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Spring Conclave 2012

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# Spring Conclave 2012



May 4 - 6, 2012

Hola amigos,

I hope everyone is getting ready for an awesome weekend celebrating Cinco de Mayo. It's going to be an awesome time and I hope to see everyone out there. We have a weekend packed full of awesome activities, there will be something for everyone to enjoy and competitions. Make sure to bring lots of water to cool your mouths because rumor has it there will be some pretty spicy things to eat.

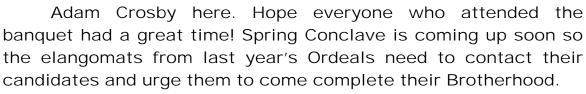
This weekend is also the most important one of the year because we will be holding officer elections for the 2012-2013 year, if anyone is interested in running for a position I highly encourage you to, because you get to meet a lot of amazing people; not only for our lodge but from other lodges in our section and region. Make sure you guys get your registration forms sent in early so we know how much spice to pack into the weekend, and I hope to see ALL of you there!!

Also 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversay Patch design is due to Rob Hanes or me by 4-30-12. It can be a flap design or a temporary patch.

el suyo en el Movimiento Scout,

Zach "Morgo" Morgo

Hey Everyone,





Yours in Brotherhood, Adam Crosby Membership Vice Chief



HI EVERYONE,

THANKS FOR COMING TO BANQUET; I HOPE YOU HAD A GOOD TIME.
REMEMBER TO COME TO SPRING CONCLAVE. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS AT ALL ABOUT ANYTHING ASK THE E-BOARD. WE HAVE A BIG CINCO DE MAYO ADVENTURE COMING UP. HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE.

YOURS IN BROTHERHOOD, MATT MORGAN PROGRAMS VICE CHIEF



### Attention Vigil Honor Members!

Be thinking of which Brothers that you would like to see obtain the Vigil Honor. Voting will be held Saturday afternoon at the Spring Conclave. The exact time will be announced at the Conclave. Remember that nominations are due no later than April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

"Don't forget that by now you should have paid your dues for the New Year in the Order of the Arrow... Check with your fellow arrowmen to make sure everyone has paid their dues!"



Hey Guys,

Spring conclave is right around the corner, which means the ordeal members from last summer can now become a Brotherhood member. We will have many Ordeal members wanting to become brotherhood, and there can only be one Brotherhood quest counselor per Ordeal member. It would be greatly appreciated if many Brotherhood members signed up for the spring conclave. Also, to the Ordeal members interested in becoming Brotherhood, bring your Order of the Arrow handbook. You will need it for the weekend.

Yours in Brotherhood, Chris Pasky



From the Lodge Adviser:

Unit Elections are happening to bring in new members. Contact your District Representative to help! If you completed your ordeal this past summer (or earlier),

you should be preparing for Brotherhood during the Spring Conclave or the summer Ordeals. Lodge Officer Elections are scheduled for May 5, 2012. Offices for election are Lodge Chief, Membership Vice Chief, Secretary, and Treasurer. Please submit a declaration for office to erie scouter@yahoo.com and thachter 111@yahoo.com to be on the ballot. You also need your parent's permission and support, as these offices are a full year Commitment. To vote, attend the General Business Meeting after dinner during the Spring Conclave!

The Pow Wow on Memorial Day weekend is our biggest fundraiser for Camperships. Caleb Sidun is our Chairman. Dave Beighley (Consessions) <a href="mailto:dlbeighley@aol.com">dlbeighley@aol.com</a> and Shane Zerbe (Registeration and Services) <a href="mailto:zscouter@gmail.com">zscouter@gmail.com</a> are the Pow Wow Advisers.

More hands means less work and more fun for all.

### **NE-4A Section Conclave**

Tyler Allen, NE-4A Section Chief and (past Langundowi Lodge Chief), Invites all arrowmen to Camp Karoondinha June 8-10, 2012 for a weekend of tropical

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fun. The theme is "Isles of Brotherhood". Contact Richard Herbold <u>richardherbold@yahoo.com</u> for any questions. Registration form on lodge webpage. Camp Karoondinha is near Milmont, PA.

### OA Arbor Area Pavilion Project



This will be 14 years of putting a kitchen under a tent for the Pow-Wow. As some of you know last Pow-Wow on the last evening a storm brought the tent down with a lot of damage. The Pow-Wow committee kicked off a pavilion building project with a \$100 initial start that has now grown to about \$2,000.

