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WORDS FROM THE CHIEF

On many occasions, my Adviser and I have sat down and discussed the future of the EL-KU-TA lodge --- and have wondered what was possible. The definition of "progress" changes as goals and priorities change. Indeed this is not the same Lodge it was a few months ago and it is completely different than it was when I went through my Ordeal 4 years ago.

Every year a new group of Lodge and Chapter Officers set goals and try to accomplish innumerable challenges. Every year many programs and ideas work out well for the progress of our lodge. People learn and change as a result of their endeavors. And more importantly relationships change and develop as time passes. I have always been amazed at the way that our brothers sacrifice their time for the betterment of the 1 odge. Many times they don't ask for, or expect, any credit at all.



Rand McMullin Lodge Chief 1993-94

The quality of leadership here is excellent. As leaders, we all come from different troops and backgrounds. We have different opinions about the way to run a meeting or an event. But regardless of these differences, we respect one another as brothers.

Together we are approaching uncharted territory that we have never been near before. If every arrowman knew his potential, and set out to accomplish this potential ---- then we would be the greatest lodge in the nation. We shouldn't hesitate to aim for perfection in all that we do....just because it hasn't been achieved before.

As a lodge, I think that we are capable of running programs better and cleaner than we are right now. I think that the best times, and our best programs, are still yet to come. I'm excited about the future of our lodge. And I'm proud to be affiliated with those who will create that future.

Yours in Brotherhood,

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April 28, 1994	

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13	7:00pm	Future Lodge Officers/Parents					
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19	7:00pm	L.E.C.M. at Tracy Lodge					
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21	7:00pm	Brotherhood Ceremony at Tracy					
		June					

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7-11		Summer Fellowship, Camp Tomahaw East Fork of the Bear
16-18		Big Event, Rendevous Meadows East Fork of the Bear
18-25		Coup Trail J.L.T. Course Travis Training Center East Fork of the Bear

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COUP TRAIL

Come and join in the FUN and excitement of a well planned and organized leadership development course this summer at East Fork of the Bear River Scout Reservation. Spend eight splendid days camping, learning, and of course -- HAVING FUN! Come and attend COUP TRAIL!

The Course will be held June 18th - 25th, 1994, at the Travis Training Center, located at the East Fork of the Bear Reservation.

The Cost is \$120.00, which includes food, camping gear, a t-shirt, hat and patch.

Coup Trail is almost full this year, so if you are interested in coming please call us A.S.A.P. to reserve your place among the future leaders of the lodge.

For more information call: David 571-4200 Devin 571-4200 Weston 245-1334

Please Mail your Check and Form to:

The Great Salt Lake Council Care of: EL-KU-TA Lodge O.A. 525 Foothill Blvd. S.L.C., UT 84113-1199

Summer Fellowship

by Ethan Millard Legend Ediitor

The 1994 EL-KU-TA Lodge Summer Fellowship will be held June seventh thru the eleventh at Camp Tomahawk East Fork of the Bear. This is the lodges greatest event and you can't beat the price \$40.00 for the entire five days, or if you would like to also attend the ordeal that just bumps the cost up to \$55.00. Don't forget that if you attend the Summer Fellowship this will pay you registration for the 1995 year.

Register early. You will have the greatest time of your life. We have all of the best events from last year and some new ones too. This years activities will make this Summer

Fellowship something you won't want to miss and here are just a few of them:

Waterfront Pow-Wow Rifle Range Steal the Flag

Repelling Ultimate Frisbee
Archery Movies
Field Sports Lodge Elections
Classes Games
Hiking Olympics
Ceremony Competition

Chapters are arranging trans-

portation so call you Chapter

Ceremony Competition and much much more!!!

chief for ride information. If you need any other information or would like to be on staff please call Jared Martin at 292-6612 or Ryan

Pitts at 451-0614.

Ordeals (

By Weston Blaney Ordeals Chairman

Thank's to the help of many Experienced arrowmen, the April ordeal, despite the bad weather, was a success in bring in forty-six new ordeal members into the lodge. The 100% chance of cold wind and rain was an exciting and joyful experience for all who were involved.

Much work was done to improve the Tooele Training Center. Well done to Chapters seventeen, twenty-three, and twenty seven for the five or more candidates and Elangomat(s). A special thank's goes out to all the other Chapters that participated as well.

The First of the next two ordeals will be held on May 13th and 14th at Camp Tracy, all candidates need to be there by 7:00pm on Friday. The Second will be held in conjunction with the Summer Fellowship. Please Call the Lodge Hotline or Weston Blaney at 254-1334 to find out what to bring or for any other information you might need.

