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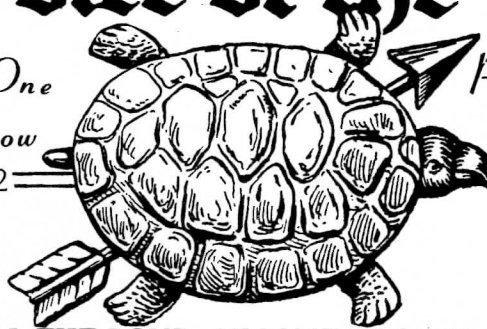


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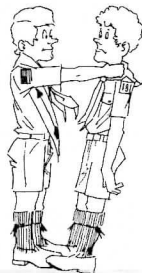
September, 1978



SEAL THE BOND. BECOME BROTHERHOOD.



NEW MEMBERS' RECEPTION



The New Members Reception will be held October 21, 1978, at Girard College, Corinthian and Girard Avenue. The price for this event is \$2.75, which includes a SCUBA demonstration, all of the college's sports facilities, a hot lunch, and the fourth of the four series patches. This day is a day of fellowship and fun for old members as well as new! It is a chance for newly inducted members to reunite with their Elongamats in discussion and/or competition. If you're interested in attending this fantastic event, send a check for \$2.75 (payable to: Unami Lodge, Philadelphia Council, B.S.A.) Please send to:

Unami Lodge New Members Reception
Parkway-22nd and Winter
Phila., Pa. 19103

FALL FELLOWSHIP

The 1978 Fall Fellowship will be held on the weekend of September 22-24, at Hart Scout Reservation. Martin Healey, Event Director for the Fall Fellowship, has high expectations for the weekend, and he expects a great turnout. The Fellowship is a weekend when Unami Brothers can meet in competition or just plain fun!! It's a combination of great activities and great food, and at the same time, Unami Brothers perform vital service to our council camps. The price for the weekend, which will include five (5) great meals, two (2) super snacks, and the third in a set of four series patches, is only \$6.25. For those Brothers who desire to "Seal the Bond" the price will be \$8.25, and for those Scouts in your troop taking their Ordeal, the price is \$11.70 (which includes dues, O.A. handbook, New Members Voice, a "Turtle," etc.).

If you are interested in attending this fantastic weekend of Brotherhood, fill out the application below and make checks payable to: Unami Lodge, Philadelphia Council B.S.A. Send your application with your check to: Unami Lodge Fall Fellowship Weekend, c/o Philadelphia Council, B.S.A., Parkway-22nd and Winter Streets, Phila., Pa., 19103.

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Name _____ Age _____

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I am a(n): Ordeal Brotherhood Vigil
member(circle one)

I will take Brotherhood Yes _____ No _____

Enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ people.

SPRING SERVICE

"The 1978 Spring Service Weekend, held at Hart Scout Reservation was a great success!" These are the words of Paul Rothkopf, event director for the weekend. Even though there wasn't a large quantity of people, everyone who was there, was there to work! The quality of Unami Lodge was truly demonstrated at this weekend. Some of the projects completed included: Erosion barriers and wood chips placed on the ceremonial grounds trail; a face-lift given to the boathouse trail; a face-lift given to the campfire grounds; new posts and crossbars assembled at the rifle range; tractor trail leading to rifle range was leveled off; repairs were made to drainage pipes throughout camp; sliding doors in the dining hall were put on rollers; a face-lift given to trail from "Betsy" bridge to the road on East side; and membership files were brought up to date.

After a day of hard work, a delicious dinner was served by Woodland Chapter. The cook for the weekend was our own H.S.R. summer camp head cook, Graham Park.

At dinner, we had the honor of hearing from many distinguished men; Jack Humma, Council Camping Committee Chairman; Joseph Teat, Council Commissioner; Frank V. Savino, Scout Executive and Supreme Chief of the Fire; and Clarence Keiser, President of Philadelphia Council. After dinner the Brotherhood and Ordeal Ceremonies were held. They were followed by a social and horror film festival. After religious services on Sunday, a C.P.R. demonstration was given, followed by a HUGE Brunch. After brunch, the Lodge business meeting was convened. Highlights of this meeting included the nominations for next years officers. After the meeting the boathouse was opened for anyone that was interested. After checkout, Unami Brothers received the first in a series of four patches which will fit together to form a six inch backpatch.



Thanks to everyone who helped out at the weekend. A special thanks to Graham Park for the terrific cooking and to Thomas Gibbons for the donation of cups and napkins for the weekend.

Then, everyone went their separate ways, with memories of a great weekend in their heads, and a feeling of fulfillment to their obligation in their hearts.

SECTION 5-A CONCLAVE



On the weekend of June 16-18, scouts from all-over eastern Pennsylvania gathered for a weekend of training and fellowship at the 1978

Section 5-A Conclave, hosted by Witauchsoman Lodge #44, at Trexler Scout Reservation.

The weekend started with a fantastic opening show which was presented by Delmont Lodge #43. The show included a presentation of the popular "Ordeal by C.B." slide show and a slide presentation on various Scouting themes. Following the opening show, a patch auction was held. The auctioneer was none other than our own Lodge Chief, Jeff Steinberg. At the auction, hundreds of dollars were raised to benefit the Section.

