three North!  
In Service,  
Jake B. Knudsen  
W-3 North Section Chief



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Call for NOAC '09

Sign up now!

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*The Lodge and*

*Chapters*

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**Lodge Flaps**

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### Upcoming Events

Mar 7	Section Meeting
Mar 13	LEC
Mar 14	COC
Mar 14	Newsletter Deadline
Mar 21	Adult Nominations Due
Arp 3	Adult Nominations Review
Arp 11	COC
Arp 11	Newsletter Mailing

## *Maidu*

### *Ranchero West District*

Meets on the first Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the LDS Ceres Building (Round Table)  
Address: Corner of East Lassen and Ceres

## *Patwin*

### *Rio Del Oro District*

Meets on the second Thursday of each month between 7 PM and 8 PM at the LDS Center.  
Address: 2400 Cordova Lane

## *Curahee*

### *Trailblazer District*

Meets on the first Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the LDS Church in Vacaville.  
Address: 480 Wrentham, Vacaville

## *Irekwan*

### *Gold Country District*

Meets on the first Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the LDS Center. 1255 Bell Road, Auburn

## *Miwok*

### *Pioneer-District*

Meets on the first Thursday of each month between 7 PM and 8 PM at LDS Church  
Address: 8583 Watt Avenue, Antelope 95843

## *Cha-Pi-Di*

### *El Dorado District*

Meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 PM at the Pacific Bell Office. Take Missouri Flat Rd. Exit Off US 50. Go south to Industrial Drive.  
Address: 281 Industrial Drive, Placerville

## *Eluwak*

### *Pony Express District*

Meets on the second Thursday of each month between 7 PM and 8:30 PM at the LDS Center.  
Address: Garfield and Locust

## *Kendwit Ihum*

### *Soaring Eagle District*

Meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the LDS Chapel.  
Address: Corner of Elk Grove-Florin Road and Vintage Park Drive

## *Wintun*

### *Northern Rivers District*

Meets on the third Monday of each month (except July and December) at 7 PM at the Anderson Scout Hall at Anderson River Park.

## *Peen Sew*

### *River City District*

Meets on the third Thursday of each month between 7:30 PM and 8:30 PM at the LDS Center.  
Address: 11th Ave & Franklin Blvd.

## *Trading Post*

### **2008 ArrowCorps5 Lodge Flap**



A limited number of ArrowCorps5 Lodge Flaps still remain and are available for purchase by current lodge members on a first come, first serve basis. Flaps will be sold for \$10 each and sold only at lodge events. No mail orders please. So drop by the Trading Post table at the COC to get yours. These would be great for trading at NOAC.

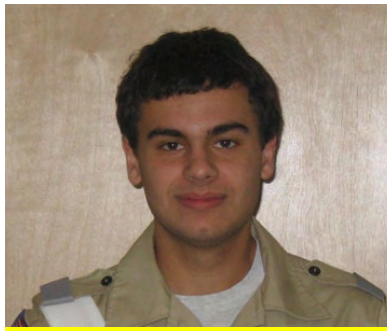


## VC Inductions

Fellow Arrowmen,  
 We're at the very beginning of a brand new year and it's time to begin selecting candidates to join us in our brotherhood. Most of your chapters have even begun their election process already and are going out and putting on elections. Hopefully you are all using the resources you were handed out! As we move along the next couple of months, the election process will eventually come to a close. Make sure you're prepared to have your reports in by the end of March unless you have a camporee before then. In that case, you will need to turn all the forms in before the due date. Some of you are also in the process of filling out the Ordeal Breakout Forms. Now is a great time to contact people in the lodge to help put on the ordeals. Remember to have your elangomats selected by the March COC.

