



THE LEGEND



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

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EVERYONE NEEDED AT ORDEAL MAY 29-31

Who among you knows the three watch words of the OA? I'm sure that everyone knows that the OA is based on the principles of Brotherhood, Cheerfulness, and Service. Well, we had a lot of cheerfulness and brotherhood at F.F., the Lodge Banquet, and Conclave. But now as the summer camp season rolls around, it is time to focus on our vow of service. We need every arrowman to attend the Ordeal weekend at Camp Cedar Valley, May 29-31, to help get camp ready for the summer.

Registration for the weekend lasts from 5-8 p.m. on Friday night. The cost for the weekend is \$12 for members, \$22 for candidates and FREE for elangomats. As many people know, the camp implemented new fees this year for lodging there. However, because of Hi'Lo's history of helping the camp so much, the camping committee decided to waive the camping fee. Let's all do a great job and show the committee how much we appreciate this.

The Pre-Ordeal ceremonies will begin at 9 p.m. All arrowmen need to be in camp on time to see these ceremonies and make sure that they don't disrupt them. Work will begin at 9 on Saturday and continue through the day. At 8:30 that evening the ceremonies will begin in their customary sites. After the ceremonies, there will be a sash-signing party complete with food, drumming and dancing.

Sunday morning will begin with breakfast and chapel service. After chapel there will be the Vigil Tap-Out ceremony. After these events, there will be a lodge business meeting and the Trading post will be opened. Our new lodge Flaps and Brotherhood pins are in, so bring lots of money and be the first to add these impressive items to your uniform.

Arrowmen should remember to bring their uniform and sash and work clothes to camp. Also, you will need toiletries, shower stuff, T.P. money and also a sleeping bag. We need everyone to help get camp nice and pretty for its 25th Anniversary.

Each arrowman should also bring a medical form. If you would like, bring your '92 summer camp form. We will return it to you at the end of the weekend.



The Cedar Valley Swingblade Crew is waiting for you! Serve your camp and join them at the '92 Ordeal.

NEW LODGE FLAPS & BROTHERHOOD PINS ARE IN!!!

At the Lodge Banquet earlier this year, the Lodge voted for a change in Lodge flaps. The new lodge flap is taken from the flap of the late seventies. The basic change is that the border is black instead of green. Well, the moment that everyone has been waiting for is here! They are now in and will go on sale at Ordeal for only \$3 a piece. You can't buy a better flap for such a small price.

Another item that will go on sale for the first time at Ordeal is the new Brotherhood pins. Everyone has been asking, "Where can I get one of those?" So Danny McHaffey took it upon himself to order these fine pins for those who have obtained their brotherhood membership. The cost has not yet been decided but will be by the Ordeal. So bring plenty of money to buy at least one of everything in the OA trading post.

ATTENTION ELANGOMATS

This is just a reminder of the upcoming Ordeal. You will need to arrive as soon as possible on that Friday Afternoon. If you or someone you know would like to be an Elangomat then contact Sam Danehower at 633-4040 or 633-7937, 1220 North Washington, Forrest City, AR 72335.

Being an Elangomat is one of the most unselfish services that one can give. This will also take the place of donating a gift to the lodge for a brotherhood requirement. If you have any questions, contact Sam.



Swing by the brotherhood ceremony this year...either as a candidate or member.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Ordeal.....	May 29-31
Summer Camp.....	June 7-July 17
Brotherhood Ceremonies.....	June 19, 26, July 3, 10
NOAC.....	August 9-15
Vigil Weekend...	September 19, 20 (New Date)
Fall Fellowship.....	November 6-8

25 YEARS AND STILL GOING STRONG

"Summer Camp '92 will be the best Cedar Valley has ever seen!" says David Morris, this year's Camp Director. Mr. Morris and Brad Barnett, Program Director for this year, have been in the process of hiring a staff for this very special summer. Why is it so special? Because 1992 is Pine Trail Reservation's 25th Anniversary! Yes, 25 years and still going strong! With excellent troop participation and productive staff, camp will continue to grow even stronger.

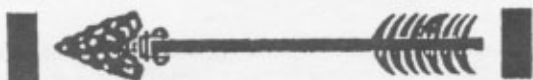
This year's camping session has been extended from three weeks to four. There will be a 200 person per week limit, so hurry and sign up. For those of you who may be unavailable to go with your troop, Maverick Camp will be available every week. Remember, it is our job as arrowmen to promote scout camping. There are two ways to do this 1: Get everyone of your troop members excited and wanting to go; 2: Be there yourself, set the example.

TOP TEN QUOTES OVERHEARD AT THE SECTION CONCLAVE

10. "It's not fly to make rocks fly!" - Ray Calaway
9. "Is that Barney Fife on that golf cart?" - Wayne Grommet
8. "See where that dirt clod hit him?" - Brian Daffron
7. "Come here Rat" - entire show staff
6. "Are you from Oklahoma? Oh, that's too bad!" - Sam Danehower
5. "Don't sit on the tootsie rolls" - Steve Perry
4. "Don't dring the water" - The Sentinel
3. "Did Tom bring the toilet paper?" - Everyone who had to use the bathroom
2. "Hi'Lo Ha Chy' Wa Loa, ditto, ditto" - That guy who announced that we won virtually every indian dance category
1. "One vote for Brian West, Nine votes for Brian West" - Daniel Kueter.



If you're "tired" of the same old summer, hit Viola in '92, where a new adventure is always "rolling" your way.



A SIGN OF DEDICATION

Are **YOU** ready for the next step forward? I'm talking about those of you who are eligible to obtain the Brotherhood membership. Ordeal members of at least 10 months are eligible. It doesn't matter if you received your Ordeal last year or many years ago, the opportunity is still there. We strongly encourage everyone who fits into the above category and is interested in sealing your membership and learning more about the real meaning of the Order of the Arrow to begin working NOW!

