Section Conclave

The first Section C-6A Conclave is rapidly approaching. This year conclave will take place April 16-18 at Camp Cary, in Lafayette. The theme is OA University: The Fun Starts Now! Conclave will feature ceremony competitions, OA and theme specific training, and lots of fun. The cost for Conclave is $30 for youth or adults. Finally, anyone interested in serving on staff at Conclave should speak to the Lodge Chief. For more information see the trainings article on page 3 or the flyer on page 4

The new section C-6A contains the following lodges Jaccos Towne (Indianapolis), Kiondaga (Evansville), Sakima (South Bend), Takachsin (Kokomo) Lodges in Indiana and Woapink (Decatur) and Illini (Champaign) Lodges in Illinois.

3 Arrowmen Receive the Founders Award at Winter Banquet

Steve J., Jordan S., and Tommy G. received the Founders Award at Winter Banquet in December. The Founders Award is presented to an Arrowman for extraordinary service to the Order of the Arrow. This award is given annually by the lodge. A lodge can award no more than four Founders Awards a year, and one must be to a youth member.

Congratulations to these Arrowmen!

Vigil Honor Nomination Forms Due at March LEC!

Vigil Honor Nominations forms are due at the March 16 Lodge Executive Committee Meeting. The Vigil Selection Committee will meet following the LEC to elect candidates for the Vigil Honor. If there is an Arrowman who you wish to nominate, fill out the form on page 6 completely and turn it in to the lodge on or before March 16th!
Fellow Arrowmen,

The past year has truly been one that I will never forget. I am looking forward to the opportunity of being able to serve as your Lodge Chief for yet another great year.

As Scouting moves into its 100th year, we have many great opportunities ahead of us that will allow us to serve not only Scouting but our local communities as well. I have been challenged by our Scout Executive, Scott Clabaugh, to promote, provide service, and spread the word of Scouting throughout our communities. For more information on the council’s efforts to expand our Scouting influence in Indiana, please go to the Council website at: www.crossroadsbsa.org and click on 100 Year Anniversary on the homepage.

With Spring just around the corner, we need to start planning ahead for our upcoming events. Our first conclave as Section C-6A is almost upon us. It will be the weekend of April 16-18 at Cary Camp in Lafayette, IN. The cost is $30 for both Youth and Adults. The activities that are included for the weekend are: Leave No Trace Training, Rock Climbing, Native American Song and Dance, Ceremonies Training, College Fair, Ultimate Frisbee, Tailgating Party, and Much, Much, More!

2010 bring many great opportunities for Scouting and the Order of the Arrow. I truly look forward to all of the events that we have in store and highly encourage you to attend as many events as you can. Scouting has been making history for 100 years and now it is our turn to become a vital part of the legacy that the next 100 years will bring.

Yours in Cheerful Service,
Andrew Bowman

Lodge Committee Chair Positions Open

There are still some committee chair positions available on the lodge level. Any youth Arrowman who is interested in serving as a committee chair should contact the lodge Vice Chief of Administration. The lodge cannot run our events or carry out our program without these chairs. We need your help!

Jaccos Towne Earns Quality Lodge in 2009!

Jaccos Towne Lodge has earned quality lodge for the fourth year in a row. Earning quality lodge requires a lodge to have, among other requirements, a growth in membership, 30% Brotherhood conversion, and perform service projects. Congratulations to all that have helped this year to make this achievement possible. Let’s keep up the good work in 2010!

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Lodge Ordeal Dates

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**Winter Gathering Review!**

Winter Gathering took place at Camp Kikthawenund from Jan. 15-17. Forty-one people were in attendance for a great weekend of ceremony training and fellowship, including three Scouts from Sakima Lodge. Trainings ranged from the Inductions Process to a medicine bag Make-and-Take to a session about American Indian Dance! Great food and great friends made for great fun as all those in attendance became certified ceremonialists by the Lodge. Many thanks to Dan Spall who coordinated the Gathering!