Yours in Brotherhood,  
 Trevor Woodward  
 VC of Inductions

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 530-356-5905



## VC Programs

Hello Everyone,

Another year is upon us, meaning a brand new year of fresh programs is before us once again. Things are moving fast for we have had one event pass us already, the University of Scouting which was held in Woodland on January 17<sup>th</sup>. We had a good group of Arrowmen, who together helped sell food in the morning to all of the hungry trainers and trainees at the event. Together we put up a good showing of what the OA is made of.

The next weekend after the University of Scouting we had a Lodge Council of Chiefs meeting where we discussed themes for the upcoming Fall Fellowship in October. We hope to have a theme for the fellowship by this February COC. One last thing of the utmost importance is that we have the Council Dinner on February 21<sup>st</sup> at 4:00pm (the same day as the COC). At this event we will help set up, serve food, hand out awards and clean up for the dinner. The Lodge provides an exquisite meal for you, as thanks for your service. We need some good people to help us out, so I hope to see you all there. Let me know if you have any questions; thanks for all your help and support!

Anthony Colombo  
 (530) 400-9588  
[antwan918@yahoo.com](mailto:antwan918@yahoo.com)



## Lodge Chief's Message

Brothers,

For those of you who don't know, my name is Connor Shinn, and I have the honor of serving as your Lodge Chief for the 2009 year. I am really excited for this year; we have a lot going on. My vice chiefs and I are working hard to make it as much fun as possible.

NOAC is on the horizon! It will be a lot of fun, taking place in Indiana this year. We are still working out the final dates, but it will occur in the last few days of July into the first week of August. If you want to go, don't delay! Contact myself, Ron Cowen, or one of the other LEC members, and we will make sure that you get the opportunity to go.

This year will be a lot of work, but it will also be a lot of fun! Stay tuned and come to the COC's to find out all about the events that we have in store for you, they are open to everyone!

Yours in Brotherhood,  
 Connor Shinn  
 Lodge Chief

## VC AIA

Fellow Arrowmen,

We have an exciting year planned for AIA. There are several open positions on both ceremony and dance teams, so if you are interested in furthering your public speaking skills and expanding your knowledge of AIA, please talk to me about signing up; my email is ['cpettit@ssctu.net.'](mailto:cpettit@ssctu.net)

This is a great year to get started, as there will be an opportunity for ceremonialist and dance to perform at the upcoming NOAC this summer. This is a rare chance to test yourselves against Arrowmen from all over the US and to compete to earn Honors for your team; AIA is really a lot of fun, and I hope all of you will take the time to explore it in the upcoming year. We will be holding training before the COC's for those who are interested.

YIB,  
Cameron Pettit  
VC AIA



## Training Update

Brothers,

This year, we're at a brisk year for training. Our Takashin in November went well. This year we are looking at having our Takashin in Yuba City with new classes you would like to have. We've handed out surveys to see what you guys what to be trained in. With those, we can see what types of trainings we can do at our COC's.

Yours In Service,  
Stephen Arndt

## Administration

Make sure you pay your dues, or you can't go to OA events

## Camping

Chapters, get the "Where to Go Camping" CD and hand them out to units. Also let the fires of cheerful service burn.

## Editor's Notes

Brothers,

I hope you like the newsletter, it is one of six publications this year. However it is still incomplete, I still need articles from the chapters to be complete; this lodge prides itself on helping and strengthening the chapters, it makes it hard to do if we don't know what is going on, so Chapter Chiefs & VC send them. If you need help talk to me. My email is [zblb@surewest.net](mailto:zblb@surewest.net).

If you think there is something that is in the best interests of the lodge to know (like a chapter event or pow-wow) email it to me by the 6<sup>th</sup> of the month and I'll put it in the monthly e-mail bulletin, which is to inform the lodge of that event and others like it.

