



# THE LEGEND



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

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### BANQUET SET FOR JANUARY 11

Attention all Arrowmen — Do you want an evening of laughter, re-acquaintance with old friends, and at the same time, a chance to show your family what the OA is all about? Then have we got the thing for you! The 4th annual Lodge Banquet is just around the corner and with it comes all of the pomp and prestige of the Order rolled into one fantastic evening of delicious dining and exotic entertainment. The date for the Banquet is January 11, so mark it on your calendar and bring your family and friends to the highlight of the year!!

The Banquet will be at the Carl R. Reng Center on the Arkansas State University Campus in Jonesboro. Dining will begin at 6:30, with the opening ceremonies beginning around 7:15. Just before and during the dining time, a reception area will be available, filled with displays on the OA and many items of interest.

On the agenda for later that evening are many special and unique events. Our new Scout Executive, Mr. Tom Kerschner, will be our Key-note speaker and address the lodge on his plans for the coming years. An awards presentation will also take place during which almost every active arrowman will be awarded for their service. Some of the Awards are: Arrowman of the Year in both adult and youth categories, the Silver Arrow award, the Camp Ranger award, Hall of Fame inductions, and awards for elangomats. Finally, the recipient of the "Chapter of the Year" competition will be announced.

One feature that no one will want to miss is the Audio-Visual Extravaganza put on by Lodge 2nd Vice Scott Perry and our Photographic Genius, Wayne Grommet. The presentation includes slides from all the activities over the year, as well as a few from years past. This is an excellent opportunity for non-OA members to get an idea on what our Order is about. So, be sure to invite your parents, relatives, girlfriends, and anyone who is interested in our Scouting and OA programs.



"Uh Jane, would you care to go with me to a wonderful evening of exotic entertainment?"

"Why doc, I'd love to go to the 4th Annual Lodge Banquet with you!!"

The cost of the banquet is \$10 per person. This covers the meal, the show, and many extras not mentioned. Dress for the evening should be complete scout uniforming or Coat and Tie. If you have any problems, or questions, feel free to contact any of the Lodge officers or the Scout office. Tickets are available from Lodge Officers and Advisors or through the council office. Enclosed is a flyer containing all of the information for the banquet, along with an order form.

As said before, the banquet is a great time to meet everyone from the Lodge and take recognition for your hard work. Much planning has already gone into this year's banquet and we hope you will make every effort to attend. *Don't put off until tomorrow what you can do today.* Order your tickets and secure a place for the Highlight of the year. See **YOU** on January 11th at the Banquet!!

## FALL FELLOWSHIP HUGE SUCCESS

The 26th Annual Fall Fellowship weekend was a terrific success, and fell short by just 3 members of breaking the 1988 attendance record of 142. However, the fun and good times were second to none as Lodge 413 put on a weekend to rival any of the past.

Opening Friday night was packed with entertainment and fun. One of the featured highlights was "Grab Bags," filled with anything from old patches to expensive council strips. Also, for arrowmen arriving early, there were movies shown which proved to a big hit.

Afterwards, the opening ceremonies kicked in, followed by sessions ranging from "History through Patches" to Camp promotion. A special thanks goes out to Carl Henderson and Scott Clemens for their help in this session. Later that afternoon, the Indian Pow-Wow began. All six chapters were represented as the competition grew extremely fierce. However, it was Dixie Chapter that pulled out the victor, winning a majority of the awards in both individual and group dancing.

The winners and their places are as follows: In Grass Dance, Robbie Norman-1st, John Travis-2nd and Robbie Harris-3rd. In Fancy Dance, Michael Jackson-1st and Dustin Gordon-2nd. In Old Style, Jason Skinner-1st, Nathan Reyna-2nd and Bobby Kelly-3rd. In Strait Dance, Brian Rone-1st, Kevin Simpson-2nd and David Cadenbach-3rd.

Following the Pow-Wow was the 2nd Annual Lodge Lip-Sync in which L'anguille chapter won out with Sam Danehower and Mike Nicholson's rendition of the Ghetto Boy rap song. After the Lip-Sync, a basketball competition took place in which Shawnee chapter duked it out with Mississippi to eventually win the honors.

