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CHANCO LODGE

FEBRUARY, 1970

NO TENTS AT FELLOWSHIP

At the Spring Fellowship, there will be NO tents provided, so bring your own. It seems to always rain when it is time to take the tents down. The next weekend a few boys had to go up and take the tents down. It was a lot of hard work for a very few. To avoid this, there will be no tents provided by the Lodge. Do not forget YOUR TENTS!

BIG SUCCESS!!!!

On December 29, 1969, Chanco Lodge held its annual Christmas Banquet. There was a record crowd and we thought we were going to have to turn away a few brothers, but fortunately we did not. First of all, we were served a wonderful supper which consisted of Bar-B-Que, baked potatoes, tomato juice, corn, tea, apple pie, and hush puppies. After a wonderful supper, Mr. Joe Stutts gave a very inspiring talk. Next, our dance team performed for us. We then held a brief business meeting as well as recognized the Lodge's officers and presenting appropriate name tags and beads. We then adjourned.

MAIL NOTICE

If you know of any brother not receiving his O.A. mail, send his name to: Bucky Hurley, 812 Gittings Street, Suffolk, Va. -23434.

WARNING!!!

If you would like to stay active within the Lodge and have not paid your dues, you had better do so at once. Send them to Neil Burgess. After March 1, 1970, there is a \$1.00 penalty, so send them at once. The name and place is:

Neil Burgess
Route 1 - Box 308
Courtland, Virginia 23827

The time is NOW!!!!

1970 CALENDAR

March 8	- Exec. Comm. Meeting
March 20, 21, 22	- Spring Fellowship
April 24, 25, 26	- Pow Wow
May 3	- Exec. Comm. Meeting
May 16	- Expo
July 12	- Exec. Comm. Meeting
August 7, 8, 9	- Fall Fellowship
September 13	- Exec. Comm. Meeting
October 10, 11	- Training Session
November 8	- Exec. Comm. Meeting
November 21	- Kitchen Cabinet
December 28	- Christmas Banquet

EAGLE PRESENTATIONS

Neil Burgess, the Lodge's Treasurer, received his Eagle Award on February 8th. Neil is a member of Troop 211 Courtland.

Joining Neil in receiving their Eagles are: Steve Smith, Bill Barnhill, Dave Davidson, Gene Harvelle, and Bill Garrison. Congratulations to each of you!

Raymond Johnson, an Eagle Scout from Troop 30 represented the Council giving a report to the Governor on Scouting.

UNIT LEADERS

Have you reserved a campsite at Siouan for this year? If not, you had better hurry because the deadline is March 31, 1970. All the fees for the campsites must be paid by June 6, 1970 to the Council Office.

NEW PROPOSAL

At the Spring Fellowship, the Lodge will vote on a change in the By-Laws. Instead of having a Vice Chief of Activities and ceremonies, we would like to make them just committee heads. In their place, each district will elect a Vice Chief to coordinate the activities and to keep the various committees jumping. In case of the absence of the Chief from a specific function, the voting members of the Lodge will elect one of the Vice Chiefs from the districts to act as Chief for that specific function. This voting will be done at registration time.

This proposal if passed by the Lodge, will become effective as of the Fall Fellowship.

CEREMONIAL TEAMS

Do you have your parts for the various ceremonies for the Spring Fellowship learned. If not, let's get on the stick and get them down pat.

FROM THE CHIEF

Dear Brothers,

I would like to express my appreciation to the Lodge for such a fine turnout at the Christmas Banquet. There was a wonderful turnout and everything turned out wonderfully.

I would like to thank the dance team for a job well done.

We have many projects lined up for the Spring Fellowship. They are: paint the cots, fix the arena, do a little clean up work around the camp office, and lastly, but largely, construct the new campsite which will be named after the Lodge. This will take many hours of hard work, so I am asking all of you to come and lend the Lodge yourself for this weekend. Look NOW at the list of what tools to bring to the Spring Fellowship. Remember - NO TENTS WILL BE FURNISHED!! BRING YOUR OWN. This is something new, but we feel it will be very worthwhile and save a lot of time for a few members.

