



Flight

Fall & Winter 2018



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Hello, Wulapeju!

I'm Alan Hopp and I'm honored to be serving as your Lodge Chief for a second term. The other lodge officers and I are working on some great things this year, which include going back to our roots by putting some more focus on our camps, and some rather swanky patches.

January is shaping up to be a busy month for OA with our Winter Banquet on the 12th in Monroe Wisconsin and the Section's Winter Council of Chief at the Kalahari Resort in the Wisconsin Dells on the 26th. Both events are going to be a blast so I encourage all to come and have some fun!

For more details on our upcoming events or any events we have, look us up on Facebook. There is a group and a page for Wulapeju Lodge 140, also, follow your Chapter's page and keep up to date on all things Order of the Arrow.

As you may know, Venturers and Sea scouts will be joining the Order this year with elections starting on February first. This is a great opportunity to share our principals of Brotherhood Cheerfulness and Service to a bigger audience. I have no doubt that we will lead the change and step up to the challenge of bringing in this new group of scouters and making them feel welcome and teaching them that "He who serves his fellows, is of all his fellows greatest." (Chief Chingachgook)

Yours in Service,

Alan Hopp

New Officers:

- Lodge Chief
Alan Hopp
- Vice Chief of Activities
Michael Watson
- Vice Chief of Administration
Conner Koss
- Vice Chief of Communication
Carter Kenny
- Vice Chief of Finance
Andrew Nestler

Save the Date

Winter Banquet – 1/12

Winter COC – 1/25 -27

Section Conclave 4/12 -4/14

Officer Reports

Vice Chief of Activities

Hello,

My name is Michael Watson and I am currently the Vice-Chief of Activities for the lodge. I am excited to be on the LEC this year and look forward to planning a fun spring fellowship and fall conclave for 2019. I am hoping to add more activities to fellowship and conclave this year, such as intramurals between chapters. I want to make this year's lodge events memorable! Our first upcoming event will be Winter Banquet hosted by WWW chapter this year. Winter Banquet will be on January 12th at Turner Hall in Monroe, 1217 17th ave, Monroe WI. There will be two guest speakers and cheese inspired theme. Come for a great night of brotherhood, I hope to see you all there!

Vice Chief of Administration

These past few months have gone by quite fast since filling the role of Vice Chief of Administration but I am grateful for getting the chance to help work more closely with the Lodge. During this time we held a very successful LLD (Lodge Leadership development) thanks to our presenters Alan, Michael, Andrew and Carter. We were able to show how having the basic skills of leadership can help promote a functioning and performing Troop and Lodge. I would like to extend my gratitude to all our presenters and participants for coming and being a part of my first planned Leadership Development. I am excited for the rest of the year and look forward to continuing my service to Wulapeju Lodge 140.

Vice Chief of Finance

Hi,

I'm Andrew Nestler and I will be the Vice Chief of Finance for the 2018//2019 year. Allow me to introduce myself: I'm an adult leader in my troop, active in two crews, and an Eagle Scout. I'm looking forward to serving the Lodge and can't wait to get to know everyone. So far this year, we decided on patches for all of our big events in 2019; they're pretty cool so come on out to the events if you want one. Currently, we are working on trying to find incentives for OA Reps (most likely a patch or certificate), planning a way to make a budget for future years, and making a new Lodge belt buckle.

Still Haven't Paid Your 2019 Dues?

Well, You're Better Late than never – Pay your dues today at:

http://www.blackhawkscouting.org/pubs/2019_Dues_Final.pdf

Or

Pay online on our council website: <http://www.blackhawkscouting.org/scouting/oa/>

