

# Squawks

## Se-Kah-Ke

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### Conclave by the Lake

Have you ever been to a Conclave that seems like a vacation? Well, has the W3B Section got an event for you. The 2002 Section Conclave will be held September 13-15 at beautiful Diamond Peaks in Incline Village.

Imagine taking a ski lift to the top of a mountain for the Saturday night show. Or looking at the spectacular views of the lake basin while playing volleyball or drumming. The Diamond Peaks Ski resort offers us many unique amenities to make this event one to cherish.

The section staff is busy at work putting together an outstanding program, which will include training using the University system, competitions and fellowship. The afternoon fun competitions look to include Frisbee Golf, Volleyball, 5K run, Lip Sync (youth and adults), Broom Hockey, Jeopardy, Tomahawk Throw and the infamous Spear & Hoop. And of course, we will have the Indian Lore competitions. There will also be both a Vigil and VIA gathering.

You may want to consider dressing warm for the Saturday night show. You will be whisked up the mountain on a chair lift (or by car or trail)



to a spectacular view of Lake Tahoe at dusk. The Shows committee plans a great show that will lift your spirits even higher than the mountaintop.

After the show we will again hold an auction of scout memorabilia for both the youth and adults. The auction will be open to all Section and out-of-section OA members through a mail bid. This will allow those who can't attend the event to participate and bid on items they want. The auction committee is looking for donations of scout and OA items. We will again be offering a chenille section patch (only 50 issued last year) to the first 20 or so donations. Please see the insert flyer for details.

Be sure to look in this and future issues or on the Lodge and Section websites for sign up forms and auction information and updates.

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May 31-June 2	Winton Ordeal
June 7	Lodge Executive Meeting
June 8	Council of Chiefs
June 21-23	Pahatsi Ordeal
June 28-30	GTSR Ordeal

## Lodge Chief

Dear Brothers,

Hopefully we are all doing well in the brotherhood of our order. It has been a wonderful and great experience serving as your Lodge Chief so far and I look forward to the months ahead. We have accomplished quite a bit in the past such as finishing our elections and calling out 257 youth into our order. But there is still much to follow.

Now that we have called out all these youth and adults we must now lead them through their ordeals. I encourage you to participate in your ordeal as an Elangomat, ceremony team member, or support staff. These ordeals are critical to the development of our lodge by increasing our membership and, if we make a good enough impression, increase participation and activity. To become a part of the or-

deal experience please contact your chapter chief who will be able to link you up with the ordeal master and advisor.

Aside from our upcoming ordeal the next big activity our lodge is participating in is the 2002 NOAC, National Order of the Arrow Conference, in Bloomington, Indiana of the University of Indiana campus. Our contingent is finally made and we now have 51 Arrowmen attending from our lodge. That it a huge step up in attendance from the last NOAC contingent out of our Lodge. By having Arrowmen go to a NOAC it not only helps us retain members but also provides new trained members to lead the lodge in the future.

I have no doubt that our lodge is of the greatest and that we will be a "Quality Lodge" this year. All of the suc-

cess in this lodge is ultimately the result of supportive and active members. I thank you for your help so far and look forward to your continued activity in this great lodge.

Yours in Brotherhood,

JP Jones  
Lodge Chief  
WWW



## Vice Chief of Indian Lore

The Lodge has ordered a new Pow Wow drum. It should be here in time for our next COC meeting. We are currently looking for members to join a new Lodge Drum team. Are any of you interested?? We are also finalizing the NOAC Drum team and hope to start practice soon. Teddy Green will be the Adviser for the Drum Team at NOAC. The Lodge Dance team is still growing as we picked up a new Traditional Dancer. Tyler Bumpus will be dancing at NOAC as a traditional Dancer, he and Ron Cowen are working on his outfit. Joining Tyler at NOAC on the Dance team are

Ryan Cowen, Josh Green, Brian Wilkerson and myself as Grass Dancers. Jared Green will be dancing Fancy at NOAC. New Adult Adviser Nick Bumpus, he just turned 21 in March, will also be Fancy Dancing at the Founders Day Pow Wow.

The Lodge Ceremonies team seems to be coming together for NOAC. We have four members for this team and are looking for more.

