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SIPP-O LODGE 377'S ELOGAMGUSSIT

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#### **Events**

Spring Ordeal June 4th-6th

#### Summer Camp Wednesdays

June 23rd , June 30th, July 7th, July 14th, July 21st, July 28th, August 4th

#### Fall Ordeal August 13th-15th

**Trade-O-Ree** August 27th-28th

> **Ox Roast** August 28th

# Chiefly Speaking

My brothers,

It is that time of the year! Summer is here and so is our busy time of the year. We just had a successful Conclave at Seven Ranges and I feel that it started off our busy schedule great! A congratulations to our own Secretary, Chadd Kasper, on being elected to Section Secretary for the next year. We again, are in need of all your help! Continued on next page

# Spring Fellowship Recap

The Spring Fellowship was at 7R on the 26th-28th of March. It was a great weekend to be at camp. We played a few games and got a lot of good work done. Saturday morning we went over the various ceremonies that the lodge puts on from HAWK to the Arrow of Light. It was a time for some to learn how to carry themselves in ceremonies and get a taste of how fun it can be. A few of the more experienced CIA (Ceremonial Indian Activity) guys went through how they got their start and they all pretty much said the same thing, come out to summer camp and help out enough to show that you are willing to take on the commitment of learning the lines and the steps and then you just might be asked to play a part.

We also went over the teams for Conclave and had the Conclave Brotherhood team put on a Brotherhood Ceremony for a few of the Arrowmen there. Overall it was a great way to start the summer season. I hope to be able to see you all down at camp and at as many of the Lodge's activities over the summer as you can make it to.

- Alex Weber -

# Conclave Recap

The 2010 Conclave was at 7R and it was a blast. All of Section C4-A came out and had a weekend full of fun and fellowship. The weekend started with an opening show put on by a few of Sipp-O's best improv-ers out there, Ben Miller, Chadd Kasper, Jon Reisdorf, Clayton Smith, and Alex Weber. The weekend went on with different training classes in the morning to help Arrowmen become better Lodge Members and better leaders. The Lodge did compete in the Pre-Ordeal ceremony and received an Honors Evaluation but sadly we did not win. The weekend then wound down with the Section Leardership election; Jon Reisdorf was elected to Section Vice Chief, and Chadd Kasper was elected to the Section Secertary. Sipp-O then hosted the after Conclave party. It was themed after a casino. It was a fun filled weekend and we all hope to see you next year!

- Alex Weber -

With our Spring and Fall Ordeal, summer camp ceremonies, and Ox Roast, we will be in need of arrowmen.

I am very excited for the next couple of months and I encourage you to attend all that you can.

I hope to see you all at our next event, Spring Ordeal (first weekend in June). Let us welcome our newest members to this brotherhood! c.smith55@yahoo.com

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### **Summer Events**

June is just about here, and you know what that means, July is right after that, and then we will be in the heart of the Lodge's summer activites, and there are a lot of them. The Lodge put on 4 Ceremonies every week at camp, the Call-Out, Brotherhood, and 2 HAWK Ceremonies every Tuesday and Friday at camp. Not to mention that we will be playing the Camp Staff in some game every Wednesday afternoon, and after last year I think we might show them who is in charge. There are so many ways that you can help out at camp with the order. We need help for all 4 Ceremonies and the game. If you would ever want to help out with some Ceremony at camp, let an Arrowman on camp staff know and they should be able to direct you to the person that will be in charge of it and will be able to tell you how you can help. It is really going to be a great summer at camp. I hope I can see all of you helping out the Lodge some time this summer, and don't forget, if you come down enough days then you might be able to get a CIA hoodie!

- Alex Weber -

# 2010 Annual Ox Roast

Sipp-O's Annual Ox Roast is quickly approaching. All committees have a firm grasp of what they are to accomplish and are well on their way to having a successful event. Some troops are taking advantage of the free camping this year and have reserved their camp sites. Any troops planning on camping, should e-mail Emerson Roth, Emnewhaven@neo.rr.com and secure their favorite site. This may also be an opportunity to stay at a different site than where you normally camp. While there, you may also want to contact either John McClain or Skip Eidam and check into what projects would qualify for good turn projects.

