



# SECTION C-7, CENTRAL REGION

## ORDER OF THE ARROW, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Council of Chiefs Meeting  
10:00 a.m. - September 28, 2014  
Holiday Inn Express – Palatine, IL

### I. Opening

- a. Welcome
- b. Obligation
- c. Interactive Activity

### II. Roll Call

- a. Kanwa tho - 7
- b. Lowaneu Allanque - 7
- c. Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan - 5
- d. Michigamea - 8
- e. Owasippe - 8
- f. Pachsegink - 9
- g. Wulajepu - 11
- f. Waupecan - 6
- h. Lakota - 11
- i. Takoda - 3
- j. Wag-O-Shag - Not Present

### III. Lodge Reports

- a. Lakota Lodge
  - i. Fall Fellowship Septemer 5-7, 250 people in attendance
  - ii. Haunted Hike end of October, all invited
  - iii. JTE – Expected to meet or exceed goals
- b. Lowaneu Allanque
  - i. Completed Fall and Spring Fellowship (300 and 250 respective attendance)
  - ii. 18 vigil candidates selected
  - iii. Upcoming LLD
  - iv. 5 consecutive ceremony weeks at camp
- c. Kanwa tho
  - i. Spring fellowship, summer + fall conclave
  - ii. 190 ordeal inductions, 50 bhood, 16 vigil
  - iii. 40 people signed up for NOAC
  - iv. LLD at the end of October
  - v. Sending 5-6 members to October NLS
  - vi. Lodge chief term ends November 1
- d. Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan
  - i. LLD coming up, focus on chapter operations and native crafts
  - ii. Feed my Starving children trip – 120 spots
  - iii. Conservation Corps – similar to OAHA but at Camp Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan



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- e. Michigamea
  - i. Spring fellowship in June
  - ii. Recent joint fellowship with Owasippe
  - iii. August LLD – record attendance
  - iv. Upcoming Cub Scout adventure day
  - v. Camp promotions dinner in November
  - vi. 56 NOAC sign up, goal of 110
  - vii. On track for gold JTE
- f. Owasippe
  - i. Memorial day work weekend, 300 participants, 2700 service hours
  - ii. Recent joint fellowship with Michigamea
  - iii. October Lodge Trade-o-ree
  - iv. LLD November 15
- g. Pachsegink
  - i. 5 week summer camp program 75-100 ordeals, 7 vigil
  - ii. Fall fellowship, pig roast, 175 people
  - iii. Celebrating 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary
  - iv. Upcoming LLD overnight
  - v. Upcoming Scoutmaster dinner, camp open house
- h. Takoda
  - i. Lodgeball champions at 2014 Section Conclave
  - ii. Hosted 2014 section conclave at Mandt Park, Stoughton, WI
  - iii. 65 NOAC registrations
  - iv. LLD last weekend
  - v. Chapter attendance and involvement initiative
  - vi. Looking to integrate camp and OA program
  - vii. New dues system
- i. Waupecan
  - i. WeBeLos crossover success
  - ii. Lodge/camp prep day
  - iii. Summer ordeal program brought back to camp
  - iv. Airfest – 3000 scouters attended at Lewis University
  - v. Recent fall fellowship
  - vi. 78 NOAC registrations, anticipated 100
  - vii. 5/6 new LEC members
  - viii. On track for JTE gold
  - ix. 2015 will be 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary
- j. Wulajepu
  - i. 260 people attend fall conclave, 17 vigils
  - ii. 70 NOAC registrations
  - iii. Aircamp – October 10-12
  - iv. 35% brotherhood conversion rate



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### V. 2014 Section Conclave Review

- a. Theme: “C-007: License to Serve”
- b. Hosted by Takoda Lodge at Stoughton Park, Mandt, WI, April 25-27
- c. 430 Total Participants
  - i. 244 Youth
  - ii. 184 Adults
  - iii. 21 out of section guests/VIA
- d. Highlights
  - i. “Welcome to Wisconsin” party on Friday night
  - ii. “License to Serve” signature session on Saturday
  - iii. Car Smash, Pow-Wow, Regalia Workshop, and other activities
  - iv. Saturday night thematic show
  - v. National officer dunk tank
- e. Lodge Ball Champions – Takoda
- f. Spirit Stick Winner - Lakota