Chapter Reports

Gokhos

Hello, Arrowmen,

I hope everyone is doing well. I would like to introduce myself I am Jeremiah Diehl. I am your newly elected Chapter Chief for Gokhos Chapter. I am a member of Troop 553 out of Rochelle and I am excited to be part of this great chapter. I am a freshman in Rochelle Township High School, member of FFA, 4H, and Quint Drummer in the Marching Band. I am getting to know the lodge as I come from Lowaneu Allaque lodge #41. We are into the new terms for the lodge and a lot of exciting stuff is coming up. As a reminder Please remember to mark your calendars that the January 2019 Chapter meeting has moved from January 2 to January 9. Other important dates January 12 will be the lodge winter banquet and it will be held in Monroe Wisconsin. January 26 is the Winter Council of Chiefs held at the Kalahari resort in Wisconsin Dells cost for this is \$25 for the meeting that includes buffet lunch. The section also has a group rate for the Hotel of \$179.00 with 4 water park passes. Please go to the Wulapeju Lodge 140 facebook page to fill out an interest form if you wish to attend. At this event we will have Lodges from all of C-7 and showcase our lodges and discuss up coming events like Spring Conclave. OA Members will get to interact with other members from our section C-7 and learn how to help shape the direction of the OA. This is a fun time and great experience for all members. I would encourage any and all members to try to attend. Save the date April 12, 2019 - April 14, 2019 is section Conclave in Union Grove, WI at the Racine Fair grounds. This is another great event to attend. Lastly, I would like to get as many youth to our meetings as possible so please get the word out. We would like to have troop reps show up to meeting and start a line of communication to troops and scout Masters. I hope to see you all at the next meeting.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Jeremiah Diehl

WWW

Kishwaukee

Hello everyone,

Kishwaukee chapter is off to an amazing start this year! In August, we re-elected our Chapter Chief, Ben C was elected Vice Chief, and we welcomed Evan F as our Secretary. In September, we had a chapter meeting at Shamrock Park in Crystal Lake where we had a cookout and got ideas for what we want to do for the rest of the year. The officers also met and planned out the rest of the year. For October, we met at Richardson Corn Maze and had a good time. We are very excited and are looking forward to the rest of the year. We have several dates to mention for this year, including our chapter meetings.

Here are the events and dates that we have coming up:

- January 10th we are holding OA election training at Round Table and have numerous times for training. Don't forget, if you attend training you get a cool patch, so please attend if you are able.
- January 17th we are holding another election training at our chapter meeting at Bowlero in Algonquin,

election training is from 6:30pm-7:00pm then bowling from 7:00pm-8:30pm.

- February 21st we are having our chapter meeting from 7:00pm-8:30 pm. Location to be determined. We will be doing Native American lore crafts.
- March 21st we are holding our chapter meeting at On Target for shooting.
- April 18th we are having our chapter meeting at Taz Archery.
- April 26th-28th is the Grant Pilgrimage and we will be working the Cub Scout activity area
- May 1st all elections are due to office
- May 31st-June 2nd is the Spring Fellowship at Canyon Camp
- August 9th-11th is the Fall Conclave at Camp Lowden, where we will have elections again.

As you can see, there is a lot going on this year, so we would love to see you all at as many of these events. Kishwaukee is looking forwards to another great year!

Mawat

No Report

Wetassa

Wetassa had 5 boys at the last chapter meeting. We are doing a movie night where the cost of admission is 2 non-perishable food items –more details to come on that. We are currently trying to find a way to get more boys to come to the meetings and we talked to the new boys about the winter banquet and winter COC.

WWW

Hey, everybody!

We have been working hard up here in Wisconsin to come back attendance-wise and participation-wise with fun activities planned for the future of WWW. Such activities include a service project in the spring, a movie, and a campout! We have been active on the Facebook page and have had attendance at every meeting. We are also very excited to be hosting this year's Winter Banquet! This year's Winter Banquet will be held on January 12th, in Turner Hall of Monroe. Come and join us to enjoy some food, hang out, and listen to our key speakers. Just a reminder to all of those members of WWW, our meetings are the second Thursday of every month at the First Baptist Church in Darlington, Wisconsin at 7 o'clock PM unless said so otherwise on our Facebook page. We hope to see you there and Happy Holidays!