If you missed this year's gathering, be sure to get ready for next year's right now!

**New Lodge Flap**

The Lodge Executive Committee has voted to create a new lodge flap. This new flap will be available for purchase and to new Arrowmen by May. This new flap comes as two separate pieces, A lodge flap and a pocket patch that can be worn beneath the flap.

**Major Gifts Campaign**

Last fall the lodge pledged $10,000 to the Councils Major Gifts Campaign. As a way of raising the funds to donate to the Council the lodge will soon be selling special, numbered, endowment flaps. These 100 flaps will sell for $100 each. These flaps will become available for purchase starting at the Council Tradoree. Following the Tradoree the endowment flaps can be purchased by contacting the OA Staff Advisor.

**OA University Trainings**

Below are the trainings available this spring at Conclave. Arrowman will be able to learn about the OA or college. The trainings are as follows:

8:15 Full Conclave Training-Surviving Freshman Year

9:00 Leave No Trace
Introduction to Colleges
Unit Elections
Pre Ordeal

10:00 Past the Lodge Level
How to get involved
Elangomats
Key 3
Ordeal

11:00 Quality Lodge
Running an Ordeal
Brotherhood

1:00 Patch Trading 101
Importance of the Ceremonies
Vigil

If you are interested in helping on staff or assisting with trainings contact the Lodge Chief.
2010 Section C-6A Conclave
Jaccos Towne Lodge
“Our Section’s 1st Gathering”

OA University
“The Fun Starts Now”

April 16-18, 2010
Franklin L. Cary Camp
6286 State Road 26 East, Lafayette, IN 47905

Cost:
Youth & Adults $30.00

Send to: Crossroads of America Council, c/o OA Staff Advisor, 1900 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis, IN 46206
Current Health Forms are required so bring yours!
Make checks payable to OA-BSA and put Cam Code 60ADP on check.

Name: ________________________________________________ Gender: ___Male ___Female
Address: ________________________________________________ Date: ___ / ___ / ________
City:___________________________________________ State: _______ Zip:_______________
Telephone: (______) _____________________ Birth Date: ____ / ____ / _________ Youth/Adult
E-mail: ________________________________________________________________________

Honor: ___Ordeal ___Brotherhood ___Vigil First Conclave? ___Yes ___No
Arrowman Needed for National Jamboree

The Order of the Arrow is still looking for staff to run its program at this summer’s National Jamboree. This year the OA is running four different programs at Jamboree. Youth are needed to serve on Jamboree Service Corps and youth and adults are needed to staff the Indian Village, Order of the Arrow Mysterium Compass, and PACEsetters programs.

The purpose of OA Service Corps is to assist the Jamboree with work and staffing. The Service Corps is used quite heavily during the Jamboree and serves as a key way that the OA promotes are core values to the scouting community.

The Indian Village is looking for people who can perform Indian Dances, own regalia, can make an Indian craft, or know Indian history.

The Order of the Arrow Mysterium Compass is a game show like activity. The show will require over 300 cast members with all different skills and skill levels. Specifically, the show needs studio technicians (light and sounds), actors, “game” managers, ticket and Public Relations, TV and Video crews, stage crews, special effects, and much more. This is the first year for the Mysterium Compass, so the OA needs its members help to make this show a success.

The final OA program at Jamboree is PACEsetters. This is the newest program that the order is running at Jamboree. This program’s goal is to teach scouts about personal accountability and to commit to excellence by using sports and physical fitness as a guide.

If you are interested in staffing any of these outstanding programs or want more information visit: http://event.oa-bsa.org/events/jambo2010/.

Advisor’s Corner

There is no better way for an Arrowman to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Scouting than by attending the 1st ever Section C6A Conclave. Our Lodge is the Big Fish in this pond. Let’s show our spirit by having the largest contingent. I ask all of our adult Arrowmen to encourage all the youth that you support to get registered and help them attend OA University at Camp Cary this April. I ask all our Youth Arrowmen to promote this event in your Chapter and at all the units that you visit for elections. SEE YOU THERE!