With the Army Engineers coming down to Custaloga Town for two weeks in May we should be able to see a footer in the ground and fence in at Pow-Wow. I have a private volunteer that will lay the cement blocks with the aid of someone mixing mortar and moving cement blocks.

Even if we cannot complete the pavilion at one time it is setup to be completed in stages. So now is the time to look in your pockets and/or knock on some doors to see if we as a Lodge can complete this project by next Pow-Wow.

Yours in Brotherhod,

David Beighley Concession Adviser dlbeighley@aol.com, 814-898-1357



### Calendar of Events



Date(s)	Location	<b>Event Details</b>	
April 1, 2012	Stone UM Church	Executive Board Meeting	
April 30, 2012	N/A	OA Dues Deadline	
May 4 – 6, 2012	Custaloga Town	Spring Conclave 2012	
May 25 – 28, 2012	Custaloga Town	De-Un-Da-Ga Pow-Wow	
June 8 – 10, 2012	Camp Karoondinha	NE-4A Section Conclave 2012	
<u>July 6 – 8, 2012</u>	Custaloga Town	Ordeal Induction Weekend	
<u>July 30 – August 4, 2012</u>	Michigan State	NOAC 2012	
August 17 – 19, 2012	Custaloga Town	Ordeal Induction Weekend	
<u>September 8 – 9, 2012</u>	Custaloga Town	Lodge Leadership Development	
October 12 – 14, 2012	Custaloga Town	Fall Conclave 2012	

### Sudoku

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty spaces so that each row, each column, and each 3x3 box contains each number only once. Answers to the Winter Sudoku

1	6	8	2	4	3	5	9	7
2	3	9	7	8	5	6	1	4
7	5	4	6	1	9	3	2	8
9	1	5	4	3	7	8	6	2
4	8	3	5	6	2	9	7	1
6	7	3	8	9	1	4	3	5
3	4	7	1	5	6	2	8	9
8	9	1	3	2	4	7	5	6
5	2	6	9	7	8	1	4	3

### **Lodge Policies**

### **Leaving Camp:**

Please note that is the policy of French Creek Council and Langundowi Lodge that anyone (youth or adult) leaving a lodge event must sign out at the Administration Building desk before leaving and sign back in upon returning. Any youth (under 18 years of age) must have parental permission in writing in order to be able to leave camp before the event is scheduled to be over. This permission must be presented to the Lodge Adviser upon arrival at camp. This written permission must include time and date of departure, time and date of return, and with whom the youth will be traveling. This must be signed and dated by the youth's parent or guardian.

### **The Lodge Policy on Senior Citizens:**

Any active Lodge member over the age of 65 may attend any Langundowi Lodge activity free of charge. There are only a few things that must be done to qualify. First, their dues for the current year must be paid. Second, they must send in a reservation form by the deadline (minus the fee). This policy applies only the Langundowi Lodge events, and is not applicable to the Section Conclave, NOAC, or guests.

#### The Lodge Policy on Smoking:

The designated smoking area during Lodge functions is the front seat of your personal vehicle, butts in the ashtray. The cooperation of all smokers is greatly appreciated. Remember there is a legal age for the purchase of tobacco products.

### The Lodge Policy on Pocket Flap Sales:

The official Lodge pocket flap will be available for sale at each lodge function during the operating hours of the trading post. An active member may purchase one (1) pocket flap at each lodge function he attends. Members may also purchase one (1) pocket flap at the time they pay their annual dues. The purpose of this restriction is to encourage member participation. The pocket flap is to serve as a method of identifying the members of Langundowi.

#### **The Lodge Policy on Special Mailings:**

The Langundowi LOG is mailed to all registered Scoutmasters in the French Creek Council to keep them better informed of the Lodge program. If the Scoutmaster is an active Lodge member, they would have received a copy anyway. If the Scoutmaster is a member of the Order, but is not active (i.e. dues not paid), then he can become active by paying his current dues and attending Lodge functions. If the Scoutmaster is not a member of the Order, then we encourage them to share this information with their unit and promote Lodge participation. Through their involvement in Scouting, we hope they will become a Lodge member.

#### The Lodge Policy on Refunds:

Reservations for Lodge functions can be fully refunded only if they are cancelled on or before the reservation deadline. Section Conclaves and National Conferences are handled in much the same manner.



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## Pinetree Pete says:

"Hey Brothers! Don't forget to check your e-mails for the new Log 2.0 in electronic form!"