As night fell, our gourmet cooks once again put the finishing touches on a great day by fixing a turkey feast with all the trimmings. After dinner, the lodge was ushered into the auditorium for the **BIG SHOW**. But, before the show began, Dixie Chapter was announced as the winner of the attendance contest and was ushered into the front row seating with refreshments in hand. "The Spirit Continues," which was written and directed by Scott Perry was truly marvelous as it depicted a common lodge with not so common problems. Through the use of brilliant acting and drama, a message was delivered to the audience stressing hard work and service as the true qualities of the Order.

Sunday Morning opened with the unveiling of the 1992 slate of Lodge officers. This slate consists of: Chief-Daniel Kueter, 1st Vice-Scott Perry, 2nd Vice-Sam Danehower, and Secretary-Steve Perry. After the ratification of the slate, the chapters split up and elected their individual officers. The results of this election will be printed in the next issue of The Legend. After this and the awards ceremony, the lodge closed with the singing of the OA song and the extinguishing of the Lodge Spirit candle by Daniel Kueter. As fellowship ended, arrowmen cherished thoughts of a great weekend and vowed next year to shatter all of the records.

## LODGE AND CHAPTER OFFICERS TRAINED

52 years ago, December 7 marked the date of the Japanese invasion of Pearl Harbor. This year, December 7 marked the date of our annual Officer Training Meeting. Although Pearl Harbor was more crucial to the history of our country, Officer Training was more important to the future of our lodge.

The meeting was put on by the Lodge Officers to train the upcoming Chapter officers for their tough job. The meeting was held at the Wynne Church of Christ from 9am to 4pm. The chapter officers were put through 7 grueling hours of mind boggling education. Along with taking notes, the officers were presented with an OA phone book typed by Steve Perry and countless other hand-outs designed to enrich the Chapters this year. By sacrificing a precious Saturday afternoon, they ensured a great program for their term in office. If you think this sounds hard, you're right. However, the '92-'93 officers are tough enough to take the worst and strong enough to be the best!

## 77 YEARS OF BROTHERHOOD, CHEERFULNESS, AND SERVICE

One of the greatest experiences an arrowman can ever have is attending a National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC). NOAC is a gathering of Arrowmen from all over the nation. It features a wide variety of sessions, seminars, displays, pow-wows, shows, and much, much more! The 1992 NOAC will be held at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville from August 9-13. In addition to attending the week-long cavalcade of fun and excitement, our lodge contingent is planning several side-trips on the way to the conference which are guaranteed to bring lasting memories. The whole package will be a great adventure and should prove to be the highlight of an Arrowman's career. If you are interested in attending the NOAC, talk to a lodge officer or advisor. If you are not interested, talk to a psychiatrist about your sudden bout of insanity. More information should be available at the banquet or as it is made available to the contingent leader.



"All aboard for the NOAC Express! Headed for Knoxville in 1992!"

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Lodge Banquet.....	January 11
Winter Camp.....	December 20-22
5th Shawnee	
Chapter Pow-Wow.....	February 28, 29, March 1
Elangomat Training.....	March 7
Principle Try-Outs.....	March 7
Conclave.....	April 24-26
Work Weekend.....	May 1-3
Ordeal.....	May 29-31
N.O.A.C.....	August 9-13

## SUMMER CAMP STAFF IN DEMAND AT CAMP CEDAR VALLEY

Even though winter is just now on us, the time is rapidly approaching for the hiring of staff members for this year's summer camp at Cedar Valley. Serving on staff at CV can be one of the greatest experiences a person can have in a lifetime. It is an excellent opportunity to help younger Scouts grow and have fun in the process. Each year, we say good-bye to many old and familiar faces of the staff family, and to continue to put on our excellent programs, we need new people to apply. If you are interested in serving on staff at Cedar Valley, talk to your Scoutmaster. If he doesn't have any camp staff applications, you can get one by writing or calling the council office in Jonesboro. There are only a limited number of positions to be filled, so don't delay in applying. If you have any questions about being on staff, talk to some of the members of your chapter who have been a part of the family. Don't miss out on the experience of a lifetime.



