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New Members Edition

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Lodge Calendar

- NOAC.....July 29-Aug. 3
- Lodge Exec. Meeting(at NOAC)..Aug 1
- Section Meeting......Aug. 12
- Newsletter Deadline....Aug. 31
- Council of Chiefs......Sept 9
 in <u>Live Oak</u>
 "see map on page 3"
- Lodge Exce. Meeting....Sept. 13
- Newsletter Mailing.....Sept. 15
- Tri-Conclave......Sept. 15-17
- Lodge Pollock Ordeal. Oct. 6-8
- Fall Fellowship......Oct. 13-15

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repare your self for the year 2000 W3 Conclave that will be held on September 15-17 at Two Rock USCG (United States Coast Guard) Training Center, Petaluma, CA. This year, sections W3A, W3B, and W3C will sponsor the conclave, so actually this year's conclave will actually be a Tri-clave, filled with fun and adventure. This will be our second Tri-clave preformed, the first was held in 1993. I have herd that Two Rock is a wonderful place, and we all ask that you follow the rules that are posted and or given to you there so we can all enjoy this conclave. Basically you want to follow the 12 points of the scout Law plus RESPECT! If you would like a complete listing of the rules at Two Rock, please visit the conclave homepage at http://w3conclave.scouter.org/default.html

There will be many activities that will be held for your enjoyment as well, including a carnival, midway booths, vendors form national outdoor supply companies, chili cookout, demonstrations and displays form the USCG, the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, and many other things. There will also be our standard OA activities that we all enjoy being part of in all OA events, such as the good old 5k run, volleyball, log saw, tomahawk throw, ceremony competitions, dance competitions, a brotherhood ceremony, fabulous shows by the Tannu Lodge Production Team, Hawaiian Luau, and of course, what would we be with out that famous OA Jeopardy. All of these events have been vigorously planned by the Council of Chiefs form all three sections, and if you see them, you should thank them for planning out such a wonderful event that is at hand.

Two Rock itself is eight miles west of Petaluma, California. This rolling, pastoral countryside is 800 acres large that is on the Sonoma-Marin County line. If you would like a map you may go to the website http://w3conclave.scouter. org/default.html and go to the link for map. The base serves as a training facility for the Coast Guard. It operates ten schools, that teach 50 courses for over 7000 students a year.

Now some of you out there are probably wondering...how do I get there. Well if you need a map I once again suggest the W3 website listed above for information on how to get there and if you haven't signed up to go yet, you can sign up there.

This event at Two Rock, I believe, will be a very interesting activity to witness. I myself have never been to a Tri-Clave before. There will be lots of

(See "Two Rock" on page #7)



Doug McDonald Supreme Chief of the Fire



Lewis McCrary Lodge Chief



Morgan Maier Vice Chief of Program



Larry Frith Lodge Advisor



Gilbert Canady Lodge Program Advisor



Robert "fuzzy" Nelson Deputy Lodge Advisor



Eric Allred Lodge Staff Advisor



Nancy Holzhey

Lodge Trading Post Advisor

Jonathan Trachy Vice Chief of Communications





Mike Gaffney Lodge Communications Advisor



Wil Conner Lodge Field Advisor



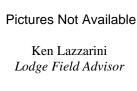
Mark Spitler Lodge Brotherhood Advisor



Ryan Starr Vice Chief of Inductions



Craig Tanner Lodge Inductions Advisor



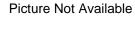
Bill Rogers Camping Advisor



Sean Gaffney Vice Chief of Camping



Mark Woodward Lodge Finance Advisor



Brian Wilkinson Vice Chief of Indian Lore



Kim Wilkinson Lodge Indian Lore Advisor



2000 Fall Fellowship Registration Amangi N acha Lodge 47 Fall Fellowship Fallon N aval A ir Station, Fallon N evada October 12-15, 2000 "To Live the Spirit of the A rrow"



| Name Address | | Chap | ter | - | |
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| CityPhone | | | - | | |
| State | Zip | | E-mail | | |
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| Registration | Fee \$25.00, <u>includes fi</u> | ree tee shirt A | After Sept. 12, n | o free tee shirt | |

Parental Consent for Minors – Must be signed for those under 18

I / We the undersigned parent(s) of the aforementioned minor, do hereby authorize the adult leader(s) in charge of the agent(s) undersigned to consent to X-ray examination, anesthetic, medical, dental, or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which is deemed advisable by and is rendered under the general or special supervision of any physician or surgeon, dentist or oral surgeon licensed under the provisions of the Medical Practice Act of the state of California, or the medical staff of the Amangi Nacha Lodge Fall Fellowship, or any accredited hospital, which such diagnosis or treatment is rendered, or at the office of any physician, surgeon, or dentist under the Medical of Dental Act of the state of California, or at diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care which the aforementioned adults or medical personnel, in their best judgment, deem advisable. I/We also understand that every effort will be made to contact us, the parents or guardians, of the aforementioned minor(s), before any medical treatment is performed, this is only if time permits, If I/We cannot be reached prior to this treatment it may be performed with my/our consent as long as I/We are contacted whenever possible. This authorization is given pursuant to the provisions of Section 25.8 of the Civil Code of the State of California and Section 12 of the Health Code of the State of California.

| Parent or Guardian Signature | Date |
|------------------------------|------------------|
| Medical Insurance | Policy Number |
| Family Doctor | Phone Number () |

Makes Checks Payable to **GEC** Account #1-2761-600-00

Do Not Send Cash!