On the subject of Summer camps, we are going to be training the OA Staff for the Brotherhood teams, to hold brother-

hood ceremonies each week at all of our Scout Camps. We have put in a check request for the materials needed to build 16 starter outfits for these teams.

POW WOWS: don't forget the Colusa POW WOW this month and the Yuba College POW WOW on the first weekend of June.

Donald McCausland

## Vice Chief of Camping

Things have been going well in the Lodge. The camping committee has been actively working on the NOAC booth and the 'Where to go Camping Book.' We are in the process of finalizing letters to send to those who would possibly donate items. We are still actively looking for strange articles for the NOAC Amangi Nacha Lodge 'National Inquisitor.' If you have any ideas or articles please contact me at [andrew\\_cater@hotmail.com](mailto:andrew_cater@hotmail.com). I am open to any and all ideas.

GTSR mini-treks are still planed for the second weekend in August. Further information will fallow. Looking for a Summer Job? Enjoy Camping? GTSR is still looking for seasonal staff. If you have any questions or would like an application call the BSA-GEC Council office.

Andrew Cater

### 2001-2002 Lodge Officers

**Lodge Chief** - JP Jones  
**VC of Programs** - David Ashe  
**VC of Communications** -  
Michael Mihalyi  
**VC of Camping** - Andy Cater  
**VC of Induction** - Josh Whitcomb  
**VC of Indian Lore** - Donald  
McCausland

## **Wintun Chapter Organizes District Pinewood Derby Race**

**After nearly 160 races and 60 cars a winner was crowned.**

Several members of the Wintun Chapter conducted the Northern Rivers District Pinewood Derby Championships. The top three winners from each pack in the District raced for their place on the perpetual trophy naming all past winners.

Bob Nelson, Committee Chair, organized the event and Chapter members Dave Denton, Henry Minnette, Bill Booth, John Denton, Ken Berryman and Mark Woodward carried out the task of determining the ultimate winner.

The races consisted of a triple-elimination format so that every cub scout had several opportunities to race. The track used a lighted placement system minimizing any human error and conflicts.

The event took about two hours to determine the winner. The races were hot and furious with a considerable amount of cheering from scouts and parents. The ultimate winner was

## **Lodge Advisor Corner...**

I would like to extend an Arrowman's welcome to all the new members who will pass through their ordeal in the next three months. The personal achievement and experience is something you will carry with you the rest of your life. But, always remember the journey of Cheerful Service has just begun and never ends.

I cannot encourage each of you enough to always step forward to serve in you troop, family, religious community, lodge and chapter. Service is not limited to just Scouting but rather is connected to everything we do and the people we meet every day. Service is putting into action the Scout Oath, Law and Admonition. Members of our units, who saw in us something special, chose us as worthy to lead and act by example and make everything we touch a little better. Now is the time to set goals for yourself, become active in your chapter, find something you like to do, and get on that committee.

Never wait to be asked for you may never be asked. It is expected that an Arrowman steps forward and becomes involved without being asked. You could plan to earn your Brotherhood honor within the next year, be an Elangomat and help a candidate pass their ordeal, work on your chapters Camporee staff, and start an arrow of light or ceremony team.

You are only limited by your own imagination and effort so start today. The Lodge and our section have GREAT activities planned for YOU!

The Section Conclave is in September. Six lodges will come together to PARTY and enjoy friendly competition. It will be held at Diamond Peak Ski Resort - Incline Village, NV, September 13th through 15th. Sign up NOW to receive the discount rate. Conclaves have Games, Indian Dancing, ceremony competitions, training classes, sporting events, swimming and the election of next years Section Chief and officers and a lot more cool stuff ran by the section officers (BIG KIDS).

In October we have our own Lodge Fall fellowship. The Fellowship this year will be held at Camp Lassen. The Date for this SUPER event is October 18th through 20th. Events at the fellowship are made just for the youth; Movies, crafts, Indian dancing, ceremony classes and competitions.

The Fellowship is also where, YOU the YOUTH, Arrowmen elect your New Chief and Vice Chiefs for next year. To end the year, the lodge holds a training day open to ALL members. We call training Takachsin. Here you can learn all about the Order of the Arrow and how to be a leader.