### VI. 2014 OA High Adventure Review

- a. 16 total participants
  - i. Trail Crew – 7
  - ii. Canadian Odyssey – 3
  - iii. Ocean Adventure – 3
  - iv. Summit Experience – 3
- b. Lodge Breakdown
  - i. Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan – 3
  - ii. Takoda – 3
  - iii. Owasippe – 2
  - iv. Lowaneu Allanque – 2
  - v. Michigamea – 2
  - vi. Waupecan - 2
  - vii. Wag-O-Shag – 1
  - viii. Wulapeju – 1

### VII. 2015 Section Conclave Participant Fee

- a. \$30 Early Bird
- b. \$40 Regular
- c. Motion to approve by Wulapeju
  - i. Motion seconded by Takoda
    1. Kanwa tho – Yay
    2. Lakota – Yay
    3. Lowaneu Allanque – Yay
    4. Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan – Yay
    5. Michigamea – Yay
    6. Owasippe – Yay



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7. Pachsegink – Nay
8. Takoda - Yay
9. Wulapeju – Yay
10. Waupecan - Nay
11. Wag-O-Shag – Not present

### VIII. 2015 Section Conclave Theme

- a. 3 Choices
  - i. *“Kindling the Fire”*
  - ii. *“Explore. Dream. Discover.”*
  - iii. *“Give. Live. Love.”*
- b. Winner: *“Kindling the Fire”*
  - i. Kanwa tho – Kindling the Fire
  - ii. Lakota – Kindling the Fire
  - iii. Lowaneu Allanque – Kindling the Fire
  - iv. Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan – Kindling the Fire
  - v. Michigamea – Kindling the Fire
  - vi. Owasippe – Kindling the Fire
  - viii. Pachsegink – Explore. Dream. Discover.
  - ix. Takoda – Kindling the Fire
  - x. Waupecan – Kindling the Fire
  - xi. Wulapeju – Kindling the Fire
  - xii. Wag-O-Shag – Not present

### IX. New Section Staff Adviser

- a. Bruce Prange

### X. Winter Council of Chief’s Meeting

- a. January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- b. Kalahari Resort and Waterpark, Wisconsin Dells, WI
- c. 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
- d. \$27 per person
- e. Register by emailing number of participants to Adam Enerson (<adam.enerson@gmail.com>) no later than Monday January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015

### XI. Lodge Collaboration Initiative

- a. Revamp of the ‘Lodge Assistance Program’
- b. Emphasis on inter-lodge dialogue and brainstorming, aiming to create long-term inter-lodge collaboration
- c. Objectives
  - i. Gather leaders from across Section C-7 to discuss specific themes, such as leadership development, membership retention, dynamic and relevant program, technology in Scouting, and chapter operations.



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- ii. Encourage brainstorming between lodge leaders
- iii. Facilitate regular idea sharing between lodges
- iv. Address the implementation of national themes and models at the lodge level
- v. Discuss section-wide JTE progress and challenges at the lodge level

### XII. Section Newsletter

- a. New quarterly publication
- b. Aimed at both adults and youth
- c. Topics include best practices, meet your lodge chiefs, and reflections on leadership, brotherhood, and service from section leaders
- d. Will be distributed electronically
- e. Name proposals will be accepted up to November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014
  - i. Submit to Matthew Koch via <mckoch57@gmail.com>

### XIII. National Order of the Arrow Conference 2015

- a. August 3-8, 2015
- b. Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
- c. Largest NOAC ever
- d. Centennial celebration
- e. \$475 conference fee
- f. Participants must register through council contingent
- g. Section deadline to have Legacy Lids photos uploaded by November 10, 2014.

### XIV. National Leadership Seminar

- a. NO ROCHESTER NLS IN 2015
- b. February 27 – March 1, 2015 (Ohio)
- c. October 9-11 2015 (Wisconsin, within Section C-7)
- d. November 6-8 2015 (Missouri)

### XV. Closing