Ed Finley

Unit Elections

It is time for unit Elections again Arrowmen please make an effort to help with conducting elections. Remember that unit elections are the only way that the OA can grow its membership, so they are really important to do. If you are interested in helping run an election or would like to have an election done in your troop (unit leaders) then please talk to your Chapter Chief or Chapter Vice Chief. Don’t forget to include Camp Promotions!
ORDER OF THE ARROW

DUE AT MARCH LEC

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

JACCOS TOWNE LODGE NO. 160

Vigil Honor Petition

The Vigil Honor is reserved for those Arrowmen who, by reason of exceptional service, personal effort, and unselfish interest, have made distinguished contributions beyond the immediate responsibilities of their position or office to one or more of the following: their lodge, the Order of the Arrow, Scouting, or their Scout Camp. Under no circumstances should tenure in Scouting or the Order of the Arrow be considered as reason enough for a Vigil Honor recommendation.

Please consider the following as a candidate for the Vigil Honor. (Please Print)

1. __________________________________________ 2. ____________________________________________
   List name as you would like it printed on certificate Date of Birth (required)

3. __________________________________________
   Address

4. __________________________________________ 5. _______________ 6. _______________
   City State Zip Code

7. __________________________________________ 8. __________________________ 9. __________________________
   Registered Position/Unit # District Chapter

Induction dates: ___________________________ Youth or Adult. (please circle one).
   Ordeal Brotherhood

(In selecting candidates for the Vigil Honor, candidates must have been brotherhood members for two years or longer at the time of selection by the Vigil Honor nominating committee.)

The specific reasons for this nomination are:

_________________________________________________________________________________
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A suggested Indian name. ____________________________________________________________ (limit to 34 characters/spaces)

Suggestions for Vigil guide:

_________________________________________________________________________________
   Name, phone #, e-mail
_________________________________________________________________________________
   Name, phone #, e-mail

Submitted by __________________________________________
   Name, Chapter, phone #, e-mail date
JACCOS TOWNE LODGE DUES FORM

Please turn in Dues Form with payment at a Lodge or Chapter meeting, event, or by mail to: OA Staff Advisor, 1900 N. Meridian St, PO Box 1966, Indianapolis, IN 46206

Last Name: ___________________________ First Name: ___________________ MI: _____

Birth Date: __________________________ Unit Type & No.

Address: ____________________________ City: ______________________ State: _____ Zip: ______

Home Phone: (______) __________________ Work Phone: (______) __________________

Induction dates: Ordeal: ____________ Brotherhood: ______________ Vigil Honor: ______________

E-Mail: ______________________________

I would like to receive the Lodge newsletter (check one):
☐ Electronically (please fill in email address)
☐ By mail

Membership #: _______________________ (on BSA membership card)

$10.00 Dues for year _________ (6OAD)

Cash___________ Check #__________________

Date_________ Receipt No.______________

Section | District | Chapter
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East     | Golden Eagle | Wahpekahmekunk
         | Iron Horse   | Seke Macque
         | Old Trail    | Macquissin
         | Pioneer      | Wapsuchuppecatt
         | Sakima       | Kikthawenund

Central | Del-Mi | Quanasita
       | Northeast | Wapsuchuppecatt
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       | T-Sun-Ga-Ni | Lowaneu Allanque

West    | Hou Koda | Wundchenneu
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       | Sugar Creek | Tatankaskah
       | Wabash Valley | Kickapoo

Kinohsamia Mailing Request

The Lodge newsletter will only be mailed to dues-paid Arrowmen at their specific request. Below is a form that must be mailed to the Lodge in order for a hardcopy of the newsletter to be mailed, or the dues form above may also be used to select the mailing option. The newsletter is available online at the Lodge website: www.crossroadsbsa.org/oa.

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