Learn how to run meetings with style and confidence. Understand how our Lodge and council operate our camps and properties. At the end of the day, we have our Lodge dinner. This is a four star affair with our Supreme Chief of the Fire: (Doug McDonald) YOUR Lodge officers and all our members. I WISH YOU: Great FOOD! GOOD FRIENDS! I will leave you with this thought. "Never wait to lend a hand or hesitate to help someone. You my never have a second chance"

Have a great summer.  
In Cheerful Service,  
Mike Gaffney

### **Word Fun.....**

What word in the English language is always pronounced incorrectly?

*See page 10 for answer.*

### **Section 2002 Conclave on-line registration is located at:**

[Http://sectionw3b.org/conclave 2002/online registration.html](http://sectionw3b.org/conclave2002/online%20registration.html)

### **This site allows for credit card payments**

Note that there is a space between conclave and 2002, and between online and registration in the above address.

## **Amangi V / Buena Vista**

Amangi V has been very busy these past few weeks. We are preparing for the Camporee at Camp Far West. Most members are staffing the event and are going to run a snack bar as well. We will also be inducting Scouts for our upcoming Ordeal.

We encourage all chapter officers to attend the monthly officers meeting. Some incentives for going to these meetings are food, drinks, learning new skills and friendship with your fellow OA. So, please attend! All the Chapter Arrowmen should also make an effort to attend the monthly chapter meetings.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Forth Tuesday

Time: 7:00 - 8:30P.M.

Place: Rocklin Community Center

Address: 5484 5th Street, Rocklin Building closest to street.

## **Cha-Pa-Di / El Dorado**

We have already had our Camporee. At the call out our chapter inducted 25 candidates only 15 youth and 1 adult were able to attend it was very successful. We contacted the one who were unable to make it. At the next chapter meeting we will be discussing with the candidates getting them ready for the ordeal about: time, location, and gear, etc. Also will be talking about getting Elangomat situated. As far as I know we are in charge of pre-ordeal. At the next meeting we will also be talking about how to strengthen our chapter, and getting the current ordeal members up to brotherhood so we can get the quality chapter award.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Third Tuesday

Time: 7:30 PM

Place: Pacific Bell Office  
281 Industrial Drive, Placerville

Directions: Off US 50 at the Missouri Flat Rd. Exit. Go South to Industrial Drive. Were right across from Stove and Stuff.

## **Curahee / Trailblazer**

The Curahee chapter completed two ceremonies in the month of April. One was a call out ceremony in which fifteen youth were called out and an Arrow of Light ceremony. We will be discussing a leisure activity for our next meeting, which will be held at the LDS church off Alamo in Vacaville. For further info or directions please call Ryan Hedlund at 707 693 0424.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Third Thursday

Time: 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Place: LDS Church in Vacaville

## **Eluwak / Pony Express**

The Eluwak Chapter is currently working on the Candidates BBQ to be held before our Ordeal in June. We are also working on putting together a Drum and Dance team. We have been working with other chapters that are helping us, since we currently do not have any experienced people.

The youth and adults in our chapter that participated got a special award for helping with at least three elections. We took them to Laser Force to play a couple of games.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Second Thursday  
except June and July

Time: 7:30 - 8:30 PM

Place: LDS Center

Directions: Fair Oaks Blvd. To Garfield, 4252 Garfield Ave.

## **Irekwan / Gold Country**

The Irekwan Chapter just completed the Buttes Area District/Gold Country District Spring Camporee with the Kowaunkamish Chapter. During the Saturday evening campfire the Ordeal candidates from the Gold Country District were called out. We are currently preparing for the summer ordeal at Glacial Trails Scout Ranch.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Third Sunday

Time: 1 pm - 4:30 PM

Place: Memorial Park Scout House,  
Grass Valley.

## **Kendwit Ihum / SOARING EAGLE**

Our chapter has been working diligently to get more Arrowmen to register. We have also been working on Brotherhood Conversion. Thanks to all who helped with this year's district Camporee out at Van Vleck Ranch. I especially want to thank Joshua Whitcomb for running it. He did a wonderful job and we are proud to have him as a chapter member. We are preparing to host the district dinner, and as always getting ready for conclave in September. We put together a contingent, and attended the Section W3A Conclave and we had a lot of fun. We are also getting ready to run the Camp Winton Ordeal again. It looks to be very successful.