Mail Check & Registration to:

Amangi Nacha Lodge 3302 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA 96002



BE A HERO

Be a sponsor to a deserving Scout from our council.

Help send a Scout to the NATIONAL JAMBOREE in 2001

Many Scouts are looking for work or financial assistance

You can help a Scout earn his way with projects at your work or home

Employment at your place of business

Or by providing financial assistance directly through the Golden Empire Council Jamboree Contingent Program

If you can be a hero to a deserving scout please contact one of the leaders below your support will affect a young man for a lifetime

THANK YOU

Mark Woodward (530) 221-8933 Greg Balkovek (530) 243-8183





Amangi Nacha Lodge 47 2000 NOAC 2-Pc. Patch Set

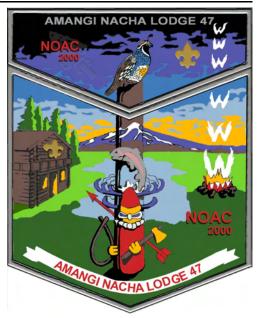
Now is your opportunity to order the new 2 piece set from the Lodge. The set is fully embroidered, 10-color, and includes the totems of our three former Lodges supporting our Lodge current totem. The background includes a scout camp scene. This is our most beautiful and color set yet.

The set will be advertised Nationally through ASTA and other publications. So, be sure to order yours as soon as possible it insure you sets are guaranteed.

The cost is \$15. Expected delivery is early Y2K (the patch is compliant)

Please complete this form and mail to:

Amangi Nacha Lodge 47 2000 NOAC Patch Set 3302 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA 96002



| Please print neatly | | | | |
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| Name: | | Phone:() | | |
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Mail form and check to: Amangi Nacha Lodge 47 2000 NOAC Patch Set 3302 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA 96002

Amangi Nacha Lodge #47 OA Trading Post Order Form

Fill out amount wanted.

Mail order form and payment to the address listed below. Make check payable to: Amangi Nacha Lodge #47 B.S.A. Allow 2-3 weeks for delivery. We ship all order via U.S Mail. Prices can change with out notice.

Amangi Nacha Lodge 47 Trading Post C/o Nancy Holzhey 261 Tranquil Way Paradise, CA 95969



| Name: | | Amount Ordered: |
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| Address: | | Shipping Cost: |
| City: | Zip: | Total Payment: |

Dues must be paid before ordering!

