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CHRISTMAS BANQUET

The Christmas Banquet, like last year, will be held at the Surry House in Surry, Va. It will be December 15th at 5:30 P.M.

The Program for the night includes a steak dinner with vegetables and dessert. State Senator Elmon Gray will be the speaker for the night. The program will conclude with a redication ceremony at the Chanco Memorial on Main Street.

An application for the Christmas Banquet is inside. We all hope you can attend, Thank You. (\$4.00 per person advanced registration.)

The Side

Conclave '76
Seminar '76
and others

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EDITOR

This month, I would like to stress the importance of getting a report in on time. In order for me to get the courier out on time, I must have the reports in time. Having been in your position before I know that you can't find time to send in a report, but to make this newsletter a success, I need all material on time.

The deadline for the reports for the next issue is Jan. 6. If you want to have an article in the next issue, please have it in by the deadline. All articles recieved after that date will not be included in the courier.

Now I would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours in Service,

Randy

Randy Duke,
Editor

Season's Greetings



Dear Brothers,

With the new year before us, let us return to that night of our ordeal ceremony. We were told that we were elected to our organization not on the merits of what we had done in the past, but for what we expected to do in future. We were also told that the Order of the Arrow was an organization of cheerful service. Let us remember this throughout the coming year.

At this time of year it is only fitting to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope each one will have a most meaningful and enjoyable Christmas.

Yours in Service,

George Lee Parson,
Lodge Chief



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Points to Ponder

SECTION SE 1 INDIAN SEMINAR

MARCH 26, 27, and 28, 1976

Hosted by Amangamek Wipit Lodge

Seminar will be located at Fort Belvon, Va.

Training Sessions on: Ceremonies

Indian Dancing

Newsletter

There will be a Council Of Chiefs Meeting

Section Indian Dance Competition

1976 SECTION SE 1 CONCLAVE,

MAY 14, 15, and 16, 1976

Hosted by Guneukitschik Lodge

Theme: "Key to the Future"

Training Sessions: Finance

Record Keeping

Lodge Operations

Lodge Affairs

Adult Advisors

Election of Section Officers

Sign up at the Christmas Banquet

GUNEUKITSCHIK



DISTRICT NEWS



Eastern District- Randy Duke

Eastern district is moving great. Since my term of office has started, the district has had five meetings. The Toys for Tots was a success again this year. I would like to thank Junior Harrell, Jeff Day, Andre Ballard, and my advisor, Kieth Lupton for all of their help.

The plans for the district fellowship are almost completed. It will be held on Jan. 16, 17, and 18, at the council office. Camping will be in the woods directly behind the office. Central cooking will be in the field behind the office. The purpose of this fellowship is to do all the needed work at the council office. Hope you will attend. The price for the weekend will be annouced later.

Remember the next meeting will be changed from the 6th to the 17th of January.

Western District- Jimmy Smith

NO REPORT!!!!

Central District- Bobby Keane

NO REPORT!!!!



Christmas Banquet

The cost for the banquet is \$4.00 Pre-Registration

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Name _____

District _____ Amount Enclosed _____

HOWELL'S HAREM
BY KING RALPH VII



COUNCIL OF CHIEFS

On November 15, Section 1 of the Southeast Region held a Council of Chiefs meeting. This meeting consisted of all the lodges in the section. Chanco had five delegates present, they were: Bill Brackett, Floyd Midkiff, Ben Vincent, George Parson, and Ralph Howell.

A positive date was set for the Indian Seminar, which will be held on March 26, 27, and 28, 1976.

The 1976 Conclave will be held May 14, 15, and 16, at Camp Sioquipe located in southern Pennsylvania. The Conclave will be sponsored by Guneukitschik Lodge. The price per person is still unknown.

This year the section is under the leadership of Tim Kidd, the Section Chief.

King

Calendar

Christmas Banquet	Dec. 15
December Workday	Dec. 27
Courier Deadline	Jan. 6
February Workday	Feb. 14
Spring Fellowship	March 12, 13, and 14
June Workday	June 5
Fall Ordeal	Aug. 13, 14, and 15

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