Yours In Service,

*Tony Mastrogiovanni*  
Chapter Chief

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: First Thursday

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Place: LDS Chapel @ the North-East corner of Elk Grove-Florin Road and Vintage Park Drive. The address is 8925 Vintage Park Drive.

## **Kowaunkamish / Buttes Area**

On March 16& 17, Ron Cowen, Ryan Cowen, Teddy Green, and I participated in the Vigil Weekend at Blodgett Forest. To say that the weather was inclement would be an understatement- it snowed all weekend. On Sunday, at the conclusion of the ceremonies, the entire camp seemed to jet for home. We were left to clear the road and push and struggle with Mr. Cowan's Saturn. (A reliable car, just not built for the white stuff) Thank you to Tom Simpson and Vern Bickford for pulling us up a hill and saving us from further exertion. In other news, Nick Bumpus has received the Founders' Award and Phil Perkins received the District Award of Merit.

Eric Wright, Chapter Chief

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: Second Saturday

Time: 9 - noon

Place: Live Oak Scout Hall

## **Maidu / Rancho West**

Our Camporee (call out ceremony) was held May 10-12, 2002, the following weekend is the Ordeal at Camp Lassen. Maidu Chapter has been busy since the first of the year holding Brotherhood Classes. In addition, 2 people have completed their Vigil ordeals - they are Justin Voden and Nancy Holzhey. Tim Wells, a co-advisor of Maidu chapter was recognized for receiving the Silver Beaver Award. The ceremonial team has been busy, they have conducted 4 Arrow of Light Webelos Crossover Ceremonies. Andrew Jungling, Chapter Chief and Andy Zwald, Chapter Advisor would like to welcome all of our new Ordeal members.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: First Thursday except June and July

Time: 7:00 - 8:30 P.M.

Place: LDS Center

Directions: Traveling North on 99 get off at East Ave. drive approx. 1.5 mile to Alamo St.

## **Miwok / Pathfinder**

Our Chapter is moving forward in a very positive manner. We recently started an Indian Lore group offering instruction on dancing, drumming singing and outfitting. The group will be meeting at least one extra night a month and is directed by Indian Lore VC Ben Gould and Advisor Phil Galli. Feel free to contact them for any information.

Election teams are very active and holding elections in both Pioneer and Prospector Districts. If you can participate please contact the Chapter Chief. Our ceremony teams completed a March Arrow of Light crossover and the Camporee Callout.

### **Meeting Information:**

Date: First Thursday

Time: 7:00 - 8:00 P.M.

Place: Stanford Settlement

Address: 450 West El Camino Ave

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Patwin / Rio Del Oro</b></p> <p>The chapter has been busy holding normal chapter meetings. We would like to have better attendance. We have held a callout and had five scouts present and hope to have more attend the Ordeal.</p> <p>Chris Peterson</p>	<p><b>Meeting Information:</b></p> <p>Date: Second Thursday  Time: 7:00 - 8:30P.M.  Place: LDS Center  Directions: Fair Oaks Blvd. To  Garfield, 4552 Garfield Ave</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Peen Sew / River City</b></p> <p>During the last few months the chapter has been busy visiting troops in the district chairing OA elections. At our District Camporee campfire, held in April, there were 11 scouts and one adult from our chapter that were called out.</p>	<p><b>Meeting Information:</b></p> <p>Date: Third Thursday  Time: 7:30 P.M.  Place: LDS Church @ 11th Ave &amp;  Franklin Blvd.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ta Tanka Ska / Amador</b></p> <p>Our new Chapter Chief is David Steger. Our meetings are held on the fourth Monday of every month from 6:00 to 7:00. Our chapter held unit elections in February and we gained three new boys from 63 and 477. They will be going to the Winton Ordeal. We will also be having two members go up for Brotherhood at the Ordeal.</p>	<p><b>Meeting Information:</b></p> <p>Date: Fourth Monday  Time: 6:30 - 8:00P.M.  Place: Jackson Scout Hut located in  the front of the library off Hyw. 49</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tito-Wa / Yolo</b></p> <p>To date we have completed 30% of our planned unit elections and expect to complete the rest soon. We held our last meeting at the UC Davis Memorial Union Bowling Alley. This was a fun and productive meeting. So far our Chapter has re-registered over 70% of last years members. Thanks for the great job!</p>	<p><b>Meeting Information:</b></p> <p>Date: First Thursday  Time: 7:00 - 8:00PM  Place: Davis Community Church  Address: 214 C Street</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Wintun / Shasta-Trinity</b></p> <p>In the last meeting of the Wintun chapter we practiced for the callout ceremony. So far we have all the people needed for it, but we could always use more torch bearer's.</p> <p>As of now, troops have elected 37 candidates for our chapter, but we are not certain how many will make it to the Camporee, call-out or to the ordeal.</p> <p>To encourage our chapter members to come to the meetings, we are now having punch, cookies, and usually a game.</p> <p>Also, our chapter has now purchased a new Meteu headdress kit that is being assembled to replace the fuzzy, horned bicycle helmet that is being used now.</p>	<p><b>Meeting Information:</b></p> <p>Date: Third Monday  Time: 7:00 P.M.  Place: Anderson Scout Hall @  Anderson River Park  Address: Dead end of Rupert Rd.</p>