Yours,

Garrett Duff

WWW Chapter Chief

Central Region Chief Enthusiast

Arrowhead Collector

New Committee: Lodge Corporate Development

Lodge Corporate Development Adviser

I am Jef Heckinger, the newly appointed Corporate Development Adviser for our Lodge. While that sounds strange, it is an opportunity for all of us to work together to further the goals and aspirations of the Order of the Arrow in our Council. At the 2018 NOAC we saw a number of Lodges with corporate sponsors who provided everything from equipment, clothing to cash donations, to pay for the expenses of the Lodge at NOAC. We could send a much greater number of youth and adults to Sectional, Regional and National Events with the help of corporate sponsors. To that end I have begun approaching corporations and individuals seeking their support and assistance. Your help and suggestions of who you believe I should contact or approach would be very helpful. You can reach me at jfheckinger@yahoo.com or call me at my office, 815 965 2121. While some of you may be scratching your heads wondering who I am, I can assure you that I have been involved with the Council and Lodge for more than sixty (60) years. Give me a call and we can talk about our new project. I look forward to hearing from you!!

Jef Heckinger

Lodge Corporate Development Adviser

Vigil Honor Recipient

Winter Banquet Details

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019 at Turner Hall 1217 17th Ave, Monroe, WI 53566 5 PM Fellowship – 6 PM Dinner

Cost \$25.00 If you did your Ordeal in 2018 you will receive a \$2.00 discount!

The last day to register is December 27th

Sign up on double knot

<http://blackhawkscouting.doubleknot.com/event/2019-order-of-the-arrow-winter-banquet/2442783>

MENU

- Baked Chicken
- Pork Roll
- Potatoes
- Wisconsin vegetables
- Salad

NO WALK-INS PLEASE!

WALK-INS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE PROGRAM BUT WILL NOT BE SEATED FOR THE MEAL

- Rolls and butter

Check Out Our Council Camps This Summer

Canyon Camp

Hiking. Climbing. Kayaking. Just a few of the many things you can look forward to. Canyon Camp spells adventure with its crackling campfires, hilly terrain, Native American ceremonies, and whippoorwill songs at dusk.

Nestled in the Apple River Valley, just 30 minutes from historic Galena, Illinois and known for its strong tradition of excellence for program offerings, you will not find a better summer camping experience. Canyon Camp offers adventures that will last a lifetime. Learn more by visiting our website: www.canyoncampbsa.org.

Summer Camp 2019 registration is open at CanyonCampBSA.org/register. We will be offering five weeks of traditional Scout camping and hope you will join us!

Dates: June 16-22; June 23-29; June 30 - July 6; July 7-13; July 14-20

2019 features:

- Brand new High C.O.P.E. Course!
- Opportunity to participate in a wide range of merit badges catering to a variety of skill levels and interests
- Offering new merit badges such as mining, cooking, and golf merit badges.
- *Canyon Ranger Program participants have the opportunity to fulfill First Class Requirements, work on skills in areas of camp, attend Pioneer Potpourri activities, and can even earn merit badges*
- *For older scouts and leaders, the Outdoor Wilderness League (O.W.L. for short) aims to bring high adventure to your week at Canyon. Activities vary from year to year but always aim to challenge you physically and mentally. Keep an eye on the camp schedule for this summer's program!*
- Adult Leader Training Opportunities

And So much more!

Camp Lowden

Camp Lowden is a full service scout camp Camp Lowden is located approximately 7 miles south of scenic Oregon, IL, on the Rock River. The mission of Camp Lowden is to help scouts along their Trail to Eagle while building moral and ethical leadership skills by instilling in participants the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

Dates: June 16-22; June 23-29; July 7-13

2019 will include:

- leadership development for all participants through the patrol method and camp wide activities
- a wide range of merit badges catering to a variety of skill levels and interests
- new merit badges Checkout www.camplowden.org for details
- New in 2019 Annie Oakley Shooting Sports program for female Leaders and Scouts
- First Class Express program (intended for 1st year campers. Provides an emphasis on rank advancement while exposing first year campers to all areas of camp and allowing for the earning of at least 1 merit badge during their first year)
- For older scouts: a bike trip to see wild American Bison, ATV Riders Safety Course, Stand Up Paddle Board instruction going towards the Stand Up Paddle Board Award, and Golf Merit Badge
 - Adult Leader Training Opportunities
 - Opportunity to complete service projects/hours