OFFICERS ELECTED

JUSTIN BARKER was elected as the new Chief of Section W2A in ceremonies held during the Section Conference.

MIKE RICH of the lodge was elected as the Section Secretary. Mike recently served as the lodge secretary and Justin is currently serving as a Lodge Vice Chief. Both will be attending the 1994 National Conference.

Justin will meet with national planning meeting in Dallas in December representing our section.

Lodge Elections



LODGE CHIEF

DAVID CRANE Age 15, currently serving as Chapter 27 Senior Vice Chief. A Star Scout and Brotherhood member. Dave has had experience with several chapter events.

RICHARD KENNARD Age 17, and currently serving as a Lodge Vice Chief. Rich is an Eagle Scout and a Vigil Honor member, served on several camp staffs, Fellowship chairman (1992) and several Silver Moccasin staffs and is responsible for lodge unit elections.

RYAN PITTS Age 17, and currently serving as a Lodge Vice Chief. An Eagle Scout and Vigil Honor member. Ryan has served as a chapter chief, attended NOAC in 1990 and Coup Trail and is responsible for the NOAC contingent and the lodge banquet and fellowship.

VICE CHIEF

JAMES BARTON Age 15, and currently serving as a Chapter Vice Chief in Chapter 27. Jim is an Eagle Scout, a Brotherhood member and on the Coup Trail staff for 1994.

WESTON BLANEY Age 16, and currently serving as the lodge Ordeal Chairman. Weston is an Eagle Scout, a Brotherhood member and has served as a chapter vice chief of ceremonies in Chapter 27. He is currently a Coup Trail Vice Chief.

STEVE BRUSO Age 17, and currently the lodge Brotherhood Chairman. Steve is an Eagle Scout and a Vigil Honor member and has served as the Chief of Chapter 2 as well as in other chapter offices.

GAVIN LILLIE Age 15. Gavin is currently a member of Chapter 27, an Eagle Scout and an Ordeal member with leadership experience in his unit.

NICK OLIVER Age 15. Nick is currently serving as the Chapter Chief of Chapter 27. He is an Eagle Scout and a Brotherhood member of the lodge and recently chaired the Food for Scouting drive in his district.

JASON PETROVICH Age 15.
Jason is currently the Chief of
Chapter 17 and is on the Coup
Trail Staff. He is an Eagle Scout
and a Brotherhood member of the
lodge

STEVE SHELTON Age 16. Steven is currently a Lodge Vice Chief and has been the lodge ceremony chairman. He is an Eagle Scout, a Brotherhood Member, has attended Coup Trail, and is a member of Chapter 5.

DEAN STEWART Age 17.
Dean is a member of Chapter 10, an Eagle Scout and a Brotherhood member of the lodge. He has served in Tu-Cubin-Noonie lodge before moving to Park City.

DAVID SWENSON Age 17. David is currently the Coup Trail Chief, a former Chapter Chief of Chapter 28, an Eagle Scout and a Vigil Honor member of the lodge.

SECRETARY

BRANDON FESSLER Age 15, currently serving as a Chapter Chief of Chapter 16. Brandon isi a brotherhood member of the Order and has been involved with the recent Section Conference and attended Coup Trail.

TREASURER

JOEL ISOLAMPI Age 17. Joel is a member of Chapter 11 and is an Eagle Scout and a Brotherhood member of the lodge.

Elections will take place on Friday at noon at the Summer Fellowship. All members are invited to attend. Meet the candidates at activities between now and the Summer Fellowship and get to know them and the views that they represent.

THANKS

Being a Lodge Officer is a difficult position. It takes a lot of time and many of things that you have to do are expensive. Often it means that you need to be at a lodge event instead of a family activity or school party.

This year's lodge officers have done an outstanding job. They have improved many of the lodge programs including the lodge committee system. they have moved the programs and the quality of the lodge forward.

When you get the next issue of the <u>Legend</u> there will be new names and new faces and those we have known so well this year will move on to other activities.

Such is the wa

In the next few weeks, take a minute and let those officers who have served us well this year know of your appreciation. While none of them would ask for it, they would appreciate it.

They have done an outstanding job.

As you look at the names that appear on this page in the other two columns, get to know them and pick the ones that will represent you well.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the summer fellowship. Join us as we honor those who serve, old and new.

Yours in brotherhood,

David E Halliday Lodge Adviser



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BROTHERHOOD

- A JOURNEY

As a new ordeal you took your first obligation..."to observe and preserve the traditions of the Order of the Arrow"... and concluded your weekend ordeal.