| 3 | Description | Retail | Amt. | Item # | Description | Retail | Amt. |
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| | 1998 Fall Fellowship Patch | \$3.00 | | *02409 | Pin Founder's (Civilian wear only) | \$4.00 | |
| | Back Patch, Lodge | \$8.00 | | PINTF | Pin Holder Flap | \$3.00 | |
| *00009 | Back Patch, Nation OA | \$4.00 | | *00001 | Ribbon with Arrow, Pocket | \$3.00 | |
| | Back Patch, Nation OA (New) | \$6.00 | | *02169 | Sash - Brotherhood (Reg) | \$12.00 | |
| 20124 | Badge, Name | \$8.00 | | *02170 | Sash - Brotherhood (Long) | \$12.00 | |
| | | | | *02168 | Sash - Ordeal (Long) | \$12.00 | |
| *02191A | Belt Buckle - OA Logo (New) | \$13.50 | | *02167 | Sash - Ordeal (Reg) | \$12.00 | |
| | | | | *02166 | Sash - Vigil (Long) | \$12.00 | |
| *02405A | Bolo - Pewter w/OA Logo (New) | \$12.00 | | *02165 | Sash - Vigil (Reg) | \$12.00 | |
| *02193A | Bolo w/OA Logo (New) | \$6.00 | | 34995A | Sticker, Big OA Logo (New) | \$1.00 | |
| 34998 | Book, History of OA | \$22.00 | | 34995 | Sticker , Big OA Logo | \$1.00 | |
| 34994 | Ceremony Book - Brotherhood | \$5.00 | | 4026G | Sticker, Small OA Logo | \$0.50 | |
| 34993 | Ceremony Book - Ordeal | \$5.00 | | 34980 | Sticker, Small OA Logo (New) | \$0.75 | |
| 34043 | Ceremony Book - Vigil | \$5.00 | | | T-Shirt OA Red (Give Size) | \$17.00 | |
| *02172 | Coin Recognition w/OA Logo (New) | \$4.50 | | *02171 | Zipper Pull OA | \$2.00 | and the same |
| | Flap Lodge S-3 | \$5.00 | | | | | |
| | Flap Lodge White Border | \$3.00 | | | SHOULDER STRIPS | | 1 |
| *02164A | Frame Pewter w.OA Logo (New) | \$14.00 | | DNCTM | Dance Team | \$1.00 | |
| 34997A | Handbook Advisor/Officer | \$5.00 | | DRMTM | Drum Team | \$1.00 | |
| 34996A | Handbook for OA Members | \$2.50 | | ORCTOM | Ordeal Ceremony Team | \$1.00 | |
| *02408A | Hat Pin Pewter OA (New) | \$4.00 | | BRCTM | Brotherhood Ceremony Team | \$1.00 | |
| 20007 | Hat Pin w/OA Logo | \$3.00 | | VGCTM | Vigle Ceremony Team | \$1.00 | |
| *02406A | Key Chain w/OA Logo (New) | \$7.00 | | NLSTR | NLS Trained | \$1.00 | |
| *02229A | Medallion, Hiking Staff OA | \$5.00 | | NOATR | NOAC Trained | \$1.00 | |
| 2404 | Mug-Blue w/OA Medallion | \$10.00 | | CMPSR | Camp Service | \$1.00 | |
| *02404A | Mug-Blue w/OA Medallion (New) | \$10.00 | | ELANG | Elangomat | \$1.00 | |
| 2207 | Mug-White w/OA Logo | \$6.00 | | LDGAD | Lodge Advisor | \$1.00 | |
| 20008 | Mug-White w/OA Logo (New) | \$6.50 | | LDGOF | Lodge Officer | \$1.00 | |
| *02192A | Neckerchief Slide w/OA Logo (New) | \$4.50 | | OUTFT | Outfitter | \$1.00 | |
| NCK47 | Neckerchief, Lodge | \$8.00 | | TKCHN | Takachsin | \$1.00 | |
| 02407A | OA Glass Stein W/New Logo (New) | \$15.00 | | W3BCN | W3B Conclave | \$1.00 | |
| TRI47 | Patch for Neckerchief | \$6.00 | | ADVISOR | Chapter Advisor Patch | \$1.00 | |
| | Patch Holder Plastic (Rectangle) | \$0.25 | | OFFICER | Chapter Officer | \$1.00 | |
| SHD47 | Patch, Black A/N Shoulder | \$4.00 | | CHIEFAW | Chief Award | \$1.00 | |
| *02206 | Patch, Chapter Advisor | \$4.00 | | FELLSHIP | Fellowship Staff | \$1.00 | |
| *02205 | Patch, Lodge Advisor | \$4.00 | | | Lodge Dinner Staff | \$1.00 | |
| | Pin - Ordeal Arrow (Civilian wear only) | \$3.00 | | | Ordeal Master | \$1.00 | |
| | Pin - Vigil Triangle | \$3.00 | | W3ACON | W3A Conclave | \$1.00 | |

Assignments: ALL Members of the Lodge will be a member of one or more committees

Purpose: To provide a directed program structure for the Lodge and Chapters

to fulfill the mission and purpose of the Order of the Arrow.

Choice: Each member should select a committee to focus their participation

in which they have, Knowledge, Skills, Abilities, Desire to learn or

the Ability to Lead and Teach , And Most important Have FUN doing.

Concept: For most members your selection will be the same for Chapters as

well as Lodge committees.

Explanation: Each Committee will be lead by a Youth committee Vice Chief with an

adult Adviser, Selection of these positions will be done by the Chapter or Lodge Chief and Adviser. The Committee can be structured

to best fulfill the activity or project undertaken During Lodge

meetings these committees will come together to form a larger Lodge committee, lead by a Lodge Vice Chief and Lodge associate Adviser.

As well as Chapter and Lodge committee Vice Chiefs to share knowledge, training, and activities and plan for events.

| Committee Selection Form | Date | |
|--------------------------|--|--|
| Name | 05 | |
| Address | | |
| Telephone Number() | E-Mail: | |
| Chapter | Youth or Adult Honor: Ordeal Brotherhood Vigil | |
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Committees and Examples

Program: Chapters: Camporee Staff, Service projects, Fund raisers, Cooking teams & Dinner Staff, unit elections, Fellow ship

taff. Est.

Lodge: Fellowship Staff, Lodge Dinner staff, Service projects. W3B Conclave coordination, Takachsin (Lodge and

Chapter Training) Est.

Communication: Chapter: Newsletter, telephone and email trees, Information gathering and dissemination so

activities succeed

Lodge: Newsletter, Lodge meeting minutes, Emails, Flyers, Fellowship Booklets and onsite newspapers, Gather and

disseminate information

Camping: Chapter and Lodge: Promote unit camping, Unit elections, promote the National Jamboree update Where to go Camping

CD and Booklet, Member Booklet, Construct and man Camping booth at Conclave and N.O.A.C., Enter these at Conclave

and N.O.A.C. Competitions

Inductions: Chapter and Lodge: Election and Elangomat training, Unit elections, Ordeal staff and leadership, Call Out and Brotherhood

ceremonies, Brotherhood conversions, membership renewal

Indian Lore and Ceremony Teams:

