

THE ARROW SR-4N NEWSLETTER



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Chiefly Speaking

Brothers,

I hope everyone is as excited about NOAC as I am. We are going to have an awesome time. I am looking forward to seeing everyone and hanging out. We will be throwing parties the entire NOAC, nothing but Fun.

Pizza Party at NOAC

We are going to have a Section Gathering at NOAC. Everyone is invited to attend. We will be having a ton of pizza and drinks. The Gathering will be Monday night after the Indian Events show. It will be held at the TOAP Area (Maple Willow Intramural Field). This party is going to last all night long. You don't want to miss it. I hope to see everyone there.

Section Officer Training

On June 19, 2004 the Section Officers of SR-4N all sat down to do a little brainstorming for the upcoming year. We came up with a lot of cool ideas. I am very excited and you should be too. You can look at all the notes from the meeting later in this Newsletter. As a few highlights we are planning on visiting every lodge this year, as well as having some fun events just for the Council of Chiefs. We will be coming out with a new Section Patch this fall. We also focused on the importance of Quality Lodge and The One Day of Service Program. We set some high goals this year, but we cannot achieve them without you. We are aiming to make this conclave the best you have ever seen, and to move our section up the ladder.

NEW COC DATE (September 25th, 2004).

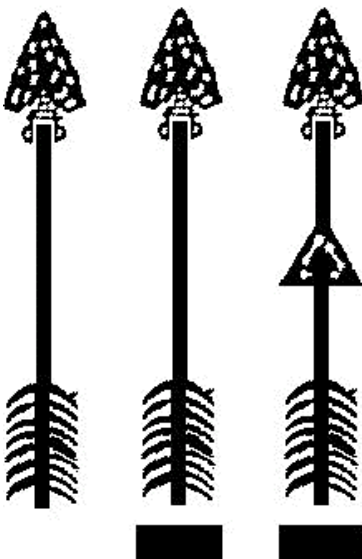
Due to the Region Gathering, we had to reschedule the September Council of Chiefs Meeting. The NEW DATE is Saturday, September 25, 2004. The meeting is from 10:00-1:00. The meeting will be held at the Scout Service Center in Dothan Alabama. The address is 6801 West Main Street, four miles west of Dothan in the median on Highway 861. One of the goals we set as Section Officers is to have 100% attendance at all of the Council of Chiefs meetings and Conclave. I hope everyone will be able to attend.

Conclave Patch Design

We are going to vote on the Conclave Patch Design and Theme at the September COC. The Host Lodge cannot start planning shows until they have a theme. Please be prepared with Patch Designs and Themes. ANYONE in the section can design a patch. Also if anyone has any ideas on programs or events, please bring them to the September COC, as we are also interested in new ideas.

Scotty Keenan
SR-4N Chief

P.S. Training Rules!



2004-2005 Secretary

Brothers,

In case some of you do not know me, my name is Patrick Johnson, and I am a member of Immokalee Lodge, Southwest Georgia Council. As your new Section Secretary, I would like to say I am going to work my hardest to put out some of the best newsletters we have seen yet. I look forward to working with my fellow officers, Scotty and Charles, as well as my Advisers. Once again, I appreciate your support during elections, and I will strive the entire year to do my best.

Patrick Johnson
SR-4N Secretary

Alibamu Visitation

Hello everyone,

Just a quick note on our Visitation. Scotty, Patrick, and myself made it up to Camp Tuka-batche on June 19 for our first of seven visitations. We spoke with the Alibamu Chief, Vice-Chief, and Adviser. Alibamu seems to be on track to earn National Quality Lodge. The Lodge has a few projects going on such as fixing up a camp for the Cub Scouts in the area. I was glad that they took the time to meet with us. I look forward to the rest of our visitations.

Charles Bellinghausen
SR-4N Vice Chief

Future Lodge Articles

For the upcoming Section newsletters before our 2005 Conclave, I would ask that all lodges send in their articles for the Section newsletter. These articles can be about recent or upcoming lodge events or about any other news that you like for the rest of the Section to know about. I would also ask if you could send some pictures to go with your article. Please only send one article per issue sent out. Each article will go towards the best all around lodge in our Section. Thank you and have fun writing your articles.

Patrick Johnson
SR-4N Secretary

The following are the dates for this year's newsletters. All lodge articles must in by the submission dates. The first due date is August 17.

First Newsletter (Pre-NOAC)

Send By July 1
Submit by June 22
Adviser Review June 28
Revision June 28-30

Second Newsletter (After NOAC)

Send by September 1
Submit by August 17
Adviser Review August 27
Revision August 28-31

Third Newsletter (Pre January COC)

Send By December 8
Submit by November 22
Adviser Review December 3
Revisions December 4-7

Fourth Newsletter (Pre-Conclave)

Send by March 22
Submit by March 4
Adviser Review March 18
Revisions March 19-21

“The Order of the Arrow is a thing of the out of doors rather than the indoors...It needs the sun and rain, the woods and plains, the waters and the starlit sky.”

—E. Urner Goodman

2004-2005 Section Dates

Date	Event	Location
July 31– August 15	NOAC	Iowa
September 11	Region Gathering	Ashville, NC
September 25	Council of Chiefs	Dothan, AL; Scout Office
January 8	Council of Chiefs	Dothan, AL; Scout Office
April 22–24	Conclave	Jackson, AL; Camp Maubila



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