This is an event that helps us to show case the many facets of the Order of the Arrow; how it is beneficial to the scouter, the camp, and the community. We all have a clear stage to perform the tasks of an Arrowman. This is one of the many ways to portray the Lodge and to help entice others to join and serve. Remember, the only way to lighten your load, is to have others join, volunteer and help.

Once again, we are holding the Ox Roast in conjunction with the Buckeye Council Merit Badge Conference. Most of the classes will be completed by noon. It will be at that time that the Ox Roast meals will be available. But prior to that, Andy Lescallet and his crew will have a \$5.00 cold cut sandwich available starting at 10:30 AM. This still allows for a troop to come back later and enjoy an Ox Roast Dinner.

We are also glad to announce that the tickets are ready for distribution. Kathy Roth will have tickets available for presale. This helps Andy and his crew to have a better idea of how much food to prepare in advance. This year there will be no price difference between presale and door sales. So pre-sell those tickets to your family and friends.

So whether it is the Trade-O-Ree, Silent Auction, Waterfront activities, Hillbilly Games or just a time to visit and share with other Arrowmen, come to the Ox Roast and be an active part of your Sipp-O Lodge.

- Emerson Roth -

# Westark Chapter News

Westark only has one person who needs to go through Ordeal and is planning on completing it this spring. Everyone else went through last August. That means that all Ordeal members from the old Westark District are eligible to seal their membership in OA by participating in the Brotherhood Ceremony starting with the Spring Ordeal is on June 4-6th at 7 Ranges, or during summer camp.

This year our Chapter is focusing on having as many Ordeal members seal their membership in the Order by converting to Brotherhood. There are several opportunities available this year starting with Conclave and ending with Fall Ordeal (possibly Fall Fellowship). A Brotherhood Ceremony will be held every Wednesday evening at summer camp. All Ordeal members will receive a personal invitation to attend Brotherhood Ceremonies around a month before their Troops go to summer camp, and before other Brotherhood Ceremony opportunities.

This year there is a Troop incentive for promoting Brotherhood Conversion. Any Troop that converts 100% of it's eligible Ordeal members to Brotherhood by the end of this summer, will be rewarded with a pizza party by the Chapter & Lodge.

At the end of last summer, Westark Chapter had 60% of it's active members at the Brotherhood or Vigil level. Let's see if we can make it 100% conversion as a final showing of how great Westark Chapter is, before the merger of the three Chapters.

Anyone interested in helping with Ceremonies this summer, contact Zach Chaffin **zdogg724@yahoo.com** They will need help with the Wednesday evening Brotherhood Ceremonies, especially Weeks 1, 7 & 8. Help will also be needed with the Hawk Award Ceremonies on Tuesday & Friday evenings at Camp Akela.

If you have any question give me a call at 330-705-4883, or email myself or Daniel Prather (Chapter Vice Chief) at ericprather@sbcglobal.net, or Dan Riggs (Chapter Chief) at danielre2813@gmail.com

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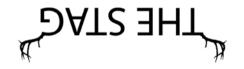
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Buckeye Council BSA 2301 13th Street NW Canton, OH 44708

Or call to make reservations @ 330-580-4272 (Shirley ext 141 or Kathy ext 126)

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Please check one of t	he following:
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2010 Annual Event Pass Adult (\$60.00) S/L 7739	2010 Kimi Milan Adult (\$50.00) S/L 7738
2010 Annual Event Pass Youth (\$50.00) S/L 7739	2010 Spring Ordeal (\$15.00) S/L 100209

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# Ox Roast

This year, our lodge will be holding the annual Ox Roast, Trade-O-Ree, and Silent Auction at Seven Ranges Scout Reservation on August 27th-28th. We will be offering a new supper menu, along with a Saturday lunchtime cold-cut sandwich and vegetable plate. The Silent Auction will also be in the Dining Hall. If you would like to help out with something please feel free.

