



The Goodlander

Wulakamike Lodge #21

Crossroads of America Council BSA

Order of the Arrow – The Brotherhood of Cheerful Service – September 1, 2000

Letter from The Lodge Chief

Fall Fellowship: I'll See You There!

Fellow Arrowmen,

As the summer comes to a close, the lodge is starting to gear up for our annual fall events. The first will be Fall Fellowship.

I strongly urge all of you to join me for this event. If you have been to Fall Fellowship before, you understand what makes this weekend so special. If you have not been to one, there are many reasons to join us.

- Are you an Ordeal member interested in becoming Brotherhood? Here is an opportunity to complete the trail to Brotherhood.
- Are you interested in ceremonies? They will be there.
- Have you wanted to know more about the Vigil Honor? Twenty-three of your fellow Lodge members have been chosen to stand their Vigil this weekend.
- What about Games? Yes.

▪ What of service – the reason for our brotherhood? Yes, there will be opportunities.

▪ Everything you expect and have come to enjoy in our Order will be found in the Fall Fellowship.

But my favorite activity is the simple act of fellowship itself. I enjoy coming to Lodge events to meet people from other Chapters and catch up with those that I know already. Fall Fellowship is a whole weekend to do this!

You older, more experienced Arrowmen can see your friends, and you newer Arrowmen can making many lasting friendships.

Also, you will see how our Lodge functions. If you are interested in seeing how Lodge leadership is chosen, then come join us for elections.

If you have not yet sealed your membership by going through

Fall Fellowship 2000

- At Bear Creek
- Sept. 15-17.
- Cost: \$12, including meals and patch, if you register by Sept. 11 at a Council Scout Service Center. (After that, \$14.)

Register using your address section of this Goodlander!

Brotherhood – and you are eligible after being an Ordeal member for 10 months – we will have the Brotherhood ceremony on Saturday night. Come and work towards advancing your knowledge in our Order.

W W W,

Seth Powell
Netami Sakima (Lodge Chief)

Fall Ordeal Dates

Chapters have announced dates for Fall Ordeals. Scouts and Scouters elected to membership may complete the Ordeal within 12 months after their election. Those who did not attend last spring should be encouraged to complete one of the following Ordeals, even if it is not the one conducted by their home Chapter.

Before attending, the Chapter Chief or Advisor should be contacted to confirm arrival and departure times as well as costs.

- Seke Macque: Oct. 27-29, Bear Creek.
- Wahpekahmekunk: Aug. 17-20, Redwing (6 Ordeal, 2 Brotherhood)
- Wapsuchuppecatt: Aug. 17-20, Belzer (31 Ordeal, 2 Brotherhood)
- Wundchenneu: Oct. 6-8, Bradford.
- Kikthawenund: Oct. 12-14, Camp Oconoluftee.
- Lobarlewhense: Nov. 3-5, Johnson County Park.

Attention, Chapter Officers

Following each Ordeal, a report of new members, addresses and phone numbers should be submitted to Lodge Membership Chairman Sam Locke.

The Membership Report should also include a listing of all dues paid or updated at the Ordeal or other Chapter activity.

Bring lists to the Lodge Executive Committee meetings or send to Sam Locke, 1800 E. 10th St., Ashton-Moffatt 316, Bloomington IN 47406.

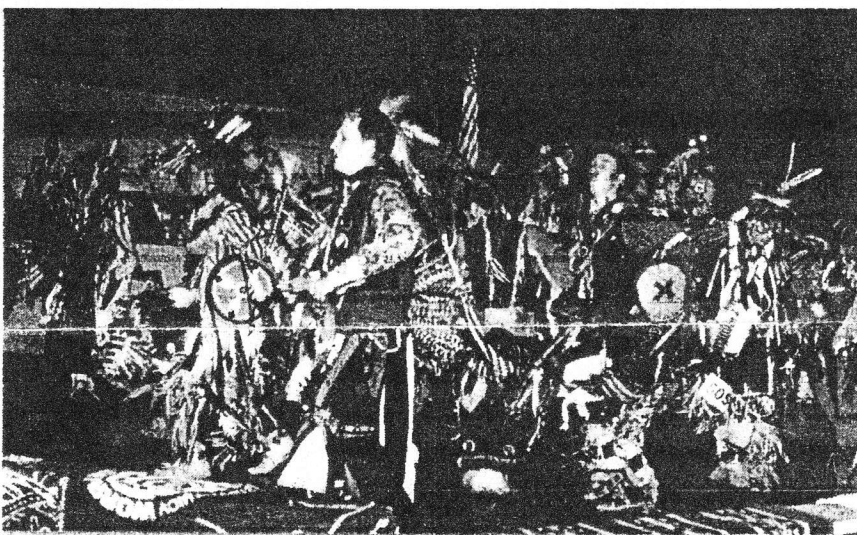
In Memoriam: Shirley A. Schwein

Wulakamike Lodge and all of Boy Scouting lost a true friend and tireless worker on July 27, 2000, when Shirley A. Schwein passed away.

Mrs. Schwein, a Vigil Honor holder, had been the Wapsuchuppecatt Chapter advisor for many years. She was in her 26th summer on staff at Belzer Day Camp, where she ran the BB-gun and archery ranges. She had received the Silver Beaver Award.