Chapters and Lodge: Dance Teams, Ceremony Teams, Outfitting, Drum Teams, Arrow of Light Ceremonies, Produce,

attend, and Judge Competitions

Administration Chapter: Elected positions (Youth) Chief and Vice Chiefs, Appointed Adults Chapter Adviser is a Lodge Appointment,

Over all steering and Leadership of Chapter, Organization, motivation of members, Budget and Finance, Mandatory attendance at Lodge meetings (one chapter one vote), accountability to the Lodge

Lodge: Elected positions (Youth), Elected by general Youth membership (chapter experience is necessary) Chief, Vice

Chiefs: Committee Vice Chiefs are appointed by the Council of Chiefs or Chief

Adults: The Lodge Adviser is selected from the associate advisers and appointed by The Supreme Chief of the Fire. Associate Advisers are appointed by the Lodge Adviser Advisers at all levels are to provide the conditions by

which the YOUTH can lead, run and succeed in the program

*SPECIAL SKILLS YOU CAN OFFER YOUR CHAPTER AND LODGE

*THANK FOR YOUR TIME AND SERVICE, YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

TURN IN at a Lodge Meeting or mail to: AMANGI NACHA LODGE #47- B.S.A. 3302 BECHELLI LANE REDDING CA. 96002 The Council camps have decided to pay for the food for all member that attend the Ordeals. If your are getting your brotherhood then you must pay for the sash.



Amangi Nacha Lodge #47 2000 Ordeal Member Registration



Mail Form to:

Amangi Nacha Lodge Ordeal Golden Empire Council 3302 Bechelli Lane Redding, CA 96002

| Please Print! | | | | | |
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| Name | Unit_ | Birth Date_ | | | |
| Address | J | Phone () | | | |
| City | Zip | Chapter | | | |
| E-mail | | | | | |
| Check Ordeal you plan to attend. | Please note deadline d | ates; THERE IS NO ON-S | ITE REGISTRATION! | | |
| [] Oct 6-8, Camp Pollock Lo | dge Ordeal all chapte | rs participating | DEADLINE: Sep 29, 200 | 00 | |
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| You may attend any Ordeal you w | ish, but you're encoura | aged to attend the Ordeal a | ssigned to your chapter if possible. | | |
| Add \$12.00 for Brotherhood candi | dates (covers the cost | of the sash) | | | |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED: \$ | | [] Check here if men | nber is a Brotherhood candidate | | |
| Make check payable to "Amangi N | Vacha Lodge" and incl | ude Account #1-2371-600- | 00 on check | | |
| MEDICAL RELEASE: Must be completed for all members under 18 years of age. Please include Or bring to the Ordeal a copy of the youth's health history form. | | | | | |
| I hereby give permission for an ad Medical aid for the above person i Ordeal. I also give the adult leade | n case of accident and/ | or medical emergency dur | ing his attendance at the | | |
| Name of Parent or Guardian | | Date _ | | | |
| Medical Insurance | ·································· | Policy Number | | | |
| Family Doctor | | Phone Number () | | | |
| Signature of Parent or Guardian _ | | | | | |

Wintun / Shasta-Trinity Date: 3rd Monday 7:00 PM Time: Location: Anderson Scout Hall @ Anderson River Park Address Dead end of Rupert Rd.

Cha-Pa-Di / El Dorado

Date: 3rd Tuesday Time: 7:30 PM Location: Pacific Bell Office 281 Industrial Dr. Placerville. Directions: Across from Stove & Stuff

Irekwan / Gold Country

Date: Third Sunday (most months) Time: 1:30 - 5:00PM Location: Memorial Park Scout house. Grass Valley

Kowaunkamish / Buttes Area

Date: 2nd Saturday Time: 9 - noon Location: Live Oak Scout Hall

Eluwak / Pony Express

Date: 2nd Thursday Time: 7:30-8:30PM Location: LDS Center (This is the same time and place as the District Round Table if you need a ride check with a adult member of your Troop. Directions: Fair Oaks Blvd to Garfield ,4252 Garfield Ave, Carmi-

Miwok / Pathfinder

Date: 1st Thursday Time: 7:00 - 8:00PM Location: St. Ignatius Parish Room 4 Address: 3235 Arden Way, Sacramento Directions: Drive to the rear parking lot

Amangi V

Amangi V had Waren Mulcahy and Travis Garrett at the Pahatsi ordeal as Elangomats. The Amangi V Chapter received 19 new members from that ordeal. We also received three from the Lassen Ordeal. Travis Garrett and Jeff Mulcahy are helping to plan the Lodge Recognition Dinner in November.

The Amangi V Chapter added one Brotherhood member, while increasing membership by 22 following Ordeal Ceremonies at the Council camps this summer. Included in this number are 21 young men and one adult. Warren Mulcahy earned his Brotherhood membership at the Camp Pahatsi Ordeal.

Those new members who attended the Camp Lassen Ordeal included: John Nitta, Kevin Martinez and Brotherhood Chorus. Enjoy your summer. Charles Witkowski.