What have you done since. Have you kept the spirit of the ordeal alive? Have you served others cheerfully? That was the idea and the beginning of the path you started.

There are many who have kept faith with the obligation. Now it is time for each of you to complete the journey that started with your ordeal by attending a brotherhood is not just another grade, but the completion of the ordeal.

If 10 months have past. If you are satisfied that you have kept the spirit, why not make plans to attend the next ceremony. The best team awaits. Preparations are made. All we need is YOU. See the calendar for time and place.



VIGIL CALL OUT

Brad Mecham, the lodge Vigil chairman, reports that there will be a Vigil Call out as part of the Summer Fellowship.

The Vigil Honor is the highest honor a member can receive. It is reserved for those who have been Brotherhood members for at least 2 years and have given distinguished service to their council, camp or community. Nominations are made by the vigil committee and approved by the national office of the Order.

Contact Brad at 561-3274 if you have anyone you would like to nominate.



SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

by Jared Martin, Chairman

By destiny or decree, this year's Summer Fellowship will be the greatest in history! In years past we have indeed attended outrageously fun Summer Fellowships, but this will exceed all expectations from the past.

We will have activities including rifle and archery ranges, waterfront activities, horseshoes, waterfights, indian lore activities, field games, and whatever else you feel like doing. Oh yea, there will be many craft classes.

Watch for the signup material to appear in your mailbox soon or call you chapter chief.

SECTION CONFERENCE

By Curtis Hancock, Chairman

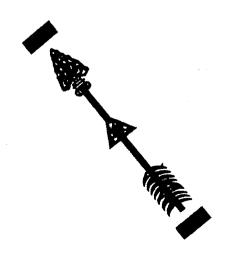
I really enjoyed this year's Section Conference that was held at Camp Williams on April 29 - May 1. Over 80 arrowmen attended from our lodge at different times throughout the proceedings of the weekend.

There were many memorable activities that added to the excitement of the weekend, including repelling, and the obstacle course, and a variety of outdoor activities.

To top it off, Justin Barker was elected to the office of Section Chief on Sunday morning. He is the third Section Chief in a row to come from the lodge. The next time that you see him be sure to congratulate him.

Jim Lewis, the Western Region Chief was in attendance with his adviser, Ken Galloway. A number of us got to know Jim well.

I look forward to next year's conference that we will hosted by.....you guessed it...OUR LODGE. This will be on the last weekend in April, 1995.





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RED HILLS CHAPTER

We would like to welcome all of our new ordal candidates that completed our ordeal on May 13th and 14th at Mueller Park in Bountiful. The owrk on the Mueller Park trail will benefit all hikers and visits who use that area. We would also like to give a hardy congratulations to all of our new brotherhood.

Things to look forward to:

May 26th

Welcome Party & officer elections

free pizza

June July The Fellowship Jackson Canoe Trip

We would like to give a very special thanks to Syzy Jo Gatherum for all of the hours and hard work spent typing, folding, and mailing of chapter "stuff". We appreciate your!

I'd like to thank everyone who has helped me to do all of the things we have done as a chapter. I couldn't have done it without you.

Mike Parkes

INDIAN SPRINGS

We would like all members if possible to attend our Lodge Summer Fellowship. It is scheduled for June 7-11. It is alot of fun and really motivating! If you have any questions call Dave Phillips at 292-8134. We would also like you to start working on brotherhood and re-registration.

Thanks, Dave Phillips, Chief

WOAPALANNE

May 12th, parents and candidates night.

Chapter meetings: Second Thursday of every month, Rose Park Stake Center, 1300 W. 850 No. at 7:00 p.m.

May 13-14. Chapter fellowship at the Little Saharah, Ordeal and Brotherhood Ceremonies for all eligible. Leave at 4:00 p.m. on Friday from the meeting place.

WASCHITU UINTAH

This is for every one in chapter 10 that is not going to chapter meetings. Our meetins are held at the Wanship LDS Chsurch. You need to come out, our attendance is poor. I hope to see you at the next meeting. Come and meet our new adviser, Gary Hayes.

Chief, Dan Rich

SAGE

Four ordeals went through in Pine Canyon in April and we had one elangomat in attendance. Welcome to the new members. Meetings are at the Wigwam on the 2nd Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

DAKOTA SIOUX

We are holding a second chapter meeting on the Saturday following our regular chapter meetin on the 1st Thursday. We meet at the new West Valley Stake Center, 3963 So. Peachwood Drive (3480 W.) at 10:00 a.m. Call Nathan Gunderson, 974-0466, Scott Pearson, 967-9593, or Alvin Crown, 965-1024 for more information. Chapter officer elections will be held in June.

