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The General Lodge Meeting on March 6th will feature the Wasatch Mountain Men. This is a good show, and we encourage everyone to come. Be at Scout Service Center, 525 Foot-hill Drive, at 7:30 p.m. Lodge officers would like to see a full auditorium, so please attend. March 6th!

Fellow Campers:

Now that the new year is underway, we must concentrate our efforts on building up our chapters by reregistering old members and electing new honor campers into our ranks of cheerful service. I hope that everyone will get reregistered himself, because we've got a lot of work to do in service and building the Scouting movement.

I hope to see you all at the first general lodge meeting on March 6th!

Yours in Service,

Matthew S. Hosford

Matt Hosford,
Lodge Chief

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Highlight of
the Year-
National Conference.
Oxford, Ohio



Dear Brothers:

The new year has arrived, and we as brothers should be pursuing that which a new year can represent. We should have already decided what we are going to do to make the new year better than the last.

Every father and mother hopes their children are better than they are. Each generation is better than the last, but not to the extent the previous one had hoped for. Let us hope the last year's lodge officers wish the new administration achievement to a greater degree of perfection than they.

Everyone can wish, but as a wise person has said, "Wishing without works is dead." We

must all work to achieve this degree of perfection.

Work in reregistration, unit elections, and chapter strengthening, as well as the value in the Obligation, will serve to perfect the lodge.

Let us all work harder in '75, that Recognition '75 will be more memorable to us, and memorable to more Arrowmen than before.

Strive for Perfection Always,



Gordon Clyde Cummings,
Lodge Editor



Arrowmen:

Election time is rapidly coming around, and it is important that troop elections in all the troops be completed by March 15th. These troop elections sustain our lodge membership, and bring fresh blood and spirit into the lodge. The summer fellowship and ordeal, as well as other ordeal ceremonies, are largely supported

by the elected candidates, so please finish up by the deadline.

Yours in brotherhood,



Jamie Lowden,
DVC Inductions



Fellow Arrowmen:

The new year is upon us, and so are dues. They are still only \$3.00 for the year 1975.

The lodge banquet was held January 25th, at South High. There, the new lodge officers were sworn in for 1975.

The 1975 National Conference will be August 18-22 at Miami University, Ohio. (Not in Florida, but *Ohio*), so start saving your money. (You will need lots of it).

Chapter meeting will be March 5th at Valley Jr. High. Lodge meeting will be March 6th at Scout Service Center.

Remember, if you want to be a registered member, you have to pay your \$3.00.

Yours in Brotherhood,

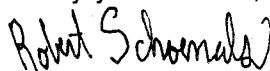


Paul Jensen



The lodge has recently set up a display case at Scout headquarters. It contains past neckerchieves and patches of our lodge. If anyone has any information concerning lodge history, please call me at 582-0072.

Sincerely your brother,



Robert Schoenhais
Lodge Historian

Many new things come with the new year, and one of the most important things is dues — yes dues!!! They (dues) are still at the uninflated price of \$3.00. This three dollars will get you registered in the great organization — Order

of the Arrow. Yes, just think, only three dollars for the whole year 1975!!! All you do is pay your \$3.00 to your chapter secretary/treasurer, or to me — the lodge treasurer, or just mail or bring your money to:



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Along with your money, please also include:

Name _____

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Phone _____ Troop No. _____ Age _____ Rank _____



Yours in Brotherhood,

Tom Johnson

Tom Johnson, Lodge Treasurer

We appreciate the forthright leadership of Dr. Bryce Fairbanks, Lodge Adviser, Matt Hosford, Lodge Chief, and all other officers, for the direction they give in promoting OA in Great Salt Lake Council, especially the guidelines for the *Echo* staff. These ideals and standards will guide us in producing what is hoped will be a quality monthly newsletter.

First of all, let's not forget we are Scouts as well as members of OA, and have pledged to uphold exemplary principles and ideals.

The various chapters are integral units of

El-ku-ta Lodge, not independent of themselves. Together we "weld tightly every link," brothers in very deed.

Good taste will prevail on the pages of the *Echo*. Sharp photos will be a feature of our paper. Next month a series of biographical sketches will begin. Esprit de corps will be high.

Let's show love and respect for each other, and have fun.

If we make mistakes, correct us, and we will get back on course. —NP

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