Yours in Brotherhood,  
Zachary Boyle  
VC Communications

## COC Mailing List

In the interest of keeping the members of the COC (Lodge and Chapter Officers and Advisers) up to date on upcoming events and deadlines, a lodge e-mail list has been created. Information can be sent to all members on the list by sending e-mails to "[oainfo@gec-bsa.org](mailto:oainfo@gec-bsa.org)." Members wishing to subscribe to the list need to visit [http://mail.gec-bsa.org/mailman/listinfo/oainfo\\_gec-bsa.org](http://mail.gec-bsa.org/mailman/listinfo/oainfo_gec-bsa.org)

Please use this list only to send information valuable to the entire COC. Information valuable to only specific members or chapters should be sent directly to them and not to the entire list. Only members of the list are able to submit e-mails and those e-mails must be sent from their listed e-mail.




## FLAMETHROWERS

Their very existence proves that some time, somewhere, someone said to themselves, "You know, I want to set those people over there on fire, but I'm just not close enough to get the job done."

## Amangi Nacha #47 Names

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 Dan Higham  
 Irekwan  
 Ken Arndt  
 Madidu  
 Paul Cerba  
 Ta Tanka Ska  
 Trevor Woodward

Anthony Colombo  
 Conner Shinn  
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 Kendwit Ihum  
 Miwok  
 Peen Sew  
 Taylor LaRue  
 Wintun

Cameron Pettit  
 Curahee  
 Eluwak  
 Jake Knudsen  
 Kowaunkamish  
 Patwin  
 Stephen Arndt  
 Tito Wa  
 Zachary Boyle



**NOAC**  
**National Order of the Arrow Conference**

**July 30 – August 5, 2009**

**Indiana University**  
Bloomington, Indiana

**Cost: \$1,200- \$1,500**  
**\$100.00 Deposit Now Being Taken**  
Please make checks payable to *Amangi Nacha Lodge*  
Account Number: 1-2371-600-00

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**I want to Attend NOAC in 2009:**  
**Account #:1-2371-600-00**

**Check One:**  Youth (Under 18)  Young Adult (18-21)  Adult (21+)

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Chapter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Lodge/Chapter Position** \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in sponsoring a Youth to Attend NOAC 2009

**Please return this form to:**

**Amangi Nacha Lodge #47**  
**Golden Empire Council – BSA**  
**3302 Bechelli Lane**  
**Redding, Ca 96002**  
**Attn: Bob Nelson - NOAC**

# The Chapter Update Corner

See what your chapter and neighboring chapters have been up to and how you can get more involved.



## Amangi V

### *Iron Horse - Sierra Gateway Districts*

Meets on the forth Tuesday of each month between 7 PM and 8:30 PM at the Rocklin Community Center.

Address: 5484 5th Street, Rocklin (Building closest to the street)

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This month we (the Amangi V Chapter) held a bowling party, and we inducted a couple of new Brotherhood members. Our Ceremony Teams also performed two Arrow of Light ceremonies. The Officers held our annual Chief's planning meeting on December 29 and planned out some possible activities for the Chapter. We held our chapter meeting on December 27th, and we also updated our Chapter Website (if anyone would like to take a look it is on the Lodge website under the Amangi V Chapter). Future activities for the next month include a Chapter Lock-in and several Arrow of Light ceremonies plus some Unit Elections.

Jacob La Moure  
Amangi V Chapter VC of Communications

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## Kowaunkamish

### *Buttes Area District*

Meets on the second Sunday of each month between 2pm and 4pm at the Live Oak Scout Hall Highway 99 North from Yuba City turn left on Myrtle St. Hall is on left side at end of road.

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My name is Greg Geraldo and I am the 2009 Chapter Chief for the Kowaunkamish Chapter. Kowaunkamish is growing quickly and is ready and anticipating the upcoming challenges for the year. We are well at work planning our spring camporee and we are already making plans for our ordeal that we are hosting. With so many new arrow men in our chapter, we strive for opportunities to grow as a brotherhood of people helping people. We're off to a good start and plan on keeping on strong into the New Year.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Greg Geraldo  
Kowaunkamish Chapter Chief

## Tito Wa

### *Yolo District*

Meets on the first Thursday of each month at 7 PM at the Davis Community Church.

