



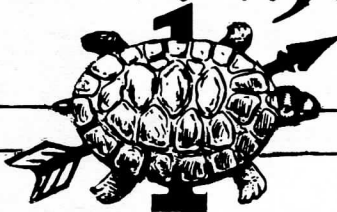
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Order of the Arrow

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 1976



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SEAL THE BOND. BECOME BROTHERHOOD.

## FALL FELLOWSHIP



### CAMP-WIDE GAMES CANOEING Rifle Range

On October 22, 23, 24, UNAMI will hold its annual Fall Fellowship at Hart Scout Reservation. The weekend will include films, camp-wide games, lodge ceremonies, lodge elections, and good eating. All Ordeal candidates must be registered and in camp by 8:00 p.m.; all Brothers must be in by 9:00 p.m.

DEADLINE FOR MONEY: October 14, 1976

No money will be accepted at the door, this will assure us of ample food for all. Mail your money to UNAMI Lodge, 22nd and Winter Sts., Phila., Pa 19103

Any questions?? Bob Novak OR3-1885

#### FALL FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (List other names if applicable)

Weekend Price: \$5.50

Ordeal Price: \$9.20

Brotherhood Price: \$7.10

Vigil Price: \$9.50

Enclosed is \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Reservations

### PATCH TRADING FUN ROWING

## Are You Looking for a Good Time?

## The Dinner

On December 28, 1976 you and your family can have a really great time and a fabulous meal for only \$7.00 (Yea, that's right - a dollar cheaper than last years) at the Four Chefs, Hellerman and Sackett Sts., UNAMI Lodge will once again celebrate another year of cheerful service at its Annual Dinner/Meeting. Beginning at 6:00 p.m., the Dinner will include the induction of new officers, the Vigil recognition, Lodge Properties and Displays, a chance to pay your dues, singing, a guest speaker and a opportunity to meet old friends and make new ones in Brotherhood. This dinner is unrestricted; it's our desire to let all understand UNAMI Lodge. Any Questions?? Morgan Thomas, PI5-7153

#### DINNER/MEETING APPLICATION

Name (If more than one, list others) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

A table of 10 cost \$70.00 (sit with your friends)  
Mail your money to UNAMI Lodge on or before December 10, 1976.



## Lodge Calendar

November 3, 1976...Exec. Comm. Meeting  
December 1, 1976...Exec. Comm. Meeting  
December 28, 1976...Annual Dinner  
January 8-9, 1977...Officers' Training

# SPECIAL ELECTION ISSUE

## 1977 OFFICER ELECTION PROCEDURES

1. By October 16, any persons wishing a write-in ballot because they cannot attend the Fall Fellowship, please contact one of the following officers:  
  
 Phil Hittner      676-7442  
 Joe Risch        FI2-6525  
 Stu Lerman       332-7351
2. Elections for Lodge officer's will be held the Saturday evening of the Fall Fellowship, Oct. 23.

**VOTE**  
if you're  
under  
21



## CHIEF

**LODGE CHIEF:** Select one or write in

MORGAN THOMAS is an Eagle Scout with a Bronze Palm and a graduate of Northeast High School. Morgan is a recipient of the Union League Good Citizenship Award and was a member of the 60th Anniversary Staff. Morgan was a past Chapter Chief and Coordinator of the 1975 Frontier District Camporee. He is presently serving as UNAMI Lodge Vice Chief and Dinner Chairman. Morgan also served on the 1976 Section 5-A Conclave. Having attended the 1975 National O.A. Conference, Morgan also served on the 1976 Camp Staff as Honorsmaster. Morgan Thomas is a Brotherhood member.

## VICE CHIEF

**VICE CHIEF:** Select two only

ED BOYLE is a sophomore at Cardinal Dougherty High School. Presently Senior Patrol Leader of Troop 455 from St. Martin of Tours. For three years Ed has been active in UNAMI. He is now Chairman of Frontiers Dance Team. Ed Boyle is a Brotherhood member.

JIM DOYLE is an Eagle Scout with Silver Palm now serving as S.P.L. in Troop 147. Jim was the the 1973 National Jamboree, has earned several Trail awards, and holds the God and Country Award. Having served as a Chapter Vice-Chief, he is now chapter chief of Penns Wood Chapter. Jim Doyle has served on numerous lodge weekend staffs and is a Brotherhood member.

