



THE LEGEND



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'94 FALL FELLOWSHIP-ROCKIN' DOWN THE HOUSE

The 29th annual Fall Fellowship is sure to be the greatest event of the decade! Set for November 5-7th at the Wynne Tri-County Baptist Youth Camp, the weekend will provide fun and entertainment for all those attending. Fall Fellowship has often been considered the feature event of the year, and the '94 Fellowship will definitely be no exception.

Registration for ALL arrowmen will begin at 5:00 on Friday evening, no earlier. The cost for the weekend, \$18, will cover meals, sleeping quarters, a patch and packet, and all the exciting events of the weekend. Friday evening will include two blockbuster movies, fun-filled games, patch trading, a cracker barrel, the ever popular grab bags (get those patches), and an all new Campership Jail-N-Bail with proceeds going to help send kids to camp.

The weekend's official dress will be a scout uniform and sash. Sleeping quarters will be in heated bungalows with cots and mattresses, so only sheets or a sleeping bag will be needed. Arrowmen are also encouraged to bring pen, paper, their OA handbooks, money for the trading post, money for dues if you have not paid them, and toiletries.

Saturday morning will begin with a patriotic flag ceremony followed by a hearty breakfast and an opening meeting. The day will continue with a plethora of jam-packed learning opportunities covering everything from outdoor cooking to proper dance circle etiquette. Soon following the 5K Brotherhood run promises to be a great event. Chapters should be forming their teams now for OA Jeopardy with the first round commencing directly before lunch. With a well-satisfied appetite, lunch will be preceded by outfit judging and the Indian Pow-Wow directed by the lodge 1st Vice Phillip O'Tinger. The talent/lip sync contest will follow and all chapters are encouraged to participate. Accompanying the contest will be more OA Jeopardy.



Traditional Dancer National Champ - Jason Skinner

As the winter sun sets, a reverent flag lowering will commence followed by a great gourmet feast. After supper the finals of OA Jeopardy will decide the wittiest chapter of the lodge. The highlight of the weekend, the BIG SHOW promises to be a theatrical masterpiece. Director, thespian, and lodge 2nd Vice DeWayne Childs is sure to bring the whole crowd to their feet.

Sunday will include a chapel service, an awards ceremony, and a lodge-wide business meeting. At this meeting, the 1995 lodge and chapter officers will be elected. To run for Lodge office, the candidate must have a letter from their Scoutmaster and parents.

All and all, the 1994 Fall Fellowship is sure to be a great experience. However, as with any event participation is the key to success, so gather your fellow arrowmen and we'll see you in November.

KLONDIKE WINTER CAMP

Almost mystically the hot summer months change to cool autumn nights and the scarlet leaves transform to a crimson brown before the chilling winter breeze lands them gently on the newfallen snow. With the soft beauty of winter in full bloom scouts everywhere prepare for the event of the season--the 1994 Klondike Winter Camp.

Dog sleds, gold nuggets, ghost towns, and prospectors all mark the theme of the 19th annual CCV Klondike gold rush. The icy weekend, to be held December 16-18 at CCV, is jam packed with events to help every prospecting scout to reach his goal of getting the gold and staying warm! Program Director Daniel Kueter along with Camp Director Donald Belk and a group of gold crazy staffers have put together the motherload of all Klondikes. With the addition of new and exciting cities, a great time is guaranteed to all who attend.

89 INDUCTED AT ORDEAL

Held this past June, the fifteenth annual Lodge wide Ordeal was a trying time for 89 candidates, but a successful event for everyone. Member registration was up from last year, and no one complained a bit due to the extra amount of work from the snowy weather. So, it is almost ironic to say the Ordeal Master DeWayne Childs had plenty of available jobs ready and waiting to be tackled.

Pre-Ordeal and Ordeal ceremonies ran smoothly thanks to 1st Vice Phillip O'Tinger and all assistants, and should be remembered by the candidates for a lifetime. Also, a good load of work was accomplished Saturday and over 150 arrowmen and candidates toiled in Cheerful Service for the betterment of the camp.

After a hearty breakfast, Sunday morning began with chapel service followed by the Vigil tap-out. Following the chapter meetings, the weekend ended with the lodge meeting and singing of the OA song.

