



2011 OA Lodge Officers

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RAZORBACK CONDUCTS ARROW OF LIGHT CROSSOVER CEREMONY

By Jordan Davis



It's very fitting for Webelos to receive the highest award in Cub Scouting by the most honored and respected scouts in Boy Scouting. The Order of the Arrow shows itself as a Brotherhood of Cheerful Service. Cheerfully serving its community, the brotherhood of our lodge in the Razorback chapter reached out to Pack 121 of Bentonville in January to assist in the presentation of the coveted Arrow of Light award. Among the ceremony team were Jonathan and Jacob Moseley, Chris Lawson, Luke Dunn, Seth Gilchrist, and David Crosby. As part of the ceremony, nineteen 'graduation' arrows were made, one for each participant plus one sacrificial arrow that is broken by the chief as a dramatic step in the ceremony. Plaques (pictured below) were made for each recipient, rays of light fastened to the board with arrows dangling from the bottom. The crossover ceremony was a huge success thanks to these boys and their adult chaperones, John Gray, Ron Mabry, Albert Crosby, and Don Moseley.

Photos by John Gray



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Ozark Chapter News

Chapter Chief: Ryan Bishop-
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VC Indian Affairs: Timothy Keplinger

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Secretary: Michael Gazin

Butterfield Trail Chapter News

Chapter Chief: Jacob Varner-
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Secretary: Evan Simpson

We have recently elected new chapter officers, with whom I am very please. Congratulations to all who have obtained these new positions.

At our last meeting we installed the officers and discussed upcoming events such as conclave, ordeals, and OA elections in the district.

Food for thought: "A superior man is modest in his speech, but exceeds in his actions." – Confucius. As members of the OA, we should always exceed in all of our own actions.

Razorback Chapter News

Chapter Chief: Jonathan Moseley
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VC Activities: David Crosby

VC Indian Affairs: Luke Dunn

Chapter Advisor: Don Moseley
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VC Service: Sean Gilchrist

Secretary: ?

Magazine Mountain Chapter News

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VC Activities: Cody Faith

VC Indian Affairs: Dylan Huml

Chapter Advisor: Dr. Stan Gately
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VC Service: Eli Keeling

Secretary: William Taylor

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Lodge Adviser's Minute

Congratulations to all the new lodge and chapter officers! You have an exciting year planned and are off to a great start. Elections are underway. Your interaction with the youth and adults in the units during your election process is sometimes the first exposure that a unit will have to the OA. You will, many times set the "first impression" of our Order. The enthusiasm that you show and your knowledge and experience that you bring to the units are the best way to let them know what the Order of the Arrow is all about. I thank all of you for your dedication and zeal. I look forward to the year ahead.

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Linda Teal, Lodge Adviser #559

A Message From Your New Lodge Chief

I hope all of you are having a great year. We have a lot to prepare for this year, and I hope everyone that can, will attend all the events.

Our next event is Vigil Elections. Please remember that only youth on the Vigil Nomination Committee, the Vigil Chief, the Vigil Adviser, and Lodge Adviser are allowed to attend this event.

Conclave is not far away. This year it will be held at Camp Rockefeller, near Damascus, AR so its close and I expect to see everyone there.

The next LEC will be March 10th in Russellville. I will send out directions as soon as we have decided the location.

This year is also a NOAC year and it will be held at Michigan State. It will be a fun experience with lots of entertainment.

Calvin Kunkel
Lodge Chief Wachtschu Mawachpo #559

2012 OA DUES REGISTRATION

Please submit by February 15, 2012 to have dues recorded as PAID!

Yearly Dues: \$8.00

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Mail to:
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Wachtschu Mawachpo Lodge #559
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Fort Smith, AR 72901

Arrowman Information:

Please check box if address, email or phone # has changed

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____
e-mail _____
Phone Number: _____
Date of birth: (MMDDYY): _____
Troop #/District/Council: _____
Chapter: (BT, MM, OZ, RZ) _____
OA Honor: Please Circle Ordeal Brotherhood Vigil
Date Honor Achieved (MMDDYY): _____

Medical Authorization

Check the box if you want the Oak Leaf mailed to you

In the event of an accident or medical emergency involving the Scout or Scouter registered above, I/We hereby authorize any adult Scouter(s) to effect whatever action he, she, or they deem necessary to aid the Stricken Scout or Scouter. This includes first aid administered by a Scout or Scouter, licensed Nurse, registered nurse, registered EMT(s), physician(s), or any other medical/surgical person (s).

I/We also authorize transportation, by whatever means, to and from any licensed medical/surgical facility.

I/We understand that all reasonable and timely efforts will be made to contact me or us before extended Medical/surgical procedures are undertaken, but if unsuccessful, we hereby authorize any Scouter(s) involved to sanction whatever medical/surgical action/treatment is recommended by the licensed physician (s) involved.

I/We realize failure to sign this release could result in inadequate medical/surgical treatment of a Scout or Scouter registered above.

Authorization is effective from January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012.

Member's Signature

Parent or guardian if under 18