Address: 412 C Street, Davis  
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## Ta Tanka Ska

### *Amador District*

Meets on the third Tuesday of the odd numbered months, 6:30 at the LDS Church on Ridge Road, Sutter Hill.

Contact David Thompson for more information ,  
(209) 245-5235,  
[cubmasterobediah@hotmail.com](mailto:cubmasterobediah@hotmail.com)



## 2009 Lodge Officers

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Connor Shinn

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Anthony Colombo

**VC of Camping**  
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**VC of Communications**  
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**VC of Induction**  
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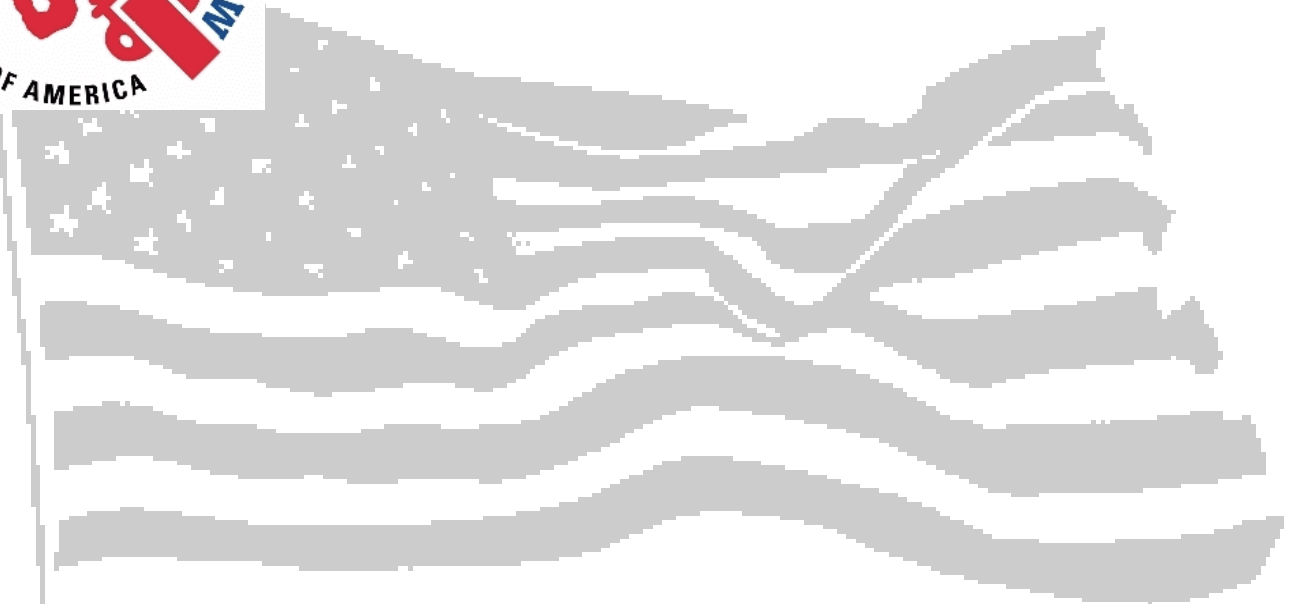


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# Inside:

## Chapter News and Meeting Information 2009 NOAC



The Se-Kah-Ke-Squawks is a bi-monthly publication of Amangi Nacha Lodge, Order of the Arrow, Golden Empire Council, Boy Scouts of America. Our editing standards are the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and the OA Obligation. We welcome submissions, especially from Lodge and Chapter Officials. Submitted articles are a key part of the newsletter, that is how we feel we best serve our readers. If sending photographs please provide the names of those in the picture.

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**The next deadline is: Mar 14, 2008**

### Lodge E-Mailing List

An e-mailing list has been established to help communicate key information important to the lodge and chapter officer and other interested members.

**Sign up by visiting:**  
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