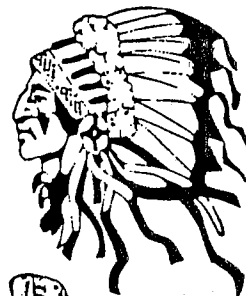


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## A WORD FROM THE CHIEF

by Jasemaurice Feichko - Lodge Chief



Jasemaurice Feichko  
Lodge Chief 1991-92

I hope that the holidays were great for everyone. I hope that everyone will continue with that same holiday spirit for the coming year. You all did an excellent job with registration, helping us complete our goal. With elec-

tions already underway, make sure you're keeping your appointments with the scoutmasters and varsity coaches. Let see everyone at the lodge banquet, it's destined to be a blast. Congrats to chapter 1 for being the first to successfully bring in their 9 registrations for December.

Section conference is on its way and I personally encourage everyone to sign up and come. We've planned a great event with the other lodges in our section. Remember NOAC in August, spots are filling fast.

Coup Trail is also filling fast. Tyson and his staff are hard at work. Come join in the greatest course on earth. Thanks again for your support. My officers and I wish you the best for the coming year.

## THREE MONTH CALENDAR

*Jan. 16.* LECM 7:00 pm at Tracy Training Center. Chapter Chiefs and Advisers only.

*Jan. 18.* LODGE BANQUET 7:00 pm at Tracy. All arrowmen and families. Tickets \$9.00 per person. No tickets available at the door.

*Feb. 20.* LECM 7:00 pm at Tracy Training Center. All lodge and chapter officers and advisers.

*Feb. 22.* BROTHERHOOD 6:00 pm at Tracy Training Center \$9.00

*Mar. 19.* LECM 7:00 at Tracy Training Center. All chapter advisers and Officers.

*Mar. 21.* BROTHERHOOD 7:00 pm at Tracy Training Center \$9.00

*Mar. 28.* SCOUT-O-RAMA. All day at the Salt Palace. Each chapter will be participating.

*May 1-3.* SECTION CONFERENCE. \$30.00 fees. Roy High. All of the lodges in the section. Don't miss out on this one.



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Don't miss out on a great time  
COUP TRAIL '92

### COUP TRAIL '92

Coup Trail is heading for another smashing success this year. A staff has already been selected and training is underway.

Because of last year's flying colors in Arrowmen recruiting, Coup Trail will fill extremely fast. If you are interested in attending, immediately send in your registration form.

The course will be 8 days long - from June 20-27, 1992. Cost will be \$110.00 - which will be well worth it considering all the events held, skills and crefts learned, and memories created at Coup Trail.

To register for this Junior Leader Training course, immediately send \$30.00 along with the application attached to

OA Coup Trail  
525 Foothill Blvd  
Salt Lake City, UT 84113

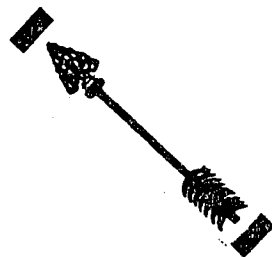
The rest of the fees must be paid before June 1, 1992. I will see you there!

Yours in Brotherhood

Rand McMullin  
Coup Trail Staff 92

### FALL POWWOW NEWS

The weather on the 1st and 2nd of November took a bite out of the events planned for the powwow. Nevertheless, the event continued as planned. For those who attended, there was some excellant instruction in various native american subjects. The committee owes a special thanks to *Terry Rosenlund* for his efforts and to those who staff the event as well as those who came out and supported it. Meals were provided and the powwow continued from Friday night through Saturday afternoon. There will be a similar event held next fall. You all plan on it!



### KEEP THE CANDIDATES

With each election, make sure that the new candidates are invited to the next chapter meeting. Have a special session just for them and introduce them to the members of the chapters and a little bit of what they can expect upon joining the OA.

Chapters are reminded that in April or May each chapter is to have an open house for all candidates and their parents. This is an ideal time to collect registration for the coming ordeals and to let the parents know about the Order of the Arrow and some of our traditions.

## COUP TRAIL:

by Tyson Webb, Chief

Coup Trail is please to announce that the rest of the Staff has been chosen. It includes:

*Bill Eldred, Course Adviser*  
*Dan Foster, Asst. Adviser*  
*Norman Webb, Asst. Adviser*  
*Tyson Webb, Course Chief*  
*Mike Bown, Vice Chief*  
*Rand McMullin, Vice Chief*  
*Steve Brown, Staff*  
*Nathan Campbell, Staff*  
*Keith Gonzales, Staff*  
*T.K. Hollberg, Staff*  
*Jared Martin, Staff*  
*Joseph Pergler, Staff*  
*Ryan Pitts, Staff*  
*Mike Rick, Staff*  
*Travis Stevens, Staff*  
*David Swenson, Staff*  
*Mac Wiseman, Staff*

For questions about applications to attend the course, call *Tyson Webb, 966-2061* or *Bill Eldred, 255-9259*.