This summer at camp the lodge officers will be counseling those interested and also helping with any problems you may encounter. Those who complete the requirements will be called out at the Friday night campfire and will be participating in the following ceremony. Candidates will need their scout uniform and Ordeal sash.

The cost for completing the Brotherhood is \$15, payable at camp. It covers dues for the next year and the cost of the sash. If you have not received the requirements for Brotherhood, contact Daniel Kueter at P.O. Box 146, Jonesboro, AR 72401.

Brotherhood membership is a very personal decision. It is a mark of distinction and a sign of dedication. We urge you to work towards it.

SEE YOU AT THE BROTHERHOOD CEREMONY!!!



CREDITS

This edition of The Legend was compiled and edited by Steve Perry and Daniel Kueter. Thanks to Donald Belk for the pictures and also the arrowmen who helped address the edition of The Legend. Those arrowmen are John Travis, Brian Daffron, and Robert Cadenbach.

HI' LO SWEEPS INDIAN COMPETITION AT CONCLAVE

Lodge 413 had a successful Conclave weekend at camp Garland in Locust Grove, Oklahoma. There were 53 Arrowman who traveled the 352 mile trip from Jonesboro to have a splendid time. This attendance was up by one person from last year, proving that each arrowman counts and does make a difference. Our lodge won the Man Miles Award, which is an award for the Lodge that travels the most miles per member. We traveled a total of over 18,000 miles to earn this award.

The weekend was officially opened with a Conclave meeting of the 750 arrowmen in attendance. A slide show put on by the Lodge 413 fired everyone up. The show consisted of slides from last year's Conclave.

The next morning started out very early and turned out to be a very eventful time for 413. After breakfast, the show staff went straight to work. Later on in the afternoon, the Indian events began and our Lodge dominated.

15 out of 29 awards were taken by our lodge. That is over half the awards of the Indian competition. The award winning dancers are as follows: Straight dance - Kevin Simpson, 2nd in outfit & 1st in dance; Nathan Reyna, 1st in outfit & 2nd in dance. Old Style dance - T.J. Alexander, 3rd in dance and outfit; Bobby Kelly, 2nd in dance and outfit; Jason Skinner, 1st in dance and outfit. Traditional dance - Patrick Kelly, 3rd in dance; Jeremy Skinner, 2nd in outfit and dance. Grass dance - John Travis, 3rd in dance and outfit. These arrowmen represented 413 well! Thanks Guys!!

Another highlight of the weekend was also performed by our lodge. Of course, the Big Show! This year's star was none other than Robert "Rat" Cadenbach. He played a young scout who came up through scouting to eventually save the OA in his chapter. The character of "Billy" was a vital part of the show and Robert did a fine job. Other characters were played by John Travis, Brian Daffron, Joe Blundell, and Will Kueter. Those are just some, and of course all the other characters who performed are greatly appreciated. The outstanding stage crew was led by Phillip Wheaton. They worked really hard to make it the success it was. Thanks to CVC Sam Danhower and his right hand man Scott Perry, the show went off without a hitch. In fact when asked, Michael Schorander of Wachtschu Mawachpo Lodge said, "I think the closing show gave us something to think about. As order of the Arrow members, we should not lay back and let one person do all the work. We should do the work as a team." Thanks to all who made the show a success!

To close the weekend, we had the annual business meeting. Section Officers were elected and enstated as one of the last events. The new section chief is Bryan West from Wesley, AR. Congratulations Bryan.



CHIEFLY SPEAKING

My Brothers

Our busiest time of the year, the summer camp season, is now upon us. This is the crucial make-it-or-break-it time for our Ordeal weekend, Brotherhood conversions, and summer camp programs. These events are too important to be treated with anything less than 100% effort and commitment.

The year we called out 104 candidates for membership in the OA. I thank everyone who worked on a unit election team. Also, a special thanks are in order for the Chapter Secretaries. Now that they've done their part, it is everyone's turn to help these candidates by coming to ordeal and lending a hand.

Another important advancement opportunity coming up is Brotherhood membership. At the start of the year, we set a goal of inducting 60 members. This is a very lofty goal, but it can be accomplished with your help. If you are eligible for brotherhood or know someone who is, do anything possible to ensure a conversion. I have never met a person who regretted getting his brotherhood or who thought it was too much work and not worth it. But there are plenty of people who wish that they hadn't put off brotherhood. Help yourself and the lodge by being responsible for a brotherhood conversion.

And now we come to the Granddaddy of them all...Cedar Valley Summer Camp. The lodge sent out promotional flyers in the mail, and every scout registered in the council should have gotten one. Summer camp attendance has steadily dropped over the years, but this year it appears to be making a comeback. If you aren't registered for camp, **DO SO NOW!!!** Also, encourage every scout you know to attend. A 25th anniversary only comes once and we need to make the best of it.

Now that I've spent so much time focusing on the future, it's time to turn back to Conclave. We registered 53 members, which breaks last year's record by one. This proves that every arrowman is important and makes a difference. If the Conclave is any indication of future attendance, then I am pleased and looking forward to a great year.

In closing, I would like to remind you that I only briefly touched upon the upcoming events. Please go through this newsletter and read every article. If you don't know how can you know what's going on or coming up? The summer season is too important, exciting, and fun to be treated with anything less than the best. I look forward to seeing YOU at Ordeal, Summer Camp, NOAC, and the Brotherhood. I remain your brother in service.

413 Forever, Daniel



"I can't wait for Summer Camp so that I can brush up on my knot tying skills. Cedar Valley will be great, so why not attend?"

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