# Ordeal to

Have you become a Brotherhood Member yet?

Look below to see what you need to do to seal your membership  
in the Order of the Arrow.

After at least 10 months of active service to your unit as an Ordeal member in the Order of the Arrow, you will be eligible to seal your membership through the Brotherhood Ceremony. The Ordeal has introduced you to the Order. Now through your service as an Ordeal member, you have many opportunities to increase your knowledge of the Arrow and to make it work for you. The Order of the Arrow Handbook provides all of the information you will need to understand the Order of the Arrow and the challenges of Brotherhood membership. Your Elangomat, Chapter chief and fellow brothers are also willing to help you with the following requirements.

## Brotherhood Requirements

- 1) Memorize the signs of Ordeal Membership. (Memorize the obligation of the Order, the official Song, the admonition, the sign of Ordeal membership, and the Arrow handclasp.)
- 2) Advance in your understanding of the Ordeal. (Gain a thorough understanding of the ordeal through which you have passed.)
- 3) Serve your unit. (Retain your registration in scouting. During the 10 months since your Ordeal, strive to fulfill your obligation by continuing and expanding your service to your troop or team.)
- 4) Plan for service in the Lodge. (Retain your registration in the Lodge and keep your dues paid. Be aware that acceptance of Brotherhood membership involves a pledge of service to the Lodge. Develop a concrete idea of how you plan to fulfill the pledge.)
- 5) Review your progress. (When you feel that you have met the four challenges listed from above, write a letter to your Lodge Vice Chief of Communications. In this letter explain what you think the obligation means. Describe how you have been fulfilling this obligation in your unit and in your daily life, and how you have used your understanding of the Order to aid in this service. Describe your specific plans for giving service in the Lodge program.)

**Join your Brothers, become a Brotherhood Member today!**

# Ordeal to Brotherhood

## Obligation

I do hereby promise, on my honor as a Scout, that I will always and faithfully observe and preserve the traditions of the Order of Arrow, Wimachtendienk, Wingolauchsik, Witahemui.

I will always regard the ties of brotherhood in the Order of the Arrow as lasting, and will seek to preserve a cheerful spirit, even in the midst of irksome tasks and weighty responsibilities, and will endeavor, so far as in my power lies, to be unselfish in service and devotion to the welfare of others.

## Song

Firm bound in brotherhood, gather the clan that cheerful service brings to fellow man. Circle our council fire, weld tightly every link that binds us in brotherhood, Wimachtendienk.



## OA Troop Representative Job Description:

An Order of the Arrow Troop Representative is a youth liaison serving between the local OA lodge or chapter and his troop. In his troop, he serves as a communication and programmatic link to the Arrowmen and adult leaders and Scouts who are not presently members of the Order. He does this in a fashion that strengthens the mission of the lodge and purpose of the Order. By setting a good example, he enhances the image of the Order as a service arm to his troop.

## OA Team Representative Job Description:

An Order of the Arrow Team Representative is a youth liaison serving between the local OA lodge or chapter and his Varsity Team. In his team, he serves as a communication and programmatic link to the Arrowmen and adult leaders and Varsity Scouts who are not presently members of the Order. He does this in a fashion that strengthens the mission of the lodge and purpose of the Order. By setting a good example, he enhances the image of the Order as a service arm to his team.