## ADVISER'S MINUTE

By *David E Halliday, Lodge Adviser*

It is a new year and if you have been following all of the changes that have been going on, you will see that there are a lot of new faces - many in this issue alone.

This year there will be a National Conference and other exciting events. Don't miss out on participating in as many as you can. The highlite ought to be the Summer Fellowship and everyone should plan on being there.

It is a time when we should expand our brotherhood. Seek new candidates in every unit and kindle the flame in them to attend the ordeal and join with us.

Make 1992 something special in the EL-KU-TA lodge.

## CHANGES:

### *Thanks and Best Wishes:*

*Charles Acklin, Wachtschu Uintah*, who is retiring as the Chapter Adviser

*Rich Smith, Sage*, for his efforts as the Chapter Adviser.

*Martin Walsh, Nchocha Wachtschu*, who will be leaving as the Chapter Adviser.

### *Welcome aboard:*

*David Aagard, Sage*, has been selected as the Chapter Adviser.

*Brad Barker, Wachtschu Uintah*, has been appointed at the Chapter Adviser

*Steve Dupaix, Iriquois*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser

*Tom Grover, Mikanakawa*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser.

*Troy Johnson, Sage*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser.

*Lane Hansen, Nechoha Wachtschu*, has been appointed as the Lodge Elections Chairman.

*John Lynch, Farmington Bay*, will be working on some special projects for the lodge as one of the Lodge Advisers.

*Matt Mecham, Silver Elk*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser.

*Russ Pierce, Mikanakawa*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser

*Ray Salazar, Sage*, has been selected as an assistant Chapter Adviser.

N.L.S.

On December 6-8, 1991 the following individuals successfully completed training at a National Leadership Seminar (NLS) held by the Western Region at Tracy; *David E Halliday, Terry Rosenlund, Rand McMullin, Ryan Pitts, Richard Kennard, Paul Tikalsky, and Jared Martin.*

Staff for the 3 day event was provided by the Western Region and included; *Jeff Possey, National Vice Chief; Louis Monville III, Western Region Chief; Esten Grubb, Western Region OA Chairman; Bill Sparkman, Assoc. National Director.* Members of our lodge were also on staff and included, *Brad Mecham, Jasemaurice Feichko, Vern Peterson, John Bolke and B.J. Fairbanks.* This will probably be the last NLS as new training is expected to be announced at the Conference next August.

#### LODGE BANQUET

FOR: All arrowmen  
Guests (family & friends)

WHEN: January 18, 1992  
7:00 pm

WHERE: Tracy Training Center

*Dan Stanford*, Banquet Chairman, wants to remind everyone that they are invited to the annual lodge recognition banquet to be held in January.

In addition to an outstanding meal, the lodge will present the Founder's Award as well as other awards to honor those who have contributed to the success of the program during the past year.

*Ted Nielson*, Vigil Chief, indicates that a number of vigil candidates will be tapped out at the banquet. The lodge can present over 30 vigils to worthy recipients during the next year.

Since tickets will not be available at the door, it is imperative that you purchase them from your chapter officers or at the scout center before January 13, 1992. The cost is \$9.00 per person.



#### SECTION CONFERENCE 1992

The Section Conference for 1992 will be held *May 1, 2, 3, 1992* at Roy High School in Roy Utah. The Ogden lodge will be the host of the conference. Those of you who have attended any of the last ones know that it is a great time to enjoy new friends (and old) and have some exciting times.

Since the conference is right next door to the council, everyone can plan on making the event. The cost will be \$30.00. Registration forms will be available at the January LECM.

A rough design of the conference patch is at the top of this article. There will also be a conference pin that can be earned and purchased.

In addition to workshops on leadership and various aspects of the Order, there will be Section elections for the new Section Officers, and competition in various dance and ceremony categories.

Don't miss out. Plan on attending it now.

## THE YEAR IN REVIEW

### REGISTRATION:

The lodge increased its membership during the year (how much is still being worked on as we go to press). This is the 4th year with a net membership gain. Most notable are *Chapters 1 & 17* for the efforts they put forth. *Chapter 17* registered 94% of its membership.

### ORDEALS:

The percentage of candidates completing their ordeal increased during the year to 60%. Over half of the candidates completed their order at summer camp. *Chapter 17* inducted 91% of their candidates - the highest in the lodge. At last count, about 700 new membership joined the lodge in 1991.

### BROTHERHOOD:

144 Members completed their order during the year for the largest brotherhood class in recent memory. Members are reminded brotherhood ceremonies are being held almost each month - check the hotline.

### ELECTIONS:

Elections were down during the year. Chapter support in this area could improve a great deal. Elections are also being held at summer camp which should make the job a lot easier.