## VIGIL HONOR MEMBERS INDUCTED

The 1991 Vigil Honor candidates were inducted as Vigil Honor members on the weekend of September 28-29 at Camp Cedar Valley. Those inducted into this prestigious level of membership include:

- David Cadenbach..... Ozark Chapter
- Bobby Norman..... Dixie Chapter
- Davis Dancer..... Shawnee Chapter
- Wayne Grommet..... Shawnee Chapter

The Vigil Honor is reserved for those members in the OA who have shown exemplary service to their lodge and scouting program. Through hard work and unselfish service towards others, these four individuals achieved what many arrowmen can only dream about. Upon induction into Vigil Honor, these members were presented with a Vigil Blanket upon which was embroidered a special name given to them in the language of the Lenni-Lennape Indian tribe. Special thanks go out to Vigil Chairman Danny Joe McHaffey for his effort in planning the weekend and to the many lodge members from our council who worked to ensure the weekend's success.



"Meet our new Scout Executive, Mr. Tom Kerschner, at the Lodge Banquet on January 11."

## KLONDIKE IN DECEMBER MAKES A WINTER TO REMEMBER

By the time this issue of "The Legend" reaches most arrowmen, Winter Camp will already be over. We want to thank Camp Director Donald Belk and Program Director Joseph Kueter for their hard work to put on this event. We also want to thank each person who braved the harsh winds of winter and camped out for that weekend. Although camp is over this year, it is not too early to promote it for next winter. Along with being the most attended event of the council, it is also the most fun. Be sure and get your troop ready for next year's winter camp.

## SHAWNEE HOSTS 5th POW-WOW

On the weekend of February 28, 29, and March 1, Shawnee Chapter will once again host an annual Pow-Wow weekend. The Pow-Wow will be held at the ASU armory building and registration will begin at 5:00 Friday night. One needs to bring sleeping materials, toiletries, and extra money for buying outfitting crafts. The Pow-Wow, which is under the direction of Brian Daffron and John Travis, is shaping up to be a great weekend. This year, efforts are being made to provide many classes for new members who need to start on their outfit. Also, several advanced classes will be offered to the older arrowmen.

## PERSONAL NOTE

On behalf of its members, Lodge 413 would like to extend its congratulations to G.W. "Doc" Walker on his marriage to Ms. Inez Burns on October 12, 1991. Many arrowmen will remember that Doc went on several dates with her over the past few years at summer camp. In case the name sounds familiar, she is none other than the mother of Jenene Burns, a past cook at Cedar Valley. That just goes to show that no matter where someone goes or who they meet, they are probably familiar with the scouting program. We wish Doc a wonderful marriage and hope that he and his wife live a happy life for years to come!



9 years before they became the 1st pair of brothers to both hold the office of Lodge Chief, Joseph and Daniel Kueter proudly display Cub-Scout Spirit!

## CREDITS

As I write the last article of my last Legend, I would like to thank everyone who helped me over the year. Thanks to Bruce Smith for helping with the articles, Donald Belk and Wayne Grommet for the pictures, and the Council Secretaries, especially Marsha, for helping with copies and labels. Finally, thanks to everyone who helped address the issues. They are, in no particular order: Will Kueter, Brian Draffon, Al and Aaron Brodell, David Dancer, Scott Perry, Sean Buhrmester, Jason Cole, and Michael Jackson. I would also like to thank every arrowman who read all of the articles and took part this year.

Your Brother in Service,  
Daniel Kueter  
1991 Lodge Secretary



## CHIEFLY SPEAKING

My Friends,

It is with great pride that I write to you in my last column for THE LEGEND. When I say pride I mean in you, the individuals of the Lodge. You have given me many longlasting memories that I will carry for years to come. I also say that in regard to your supportiveness for myself and my Lodge Officers. This year you came out to **every** event in record or near record numbers. Thank you.

It seems like not long ago that we sat down to map out this year and it has been terrific! Ordeal was outstanding, Conclave was wet (BUT FUN!), and for those of you that didn't come, Fall Fellowship was great! All because of you.

I'd like to thank Dave, Scott and Daniel. These guys were the heart and soul of this year. All the chief does is oversee; it takes three really hardworking people to carry it out. I'd also like to thank David and Donnie for answering the questions that would creep up. To everyone else who helped, Jessee, Joel, Mike, and the countless others, thanks.

Hi' Lo Ha Chy' a-la is steeped in tradition and honor on all levels. Daniel, Scott, Sam and Steve I know will continue that rich tradition of the past. To you I offer my assistance, it's only a phone call away.

Thanks again for allowing me the opportunity to serve such a proud organization. The traditions preserved, the flame glows brighter for generations to come.

Yours in the Bond,  
Denny Bubrig  
1991 Lodge Chief

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