Saturday morning saw the participants attending various training sessions which were of great value to all involved. In the afternoon there were many inter-lodge competitions, including volleyball, chess, ping-pong, and boating. In addition, each lodge had two special displays. One in a topic of their choice, and one on camp promotion. The Indian Dance Competition was also held in the afternoon. Unami took first place in the Camp Promo Competition and second place in the Team Dance Competition. Saturday night, after a great campfire, the Fellowship Feast was held. Unami served water ice and soft pretzels.

Foods served by other lodges included; popcorn, shoe-fly pie, mushrooms and potato pancakes.

At Breakfast Sunday, Unami Vice Chief Chris Lucca was presented with an award for outstanding service to the conclave. This was the first award of this type given by Witauchsoman to a person outside of their own lodge.

At the closing ceremonies, later in the day, the awards were given out and the new Section Officers were inducted. Everyone then departed, but no one will soon forget the 1978 Section 5-A Conclave!



NEWS SHORTS



CAMP PROMOTION

Now that the 1978 season of summer camp is over, we are finished with our job of camp promotion for the 1977-78 season. But now that that's finished, it's time to start camp promotion for the 1978-79 season. Unami has been an integral part of Philadelphia Council's camp promo campaign. Some of the things the lodge has done includes putting together a camp information brochure, and visiting many troops and giving slide-tape shows to their members. In addition, Unami is in the process of preparing three television commercials. These commercials should be aired sometime in the fall. Nick Michaels, camp promo chairman, would like to thank everyone that helped in the campaign, and is looking forward to a better year next year.

ANNUAL DINNER

The Unami Lodge 63rd Annual Dinner will be held on December 27, 1978, at the Four Chefs, Hellerman and Sackett Streets. The price, which includes a delicious dinner, entertainment and a mug, will be \$9.00. More information will follow in future Voices.



HOW, HOW, HOW!!

At the July executive meeting, the following men were elected by the committee to take the Ordeal; Clarence Keiser, Council President; Larry Ryan, District Executive and H.S.R. Program Director; Joe Conway, H.S.R. Camp Staff; Harry Vertlieb, H.S.R. Camp Staff; Doug Edgar, a scout from Australia and a member of the H.S.R. Staff; and Heon Gyu Chung, A Korean scouter, Scout Executive of Seoul, Korea, and a member of the H.S.R. Staff. Congratulations to these men and good luck!



WE'RE # 1

FLASH - The National Order of the Arrow has asked Unami Lodge for assistance in compiling a national history book. The reason for this was that they were so impressed with the "History of Unami Lodge" book produced by Unami Lodge. Congratulations to David Sirken and Allan Geller on their fine achievement!



CHAPTER NEWS

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PENN'S WOODS

Penn's Woods meets on the first Thursday of every month at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 18th and Wolf, at 7:30. For further information, call Jim Doyle, Jr., Chief, at 468-5647.

Next Meetings: 9/7, 10/5, 11/2.

WOODLAND

Woodland chapter is ROLLING!! We meet on the third Monday of each month at the 9th Presbyterian Church, 57th and Washington Ave., at 7:30. For information, call Chuck Scott, Chief, at 365-3368.

Next Meeting: 9/18, 10/16, 11/20.

WISSAHICKON VALLEY

Our meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at East Mt. Airy Neighbors, Stenton and Vernon Rds., at 7:30. COME ON-GET ACTIVE!!

Chief: Calvin Wilson, 548-3916
Next Meetings: 9/7, 10/5, 11/2.

CHAPTER NEWS

POLARIS

Polaris chapter meets on the first Thursday of each month at the College of Optometry, 12th and Godfrey Ave. For information about our great activities, call Michael Nichols, Chapter Chief, at 438-7161.

Next Meetings: 9/7, 10/5, 11/2.

DELAWARE

We meet on the first Thursday of each month at the Holmesburg Baptist Church, 7927 Frankford Ave., at 7:30. We expect to see you at our pizza parties, games and other activities! For more information, call Steve Feinberg, Chief, at 676-8822.

Next Meetings : 9/7, 10/5, 11/2.

CONESTOGA

We meet on the last Saturday of each month at St. Phillips Church, 53rd and Wyalusing Aves. We are off to a good start and would like to see all Conestoga Arrowmen attending our meetings. WE NEED YOU !

Chief: Anthony Mitchel, 473-7326.
Next Meetings: 9/30, 10/28, 11/25.

IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

In our next issue . . . The Fall Fellowship . . . more on the Dinner . . . more on the New Members Reception . . . 1978 Camp Promo Wrap-Up . . . 1978-79 Camp Promo Kick-Off . . . much, much, more.

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PHILENAPE

We meet on the third Thursday of every month of the P.N.B. Bank, Kensington and Allegheny Aves., at 7:30.

Chief: Vic Meronyck, 426-6998.

Next Meetings: 9/21, 10/19, 11/16.

FRONTIER

Our Chapter meets on the fourth Thursday of every month at the Pennypack Environmental Center, Verree Road just south of Bloomfield Ave., at 7:15. Come to our meetings and get a chapter jacket!

Chief: Carl Clyde, 725- 5388.

Next Meetings: 9/28, 10/26, 11/23.

UNITY

Unity Chapter meets on the second Tuesday of each month at the Adelphos Civic Association at 2330 W. Allegheny Ave, at 7:30. For further information, call Glen Jenkins, Chief, at 225-5118.

Next Meetings: 9/12, 10/10, 11/14.

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