Many grateful thanks go out to Mike Garner and his food crew for their helpful talents, and Bill Kueter for the use of his personal homemade grill. Also thanks to all the Enlangomats and everyone who helped make the 15th Ordeal another great event.

AN ADVENTURE FOR MANY

All the ducks be in row, to Purdue U. in West Lafayette we go. Six is ready. Mrs. Jane turn on your lights. George come on around. Slow it down, buddy. These phrases, aside from many others, could definitely be heard as 413's record 28 contingent members were NOAC bound in '94. This NOAC, held from July 30 to August 6 added yet another successful page in history for both the Nation and Lodge #413!

A wise man once said everything good in life is either illegal, immoral, or fattening. Obviously, this wise man wasn't so wise and apparently when he made this comment the National Order of the Arrow Conference was not taken into consideration. The 1994 NOAC theme "A Journey for One, an Adventure for Many", sums up the week quite nicely. NOAC was chock-full of endless sessions on everything, athletics, dancing, Founder's Day, fireworks, etc., etc., etc...

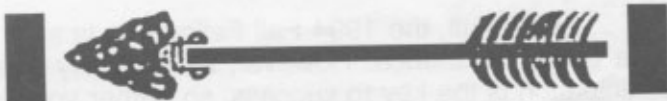
Perhaps one of the most exuberating events was the Pow-Wow on Tuesday. NOAC's Pow-Wow consisted of five dance categories with hundreds of dancers from across the Nation. At the daytime dancing, Lodge 413 proudly set two top 10 finalists, for the evening dance of over 6,000 Arrowmen spectators. They were Bobby Kelly in Old-Style and Jason Skinner in Traditional, both of the Delta Chapter. Stated Old Styler Kelly "It was both a privilege and an honor to make it to the top 10 for two straight NOACs." And, Ladies & Gentleman, you might want to get out your pen and paper to get TRADITIONAL DANCER NATIONAL CHAMP JASON SKINNER'S autograph. That's right, a mighty big Congratulations goes out to Jason for this lofty achievement. "It was very unexpected", said a glowing Skinner after winning. But, after seeing him dance, not a person in the crowd was to be found who agreed.

When the Contingent headed home on Thursday, many activities were on tap planned by Contingent Leader Wayne Grommet. Thursday included a Dinner Theatre production of "The King and I", while Friday consisted of a fine trip to the Indiana Zoo and a nearby waterpark. Saturday entailed a tour of the caves at Kentucky and a lot of driving, which was polished off by fine dining at the Butcher Shoppe in Memphis before making the final trip home.

Well, a journey for 28 sure was an adventure for many. Good times and adventure is just what NOAC '94 was and that is just what we did. Thanks go out to everyone who helped drive and make this NOAC another great experience.



1994 NOAC Contingent





Come to Fellowship and make new friends!

1995 LODGE BANQUET

The chilling days of January mark the evening of the 7th annual Lodge Banquet. The formal event of the year, held at the Carl R. Reng center on the A.S.U. campus in Jonesboro, provides a time of recognition and awards for dedicated service of Arrowmen in the past year. The banquet also hosts the installation of the new lodge and chapter officers and gives non-OA members a chance to see what our Order is all about. Tickets will soon be made available through the council office or lodge officers and advisors. Complete details of the banquet will be in the next edition of the Legend. Once again, all Arrowmen are welcome and are encouraged to promote the event to everyone.

VIGIL CLASS OF '94

This summer members of Lodge 413 were found worthy of the highest honor a lodge can bestow on any one member. The following people were tapped out for Vigil Honor candidacy at our Lodge wide ordeal in June.

George Haag.....	Arrowhead
Will Kueter.....	Arrowhead
Robert Kelly.....	Delta
Jason Skinner.....	Delta
DeWayne Childs.....	Neaypi
Murl White.....	Neaypi

Before these arrowmen can learn the true meaning of the Vigil Honor, they must complete their Vigil weekend in September. All Vigil honor members are encouraged to attend and should contact Danny Joe McHaffey concerning any questions. We congratulate these fine arrowmen on their achievements and wish them the best of luck on the trials that lie ahead.



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This summer, through hard work of countless hours and earnest dedication, 33 fine members of Lodge #413 took the step to seal their membership in our Order by accepting the Obligations of the Brotherhood. The first and second weeks saw 12 and 7 respectively, while the third and fourth weeks converted to 10 and 4. All four Friday night ceremonies were conducted outdoors in the original site. The lodge officers of 413 would like to give special thanks to Scott Perry for his assistance in the part of Meteu for the first week.

