



AMANGI NACHA LODGE

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# Council of Chiefs

March 11, 2023

10:00 AM

Live Oak Scout Cabin



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# Pledge



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# The 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 the 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.



# Chapter Reports

- Achach
- Aihamuk
- Cha-pa-di
- Histum Yani
- Nisenan
- Teleeka Liwa
- Wintun



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# Chapter Reports

# Achach

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# Achach Chapter Report

3/2/23 was last meeting  
3 scouts and 4 adults  
Planning for camporee  
Inductions!  
About 75% Scheduled  
20% completed  
12 elected so far



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# Chapter Reports

# Cha-Pa-Di

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# Cha-Pa-Di Chapter Report

- March attendance: 13 youth, 6 adults
- Camporee & Call Out set for April 21-23 at Sly Park
- 14 Scouts elected to join the OA and 4 visitations scheduled thus far



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# Histum Yani

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# Histum Yani Chapter Report

- Had one OA election
- Planning some meetings
- Planning more troop visitations

Sorry I can't be there -Liam



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# Nisenan

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# Nisenan Chapter Report

- March 18 - Donner Pass Train Tunnel Hike
- Unit Visitations - 2 Completed
- Working with District on Camporee
- Calendar (mostly) done through July



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# Chapter Reports

# Teleeka Liwa

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# Teleeka Liwa Chapter Report

- Dues paid for 2023: 63
- Last Chapter Meeting: February 24th
- Planning for camporee is underway
  - Theme is “Beach Time” - name is work in progress
  - Patch has been created and is being rendered by patch company



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# Teleeka Liwa Chapter Report



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# Chapter Reports

# Wintun

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# Wintun Chapter Report

- Last Chapter Meeting: 3/1/2023
  - Attendance: 3 adults, 3 youth
- Had our First District Event of the year, Klondike
  - Relocated and Switched to 1-day event
  - Attendance: 19 adults, 40 youth, 3 webelos



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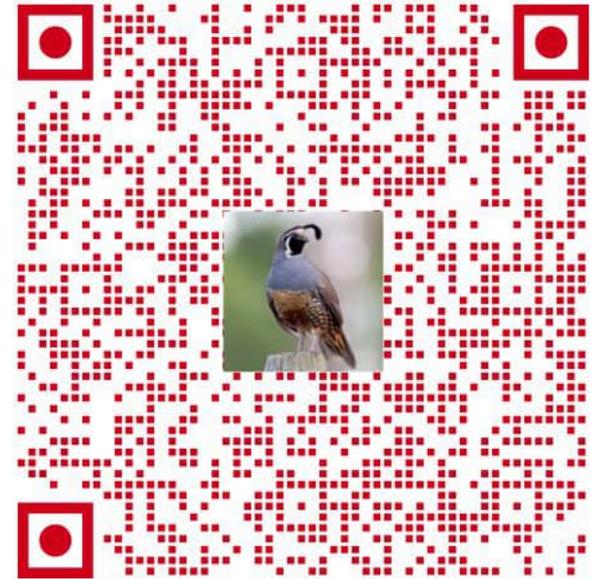
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# Vice Chief Reports Lodge Secretary

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# Communication Report

- Chapter and Lodge emails
- Se-Kaw-kee Squawks Newsletter
  - Fill out the Google forms
- Join the Slack!



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# Lodge Website: LET ME KNOW

- Details on Chapter meetings and on Chapter Board member
- Upcoming events
- Area documents



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# Membership Report

- 66 Ordeal Candidates elected so far this year
- 57 Elected Candidates from the past year have not gone through their ordeals
- Make sure to have all your elections finalized before callouts
- Brotherhood ceremonies will be held at Winter Fellowship



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# 2023 Dues

## Pay your dues!

- 234 members have paid their dues
- Push for current members to pay their dues during visitations



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# Registration

- Summer Camp registration open
- Council Dinner- TONIGHT!
- Registration for Winter Fellowship is open now through March 22
- Please push registration during unit visitation



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# Calendar

- Lodge Calendar is now available!
- Chapters make sure to have your events and meetings updated



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# Vice Chief Reports Inductions