As you all know the Pow Wow is quickly approaching. Things seem to be going just fine and I know they will continue this way. Let's stay humping and make this a most successful Pow Wow.

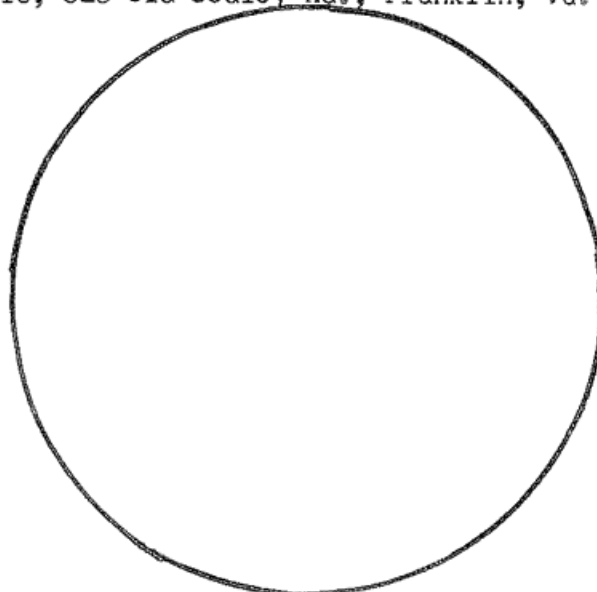
It is about time for the unit elections and camp promotion teams to be making their rounds. We still need someone to take the responsibility as unit elections chairman from Western District. Send your name either to me or Bobo Beacham. We will be waiting to hear from you.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Buddy Burgess, Lodge Chief

PATCH DESIGN

Would you like to design a patch. Design it in the 3" circle provided below. This is for the Fall Fellowship. Send it to: Marc Morris, 328 Old Sedley Rd., Franklin, Va.



BROTHERHOOD TEST

At the Spring Fellowship, we would like for all Brothers who have been in the Order for ten months to take their Brotherhood Test.

The time for the test will be Friday night until noon Saturday. Please have your theme written when you arrive as this will save some time.

Order of the Arrow Questionnaire for Examination of Candidates for Brotherhood Membership

- 1.Q.What is the name of initial membership in the Order of the Arrow?
A.Ordeal membership.
- 2.Q.Why is it so called?
A.Because it is preceded by a fourfold Ordeal.
- 3.Q.What are the four parts of this Ordeal and their respective purposes?
A.A night of camping alone under the heavens, to prove my self-reliance; a day of arduous toil, to indicate my willingness to serve others; twenty-four hours of scant food, to demonstrate my power of self-denial; and a like period of silence to turn my thoughts inward.
- 4.Q.How were you prepared for the Ordeal?
A.I was led by Kitchkinet to the north end of the camp, where the significance of the Arrow was first revealed as I tested the bow.
- 5.Q.When you had completed the Ordeal, how were you dealt with?
A.I was placed on the trail which leads to the circle of the Lodge.
- 6.Q.By whom were you first stopped as you approached the circle?
A. By Nutiket, the guard, who asked if I had passed the Ordeal without flinching.
- 7.Q.Who next barred your further progress?
A.Meteu, who inquired if I had been given the admonition.
- 8.Q.Had you been given the admonition?
A.I had not, but Kitchkinet, my guide had, and gave it for me.
- 9.Q.Before whom did you tie at last arrive?
A.Before Allowat Sakima, the chief of the fire, who asked if I had been completely prepared to receive the Obligation.
- 10.Q.What was Kitchkinet's reply to this inquiry?
A.Only in the binding of them together.
- 11.Q.How did Kitchkinet call the attention of each of these officers to your presence?
A.By three taps of the hand upon the right shoulder.
- 12.Q.What did these three taps signify?
A.The three parts of the Scout Oath or Promise.
- 13.Q.How did each of the officers respond to Kitchkinet's taps?
A.By one tap, followed by two taps, on the right shoulder.
- 14.Q.What did these taps represent?
A.The twelve points of the Scout Law.
- 15.Q.How were you and your companions bound together?
A.By a rope, which, until we took the Obligation, represented our tie to the Brotherhood.
- 16.Q.How was your preparation for the Obligation completed?
A.Nutiket directed me to hold my right hand at the Scout sign and repeat the Obligation after Allowat Sakima.
- 17.Q.Repeat the Obligation.
A.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. WIMACHTENDIENK, WINGOLAUCHSIK, WITAHEMUI, which I have now received. I will always regard the ties of Brotherhood in the Order of the Arrow as lasting, and will seek to preserve a cheerful spirit even 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.

