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THE CHIEF

The Season of Brotherhood is upon us. The Lodge can look back on a year of real accomplishment.

exciting events and great chances

to serve our units and the scouting movement. The Coming Year -- a time to be rilled with opportunity. Cnapter service is where it is at. A Christmas service project would be great way to unify your chapter brotherhood and increase activity for the coming year.

There are many who are in need of the help of the brotherhood, from making a shoveling group to serve the neiborhood in some of the larger chapters to haveing a Sub-4 Santa program in all chapters the oportunity will make the "giving" season one to remember.



COMING EVENTS

DECEMBER

3rd Officer Training Second Makeup session /:00 - 9:00 PM

7th University of Scouting Murray High

19th LECM 7:00 PM Place to be announced

JANUARY

10th Cut off date for Locketty for Lodge Banquet

17th LODGE BANQUET 6:30 PM
Park Stake Center
Tickets \$6.00 per person

FEBRUARY

20th Silver beaver Nime /:00 PM

27th LECM 7:00 PM service Center

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To Our Brother Arrowmen:

As officers, we want to take this time to wish each of you a MERRY CHRISTMAS and the best of everything for the coming year.

Our gift to Scouting throughout the year is Brotherhood, Cheerfulness and Service and we appreciate each of you as you carry out the proud traditions of the Order of the Arrow in making these gifts live in the lives of our fellow scouts.

May the spirit of this season bring each of us a rededication to the principles of our order as we continue to be "mindful of our high tradition".

Best Wishes, your Brothers;

Virgil Chirstensen Robert Patey Steve sugden Andy sorenson Allen Record Matt Mecham Gary Ray

LODGE BANQUET

One of the really fine events of the year is the Annual modge Banquet. Barton Jeffs This year's will be no exception states Vice Chief Robert Patey.

The cost is only \$6.00 per person and it is suggested that each arrowman invite his parents to join him for this event.

A surprise speaker, great food, sparkling entertainment and traditional OA fellowship will make it a highlight of the year. Vigil tap outs will cap the evening.

Deadline for tickets is January 10th. A special invitation is being mailed to each arrowman--however if you want to make sure you're on the list give Craig Edwards a call for reservations at 582-3663.



HIDE AND SEEK

we're missing some gear--how about seeing if you've got it stored away somewhere?

- 4 War bonnet headresses
- 1 Headress with double trailer
 (the chief's bonnet)

18' tipi

Ps The lock on the cage has been changed so if you need equipment contract Craig Edwards.

There will be a deposit required on Lodge equipment—when it comes back so does the deposit.

N.L.S.

Utah State University on the 14th and 15th of November was host to 100 arrowmen from Utah, Wyoming and Idaho for a National Leadership Seminar. 12 Arrowmen from El-Kr. To Lodge attended.

Classes on Section relations, history of the OA, communication National policy etc. were given under the leadership of the Region Chief and the Section Chief, Larry Johnson (an El-Ku-Ta member).

In addition to the Lodge Key 3, those attending were: Steve Sugden, Andy Sorenson, Steve Willyerd, mark Scheering, Barton Jeffs, Gary McFarland, Jason Miller, Joel Grose, Ryan Hatcn.

DEAR BOB

Dear Bob,

I have a little problem with the chapter activity's, nobody comes what should i do?

Dear Squirrel -- This could a very serious problem, but luckly I am here to give you some excellent advice. First you need make your meetings fun, make Indian articles, learn Indian dances, make the meetings fun. Second you need to make phone calls, remand everyone about it.

If this does not work tell me about it.

BOB

TRIVIA QUESTION

The answer to last months Trivia question was Shaw Utes.

What was the name of the first Lodge Publication?

CHANCE OF A LIFETIME

ne Hermansen, won the last cret arrowman contest. The answer was Virgil Christensen.

This month's clue is: Like' 'to Macadees.

CONTESTS

Somewhere in the dark corners of the ECHO is an arrwoman's name. If you by chance, nappen to belong to that name, you have until the 15th of December, 1985, to contact the Editor. You will win a carefully selected gift. Names are arbitrarily chosen. Have fun.

Each publication of the ECHO contains a clue to this year's secret arrowman. If you think that you know this arrowman's name, contact the Editor. Good Luck!!



SHOOTIN' THE BULL

Clark and Dave, Dimensionals berry, berry good, when? From the Underexposed bear (Y)

Swifty, not again, no, never, deffinatly not, even though you are in bed, never never again.

The Mouse

Click, Boom-chick-a-boom, and Dug they got slick sticks? Keep a weekend open. The Snowman

To Mister Photo, keep up the awesome job.

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DABYOK CHAPTER

Last month we did a disrict dinner, which was a great success. This month we are going on a campout on the 27 and 28 of December. At the campout we will be having a Christmas Party.

RED HILLS CHAPTER

We are going to finish the choker we started last month. Those who have not started one but would like to still make one may start it at the next meeting, 6:00, first Thursday, at the Bountiful library.

CHANS CHAPTER

We have changed our chapter name to the Chans Chapter(Elder Brother). Our newly elected officers are: Erik Quist-Chief, Mark Francis-Activities chairmen, Trevor Gilletle-Vicechief South Jordan, Reid Sunderburg-Vicechief Riverton, Brad Harris-Head Vicechief, Bret Vanwagoner-Secretary.

WAMBLEE CHAPTER

we would like to welcome all chapter members out to our chapter meeting on December 12. We will be practicing dances for our chapter dance team and start understudies for the Ordeal and Brotherhood parts. For more information or if any questions call:

Shawn Jager-Chief 255-0759 Dave Jager-Advisor 255-0759

We wish all Chapter members a Merry Christmas.

Come one, come all to the Sage Chapter Christmas Party on December 12, at the Lakeview chapter. Remember to bring a "white elephant" gift. (something of your own to give away). So come dashing through the snow and bring some Christmas cheer.

"No Figgy Pudding Please."

Any Questions?

call Dennis Hagg 882-4566 Chapter Chief

LODGE PATCH

The so called "Kissing Elk" lodge flap was produced in 1984 and used primarily for the 1984 and Spring 1985 ordeals. The issue was limited to 1500 patches and prichased from International landem.

In July of 1985 the Lodge produced a 12 color patch as the official patch denoted by the arrow having a black tip and feathers. The issue was limited to 1000 preces and made overseas.

In August of 1905 the 12 color patch was modified to increase the colors in the sky with the addition of a soft red and yellow and the arrow was changed to all red. 1000 cs. were ordered in August.

SAD, BUT TR JE

if you don't pay your exorcist bills, you'll get repossessed.

To err is human, to blame on the other party is good politics.

The Lord giveth, but the Government taketh away.

ITS A FACT, JACK!

The largest lodge in the Western Region is Wipala Wiki #432 in Arizona with 1534 members.

About 50 lodges in the country have 50 members or less.

FOR SALE, TRADE OR THEFT

Wanted:

An old bike that works for mighty chieftan.

wanted:

Three patches from lodge 127, for the Staff Advisor.

Wanted:

A dollar for the person who lent it at NLS.

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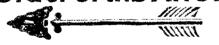
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