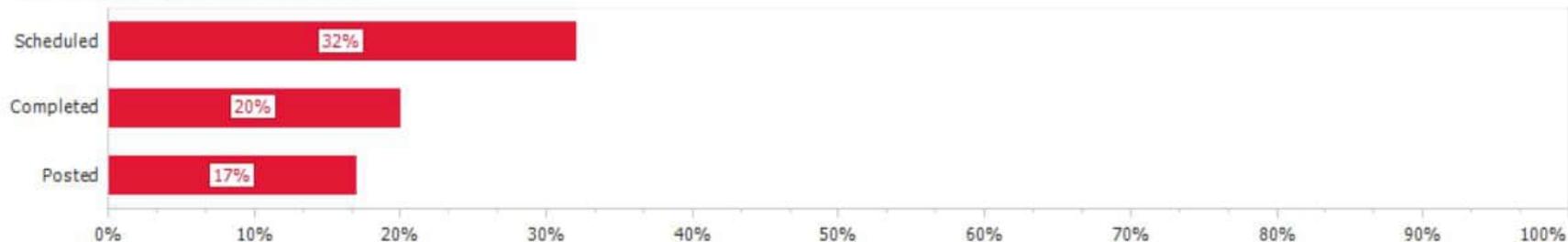
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# Inductions Report



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## Visit Completion Status



- Elections end April 30th



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# Election Updates

- 119 Elections Not Scheduled
- 26 Elections Scheduled
- 11 Declined
- 17 Elections Approved
- Total Youth Elected - 55



# Induction Dates

- May 12-14 2023 (Lasson)
- June 9-11 2023 (Winton)
- August 18-20 2023 (Winton)
- Registration for all three weekends are up



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# Induction Assignments

Teleeka Liwa	Histum Yani	Wintun	Achach	Cha-Pa- Di	Nisenan	Aihamuk
Ordeal		Task	Task	Ordeal	Ordeal	Task
Lassen	Lassen	Lassen	Winton	Winton	Winton 2	Winton 2



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# Vice Chief Reports Program

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# Program Report

- Winter Fellowship Registration Now Live!
  - Head to the Golden Empire Website
  - Registration Closes March 22nd
  - From 24th-26th
  - Today Menu, Packing List and Leader's Guide will be sent out so check your emails!



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# Program Report

- We need Staff! Email at [program@amaginacha.org](mailto:program@amaginacha.org) or fill out form below
- If you would like to help out we need
  - Range Masters & Helpers



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# Vice Chief Reports Ceremonies

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# Ceremony Report

- Winter Fellowship Ceremony
- Pre-ordeal and Ordeal Teams Getting set
- Ceremonialists needed for Pre-Ordeal competition ceremony
- We have 2 people so far that are able to do it
  - Tessa as Kitchkinet and Me as Meteu
- Final checks for fellowship
- Be there to get Brotherhood



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# Vice Chief Reports Camping

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# Camping Report

- Summer Camp registration open- encourage your unit to register for 2023 summer camp!
- Winter Fellowship March 24th - 26th
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- Don't forget to send your unit's favorite camping and hiking spots to [camping@amanginacha.org](mailto:camping@amanginacha.org) !



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# Vice Chief Reports Finance

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# Finance Report

- After sending out the new reports, we have had no new chapters respond with their budgets. If you have not seen the email, or sent me a budget but are on the list below. Please come meet with me after the coc to get an updated email.
- Chapters that i have not gotten a response from include ,Cha-Pa-Di, Wintun,Histum Yani, Teleeka Liwa, and Nisenan.



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# Vice Chief Reports Conclave

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# Conclave Report

- Greek Mythology!
- Welcome to the Greek Agora!
- Packed streets, competing vendors, great prices!
- Need a new sash, come get one at the greek agora! Want more patches, come get some at the greek agora!



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# Vice Chief Reports Training

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# Training Report



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# Vice Chief Reports

## AIA

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# AIA Report

- Still working with Mr. Thompson to get a plan for the year worked out.
- If you have any ideas or suggestions, you can ask me through the #dance\_drum Slack channel, my Slack - Eric - or my email, training@amanginacha.org
- I've also found this website called powwow.com and you can search for Pow Wows in your area.



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# Vice Chief Reports

# NOAC

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# NOAC 2024!