Those who completed their ordeal at Yours in Brotherhood, Camp Pahatsi included: Ryan Benbow, Donnie Clubb, Erik Erickson, Kent Gillmore, Doug Ginther, Mike Ginther, Robert Harper, Jeff Hogg, Scott Johnson, Trevor Lawton, Charles Martin, Jacob Mulcahy, Spencer Owens, Ben Thacker, David Vaughn, Ian Wilkie, and Tom Cook. Two others completed the Glacial Trails Scout Ranch Ordeal, they are John Kenney, and Eric Schott.

We are expecting another increase this fall as many candidates have expressed a desire to attend the Camp Pollack Ordeal in October.

This increase brings the Amangi V Chapter's current membership to 62. Current members will focus on retention, while inviting former members to remember the Obligation and return to activity in the chapter in the coming months.

For information you may contact Jeff Mulcahy, chapter advisor, (916) 773-2971 or email to: jmulcahy@softcom.net.

Yours in Brotherhood, Travis Garrett Amangi V Chapter Chief

Tito-Wa

Welcome to our new members who attended the recent summer ordeals. We look forward to seeing you on September 8th, this is because we do not have meetings in July or August, due to troops summer events. In fact I just got back from a fantastic trip to Philmont. While I was at Philmont our Woodland Ordeal team did a great job at the Pahatsi Ordeal. A special thanks goes to Ben Bringhurst who lead this group from a completely new ceremonial team to a well rehearsed and successful performance. Our first meeting on September 8th will be from 7 to 8 pm, at the Davis Community Church. Please be sure to sign up now for the W3B conclave, as it will be too late for sign ups at our first meeting. In three weeks, six Tito-Wa members will be heading for Tennessee to attend the National Order of the Arrow Conference. They will compete in the Brotherhood Ceremonial competition and in Indian Dance competition. Hopefully they will also sing in the

Brian Wilkinson Tito-Wa Chapter Chief

ELUWAK CHAPTER

I would like to welcome all of our new Ordeal members. Our meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at the LDS Church located at Garfield & Locust in Carmichael. The meeting is from 7:30pm to 8:30pm.

Our chapter participated in the Pahatsi Ordeal. I was the Ordeal Master and Gerry Albright was my advisor. The Ordeal was a great success and the food was VARY special. I would like to thank every one who participated and a special thanks to the members who participated on the ceremony teem. And a hands up to Darrell Winn the Camp Director for all of his help.

Don't miss the August meeting we are going to design and make chokers just for our chapter, planning a camping trek to GTSR, working on getting every one to Brotherhood, organizing next years ceremony teams and just having fun.

Yours in WWW Will Usher Eluwak Chapter Chief Curahee / Trailblazer

Date: 3rd Thursday Time: 7:00-8:30 P.M. Location: LDS Church in Vacaville Alamo Dr

Amangi V / Buena Vista

Date: 4th Tuesday Time: 7:00 - 8:30PM Location: Rocklin Community Center Address: 5484 5th Street, Rocklin (Building closest to street)

Tito-WA

Date: 1st Thursday Time: 7:00 - 8:00PM

Location: Davis Community Church (in the basement) Address: 214 C Street

Maidu / Rancho West Date: 1st Thursday except June & July Time: 7:00 - 8:30 PM Location: LDS Center at the corner Alamo Street & East Ave Directions: Traveling north on 99 get off at East Ave drive approximately 1.5 Miles to Alamo Street

Patwin / Rio Del Oro Reorganizing Meeting with Eluawak/ Pony Express Chapter

Look on opposite page for meeting times and address.

Kodo-Noko-Woli / Golden Bear Date: First Thursday Time: 7:00 P.M. Location: Camp Pollock

If your Chapter wants to change anything on this page please contact me at majtrach@c-zone.net or mail to: Jonathan Trachy 1573 Dana Drive #106 Redding Ca. 96003

Why Brotherhood?

Brotherhood is an opportunity for members to evaluate their past service to Scouting and to their lodge and to reaffirm their belief in the high purposes of the Order. The ceremony is intended as a source of inspiration that motivates brothers to give even greater service to Scouting.

Kowaunkamish

With the exception of the upcoming Ordeal at Glacial Trails Scout Ranch on July 7-9, this is a quiet time of the year. Ordeal members are working on Brotherhood and the new candidates are being encouraged to attend the Ordeal. All our Arrowmen are attending summer camp with their units, working, or working as staff at one of the Golden Empire Council summer camps.

August will pickup again with continued planning for the W3 Conclave at Two Rock in September and River days in October. We also look forward to hosting the September 9th Lodge Meeting at Live Oak. "see map below"

Everyone have a safe summer and come back rejuvenated this fall.

Yours in Brotherhood, Carl Brazee

Miwok

Miwok chapter has been busy. We had ten members at the Pahatsi Ordeal and four of them received their brotherhood. Congratulation to F. Jennings, M. Jennings, J. Galli and P. Burton. Great job guys!! It was one of the best run Ordeals that I have been to. We now have nine new members that went through their Ordeal that weekend, so for you new members get busy with the chapter and lets have some fun. Speaking of fun. The chapter is planning a full day of fellowship, food and fun on Aug. 5, 2000. We will be learning more about how our Chapter and Lodge run, and having lunch. We will then have the rest of the afternoon to swim, play volleyball or horseshoes (for the elder members), ALL MEM-BERS of Miwok Chapter are invited. We will start at 8:00 am and can go on until dark. If you are considering a chapter office for next year or have one now, it is strongly recommended that you attend. This should be a great day!! A mailer will be sent to all members of the chapter shortly. I hope that you all are having a great summer at camp or vacation, but don't forget that there is still a little work to be done.