If you consider donating items for the Slient Auction please get a hold of Karl Henley karl.henley@firstmerit.com

For any Trade-O-Ree questions please get a hold of Denver Stufflebeam dstuffohio@aol.com

Overnight tent camping will be available at no cost by contacting Emerson Roth emnewhaven@neo.rr.com

Troops can arrange good turn projects through John McClain jhmcclain@eohio.com

For more information emnewhaven@neo.rr.com or ron.ungashick@att.net

- Emerson Roth -

# Trading Post

Arrowmen, When is the last time you checked out the Sippo trading post? New items are being added almost every month, as the trading post continues to grow in number of items for sale. The Ox Roast will be the perfect time to stop by and see what's new for the lodge. Patches are plentiful, as are t-shirts, neckerchiefs, pocket knifes and ball caps. Stop by the trading post and see what you might be missing in lodge memorabilia. We have items that need be cleared out to make way for new inventory. Prices have been reduced to sell; \$5 t-shirts, \$2 pocket flaps and 2008 Quality lodge pins. Stop by the trading post tables at the Ox Roast and pick up that special item to show your Sippo pride.

- Andy Mark -

# Silent Auction

This year will be the second year for our silent auction. It is shaping up to be bigger and better than last year with even more items to bid, buy and enjoy. We will have family sized packages to Ohio attractions, golf, outdoor gear, Scouting memorabilia and loads of fun stuff.

Remember to bring your wallet, check books and credit cards [Visa, MasterCard and Discovery] as there is sure to be something there for everyone. Once again the auctions will run all afternoon, and the proxy bidder rules will be the same. We look forward to seeing you with all monies benefiting the Lodge. Kal.Henle@fistmeit.com

- Karl Henley -

# 9th Annual Merit Badge Conference

Save the date, Saturday, August 28, 2010, at Seven Ranges Scout Reservation for the 9th Annual Merit Badge Conference. All Buckeye Council Boy Scouts are encouraged to sign up for a merit badge class and a conference patch for a \$3.00 fee. Some of the merit badges that will be offered will include: Fingerprinting, Plumbing, Photography, Surveying, Genealogy, Auto Maintenance, Computers, Public Speaking, Pathfinding, Drafting, Chemistry, Collection, Truck Transportation and Tracking. Classes are limited so sign up early. The flyer and registration will be available on the Council website the week of June 20.

See you at the Merit Badge Conference.

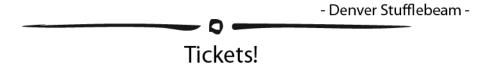


# Attention Arrowmen

The Redneck games are back this year at the Ox Roast. Included in this year's events, will be The Toilet Seat Toss, Corn Hole, Hillbilly Golf and other exciting games. Waterfront will also feature the return of the slide, so bring your bathing suits. By the way, no screaming while sliding will be tolerated! If any of you have ideas on other fun games that we could incorporate into the Ox Roast, feel free to contact me at ron.ungashick@att.net



This year's patch and memorabilia Trade-O-Ree should be great. We are expecting some different items to appear that should get you excited. Bring your extras and whatever you have to trade or sell. Remember, one person's extra may be the one item that someone else has been looking for to add to their collection. Whether it is clothing articles, camping supplies, hardware, paper or even those crazy patches, it might make somebody's day just to see them or possibly to purchase. Trading starts Friday. Come early to claim your spoils. For any further questions contact Denver Stufflebeam at: dstuffohio@aol.com



LUNCH is served from 10:30 am until 1:00 pm (cold-cut sandwich & vegetable plate), Ages 5 and above for just \$5.00 and Toddlers ages 4 yrs and below **FREE** 

OX ROAST MEAL is served from 12:00 noon until 6:00 pm, Ages 11 and up for \$10, Ages 5 thru 10 yrs for \$5.00 and Toddlers ages 4 yrs and below **FREE** 

Tickets must be presented at the registration table in the Hoover Dining Hall at Seven Ranges Scout Reservation in Kensington, Ohio on Saturday August 28th. If any active OA members wish to sell tickets to help out Sipp-O Lodge with this fundraiser (they will come in a packet of 10 tickets) please contact Kathy Roth at karoth@bsamail.org (330) 580-4272 ext 126 (Mon-Fri 8:30am-5:00pm)