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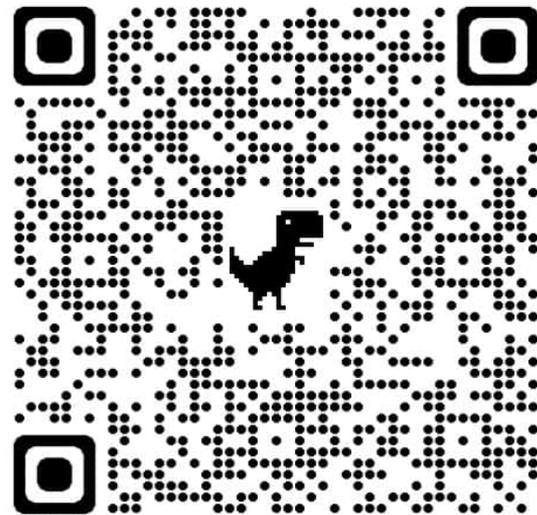


**Interested in NOAC 2024?**

**Or just want to receive the latest NOAC news?**

**Fill out an Interest Survey using the QR Code!**

**Registration is now Live!**



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# Vigil Chief Report

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# Vigil Report

Vigil Candidates will be announced at Winter Fellowship!  
Vigil Weekend will follow quickly after, and more specific details will be given to Candidates after their Call Out!



*Vigil*

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# Lodge Chief Report

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# Lodge Chief Report

- Start inputting your meetings into Lodgemaster!!
- Stop acting alone, we're a team, ask each other questions or for support!
- Continue promoting events!
- Conclave registration is going live March 13th
  - How best to advertise?



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# Bylaws Revision Proposal

*Option Analysis and Recommendation for COC*

Matthew Kantola & Evan Schilling-Okinaka

3/11/2023



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## **Background**

- State the Issues - Bylaws are no longer fully reflective of current lodge practices and have not be looked at in a few years
- State the Impact - Causes parts to be out of date

## **Problem Statement**

- What is the Problem Statement- Bylaws currently to not reflect fully how the lodge is operating and not aligned with the national standards

# Recommendations & Endorsement

1. Changes to Article 5 (V) regarding the removal of Lodge Officers.
  - a. Mostly a reshuffling to clarify contradictions within the section.

[Proposed Bylaws](#)

# Recommendations & Endorsement

1. Changes to Article 7 (VII) regarding the Lodge Executive Council and Article 8 (VIII) regarding the Lodge Council of Chiefs.
  - a. Changes Include:
    - i. A merge of Articles 7 (VII) and 8 (VIII) to have one governing body to be known as the Lodge Executive Committee
      1. Standardized with the rest of the Order of the Arrow

# Recommendations & Endorsement

- i. Changes to Articles 2 (II), 4 (IV), 5 (V), 7 (VII), 8 (VIII), 9 (IX), 10 (X), 11 (XI), 12 (XII), 13 (XIII)
  1. Changes Include:
    - a. Renaming of both the Lodge Executive Council and the Council of Chiefs throughout Articles 2 (II) through Articles 13 (XIII) to the Lodge Executive Committee to reflect the newly merged Lodge legislative body and changes to Order of the Arrow Terminology.
    - b. The Removal of Article 7 (VII) regarding the Lodge Executive Council
    - c. The Renaming of Articles 8 (VIII) through 13 (XIII) to reflect their new order following the aforementioned removal of Article 7 (VII).

# Recommendations & Endorsement

3. Changes to Article 10 (X) regarding the Trading Post
  - a. Changes Include:
    - i. Removal of the Lodge Vice Chief of Trading post, who is never mentioned anywhere else in the By-Laws
4. Changes to Article 11 (XI) regarding Lodge Publication
  - a. Changes include:
    - i. A re-ordering of clauses to improve clarification and understanding.



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# Lodge Announcements

# April Council of Chiefs

Who - YOU!

What - April Council of Chiefs

When - April 2nd

Where - Woodland Scout Cabin

How - Watch your email for the details to be  
announced



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# Upcoming Events

- Conclave registration - March 13th
- Winter Fellowship - March 24th - 26th  
(registration closed March 22nd)
- Cub-O-Ree - April 14th - 15th



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# Operation Arrow 2023

Operation Arrow is an opportunity to experience the 2023 National Jamboree while providing service with your fellow Arrowmen.