Yours in Brotherhood, Richard Bright Miwok Chapter Chief

Curahee

I want to take this opportunity to welcome all new Ordeal members to our chapter. Summer as usual is always slow, but as summer ends we need all new and old members to attend our chapter meetings. We meet on the third Thursday of each month. (7:00 p.m. at the Alamo LDS Church at Buck Street)

We are looking forward for a report from our new chief, Chris Williams, and Eric Criswell on their trip to NOAC this summer. Let us all welcome them home at our meeting in August.

I hope that by the time this newsletter is received, all members of the chapter will have registered for Conclave, and we will be arranging rides at the August meeting. In addition, at the August meeting we will be working on the Arrow of Light ceremony, and starting to work on next years Ordeal ceremony team.

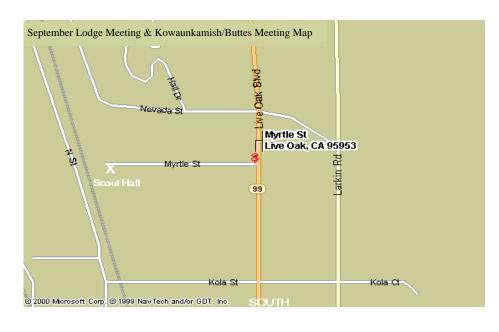
We want to especially invite all chapter members, both old and new, to our meeting in August. We are planning a special activity night. Make a note on your calendars for August 17 to be a fun night.

Yours in Brotherhood, Ian Hongola Curahee Chapter Chief

WHAT CAN MY CHAPTER DO TO ADD INDIAN LORE TO OUR PROGRAM?

One simple idea is to have everyone make a choker. The cost would be about \$5.00. Wearing the chokers to chapter meetings would get everyone together. Now you ask, how do we get the materials? Local hobby shops might have the materials, but Cliff Paulsen (an Indian hobbyists) sells the materials by mail order. Call him, he's an Order of the Arrow member. His business is called:

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A WELCOME TO ALL NEW ARROW MEN From The Lodge Advisor

I would like to extend an Arrow mans welcome to all the new members who passed through their ordeal in the last 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 every thing we do and the people we meet every day. Service is putting into action the Scout Oath and law. This is why we were chosen by members of our troops and units, nonmembers, people who saw in us something special and 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 Arrow men step forward and get involved, Plan to earn your brotherhood honor at the next ordeals, be an Elangomat and help a candidate pass their ordeal, work on your chapters Camporee staff, start an arrow of light or ceremony team, you are only limited by your own imagination and effort to start today. I cannot THANK enough all the arrow men who gave so much of their time, effort, personal finances and in sometimes extreme patience to serve our council camps ordeals and help have them ready for all the scouts who will enjoy life long memories from their experiences attending Great camps and programs offered this year in the Golden Empire Council a Special Thanks go out to ordeal master Luis Weger and Advisers Ron Cowan and Carl Brazee along with Gordon Cornell and Erin Cowan (Ron's daughter) in the kitchen at the G.T.S.R. ordeal. Ordeal master Will Usher and Adviser Gerry Albright along with Dave Canady,

Craig Love, Mike Gaffney, Jonathan Trachy, and myself (when not talking) in the kitchen at Pahatsi. Ordeal master Ian Anderson and Adviser Bob Moneymaker along with Team Frutchey in the kitchen, Ed, Don Mahlke, Bill Albin, Gary Manning, Alan Glen, and Dave Waybright at the Winton ordeal. At the Lassen ordeal thanks go to Ordeal masters Randy Wells, John Denton and Adviser Dave Denton along with Al Vitzhum, Tom Wilkerson, Ross Wilkerson and Jonathan Trachy in the chase you own meals except for that kitchen. We also need to THANK Nancy (The Admiral) Holzhey for bringing and running the Trading Post at all the Ordeals. Also behind the scenes in a big way was Mr. Bill Rogers working on and printing all the new member hand books. This year our camps went way out of their way for our ordeals by paying the cost of food for everyone attending and working at ordeals. Please THANK camp directors, Darrell Winn, Randy Aspinall, Mike Williamson and Eric Hearn when you see them. Something VERY SPECIAL is our new Lodge WEB page. Thanks to Mike Gaffney's trillion hours of work. Check this baby out especially the NEW MEMBER section, its almost do the puzzle and earn BROTHERHOOD. MIKES THE MAN!!! On a final note the Section Conclave is fast approaching don't put off preparing your chapter for events and having every member attend. Member registration counts towards keeping the Bald Eagle in our lodge.