We told them how rewarding this would be for them and surely by now they are receiving the fruits of their labors. So, while they are enjoying, give them a big pat on the back accompanied by a smile and congratulations. They deserve it.

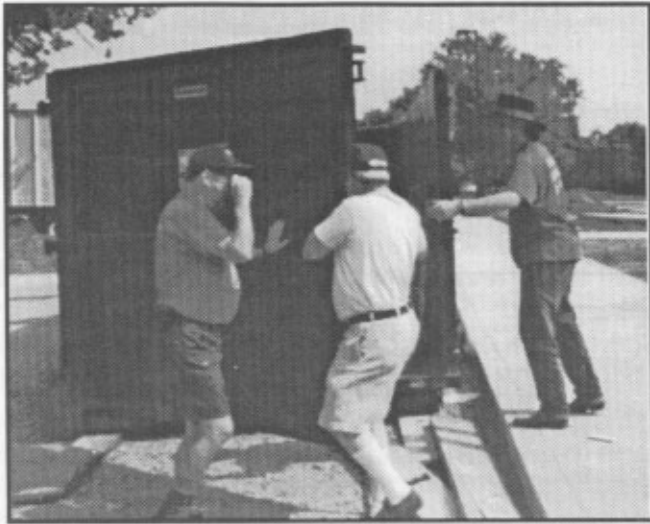
Now, all you Ordeal members reading this: Commit right now to set out and earn your Brotherhood next summer at camp, and you too shall learn the true meaning of the OA.

A SUMMER OF MEMORIES

Well I'll be danged if it didn't happen again. Once more the gates of Camp Cedar Valley opened, and yet another superb summer of fun, adventure, skits, campfires, and memories were chalked up in the books. The new and improved program received a perfect ten and nothing but positive comments from all, thanks to Program Director Brady Doty and assistant Daniel Kueter. Of course, all couldn't have happened without the head honcho himself, Camp Director David Morris along with his devoted staff.

Even though the summer camp season is over, everyone is still welcomed at Camp on troop outings or other. Just check with Ranger Joe Smith about times and fees. Camp can always use a good troop to brighten its spirits every once and a while, and in return for a service, project troops may camp for free. So, remember CCV when your troop is thinking about doing good turns.

This summer was the first in many that camp prospered in a good rise in attendance. However, even though we rejoice on this, we must only savor the moment for a brief time. We should now build on our strong base and aim our eyes even higher. It's time to move forward to more and more and prove to everyone who doesn't know yet that CCV is the best all around!



George! Are you in there

CHIEFLY SPEAKING

Brothers, a great big Southern Region HOWDY to ya! Hopefully your summer this year at least seemed long enough for you and a lot of great times and memories were experienced. Cherish them, they are the best.

Although school is yet again in full swing and work is keeping others till late hours of the night, remember, Scouting still exists and still needs you. You, the Arrowman, are needed to help promote scouting and encourage the youngins in your unit to be their very best.

Now for the summary. Ordeal was smashing!! Thanks to everyone who help provide a fabulous ordeal for 89 candidates and the work that benefited hundreds of campers this past summer. Brotherhood conversion wasn't bad either. With an outdoor ceremony every week of camp. In August, Lodge 413 hauled a record number of 28 contingent members to NOAC at Purdue University. A grand time was had by all, as 413 wrote ourselves into history.

Now for the future. Vigil weekend will be held in September, then Fall Fellowship in November, and Klondike in December. Arrowmen, I can't stress the importance of being at these events. So come on down to all of them, you'll have a blast. The more the merrier.

In closing, I would like to leave you with a few thoughts. Participate in your Chapter and Lodge. Stand up for what you believe in and most importantly stick to it. Never give up. This is a fine lodge with fine reputations. Preserve them. I hope to see you at Fall Fellowship!

In the Ties that Bind Us,
Will

UPCOMING EVENTS

Vigil Weekend.....	September 24-25
Winter Camp Training.....	October 8-9
Fall Fellowship.....	November 4-6
Officer Training.....	December 3
Winter Camp.....	December 16-18
Lodge Banquet.....	January 28

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