BOB NOVAK is ASPL of Troop 202 and is a Sophomore at Ryan High School. He has been weekend Honor-master several times and has attended the 1975 O.A. National Conference. Having been a Vice-Chief, Bob is presently Delaware's Chapter Chief. Bob will be running the 1976 fall fellowship and has served on the 1976 Conclave Staff. He has acted in Lodge ceremonies and works now as lodge membership chairman. Having been on this years camp staff, Bob Novak is a Brotherhood member.



JEFF STEINBERG is an Eagle Scout with Gold Palm in Troop 95. Having served as SPL, Jeff is now JASM. Having taken patrol leader training, he was SPL in the council's troop leader development. Jeff is a member of the Breyer Staff and is a certified campmaster. Jeff has served on the Delaware Camporee Staff and has several trail awards. Having served on the 60th Anniversary Committee and 1976 Conclave Staff, Jeff has been district ordeal chairman. While on the Camp Staff and lodge weekends he has played Allowas Sakima in the tap out, pre-ordeal, and ordeal ceremonies. Jeff Steinberg is the Program Chairman for the 1976 Fall Fellowship and Dinner, he is a Brotherhood member.

## SECRETARY

**LODGE SECRETARY:** Select one

WAYNE BARUCH is presently scribe in Troop 871. He is organizing Frontier District Camporee's Cub Scout activities. Wayne has served on the 1976 Conclave Staff and is presently Chapter Secretary. Wayne Baruch is a Brotherhood member.

CALVIN WILSON is an Eagle Scout with Gold Palm and presently his Troops SPL. Having the God and Country Award, he also has several Adventure Awards. Being a junior at William Penn Charter School, Calvin is the current Vice-Chief of Wissahickon Valley Chapter. He has served on the Lodge Executive, Vigil, and Nominations Committees. Calvin Wilson was on the Conclave '76 Staff and is a Brotherhood member.

## TREASURER

**LODGE TREASURER:** Select one or write in

MARC BENSCHETLER is a JASM of Troop 252 and is a Senior at Washington High School Studying Art. Marc has served on the Dinner Committee and Spring Weekend Staff several times, the 60th Anniversary, membership, and properties committees. He has served on the 1976 Conclave Staff, has been a section delegate, and a Vigil committee member. Marc has been the Honormaster at Eagle Island for the past two years and was a Delaware Chapter Vice-Chief and Editor of the Chapter Newsletter. Marc Benschetler is a Brotherhood member.

## TRUSTEE

**LODGE TRUSTEE:** Select one or write in

GEORGE KELLER is a past Lodge Chief of UNAMI Lodge. He has served scouting as T.I. Camp Director, Director of Council Camping, Lodge Advisor, a Professional Scouter, Council Executive Board Member, and for the past several years, as Lodge Trustee. George Keller was the advisor to the 60th Anniversary Committee and is a vigil Honor Member.



## BROTHERHOOD SEAL THE BOND!



To All Members:

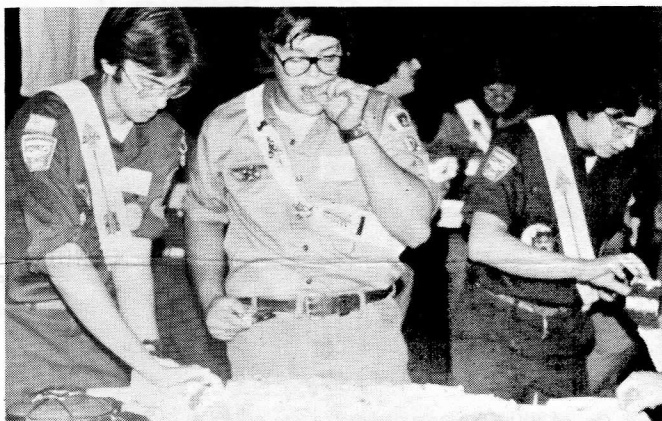
If you are eligible for the Brotherhood (10 months or more of active service to UNAMI), there will be a review and ceremony at the fall fellowship. Review will be held after Dinner with the ceremony following that evening.

If you have already taken the review for Brotherhood, but still need the ceremony, this is for you!