As always in Cheerful Service and Serious party, Larry Frith Lodge Advisor

THE NOAC ADVENTURE

On July 27th several representatives of the Lodge will be boarding an airplane at Sacramento International Airport for the long flight to Knoxville, Tennessee, host city for NOAC 2000. The event will occur from July 29 to August 3, 2000, at the University of Tennessee. This week will be filled with learning, competitions, entertainment OA-style, and lots of fun! Attendees should return with lots of new ideas about implementing the new, revised program adopted by the Order of the Arrow nationally, and lots of ideas about how to train

our members.

For those who were lucky enough to get a slot on the Lodge Contingent I have a few last minute reminders. You must be at the United Ticket Counter no later than 9:30 PM and have your picture ID available to get on the flight. Remember, travel dress is in full Class A Boy Scout Uniform. And don't forget your spending money. You are responsible to purtime when you are at the NOAC event. This means breakfast, lunch, and dinner on July 28th, breakfast and lunch on July 29th, and lunch and dinner on August 3rd.

We will be staying in Knoxville the night of July 28th at the Radisson Summit Hill Hotel. The phone number is (865) 522-2600. The hotel is within walking distance of the Trade-O-Ree that occurs just in advance of each NOAC. This is a super patch trading event which you will certainly want to experience. The next morning we will be traveling over to the University of Tennessee for registration. The University is located right on the Tennessee River in the heart of Knoxville.

You will be transported from place to place in a van rented by the Lodge. It will be necessary to transport in small groups so you will be expected to conduct yourselves as Scouts at all times. You should prepare for warm temperatures, high humidity, and occasional thundershowers. Lows will probably be in the 60's.

No electronic devices are permitted at NOAC. This includes games, radios, CD-players, and other related equipment. Also no drugs, tobacco products, alcohol, pornography, or other unlawful substances. This can earn you a fast trip home, and all of the Advisers do not want to see this happen. Let's make this a fun event!

Bob Nelson Lodge Contingent Leader Deputy Lodge Adviser

Lodge Chief

Let me first extend my welcome to all of you that are new Ordeal members. You should feel honored to have been chosen by your fellow Scouts for a high calling of service to others. By completing the Ordeal, you have taken that first step in what I hope will be a lifelong dedication to service through the Order of the Arrow.

Get involved now! The best way to do this is through active attendance at the local chapter level. And when you desire more, ask you Chapter Chief or Advisor about positions on the Lodge level. One of you will someday be the Lodge Chief.

Finally, make sure you attend this year's Fall Fellowship, to be held October 15-17 at Fallon Naval Air Station. Besides being great opportunities to get a first hand look at Naval Aviation, you'll get the once-a-year opportunity to get to know our lodge. I got to meet some of you at the Ordeals, and I look forward to meeting ALL of you at the Fellowship! Should you have any questions, feel free to send me an e-mail at Imccrary@usa.net.

At the next lodge meeting on September 9, we continue planning for our Fall Fellowship and the Lodge Dinner, and conduct final preparation for the Section Conclave. Should you desire to serve on any program committee, please don't hesitate to contact me by e-mail at lmccrary@usa.net. The 28th of July through the 3rd of August our lodge contingent will attend the National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) at the University of Knoxville in Tennessee. I'm looking forward to learning about what other lodges are doing, and finding out how we can improve our own lodge. If you're not attending, it's never too early to mark your calendar for the next NOAC, held in the summer of 2002.

Hoping you're having a great summer, I am Yours in brotherhood, Lewis E. McCrary Lodge Chief

Communications

For those new members I would like to welcome you in to the order. From the ordeals that I attend I was most impressed with the amount of cheerful service being expressed.

My Newsletter staff is growing quite will I still need one more person if you would like to have a position in the Newsletter staff please contact. For those going to NOAC I wish you a safe trip and a wonderful time. For those competing the most of luck to you. I want you in put on the newsletter because this newsletter represents the lodge not the staff that puts it together. Finally those of you that turn in articles thank you, those that didn't please make sure that you do.

Yours in Brotherhood, Jonathan Trachy Publications Director/Editor

Inductions

I'm glad to say that all the ordeals went very well, I'm sure with all the new members the future of the lodge will be great. for those who still have candidates in your troop who haven't gone to an ordeal yet need to do so at the October ordeal. for all the new members I welcome you and advise you start working on your brotherhood so you will be ready in 10 months.

Yours in brotherhood, Ryan Starr Vice Chief of Inductions

Camping & Vigil Selection

Hello brothers, I would like to congratulate all the new members who just went through ordeals. We hope you all will get involved in your chapters and also the lodge. I would also like to thank all the people who took time out of their busy lives to help with the vigil committee selection. The meeting was a success and the recipients will be announced in the upcoming months. In order to

help retain possession of the Bald Eagle this coming conclave, the camping committee needs to do its part in the competitions. The only way this can happen is if we get more people to join the camping committee and help with the cause. We are also looking for a dedicated few OA members to take photos of the different camps and activities coming up. The camp promotion booth is ready to be loaned out to people who are interested For information on how to get on the camping committee, to become the camping committee's photographer, or to rent out the camp promotions booth, e-mail me at mecki mania@hotmail.com or call me at (916) 965-9461.