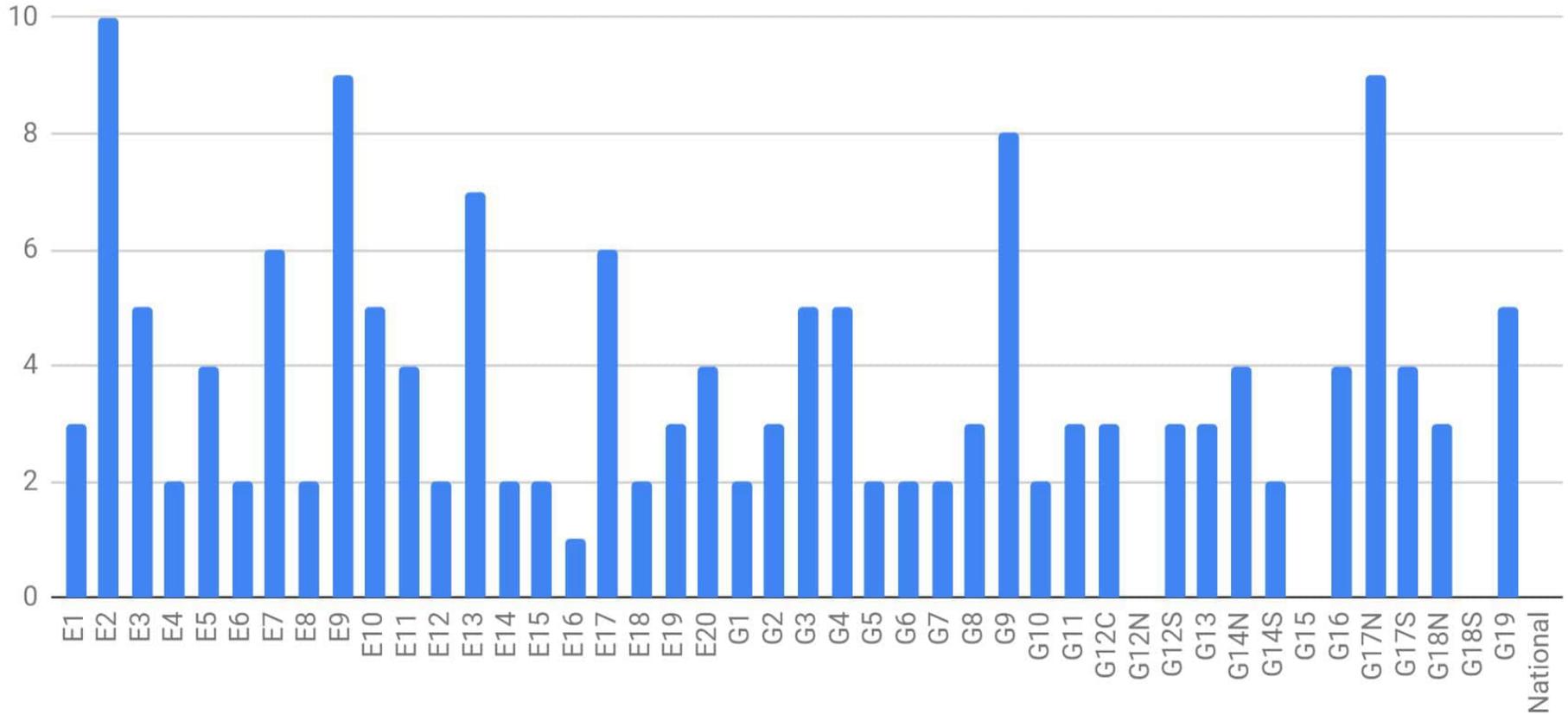
The Jamboree will take place July 19-28, 2023 at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia. Arrowmen must be 16+ by 7/19/23.



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# Operation Arrow 2023



# Lodge Vision

In 2023 we want to see more people at visitations, induction weekends, and events, and an increase in engagement from current members as we work to improve the program of our Lodge. To do this, we would like to update our communication portals and increase the number of activities and events at the Lodge level.



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# New Business?

# New Location?

Camp Winton might have too much snow for the June Ordeal. Any suggestions for where to go instead?



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# Lodge Adviser's Minute

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# Song

Firm bound in Brotherhood...