### SUMMER FELLOWSHIP:

The Fellowship increased in size for the 3rd year in a row. With almost 200 members at East Fork for all or part of the event, it was the biggest in a long time. This year's should be greater.

### COUP TRAIL:

Last year saw an increase in the number of members who attended Coup Trail for a week of intensive training. In 5 short years the course has grown from less than 40 to 80 candidates plus staff. Last year saw the course explode and this year should be no different.

### SERVICE HOURS:

Service hours were up with over 14,000 man hours of service to units, community, and church organizations. Many Eagle Courts, Arrow of Light ceremonies, District Events, and Community events saw arrowmen serving others.

### IN GENERAL:

The percentage of our lodge that is brotherhood or vigil is increasing. That means that members are staying active longer. That will benefit the lodge in the future.

There are some areas in which we can improve:

- Unit Elections
- Getting Candidates to ordeals
- Chapter meetings
- Section Activities

Most of the work of improving the lodge will have to be done in chapters. Often we do not promote the program in a way that makes others excited about it - or we wait until it is too late and our members have planned other activities.

This year let's work on those areas where we are weak and improve the lodge.

## A DARK AND STORMY NIGHT

It was a dark and stormy night on November 1st for the lodge makeup ordeal. Twenty-two candidates assembled in the fort and began their ordeal. All night it snowed and in the morning everything was covered - except the candidates. Saturday was bright (and cold) and those who went through and completed their ordeal will have an experience to remember. It has been a long time since we have held an ordeal in the snow.

Congratulations to new members: *Ben Chapman, David Belka, Ben Lee, Ryan Meyer, Garret Bird, Roger Oler, Bryan Billingsley, Trent Sayer, Michael Beck, Jeremy Visser, Aryn Stevens, Cameron Plouzek, Micah Shirts, Rex Morrey, Joey Mirrabella, Marty Vanwagoner, Jared Holmberg, Wesley Christensen, Nate Anderson, Cameron Corfield, Larry Huffman, and Ron Eisenhower.* The El-Ku-Ta lodge appreciates your dedication. Thanks to all of the staff and ceremony team who worked on this event.

At the Ordeal in October 101 candidates completed the ordeal for membership in the OA. Thanks to those who provided ceremonies and staff help with the ordeal. It was very successful.

### LODGE VIDEO

Chapters are reminded that the lodge video is to be shown to all scout troops and varsity teams.

Two copies of the lodge video should be in the possession of each chapter. If you have recently changed officers or advisers, check with the old officers or advisers for your copies. If there is any problem get in touch with the lodge advisers or any of the lodge officers and we will get you a copy. It should also be shown at roundtables, both scout and varsity.

### CHAPTER NEWS

Why is there no chapter news in this issue you might ask? Only the Shadow knows (and a few chapter officers who are not telling). Why don't you guys get of dead center and send some in?

### 35th ANNIVERSARY FLAPS

Yes, there are still some available at the scout shops or at lodge events. Yes, they will be available at the lodge Banquet. Yes they will be withdrawn from sale in the next month or so. Yes, you better get yours now while you can. Yes, you can no buy as many as you want (good news for the traders huh?) Yes, you need a current membership card to get them. 'nough said?

**If you want to know the latest on what's going on in the Lodge, call the**

**O. A. HOTLINE:**

**292-4801**

**REGISTRATION FORM - GENERAL EVENTS**

Hey, you lodge guys are alright! How about registering me for the following great times:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Send me information on the National Conference Trip - I want to go.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Register me for the next Brotherhood Ceremony (Enclose \$9.00)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Register \_\_\_\_\_ people for the Lodge Banquet (Enclose \$9.00 per person - the date is January 18, 1991 at 7:00 pm Tracy Training Center.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sign me up for the Section Conference in Roy, Utah on May 1, 2, 3, 1991 - Enclosed is \$30.00.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Give my name to: \_\_\_\_\_ Ordeal Committee (Spring Ordeals  
\_\_\_\_\_ Scout-O-Rama Committee  
\_\_\_\_\_ Summer Fellowship Committee
- \_\_\_\_\_ Send me \_\_\_\_\_ 35th Anniversary Flaps (\$5.50 each, includes postage.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Lodge Secretary, Great Salt Lake Council, 525 Foothill Blvd, Salt Lake City, UT 84113

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**REGISTRATION FORM - COUP TRAIL**

**COUP TRAIL REGISTRATION FORM**

Please Print:

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_ CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

STATUS: O B V RANK: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby apply to participate in Coup Trail in 1992. I understand that the principles of the Order of the Arrow will govern my participation. My parents agree that I can participate and that we will furnish the council with the proper medical information prior to the course.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Arrowman \_\_\_\_\_ Parent \_\_\_\_\_

## THE LEGEND

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### NEXT LEGEND DEADLINES

Chapter articles for the next legend must be into David Palmer by January 31, 1992. Mail them to the council office.

The next issue will have a Review of 1991 in it.

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