Yours in Brotherhood, Sean Gaffney Vice Chief of Camping Vigil Chairman

Indian Lore

One simple but important point to remember about Indian Outfitting is using the words "Outfit or Regalia". We in scouting tend to say "costume", but to the American Indian this is a belittling term. People wear costumes at Halloween, but the outfit worn at a Pow Wow is a set of clothing that is a part of their culture. It would be similar to calling a scout in uniform, "a scout in costume." This may seem like a small thing to worry about, but we are invading another culture, we need to take small steps. Look on page #3 of this news letter for the article on "add Indian Lore to Our Program"

Yours in Brotherhood, Brian Wilkinson Indian Lore Vice-Chief

Winton Ordeal

In my opinion, the ordeal was a success at Winton. We had 88 Scouts sealing their membership in the Order of the Arrow and 7 Members sealing their membership as Brotherhood members. Running this event was Ian Anderson, Ordeal Master and Kodo Noko Woli Chapter Chief, Tony Mastrogiovanni, Assistant Ordeal Master and Kodo Noko Woli Chapter Vice Chief of Program, Bob Moneymaker, Co-Ordeal Advisor and Kodo Noko Woli Chapter Advisor, and Bill Rogers, Co-Ordeal Advisor and Curahee Chapter Advisor. Special thanks go out to Ryan Starr, Lodge Vice Chief of Inductions, Nancy Holzhey, Lodge Trading Post, Marilyn Elmer, Ta Tanka Ska Chapter Advisor, Michael Perry, Ta Tanka Ska Chapter Chief, Ray Grant, Acting Cha Pa Di Chapter Advisor, Larry Frith, Lodge Advisor, Eric Allred, Lodge Staff Advisor, Jeffrey Aguero, Ordeal Administrative Assistant, Ed Frutchey, Bill Aubin, and the rest of the wonderful cooking staff, and all of the terrific Camp Winton staff for their hard work and patience putting up with us. I also want to thank all those I forgot to mention but are just as important.

In opinion to the camp, we had a blast. The camp was nice and organized when I arrived, and there were plenty of works projects to go around. The cabins were comfortable. As far as weather goes, perfect. We had sunshine all weekend and not a sign of rain or snow. In closing, I have to say the food was wonderful, as always, and I had fun. I'm looking forward to attending next year.

Tony "FIAT" Mastrogiovanni Assistant Publications Director/Editor

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.) Serve your chapter and Lodge by doing
- 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 Secretary. 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.)

Vigil Honor



The Vigil Honor is the highest Honor that the Order of the Arrow can present its members for service to the Lodge and council. It is a high mark of distinction and recognition reserved for those Arrowmen who have given exceptional service, helping others beyond the call of duty involving personal effort and unselfish interest to one or more of the following: The Lodge, the Order of the Arrow, Scouting, or a Scout Camp. After two years as a brotherhood member, selection by the Lodge's Vigil Selection Committee, and approval of the National Order of the Arrow Committee, a Scout or Scouter may be recognized with the Vigil Honor.

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different culture there since we will have people from Nevada and Hawaii attending the Tri-Clave as well. This will be a wonderful experience for all of us and I encourage you to go, for over 800 arrowmen will be attending. So sign up today, if you haven't already, and let your adventure begin. You can download the forms at http://w3conclave.scouter.org/Registration/registration.html

John Denton Northern Bureau

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 it 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.

Troop/Team Representative

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.

Troop/Team Representative

Long years ago, the Lenni Lenape Tribe of the Delaware Indians inhab-

Long years ago, the Lenni Lenape Thibe of the Delaware Indians inhabited the Delaware River Valley. Their villages were numerous and powerful; their hunting parties strong. They were a peaceful people, never warring with other tribes unless first attacked.

Many moons they lived in this blissful state of happy contentment. 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 Delawares 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 <u>Brotherhood</u> 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 <u>recommended for membership by their associates</u>. 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 <u>Brotherhood of Cheerful Service</u>, which being translated into the language of the Delaware Indians, becomes <u>Wimachtendienk</u>, <u>Wingolauchsik</u>, <u>Witahemui</u>.

*The underlining is to help the new members to find the most important parts of the Legend

Section/National Events

Section Conclave

Our Lodge is one of several lodges (from Fresno to Redding) in Section W3B. The Section is responsible for coordinating the lodges in the area and helping them better serve the council they represent. Each year these lodges get together for a weekend of training and fun. There are competitions in ceremonies, lodge administration, sports events, and a great show. It is a time to show the other lodges in the Section what Amangi Nacha has to offer. It also gives us a chance to see what other lodges are doing. Everyone is encouraged to attend. It is always held in September.

National Order of the Arrow Conference

NOAC is held every two years at a major university somewhere in the United States. This is one of the most inspiring and valuable adventures in an Arrowmen's Scouting Experience. These conferences are to the Order of the Arrow what Jamboree is to Scouting. They also serve as the training ground for those who aspire to top leadership positions in the Lodge.



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