

# Executive Committee Meeting

November 28, 2011

## **Council Camp Presentation**

Presentation by Council Camps Committee and ideas about improvements (physical and program)

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## **Lodge Chief- Nick Wolf**

COC Conference Call- We discussed QLS, which will be on January 29<sup>th</sup> at SUNY Ulster in New York, and we talked about the Conclave, which has an International theme, it will be June 8-10<sup>th</sup> at Strang.

Awards- John Bowlus- Awards committee has been going well and we have elected Arrowmen to receive awards at the winter banquet.

## **Chapter Operations- Jesse Morrow**

Achewon- Joe DePaola- We started to plan for unit elections and we will continue at the next meeting.

Arcoon-Patrick Abbazia- No report received.

Chief Pomperaug- No report received.

Keewayden- Sam Belden- We talked about the unit elections for the upcoming season and we planned a costume party for the next meeting.

Powahay- James Korin- We discussed a few old and new events and started to revise the chapter earn patch requirements.

Scatacook- Brett Schorr- We have planned a chapter LAN party at the Danbury Air Hanger on December 9-10<sup>th</sup> and it costs \$5 and a 2 liter bottle of soda. We also will be helping at the district Klondike Camporee along with that we are planning a service project.

Troop OA Rep- Joe Depaola- I need a list of the Troop Representatives for each chapter.

## **Finance- Morgan McMahon**

Trading Post- We didn't make as much money at the Fall Fellowship as we hoped and we are starting to get stuff together for the Winter Banquet.

Finance- We will be voting on the budget tonight. After a few changes it was approved.

## **Program-Neil Harris**

Camping Promotions- Dan McCloskey- The Council Camps Pamphlet is finished.

Cub Scouting- Justin Schimmel- I will be attending a Pow-Wow on December 3<sup>rd</sup>, and I will be talking to Cub Masters about the OA.

Dance Team- Jason Savisky- We have been making great progress at our practices with our dances and outfits, we are also starting to fill up our calendar for next year.

Events- Jason Van Lueeuwen- We had a great Fall Fellowship, which it snowed at, and the next event is the Winter Banquet, which is December 28<sup>th</sup> at the Jewish Community Center in Bridgeport CT.

Service- No report received.

Shows-James Korin- *Back to the Fellowship* was shown at the Fall Fellowship and it was great, the next show will probably be premiered some time during the spring.

Training- No report received.

### **Inductions- Sean Nulty**

Brotherhood- Liam Raftery- The last brotherhood day was successful and we converted six new brother, while we plan to have another one on December 3<sup>rd</sup> at Deer Lake.

Unit elections- Mike Brianerd-We have a bunch of new equipment for each chapter's unit election team. If you have any questions contact Mike Brainerd.

Elangomat- Dan Wivagg- We are working on the new Elangomat patch design and we are soon entering the ordeal planning phase.

Ceremonies-No report received.

Vigil Honor- Chris McCloskey- Please fill out the vigil selection forms and hand them in, also we will have a Vigil Selection Committee meeting in early January

### **Administration- Ben Weidman**

Membership-Zach Clark- We need people to renew dues and we need a few brotherhood conversions at the upcoming brotherhood day.

Communications/ Website- Ryan Richardson- We have the Observer out and we are going to be updating the website.

### **Old Business**

Fall Fellowship- Great time, great show, great food, and it snowed. However, at events we need to host chapter to help set up as well as clean up. Also, the blinking lights patch was not properly approved by the ECM, this is a learning example for the future.

Brotherhood Day- Hoyt- Went pretty well and Liam did a nice job, we had 7 Brotherhood conversions and we need 7-10 more at the next one.

### **New Business**

Brotherhood Day- December 3<sup>rd</sup> at Deer Lake and we need Chapter chiefs to call people.

Winter Banquet- Arcoon is the host chapter and it will be held at the Jewish Community center in Bridgeport Ct on December 28<sup>th</sup>.

ConJam 2012- Ever body should be going, we are having a Traderie, Native American Village, and an OA Service Corps.

NOAC 2012- Andrew McCloskey- Please send in your deposits and the patch design should be submitted by the Winter Banquet.

## **Open Forum**

Jesse Morrow- We want to make an "Owaneco Active Member Earn Patch," if people do a certain number of requirements then they can purchase the patch for a small fee. We want the patch to be worn with pride, not hidden in a collection somewhere.

Mr. Cloutier- There is going to be a can drive at the Winter Banquet, so please donate.

Mr. Russo- Sorry for not being around the past few month and thank you for the card and now I'm back after restoring power after the past few storms.

## **Lodge Chief's Minute- Nick Wolf**

The movie at the Fall Fellowship was insane, we will be working on a show for the conclave and everyone call their people for the brotherhood day.

## **Lodge Advisor's Minute- Mr. Cloutier**

We have completed most of the requirements for Quality Lodge and congratulations to everyone receiving the Silver Beaver Award.

## **Staff Advisor's Minute- Mr. Landi**

Nice meeting and make sure you call people for the brotherhood day.

\*The entire Executive Committee was in attendance besides Zach Clark and Tom Valus