Seal the Bond,

*Stu*

Stu Lerman, Chairman



## OUR MEMBERSHIP

| Chapter        | Ordeal | Brotherhood | Vigil | Total |
|----------------|--------|-------------|-------|-------|
| Conestoga      | 33     | 8           | 2     | 43    |
| Delaware       | 120    | 92          | 14    | 226   |
| Frontier       | 177    | 91          | 17    | 285   |
| Independence   | 24     | 6           | 5     | 35    |
| Penn's Woods   | 22     | 9           | 5     | 36    |
| Philenape      | 61     | 15          | 3     | 79    |
| Polaris        | 116    | 71          | 10    | 197   |
| Unity          | 12     | 0           | 0     | 12    |
| Wiss. Valley   | 42     | 21          | 8     | 71    |
| Woodland       | 48     | 23          | 4     | 75    |
| Outside Phila. | 32     | 39          | 18    | 89    |
| Outside Pa.    | 15     | 17          | 8     | 40    |
| Life Members   | 26     | 37          | 14    | 77    |
| Total          | 728    | 429         | 108   | 1265  |



The Vigil Honor Induction Ceremony will take place Sunday morning at the Fall Fellowship. The Vigil Committee is in the midst of updating the Vigil Mailing List, but we are still missing some current addresses. Please drop me a note at 8841 Bluegrass Rd. (19152) if you know the current address of anyone on the list. Thank you (Correction: Bill Scott was also elected to the Vigil).

Adams, Harry  
Battaglia, Frank  
Berrell, Chas.  
Blain, Donald  
Cunningham, Wesley  
Darby, Albert  
Donnelly, Kevin  
Drobins, Daniel  
Fegley, Jackson  
Guckin, Michael  
Heilig, Chas.  
Horning, Fred  
Horvath, Jack  
Jeremias, Carl, Sr.  
Jeremias, Carl, Jr.  
King, Donald  
Krauledis, Paul  
Krause, Wm.  
Krupczak, Andrew  
Kukucka, David  
Morgan, Nathaniel  
Nelson, Harry L.  
Ott, John D.  
Passman, Fred  
Pyatt, Michael  
Roche, Jack  
Rohrback, Daniel  
Schrey, Rotert  
Stephenson, Michael  
Tilley, John  
Trudgay, Joseph  
Tudgay, Warren  
Weiss, Gerald E.  
Wolfe, Fred  
Zagorski, John

In Service,

*Phil Hittner*  
Phil Hittner



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## What's Coming . . .

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## UNAMI LODGE SERVES

On October 15-17, 1976, UNAMI Lodge once again showed its willingness to do cheerful service by taking an active part in the East Coast's Blind Scout Camporee held out Hart.

Our lodge was called upon to lead and assist in the many aspects of the program offered to the Scouts. Coming to Philly from as far away as Carolina. Group leader Bill Scott wishes to thank all those Brothers who played a role in this great success.

## A GREAT EVENT

Back from command performances abroad, the Lodge Ceremonial Dance Team, from Frontier Chapter, will give a special demonstration at the Fall Fellowship. We look forward to this exhibition at Camp Hart, and wish them the best of luck. Break a leg! (Ha Ha, Only Kidding You Guys)

## LIFE-TIME OPPORTUNITY

Extra! Extra! It has just been announced by the Executive Committee that an open forum to discuss the future of Philadelphia's Camps will take place between interested Arrowmen and the Camping Committee at the Fall Fellowship. Jack Humma, new Camping Chairman, Lex Jervis, Director of Camping, and other leaders (perhaps President Gibbons) will answer any and all of your questions concerning the 1976 and/or 1977 camping seasons. Now is your chance UNAMI to voice your opinion and help us solve our Camping problems. See you there.

## Dues are Due

Attention Brothers,

Look for your 1977 dues statement in the mail sometime in October. Do not lose it! You may pay your \$2.00 at the dinner or by sending it to the Service Center.

## MEMBERSHIP VOTE

Attention Brothers,

At the business meeting, during the Fall Fellowship a motion will be made on the lodge by-laws (Constitution) concerning our financial situation.

*Get Well*

UNAMI Lodge wishes "FAT" Mort Cotlar a speedy recovery from his recent illness. We look forward to his 1977 efforts at camp promotion in Phila. Council.

## WORDS FROM THE CHIEF

Dear Brothers of UNAMI #1:

In June 1976, our section met at the conclave for each individual to rededicate himself to the spirit of the Order of the Arrow. The weekend provided us with an excellent opportunity to get together and celebrate our organizations sixty-first birthday. Each lodge was called upon to contribute to the success of the weekend and therefore each should take pride in its success.

I have set the following goals to be accomplished by Section 5-A this year: The section will re-institute methods which will enable lodges to share ideas and to become sensitive to individual lodge needs. The section will, through common cooperation, collectively improve the program of all lodges. There will be frequent meetings between your lodge executive committee and myself. Committees will be selected from all the lodges to work on separate aspects of our program. There will be an exchange of programs ideas among all the lodges in our section. The re-establishment of an effective program to help one hundred percent of the lodges achieve the National Standard Lodge Award.

