



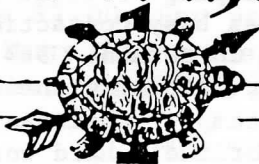
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## MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

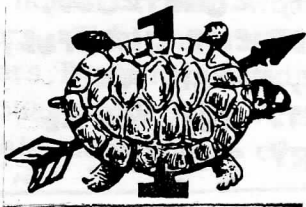
Dear Brothers,

I would like to take this opportunity to share with you many of the achievements by Unami Lodge in 1984.

First, Unami re-established its Camp Promotion effort by contacting and visiting 96% of all the troops in the Philadelphia Council. Our effort did not stop there, for Unami purchased \$1000 worth of audio-visual equipment to better promote our camps. And, we also purchased and published a "Where To Go Camping" booklet. The Lodge has also held its fabulous week-end events and summer camp was one of Unami's best ever. The Lodge membership is up as well as the attendance at Lodge events. But, the most important fact is that spirit is up among Lodge brothers. We also refurbished a new room in the Council Office to be called the Founders' Room, after our founders, E. Urner Goodman and Carroll A. Edson. Unami made arrangements to acquire a computer for our record keeping.

For a grand finale, Unami in 1984, by national standings, went from the lowest ranking to a National Honor Lodge, the highest ranking. It was the Lodge Executive Committee that led Unami in 1984, and each and every member deserves much credit.

I would like to thank everyone for their active participation in 1984.



Yours in service,  
*Christopher L. Higgins*  
Christopher L. Higgins  
1984 Lodge Chief  
Unami Lodge, One

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# CAMP PROMOTION

The Camp Promotion Committee has had a banner year. This committee published a "Where To Go Camping" booklet for the first time in 6 years. This committee has also been busy contacting troops in the Philadelphia Council, both by phone and in person. 96% of all the troops have been notified by this committee, informing them of the opportunities and adventures offered at our camps. Chairman, Mark Chilutti and his committee deserve much recognition for their hard work in 1984.

## FROM THE EDITOR

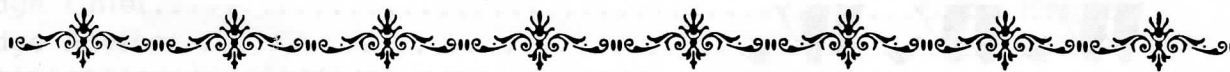
As editor, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has made 1984 a great year. The Publications Committee, as well as Unami, has had a banner year. The Executive Committee of Unami deserves a lot of recognition for their hard work. A special thanks to our Chief, Chris Higgins for a super 1984.

## CROSSED ARROWS

In this edition of "THE VOICE OF THE TURTLE" our crossed arrows honor goes to the 1984 Executive Committee. The committee of 1984 has done an outstanding job running Unami Lodge and bringing it to a National Honor Lodge. A big HOW, HOW to the 1984 Executive Committee.



## UNAMI BEGINS WITH YOU!!



# 1985 Dues

Brothers of Unami! Your 1985 dues are now being collected. As in previous years the dues are \$3.00. Pay your dues right away! Remember you will not receive any mailings if your dues are not paid. They will be collected tonight at the dinner or can be sent to Council office.



## 5-A Conclave

In 1985 Unami Lodge will host the Section 5-A Conclave. It will be held on June 14, 15 & 16 at Treasure Island and will be attended by the 9 lodges of this section. Since 1985 is Unami's 70th anniversary, it is most appropriate that our lodge host this gala event. More information pertaining to the conclave will be in upcoming issues of The Voice of the Turtle. If you can't wait for the next issue, you may contact Mike Coyne at 289-1913 for more information.

## SPECIAL PROJECTS

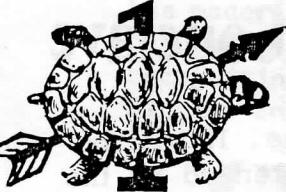
Recently, many brothers in our lodge have been working on a special project at the Council office. This project is a new executive board room which is being built on the first floor at the site of the old Trading Post. Many hours of hard work has been put into this project by numerous brothers. This room will be named the Founders' Room after our two founders, E. Urner Goodman and Carrol Edson. An expected completion date is February of 1985. A special thanks to Mike Coyne and Chris Higgins for their many hours of dedication.



# SUMMER CAMP '85



We, at Unami, are already looking forward to the 1985 Camping Season. Once again our two camps, Treasure Island and Hart Scout Reservation will be in top-notch shape with a number one camp staff. Robert Kessler, an experinced scouter with Philadelphia Council will be Camp Director at Treasure Island for the 1985 season. T.I.'s season will run from June 30th to August 10th and Hart's season will run from June 30th to August 3rd. Once again, Philadelphia Council's Director of Camping, Steve Gerber, will be the camp director at Hart. All troops are encouraged to sign up and attend Philadelphia Council camps, the best there are!



## Calendar



<u>1985</u>	
May 17, 18, & 19.....	Spring Service, Treasure Island
June 14, 15, & 16.....	Section Conclave, Treasure Island
<u>Summer Camp</u>	
June 30-August 3.....	Hart
June 30-August 10.....	Treasure Island
<u>Fall Fellowship</u>	
September 20, 21 & 22.....	Treasure Island
<u>Annual Dinner</u>	
December 30.....	to be announced

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