This article was taken off of the national website <http://www.oa-bsa.org/programs/ttr/ttrintro.htm>

## Definitions of Lodge Events

### Ordeals

The Lodge holds five ordeals a year. The first is in May at Camp Lassen. The next three ordeals are held in June/July at Camp Winton, Camp Pahatsi, and Glacial Trails Scout Camp. These events help prepare these camps to open on time for the council's summer events. The fifth ordeal is held in the fall at Camp Pollock in Sacramento. All OA members are strongly encouraged to attend.

### Lodge Annual Dinner

Each year the Lodge holds its annual Dinner. It is a time to review the past year, promote the upcoming events. It is a time to renew old friendships. All Arrowmen and their family and friends are welcome to attend.

### Lodge Fall Fellowship

Each year the Lodge holds a Fellowship. This is a time where we can all get together and enjoy the fellowship of our brothers. The fellowship is usually held each October. At this event, we elect our Lodge officers for the next year. The activities usually include training, Chapter competitions in dancing, ceremonies, and sports. All Arrowmen are strongly encouraged to attend. This is a fun filled weekend.

### Takachsin

Each year the Lodge holds a training weekend that is modeled after the National Leadership Seminar outline. This event trains the new Lodge and Chapter officers and advisors. All Lodge and Chapters officers are expected to attend.

### Lodge Council of Chiefs

The Council of Chiefs is made up of all Lodge officers and Chapter Chiefs with their advisers. At these meetings the youth members create lodge policy, plan lodge events, and control financing. All Arrowmen are welcome at the Council of Chiefs meeting. The Lodge Chief is responsible for this meeting.

### Chapter Meeting/Events

Each Chapter has meetings and other events through out the year. These events include crafts, Indian activities, preparation for upcoming lodge events, also preparation for District events (i.e. Elections, Call-out, and Ceremonies). Contact your Chapter Chief or advisor for more information.





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## Legend of the Lenni Lanape

Long years ago, in the dim ages of the past, the Lenni Lenape Tribe of the Delaware Indians inhabited the Delaware River Valley. Here they pursued the deer, the bear, the wildcat, and the panther. They hunted and fished. Their villages were numerous and powerful; their hunting parties strong. They tilled the fields as well as followed the chase. They were a peaceful people, never warring with other tribes unless first attacked. The smoke arose from their wigwams as they returned from the hunt, and the council fires blazed brightly, as around them they smoked their pipe of peace.

Many moons they lived in this blissful state of happy contentment. Springtime blossomed into summer, matured into autumn, and faded away into winter, in what seemed a never-ending succession of season. But a cloud arose on this peaceful scene. Neighboring tribes and distant enemies began to raid their hunting grounds. Then Chingachgook, the chief of the Lenni Lenape Tribe, made inquire, "Who will go and warn the villages of the Delaware's of the danger which threatens?" But none wished to go. One said, "Let them look to themselves—we are happy here." Another said, "Why should we be concerned as long as we are safe?" But Uncas, his son, said, "My father, here am I; send me. All these villages are of our blood—the Lenni Lenape. What is danger to one is the affair of all. The need is urgent. They are six to our one, and if we are to survive as a nation, we must all stand by each other. Meanwhile let us both urge upon our kindred the necessity of unselfish devotion to each other and the cause in which we are enlisted, and as they get this higher vision, send them forth on their errand of cheerful service."

Then Chingachgook, the chief, and his son, Uncas, set to work. In every village were found some who were willing to give themselves cheerfully in the service of others. Their enemies were compelled to retire to their own borders and, when peace was declared between them, they who first went out cheerfully to serve their kindred were raised to places of high eminence in the tribe by the chief. For, he said, "The servant of all is the greatest of all." And these men became so convinced of the truth of this saying that they besought the chief to perpetuate it in some manner.

So Chingachgook bound them together in a Brotherhood into which only they can be admitted who can forget their own interests and advancement while looking out for those of their brothers. And there must be so considered and recommended for membership by their associates.

So greatly did this Order aid and strengthen the Lenni Lenape that other tribes seeing this besought their help in forming similar lodges in their own tribes. So in the same spirit of service such lodges were formed, which were bound together into a great Brotherhood.

And so we, the followers of the early Indian on this soil, perpetuate to the present day the Brotherhood of Cheerful Service, which being translated into the language of the Delaware Indians, becomes Wimachtendienk, Wingolauchsik, Witahemui.