The Lodge extends our gratitude for Mrs. Schwein's tireless service and our sympathy to her son, our brother John Schwein, and other family members. W W W

Delegation Attends NOAC



WULAKAMIKE LODGE sent 23 Arrowmen – 15 youth and eight adults – to the National Order of the Arrow Conference at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, July 29-Aug. 3. The delegation came back charged with new enthusiasm for the Order after participating in ceremonies competition, extensive and enthusiastic training and exciting pageantry. The Lodge Ceremonies Team (Seth Powell, John Powell, Kevin Tucker, and Drew Updike) won a merit award in pre-Ordeal competition, missing Honors by a single point. A throw-together basketball team made it to the Sweet 16 in true Hoosier fashion. NOAC is held every-other year. ABOVE: a close-up view of some of the colorful dance competition.

Lodge Leadership Training Planned

Brothers,

It is my pleasure to talk to you about the 2000 Lodge Leadership Training. It will be on the weekend of Nov. 10-12 in Richmond, Ind. It is open to ALL Arrowmen and we are looking forward to seeing you there.

At Lodge Leadership Training, we will have leadership skills presentations as well as Train-the-Trainer and Ceremonial Training.

If you have interest in any of these aspects of our Order, or if you just want to get involved, join me for a fun time at Lodge Leadership Training this November.

Yours in Brotherhood,
John Powell
Sakima (Vice Chief)

23 Chosen for Vigil

Certainly a highlight of the Summer Fellowship, Wulakamike Lodge conducted a Vigil Honor tap out on July 15. Thirteen Scouts and 10 adult Scouters were selected for the Order of the Arrow's highest honor. They have been invited to stand their Vigil during the OA Fall Fellowship on Saturday, Sept. 16.

Youth nominees, their chapters and troop numbers are: Joshua W. Claytor, Quanasita, T117; Michael J. Deaton, Lobarlehense, T120; David A. Grube and Ian Grube, both Lobarlehense, T92; Brian Kelly, Seke Macque, T223; Jacob King, Lobarlehense, T462; Tom Mason, Seke Macque, T223; John Powell III, Kevin Tucker and John Andrew Updike, all Wahpekahmekunk, T22; Gregory R. Smith, Quanasita, T117; David Sturm, Lobarlehense, T108; and Christopher White, Lowaneu Allanque, T73.

Adult nominees include Scott Clabaugh, Lowaneu Allanque, Council professional; James C. Cox, Wahpekahmekunk, T39; Edmund Finley, Quanasita, T112; Bob Hansen, Macquissin, Council professional; Bob Meador, Wahpekahmekunk, T910; Steven NaSalle, Lobarlehense, T92; Jeffery A. Norris, Macquissin, T209; Randy Potts, Wundchenneu; Karla Powell, Wahpekahmekunk, T22; and Phillip Sturm, Lobarlehense, T108.

Adam Scott chairs the Lodge's Vigil Honor committee with Linda Troxell is advisor.

NOAC Trading Flap



Wulakamike Lodge 21 took a special Lodge trading flap to the National OA Conference this year. It shows that Garfield, Scouting's national spokes-cat, is part of the BSA's national honor society. The special flap will be available at the Fall Fellowship on Sept. 15, 16, 17 and other Lodge events. It may also be purchased at Council Scout Shops. The design is by Brad Hill and is used by permission of Paws, Inc., Garfield's owner.

DO YOU KNOW ABOUT...

THE PHILMONT TRAIL CREW

Each summer, Order of the Arrow offers Arrowmen a week of extraordinary backpacking and climbing at beautiful Philmont Scout Ranch – in exchange for a week of service to the camp. Arrowmen aged 16-21 are eligible to apply and the experience is simply unbelievable, according to Seth Powell, who attended this summer.

A similar-style experience is offered by our Order at the Northern Tier Wilderness in Minnesota.

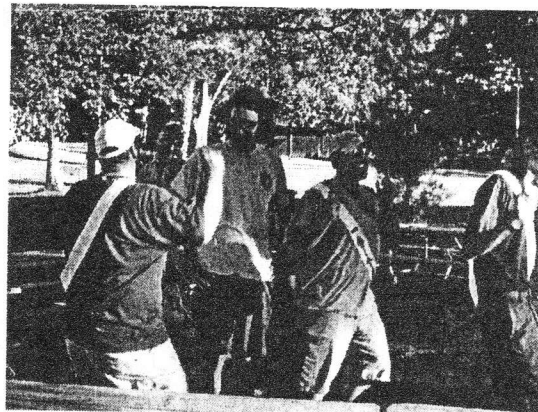
THE E. URNER GOODMAN SCHOLARSHIP

Arrowmen preparing for a career as a professional Scouter may receive assistance from the E. Urner Goodman Scholarship. Named for one of OA's founders, the award is for students who have already completed at least one year of college and are committed to the Scouting profession. Application deadline is Jan. 15 annually.

For information about any of these programs, contact your Chapter or Lodge officers.

SUMMER FUN

Attendance at the Summer Fellowship on July 15 nearly doubled the previous best year. Here, Matt Fisher and James Martin of Richmond do "the fish dance" around Lodge Program Vice Chief Rick Crossland, who led this event. The Fellowship included a potluck supper, singing at a campfire, Wood Badge bead presentation to Jim Powell, and Vigil Honor call out.



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Cut off this address section and send it or take it to the nearest Council Service Center, with \$12 per person. If you are bringing others with you, please indicate their names on an additional paper. Form & money due Sept. 11; late registration: \$14.

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