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PONDER THAT WHICH IS OUR PURPOSE

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LODGE CHIEF 1986-7

## THE CHIEF

The first part of the Scout Law states that a Scout is Trustworthy. This is probably the most important moral that we could live by. To be

able to be trusted, to be able to follow through with your commitments leaves you with the greatest respect. On the otherhand, if your commitment shows it is worth nothing, that same respect decreases as does any hopes of added leadership, friends, & other benefits.

In the next year the Lodge will move at an outrageous speed. To keep it going each of us must follow through with our own commitments.

Each time you are asked to committe to do anything, please stop and find out if you can do it before you commit to it. Then, if the commitment is made always follow through with it as our Lodge depends upon it.

If you run into a conflict with your commitments, please ask for help. Your OA Lodge is the same as mine and your fulfillment of your commitment benefits us each in turn.

## COMING EVENTS

### OCTOBER

- 5th Lodge Officers meeting  
7:00 pm Virgil's house
- 8th Chapter Chiefs mtg  
at Virgil's
- 10th Ordeal at Tracy.  
Chapters 7, 5. 13. 15  
in charge.
- 11th Lodge Training Conf.  
Tracy Lodge 8:00 am  
will last until noon.
- 16th LECM at the Service  
Center 7:00 pm
- 19th Lodge Officers meeting  
Virgil's house 7:00 pm
- 24-25th Pow-Wow at Tracy  
See article for cost  
and time

### NOVEMBER

- 9th Lodge Officers Meeting  
7:00 pm
- 20th LECM at the Service  
Center 7:00 PM
- 21st Election/Fun-O-Ree  
Training 7:00 pm  
Tracy Lodge

### DECEMBER

- 6th University of Scouting
- 18th LECM at the Service  
Center 7:00 pm

# OFFICER TRAINING CONFERENCE

TIME: 8:00 am to NOON

DATE: Saturday Oct. 11, 1986

COSTS: FREE (Good Enough?)

This is the time for all (got that! it means ALL) Chapters officers and Advisors, Lodge officers and Advisors and Lodge Committee Chairmen to be at Tracy Lodge for the Annual Training Conference.

There will be plenty of Handouts, lists, rosters, ideas etc. for all and a chance to learn how to improve your performance. (anyone who doesn't need that??)

Don't miss it. Plan now and come as a group. If you need ideas, help, sympathy, motivation, inspiration, secrets, or anything else, this is the place to be !!



## SILVER MOCCASIN

For those interested in Staffing a Silver Moccasin Course or a Powderhorn Course, applications are available from the Council office.

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## J.L.T. TRAINING COURSE

In addition to Silver Moccasin and Powderhorn, in 1987 the EL-KU-TA LODGE will sponsor a NEW Training Course. We are looking for a name for the course and a patch design.

It will be advanced in comparison to Silver Moccasin but will be held during the same week.

Ideas for a Name should be phoned into the Lodge Advisor, Dave Halliday at 292-4686.

The course will need 3 adult staff and 9 youth staff. Prior Silver Moccasin experience and woodbadge experience (for adults) is desired. Youth need to be Eagles by the date of the course and have extensive leadership experience. Staff development will commence in January.

Call Dave for applications.

The course will enroll 48 Arrowmen recommended by their chapter advisor. Fees will be the same as Silver Moccasin. It is hoped that each chapter will send at least 2. Applications will be available through your chapter advisor in about one month.

There will be a prize for a Course Name and Patch. Turn ideas to Dave Halliday.



# CHAPTER CHATTER

## WHERE ARE THEY NOW

### SAGE

Our chapter held elections at our last chapter meeting. Our new officers are: Michael Snider, Chief; Jeff Lowder, Secretary; Vice Chiefs, Billy Paulson, Activities, Donald Yei, Service, Neil Lawrence, Ceremonies, David Oliver, Membership, and Brian Walker, Brotherhood. At our next meeting we are making chokers. The cost will be \$4.00. Meetings are the 2nd Thursday of each month in Pine Canyon at the Lakeview 17th Ward Bldg. December Mtg. Sundae Bust.

### WELCOME:

Bob Quinn -- Lodge Associate  
Advisor

Richard Sisam -- Lodge Assist.  
Advisor for Elections  
and Mbrship Vice  
Chief.

Alvin Crown -- Chapter 13 Advisor

David Simpson -- Chapter 13 Assist.  
Advisor.

New Chapter officers will be  
announced in the November Echo.

### LEKE NIMAT

We would like to inform every one of the next chapter meeting on the 9th of October where you can meet the new chapter officers. Our chapter is building and needs your help.

## SPREAD THE SPIRIT



### WAMBLEE CHAPTER

The Chapter is having elections on the 1st Thursday at Chapter Meeting. All are invited and there will be a trading post.

## TRIVIA QUESTION

How many banana peels does it take to fill The Tracy Lodge?

Does Dave Halliday prefer to eat bananas in a B.Y.U. or U of U sweat-shirt?

Why the sudden interest in bananas?

### ITS A PARADE !!!

100 Arrowmen in FULL UNIFORM and SASH are needed for the Vets Day Parade. Let's all turn out and make it a real success. Call you Chapter Secretary and give him your



## EDITORS NOTE

Somewhere in the dark corners of the ECHO is an arrowman's membership number. If you by chance, happen to belong to that number, you have until the 1st of November, 1986, 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!!

