



THE LEGEND



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NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF SCOUT HONOR CAMPERS
EASTERN ARK. AREA COUNCIL • BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Our Lodge's Annual Business meeting was held on February 24 at the Carl R. Reng Center on the A.S.U. campus near Jonesboro. The group was called to order by Lodge Chief Andy McCracken at 10:00.

The first order of business was a report on the upcoming O.A. National Conference at the University of California at Santa Barbara. The conference will be Aug. 21-24. Our lodge will be represented by the four lodge officers and an adviser. At 10:30, an explanation of unit el-

ections was given by Jim Binkley. At 11:20 George Crook gave a report on the Spirit of the Arrow program. A short description of the area training conference was then given by Dean Massey. Afterward, the nominating committee presented its suggested slate of officers. It was moved that we wait until after lunch to elect officers so everyone would have a chance to talk to the candidates. The meeting was adjourned for the morning at 12:00.

Everyone then went to the State Room for the twenty-fifth anniversary banquet. After the meal, the lodge was addressed by our Scout Executive Ken Ackee. Harry Dunavant then presented Lodge Chief Andy McCracken with a plaque in recognition of his outstanding work for the past year.

The Vigil Committee met at 1:40 to elect this year's Vigils. At 2:30 everyone gathered for a general session. New lodge officers were elected at this time. The new slate of officers are: Chief, Dean Massey; 1st Vice-Chief, Danny Martin; 2nd Vice-Chief, Alan Ainley; Secretary, George Mitchell. After the election, ideas for our twenty-sixth anniversary were presented. At 3:00 separate chapter meetings were held. Each chapter elected its new slate of officers and talked about unit elections.

At 3:45 Dean Massey led the group in the obligation of our order which concluded the meeting.

OFFICERS' TRAINING SESSION

The annual new officer's training session was held on March 18, 1973 at the Scout office in Jonesboro. The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m.

Jack Roy began discussion on election procedures. He had two election forms that were incorrect. The Chapter officers were asked how these forms were incorrect and how they could be corrected. The executive committee agreed to return the incorrect forms to the appropriate chapter chief of secretary so the troop election could be properly held.

The executive committee decided to have six hundred 25th anniversary lodge mugs ordered. The mugs will have the old lodge shield on one side and the new flap on the other. There will be a limit of one per person at camp.

The committee was then reminded of the Area Training Conference. Steve Heaton and Steve Cole will assist Dean Massey on our lodg'e discussion group, "The New Scouting Program" at the conference. Roy Carden then explained the Indian lore workshop that he will set up at the training conference. Some areas re will possibly cover are demonstration dancing, several types of costumes, working projects, handi craft items, Indian games, different types

of featherwork such as headdresses, mandans, double trailers, and bustles. The lodge costumes will also be taken to the training conference.

The specific needs of the chapters and the money that each will be allocated was discussed. Jack discussed the various responsibilities of each chapter officer. At 4:00 the meeting was adjourned.

O. A. CALENDAR

APRIL

27, 28, 29 Area Training Conference at Camp Orr.

JUNE

2 Service Day at Pine Trail
8 Senior Staff reports to camp
10 Junior Staff reports to camp
17 Camp opens
20, 27 Ordeal and Brotherhood Ceremonies.

JULY

4, 11, 18, 25 Ordeal and Brotherhood Ceremonies.
(Special Note) These both on Wednesday night.
28 Camp closes.

NOVEMBER

10 Fall fellowship

O. A. BULLETIN

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AREA TRAINING CONFERENCE

For those of you who have registered for and are planning on going to Camp Orr, here is some general information. Camp Orr is located seven miles west of Jaspur, Ark. on highway seventy-four. The camp itself is on the Buffalo River. Your \$7.50 has already been paid to West-ark Council. Your fee includes meals, a patch, and a mug. Tents will be assigned when you get there. You need to bring your own bedding. Everyone will get a meal when they arrive. You'll leave after the noon meal on Sunday. **Scout uniform and sashes should be worn at all times if you have them.** There will be six sessions. You will be expected to attend five in order to purchase more patches.

SEE YOU THERE.

LEGENDS SCHEDULED

Our lodge bulletin can serve a more useful purpose than it has in the past. We are starting a new program in which we will try to make the bulletin more informative. In order to carry out this program, the chapter secretary will need to send any information that could possibly be helpful to the lodge secretary in care of the council office. Information such as scheduled meetings or reports of activities will be helpful. In addition, any individual having information he feels needs to be published is encouraged to do so in the same manner as the chapter secretary. We are setting up news publication deadline dates and publication dates for the benefit of the chapters. These are:

News Deadline	Publication Date
August 4	August 20
October 20	November 5
December 31	January 14
March 16	April 1

SERVICE DAY

The Service Day is to be held on June 2, at Pine Trail Reservation. We hope to have a big turnout.

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FROM THE CHIEF ELECT

I feel very honored and happy at being elected your lodge chief. But yet, I now realize that I should not regard the office as an honor but as a challenge. Too often, Arrowmen do not regard their lodge and chapter offices as working positions, and as a result the lodge suffers. The responsibilities of lodge and chapter officers to the lodge once performed, can bring about new and bigger things to our lodge. Let us rededicate ourselves to the true purposes of the order in this our twenty-fifth year.

The accomplishments of the last twenty-five years are great, but let's make sure that the accomplishments of the next twenty-five are even greater.

Yours in Brotherhood
Dean Massey

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