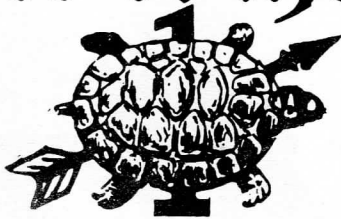


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CAMP PROMOTION

SPRING SERVICE

Has your troop signed up for 1986 Summer Camp? If not, then what are you waiting for? Space is filling up quickly so if you're looking for that favorite site at your favorite camp, it may already be taken. Don't let someone else take your spot. You can sign-up now by calling the Council Camping Department at 988-9829 to reserve your site.

If you have signed up, then make every effort to attend camp. Both camps promise to provide plenty of fun and adventure, as well as an opportunity for learning what Scouting is all about.

You can promote camp by telling other Scouts that you are going. This will motivate them to join in on this once-a-year opportunity.

Promote 1986 Summer Camp; everyone will benefit from it.

On the weekend of May 16-18 the Unami Lodge Spring Service Weekend will take place at "The Birthplace of Our Tradition." This weekend is being chaired by Lodge Vice Chief, Darrell Braxton.

The program features a carnival, Ordeal and Brotherhood ceremonies, a forum with the Lodge Officers and more. Also featured will be a special ceremony to dedicate a plaque in our ceremonial grounds to our former brother and past chief, George H. Keller. Make sure that you see the enclosed flyer and make plans to attend.



FROM THE CHIEF

Dear Brothers,

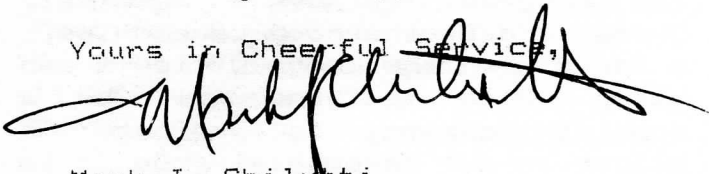
I must remind you of the main responsibility that we, as Arrowmen, chose to accept; and must abide by.

I am referring to the theme from the 1983 National Order of the Arrow Conference; "Those Who Chose You, Need You!" I can not emphasize the fact enough that each and every Arrowman was chosen by a unit, either a Scout Troop or an Explorer Post. It is important that we continue to serve those who chose us; our own units.

I hope that you will all join me in making a pledge to better serve your home unit. They really do need you!

In closing, I challenge each and every one of you to make this pledge to your Scoutmaster or Post Advisor. Let him know that he can count on your support. I DID!

Yours in Cheerful Service,



Mark J. Chilutti
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NATIONAL NOTES

The National Order of the Arrow Committee met in December. Out of this meeting came several new policies for every lodge to follow. The one that pertains to the entire lodge membership is that words have been deleted from the Obligation. The words "which I have now recieved" have been removed. The obligation now reads as follows:

I, do hereby promise on my honor as a Scout, that I will always and faithfully observe and preserve the traditions of the Order of the Arrow, W.W.W. I will always regard

the ties of brotherhood in the Order of the Arrow as lasting, and will seek to preserve a cheerful spirit in the midst of irksome tasks and weighty responsibilities, and will endeavor, so far as in my power lies, to be unselfish in service and devotion to the welfare of others.

FROM THE EDITOR

As editor of the Voice of the Turtle, I am always looking to improve this newsletter. If any of you, arrowman would like to participate by writing articles, drawing up puzzles or creating comics please do. A Lodge newsletter helps build moral and spirit, so join us.

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UNAMI

FRONTIER

VIGIL HONOR NOMINATIONS

The Vigil Honor is the highest honor a local Order of the Arrow Lodge can bestow upon a member. It is a high mark of distinction and recognition reserved for those who, by reason of exceptional service, personal effort, and unselfish interest, have made distinguished contributions beyond the immediate responsibilities of their position or office. The service should be to the Lodge, to Scouting or to the Scout Camp. Length of Service, or tenure in Scouting, should not be the reason for nomination to the Vigil Honor. If you know someone who meets these requirements and who has been a Brotherhood member for a minimum of two years, you are able to pick up a Vigil Honor Nomination Form at the Scout Service Center in the Lodge Office.

CROSSED ARROWS

This month the Voice Staff chooses to honor

Mike Latino

Mike has been an asset to Unami Lodge helping our officers in many ways. He presently serves as the Delegation Leader for the 1986 National Order of the Arrow Conference! Mike also is a member of the Voice of the Turtle Staff and is heavily involved in the planning of our first Annual Trade-Off-See.

We would like to thank Mike for his constant help and assistance to our Lodge members.

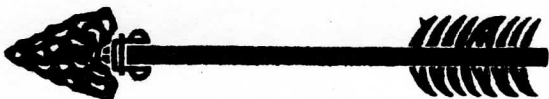
Frontier is once again on top! As our membership steadily increases we become more confident in our endeavors. In March, the month after we play Delaware on February 19, 1986 in a friendly game of basketball, we will fulfill our obligation of service to Hart Scout Reservation by holding a service weekend starting Friday the 4th and ending Sunday. This year Frontier promises to be full of "Spealler Material" under the guidance of Deven V. Shroff.

THIS MONTH'S PUZZLE

Find the following Order of the Arrow words. They may go backwards, frontwards, sideways and diagonal.

Braxton, Brotherhood, Burkel, Chilutti, Founders Award, Goodman, Harrel, Hart, NOAC, Ordeal, Sposato, Treasure Island, Unami Lodge and Vigil.

T H G O O D M A P E Q U I C K
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 N L F O U N D E R S A W A R D



70th ANNUAL DINNER IN REVIEW



Calendar

NEWS

MARCH

5- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
20- Vigil Meeting # 1

APRIL

2- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
17- Vigil Meeting # 2

MAY

7- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
16-18- Spring Service Weekend at Treasure Island

JUNE

4- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting

13-15- Section NE-5A Conclave at Camp Ockanickon
29- SUMMER CAMP OPENS/HART & T. I.

JULY

8- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting at Treasure Island

AUGUST

5- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting at Hart
9- NOAC Delegation Departs
11-15- National Order of the Arrow Conference; Central Michigan Univ.

SEPTEMBER

3- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
19-21- Fall Fellowship Weekend at Hart

OCTOBER

1- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
16- Founders Award Meeting

NOVEMBER

5- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting

DECEMBER

3- Lodge Executive Committee Meeting
29- 71st Annual Dinner

The Finance Committee has announced that two new property items will be available beginning on or about May 1, 1986.

A new Brotherhood patch has been approved for wear by all Brotherhood and Vigil Honor members. It will sell for \$3.00. It is a fully embroidered patch. All profits from the sale of this patch will help send the youth of our lodge to the National O.A. Conference this summer.

The second new item is a hat pin of the same design that will be available to all lodge members. It will sell for \$2.00. The profits from this will also go towards the conference delegation.

If you would like to order them by mail you can expect delivery on or about May 1.

NAME _____ CHAP. _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ PA _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ DEGREE _____

_____ NEW PATCHES AT \$3.00

_____ NEW PINS AT \$2.00

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

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