Section 5-A while only an infant in terms of growth and development, can point to many tremendous achievements. With your help, we can build on our achievements, we can expand our past record and we can achieve new heights of service. This is a task which requires much cooperation and support. Let us go forward together.

Sincerely,

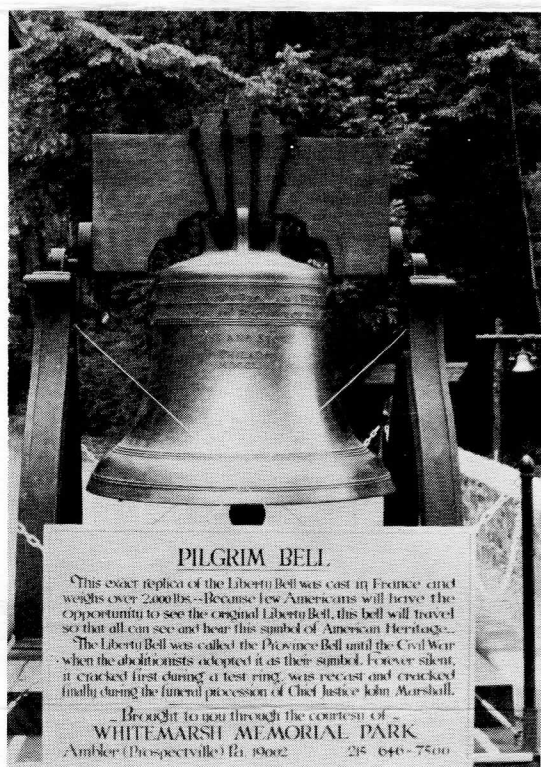
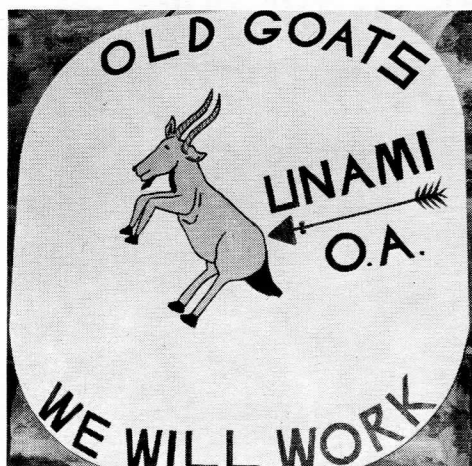
*Kevin*

Kevin McDermott  
Section 5-A Chief

## Our success is a natural...

From Mummies to the Liberty Bell, CONCLAVE '76 had it all. Once again the Voice Staff presents just a small sampling of the great experience which occurred last June. We of UNAMI LODGE #1 will never forget our hosting Eastern Pennsylvania, and showing our distant Brothers just how great Philadelphia Council is









## CHAPTER NEWS

### WISSAHICKON VALLEY

Our chapter's newsletter is being printed. We meet at the Mt. Airy Playground on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, located at Sedgwick and Germantown Ave. Note: This is now on the Germantown side of the valley. As chief, I would like to welcome our new (and old) members back from their Summer vacation.

Aaron Zinner, Chief LI8-5837

Next Meetings: October 12, November 9, December 7.

### POLARIS

We meet at the College of Optometry, 11th and Godfrey, at 7:30 p.m. Our next meeting will be a planning session and a get together for our new members.

Martin Healey Chief GL5-8237

Next Meetings: October 14, November 11, December 9.

### FRONTIER

We meet at the Northeast Regional Library, Cottman and Bustleton Ave, at 7:15 p.m. At this time I would like to formally greet our new Brothers, and ask everyone to attend our next meeting.

Tom Seckinger, Chief PI2-8131

Next Meetings: October 21, November 18, December 16.



#### IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

The Annual Dinner/Meeting . . . The New Lodge Officers . . . Chapter News . . . Upcoming Lodge Activities in 1977 . . . and much much more.

THE VOICE OF THE TURTLE

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### DELAWARE

On November 4, we will be having a Pizza Party after chapter nominations and elections. Now having our own Ordeal Team, we will be organizing a Brotherhood Team shortly. Congratulations and hope to see you at our next meeting to all our newly inducted Brothers.

Bob Novak, Chief OR3-1885

Next Meetings: November 4, December 2.

### CHAPTER CHIEFS

Wissachickon Valley: Aaron Zinner, LI8-5837

Conestoga: Ken Simmons, TR7-2059

Independence: Bevan Lawson, L08-5462

Woodland: John Tranchitell, LE2-0701

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