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THE CHIEF SPEAKS

Brothers,

As you haven't heard from me since the Spring Fellowship, I would like to tell you how pleased I was at the turn out. We accomplished several work projects that will help our camp and some that will add beauty to the camp.

I would like to congratulate the new ordeal members and challenge all to come and be faithful members of the Lodge.

I feel it is necessary to thank some who really helped out that weekend; to Jim Mackee and Russell Darden for heading up the kitchen and preparing all of our delicious meals; to Dr. Howell for giving us our Sunday morning message; and a special thanks to my advisors, Buddy Burgess and John Stokes. But most of all thanks to all of you for coming and making the weekend happen.

We have a work day scheduled for June 16. Let's all come out and continue to serve our council and camp.

Meanwhile, have a nice spring, and I will see you the 16th of June.

Yours in cheerful service,

Everett Birdsong

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Lodge Chief

SUMMER JOB OPENINGS - SIOUAN SCOUT RESERVATION

There are still some openings for Summer 1979 Staff at Siouan Scout Reservation. If you wish to spend your summer on beautiful Lake Gaston and get paid for it, contact Old Dominion Area Council as soon as possible. The following positions are available: Rifle Range Director (21+), Chaplain (21+), Nature Director (18+), Health Officer (18+ and EMT min.), Assistant Waterfront Director (18+), Nature Staff (15+), and Waterfront Staff (15+).

GENERAL NOTES

1. All members should be helping the Camping Promotions Committee by encouraging attendance at summer camp by your own troop.
2. All members encourage your troop to hold unit elections for the Order of the Arrow before summer camp. Use your O. A. Handbook for details on holding these elections.
3. All members remember that to vote at the Fall Fellowship your O. A. dues must be up to date and you must be registered in Scouting with a Unit or in the College Reserve.
4. District Vice Chief reports have been omitted from this Courier but will be in the late June edition.
5. Congratulations to Ralph Howell on attaining Vigil Honor Status.

CALENDAR 1979

June 16, 1979	O. A. workday at Siouan
August 10 - 12, 1979	Fall Fellowship
August 13 - 17, 1979	National O. A. Conference
Oct. 6 or 13, 1979	Training Session (date to be firmed up later)
Nov. 10, 1979	Workday
Dec. 17, 1979	Christmas Banquet

Executive Committee Meetings

May 13, 1979
July 24, 1979 - Siouan Scout Reservation
Sept. 9, 1979
Oct. 14, 1979
Nov. 10, 1979
Dec. 9, 1979

CONCLAVE REPORT

Ten delegates represented our Lodge at the '79 Conclave. The Conclave was held at Fort A. P. Hill in Bowling Green, Virginia, April 20 - 22. This is the site of the 1981 Jamboree.

The delegation representing our Lodge included Bill Cabell, Everett Birdsong, Greg Davidson, Craig Smith, Robert Shelito, Glen Martin, Willie Jester, Richard Hutt, and Mike and Ray Johnson.

The conclave was a huge success. Some of the events that took place were training sessions (they were very valuable), all night movies, games, lodge competitions, a feast, patch trading, and auctions.

I think all the delegates had a good time and learned from the experience.

A special thanks To Mike and Ray Johnson who provided transportation for the delegation.

I almost forgot to mention the results of the Section election: Gus Diggs, Section Chief, and J. J. Smith, new Vice Chief.

CHECK FOR YOUR TROOP !!!

	SITE 1 Powhatan	SITE 2 Nottoway	SITE 3 Meher- rin	SITE 4 Nanse- mond	SITE 5 Catawba	SITE 6 Saponi	SITE 7 Occanee- chi	SITE 8 Chanco	SITE 9 Tusca- rora	SITE 10 Tusca- rora
MINIMUM SI- NGLES	18 14	28 21	12 9	26 20	16 13	26 20	36 27	36 27	12 9	18 12-9
WEEK 0	70	105	45	100	60	100	135	135	45	45
WEEK 1 June 24 June 30	178	435	131	417		440	416	745		395
WEEK 2 July 1 July 7	219		232	471	232	776	220		37	
WEEK 3 July 8 July 14		30			41	28	215	184	17	212
WEEK 4 July 15 July 21	493	60 76		229	123		1145	737 789	260	
WEEK 5 July 22 July 28	756			211			125		161	16
WEEK 6 Jul. 29 Aug. 6	302			753B	43					
WEEK 7 AUG. 5 AUG. 11	TROOP LEADER DEVELOPMENT TRAINING COURSE									