CLUE: One of the few people that can Indian dance and clog.

## ORDEAL REPORT

On the 13th of September, 106 candidates accepted the Obligation of the Order of the Arrow. This is a great start on the current year.

Red Hills, Chans, Leke Nimat, Silver Elk, and Granite Trails were all involved in putting on the Ordeal. A substantial amount of service was accomplished at the Tracy Reservation.

Bryan Harding, Ordeal Chairman, reports that this was one of the most successful of all of our events. The next Ordeal will be on the 10th of October--same place.

Bryan reminds each of us that pre-registration is necessary if you intend to sign up for meals. "Dropping in" at the Ordeal is not encouraged.

Encourage all candidates to be at and complete the ordeal this fall rather than waiting for spring. Make sure that your chapter is represented on the staff to welcome your new members.

The September Brotherhood Ceremony was one of the Best Yet!! Thanks to Silver Elk with an outstanding Ceremony and the attendance of a number of Chapter Chiefs, supporting new Brotherhood in thier chapters, it was a great evening at Tracy. We congratulate those who are listed. A special thanks to Leke Nimat for really having a crew out. So far this year 37% of Leke Nimat's last year ordeals have achieved Brotherhood.

TRAVIS ANDERSON	CHRIS COWAN
BRIAN DAWES	TOM DEWAAL
JEFF DIMOND	JED EASTMAN
WALLACE HANSEN	BRAD HARRIS
CARVEL HARWARD	JAMES HUTCHINGS
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MIKE RICHARDSON	JEFF SCHOFIELD
RYAN SIMONSEN	DAVID VAN WAGONER
BRIAN YOUNG	

## ORDEAL

Those Arrowmen who wish to staff the October Ordeal need to let Jared Johnstone, the Lodge Secretary, know at least one week before the Ordeal. You can get in touch with him at 561-1292.



# CHAPTER CHIEFS

## BROTHERHOOD

October 10th at Tracy is the next scheduled Brotherhood Ceremony.

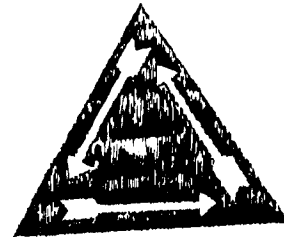
The Time is 6:00 pm that you need to be at Tracy. Brotherhood interest is increasing in the Lodge with each month bringing new members. Now is the time to complete your commitment. Bring your letter and \$6.00.

Every Ordeal member needs to complete his ordeal by becoming a Brotherhood member. Your chapter officers can pass you off on the requirements or you can pass them at Tracy.

Now is the time when we can strengthen the Lodge by committing ourselves to Brotherhood.

All of the things you need to know are in your handbook.

**PRE-REGISTRATION:** Because of the difficulty and expense in providing food at a number of the events. Meals will only be available on a pre-registration basis. If you are coming to ANY event (ordeals included) and wish meals your reservation must be in the hands of the Lodge Secretary (or phoned in) at least one week prior to the event. No Exceptions.



### EL-KU-TA LODGE PURCHASE ORDER FORM

ITEM	PRICE	QTY	ORDER FORM	PRICE
LODGE FLAP	\$ 2.50		LODGE FLAP	\$ _____
O.A. RIBBON PIN	1.40	_____	HAT PIN	_____
HAT PIN	2.00	_____		_____
VIGIL HONOR PIN	1.55	_____		_____
BELT BUCKLE--NATIONAL	8.95	_____		_____
JACKET PATCH--NAT'L	3.00	_____		_____
LODGE NECK. SLIDE	2.50	_____		_____
LAPEL PIN--ARROW	1.50	_____		_____
LODGE NECKERCHIEF	2.50	_____		_____
ORDEAL MANUEL--NAT'L	.90	_____		_____
SASH--ORDEAL	5.25	_____		_____
--BROTHERHOOD	5.50		REGISTRATION FOR 1986-7	_____
--VIGIL	6.40		ORDEAL STAFF ON _____	_____
HANDBOOK	1.60			
YEARLY DUES	3.50		TOTAL	\$ \$ _____
ORDEAL STAFF--FOOD	5.00		POSTAGE & HANDLING	.25
BROTHERHOOD	6.00			
POSTAGE & HANDLING	.25		TOTAL ENCLOSED	\$ \$ _____

MAIL TO LODGE TREASURER  
EL KU TA LODGE  
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BROTHERHOOD DATE ON \_\_\_\_\_

USE THIS FORM -- YOUR ADDRESS IS ON THE BACK

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ITS A FACT, JACK!

Nothing great was ever achieved  
without enthusiasm

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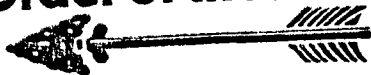
On October 24 and 25 the Lodge  
will hold the 1986 Fall Pow Wow.  
We are looking forward to some  
exciting events which will begin at  
8:00 P.M. on Friday and will end at  
about 3:00 on Saturday.

If you are planning to attend  
this event, your registration needs  
to be phoned into the Lodge Sec.,  
Jared Johnstone at 561-1292, or to  
our Chapter Chief, no later than  
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