LEKE NIMAT

The past few meetings have bene great. We've had everything fr9om the Goldl Cross Ambulence to making arrowheads. So if you want to have a great time, and you're in chapter 16, come to our meeting every 2nd Thursday on roundtable night 7:00 p.m. at Keans High School.

TA TANKA SKA

As my term comes to a close, I would like to thank all of you who helped, expecially my officers. I would like to invite all chapter members to

the May chapter meeting. We will be electing new officers. It is at West Jordan Middle School at 7:00 p.m. on May 5, 1994. Also come to our chapter banquet the following week, the year is coming to a close, but it doesn't mean that we can be lazy, you need to re-register immediatelyt. Don't be a slacker, re-register your friends. If they have been elected and not gone through their ordeal, invite them to the May ordeal. Get involveld! OA is not just this year, many committees need your help.

Have Fun, Jason Petrovich

WAMBLEE

Wamblee Chapter had eight candidates complete the ordeal at Pine Canyon. Even with the wet weather, the candidates displayed the true spirit of the Order of the Arrow. These new arrowmen will be an asset to the lodge and the Wamblee chapter.

Ben Braman Justin Swain Joshua Randall Mike Taylor Jeremy Wright Corey Hedin Chris Cowdell Gordon Welch

We will be having elections in May and want to thank our last chapter leaders for all their work and leadership.

> James Tomlinson, Chapter Chief

SILVER ELK

We would like all members to get active in our chapter. We have many events this spring/summer and would like you to join in. May is chapter elections and we are planning to be involved with the ordeal at Summer Fellowship. Hope to see you soon.

Any questions, call Bryan Betenson at 561-2484

NECHOCHA WACHSTCHU

Chapter 26 meets at Mt. Jordan Middle School every 1st Thursday of

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REGISTRATION '95

UNIT ELECTIONS

There is still time to get in those last minute unit elections. We want to get information mailed to each candidate about the summer fellowship as soon as possible.

When you get the election done, get the forms into the council office or the So. Valley scout store. That way no one will be left out of attending the ordeal and fellowship in June.

If you have any questions, call your chapter chief or adviser. Remember to follow the outline on the back of the form to determine the correct procedure.

Lodge Dues expire on June 30th - fact known to almost everyone. We are getting a head start on this year's regegistration by getting started NOW.

Right now! Check the label on this issue. If it has 1995 or higher, you are alright - go on to one of the more interesting articles in this issue.

If it has 1994 you need to register. A form has been provided. Why not mail it in TODAY. You can exclose an additional \$35.00 for the summer fellowship if you want and take care of that too.

In any case look what the 5 bucks buys for you during the

coming year:
6 issues of the Legend
National registration
Membership in a great lodge
The right to wear the flap
Support of our traditions

You get the point. We need each of us to keep the lodge strong and active.

Want to do come service for the lodge? Why not enclose the registration for 1 or 2 friends at the same time. Make the postage go farther and keep others active with you.

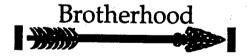
The chapters and lodge officers are working on the project also.

One of the benefits will be to free the time in the fall from this to more exciting activities.

N.O.A.C.

by Ryan Pitts Lodge Vice Chief

The next meeting for people who plan to attend the National Order of the Arrow Confrence is May 15th at 7:15pm at Camp Tracy in conjunction with the Lodge Executive Committee Meeting. There are a total of ten slots available three of which are with the regular tour the cost of which is \$1,000.00, two are with the group from Coup Trail, and the other 5 are a quick car trip there and back. The closing date for all open slots will be May 15th as well.



by Tim Mitchell Staff Writer

Don't Forget The Next two brotherhoods the first one is on May 21st at 7:00pm. The second will be held with the Summer Fellowship. The Cost for both of these ceremonies will be \$9.00 each and this will cover the new sash, for more information you can contact Justin Barker at 649-6831.

THE LEGEND

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Those who have submitted information for this issue are appreciated.

Thanks to Chad Taylor for the graphics and to Jim Lewis, Western Region Chief for his contributions.

Further information about lodge programs can be had from the Lodge Hotline 292-4801.



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the month at 7:300 p.m. We are working on indian outfits for an ordeal. If you have any questions, call Rodney Clawson at 572-0187 or Craig Olsen at 571-5916.

CHANS

For Summer Fellowship Chapter 27 wil be teaching a call on dream catchers for the Festival of Trees. We will be providing materials, but the dream catchers will be donated to the Festival of Trees. If you would like to participate it will be Wednesday (During the Felowship) from 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. in Chapter 27's Area.



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