18.Q. In what did Meteu then instruct you?
A. In the legend upon which our Order is founded.

19.Q. Who are the central figures of that legend?
A. The aged Chieftain, Chingachgook, and his son, Uncas, who by their cheerful and self-sacrificing service, are said to have saved the Delaware lodges from annihilation.

20.Q. What did Allowat Sakima then impart to you?
A. The symbol and handclasp of the Order, the admonition and the sign of Ordeal membership.

21.Q. What is the symbol of the Order?
A. The arrow, whose undeviating course when aimed high is a token of leadership.

22.Q. How is it worn?
A. Pointing over the right shoulder.

23.Q. Give me the handclasp of our Order.
A. (Give it.)

4.Q. How must the admonition always be given?
A. Whispered in the ear.

25.Q. What is the admonition?
A. (Give it.)

26.Q. What does it mean?
A. To love one another.

27.Q. What is the sign of the Order?
A. (Give it.)

28.Q. What is the full name of our Order?
A. Winachtendienk, Wingolauchsik, Witahemui.

29.Q. In what language is it given?
A. In the language of the Delaware Indians, the Lenni Lenape.

30.Q. What is its meaning in English?
A. The Brotherhood of Cheerful Service.

31.Q. Give the words (or sing) the Song of the Order.
A. Firm bound in Brotherhood, gather the clan,
That cheerful service brings to fellow man,
Circle our council fire, weld tightly every link,
That binds us in Brotherhood,
Wi-mach-ten-dienk.

32. Submit a written statement of 100 to 200 or more words regarding your re-dedication to the principles of cheerful service to your fellowmen.

S P R I N G F E L L O W S H I P

March 20, 21, 22, 1970

On March 20, 21, and 22, 1970 Chanco Lodge will hold its annual Spring Fellowship at Siouan Scout Reservation. We urge everyone to attend because this is a very important event. Remember - NO TENTS WILL BE FURNISHED, SO BRING YOUR OWN. As well as conducting an Ordeal, we will make many vital preparations for the upcoming Pow Wow. Some of the projects that we will undertake will be:

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| 1) Re-sand waterfront | 5) Repair Chapel area |
| 2) Level tent platforms | 6) Clean area around the office |
| 3) Take down old barn | 7) Paint cots |
| 4) Clean up some cut pine tops | |

To do the projects, we will need some tools. If you have the following tools, please bring them: chain saw, shovels, grub hoes, axes, paint brushes and steel brushes, hammers.

The cost of the Fellowship will be \$4.00 and registration will begin at 7 P.M. Friday night. Please make arrangements to attend now. Reservations without money WILL NOT be accepted and there is a \$1.00 penalty for all reservations made after March 10, 1970. So make your reservations now and avoid the penalty. Immediately following the Fellowship, the service crew for the Pow Wow will be asked to stay for a shake down. If you are on the service crew, you must attend or you will be replaced by someone else. You may pay 50¢ for the Sunday noon meal at the time of registration.

(See next page)

Send your money for the Spring Fellowship to: Neil Burgess
Route 1 - Box 308
Courtland, Virginia 23837

I plan to attend. Enclosed is \$4.00

I plan to take the Brotherhood. Enclosed is \$1.00

Enclosed are my \$2.00 for the 1970 dues and an extra \$1.00 if paid after March 1, 1970.

Total Amount Enclosed _____

(Signature)

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