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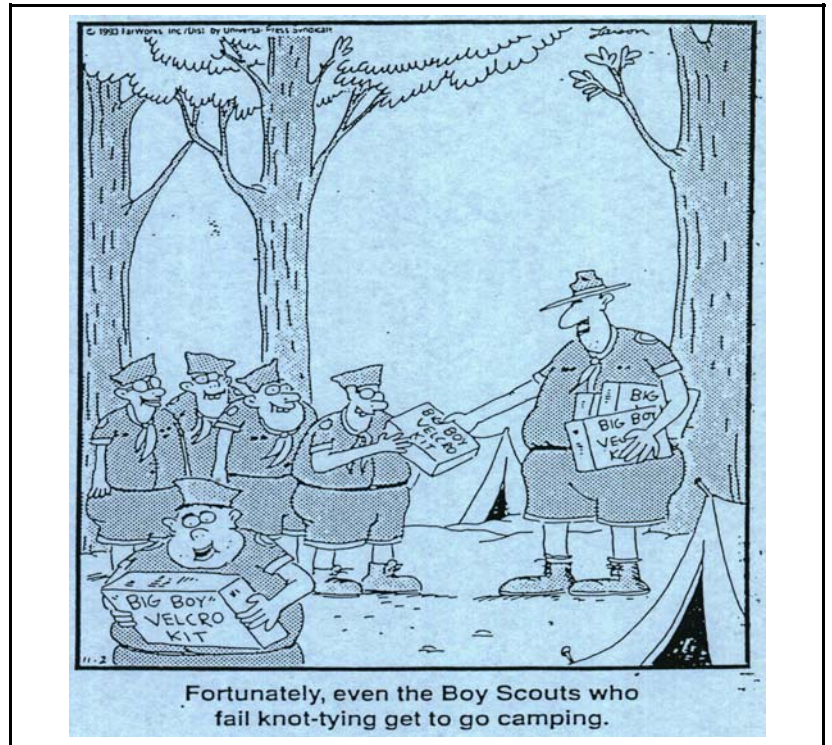


Have you seen this patch anywhere?

Have any interesting stories, comics or jokes? If so, let us know. We would like to hear what your Chapter is doing so we can put it in the Lodge newsletter. Please send articles via email to:

woodward@shasta.com or to the address on the back of the newsletter.

## Scouting at its Best



## New Lodge Polo Shirt Has Arrived!

It's taken two years to achieve, but yes, the Amangi Nacha Lodge will finally have lodge shirts. It will be a white pique polo shirt with a red collar. The logo on the right will be embroidered on the left chest of the shirt.

The cost will be in the \$23 per shirt. All profits will go towards NOAC and will be used as a long term fund raiser to help offset NOAC costs in the future. They are available now through the Lodge Trading Post and at all ordeals.

I'd like to thank the youth on the Lodge Program Committee for this success.

All chapters need to continue to flow their ideas through lodge committee members. This is the only way the lodge can serve you.



*New Polo Shirt Logo*



Don't forget to order your NOAC 2002 Lodge patches now! See the enclosed order form for payment instructions.

*Amangi Nacha Lodge 47  
2002 NOAC 2-PC. Patch Set*

Now is your opportunity to order the new 2-Pc set from the Lodge. The patches are fully embroidered in 12 colors creating a striking set. This promises to be a very popular set and should go quickly since there are over 50 NOAC contingent members this year and only 500 sets are being produced.

The set will be advertised Nationally through ASTA and other publications. So be sure if to pre-order yours as soon as possible to insure availability

The cost is \$8 per set, for registered Lodge members. Delivery will be mid summer 2002.



*Amangi Nacha Lodge 47  
2002 NOAC Trader Patch*



In this is the flap the Lodge has issued and will be using as the 2002 to NOAC trader flap. The quantity to be issued will be limited so we suggest you get your order in soon. The cost is \$2.50 to registered Lodge members. Those attending NOAC will receive their flaps prior to departure, the rest of the Lodge will theirs at the conclusion of NOAC.

*Please print clearly!*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity 2-Pc. Patch Set: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$8 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity Trader Patch: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$2.50 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (enclosed check or money order only)

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