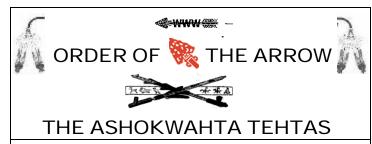
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Upcoming Calendar ---2005

2005 all unit elections are to be completed ASAP, NOW

May 20-221-22, 2005 ----- Spring OA Induction Weekend (CSW)

June 3-4-5, 2005 ----- Section 3A OA Conclave

TBA -----Ashokwahta Fun Weekend

Aug 26-28,2005- - - - - - - Cub & Parent Weekend CSW

September 9-10-11, 2005 --- Fall Induction Weekend (Dittmer)

August 2006 ----- NOAC Conference



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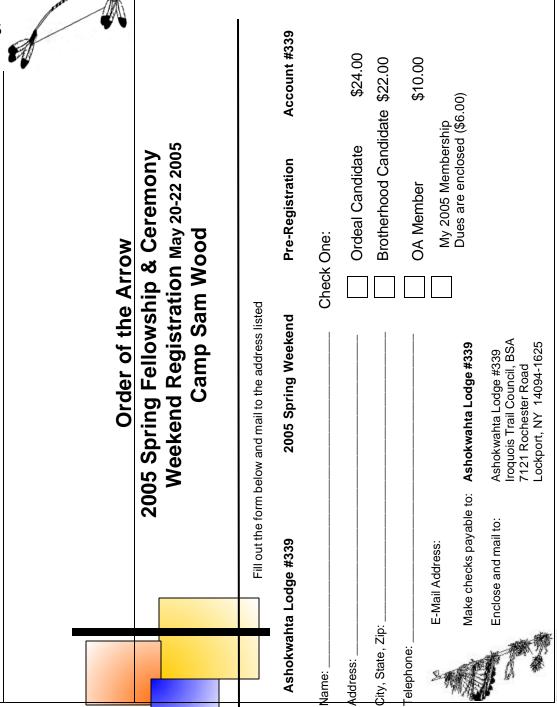
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Conclave 2005 Fun & Game Details

COPE will be offered as a separate stand alone activity. Brothers wishing to use the COPE Course will be charged a separate fee. Pre-signup required (an additional \$6 is due for COPE along with long pants and a class 3 medical form)..

- -417 will operate a Trading Post with food and lodge apparel and the section will be selling pre-ordered polo's and other section clothing.
- -Section apparel forms will be made and distributed soon.
- -Lodge 255 is in the process of planning for Ceremony competitions, they will be using NOAC rules as guidelines and the competition will be held on the parade field.
- -The competitors in the Golden arrow games will meet at the backstop in the big field to receive instructions in the afternoon after the business meeting.
- -Lodge 159 requested one person from every lodge to help judge the websites and newsletters; this person should not be extremely knowledgeable about these subjects. -Lodge 30 proposed nine sessions for training at the conclave and proposed a pre- registered session on building regalia.
- -Lodge 46 will be making the dance team competitions more exhibition and less of an actual competition. They would like to incorporate the dance teams into the Saturday night show if possible.
- -Lodge 95 is in the process of gathering ideas for the Silver Arrow games, but would like to involve the pond and a lot of Jell-O.
- -Lodge 339 would like to make the theme shows more Native American and theme based and will decide for sure at a later date, now knowing what facilities they have to work with.
- -Section Vice Chief Jon Fuller passed out information on the Best all Around Lodge competition
- -Matt passed around two designs for a Section Back patch and the prices of \$15 for a pre- order and \$20 for regular sale was

decided on. The lodge chiefs unanimously picked one of the two designs.



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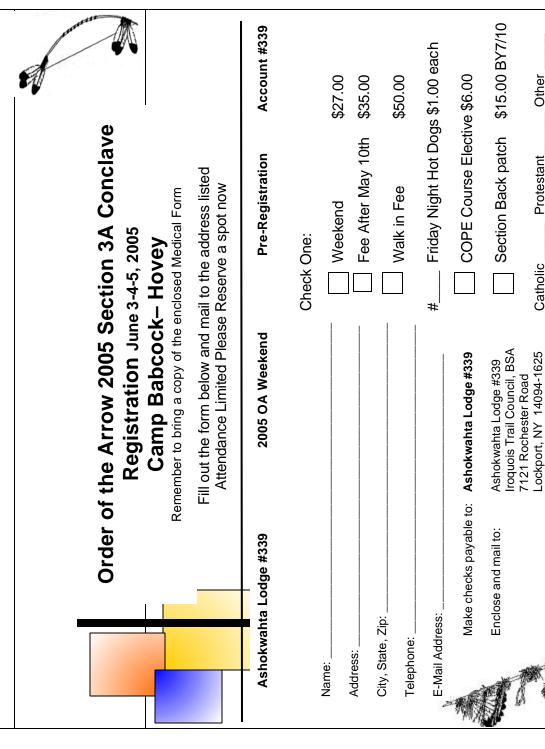


Spring Weekend 2005

Yah its that time of year again, time to induct more members into our organization, and have a great time of fun and fellowship. Yes, it's the annual spring Ordeal weekend and it will be at Camp Sam Wood, hopefully without any rain (knock on wood!!). It will be held the weekend of May 20-22. The price for Ordeal candidates is \$24, Brotherhood candidates are \$22, and Lodge members are \$10, and you can renew your lodge dues for only \$6. Come on down to Camp Sam Wood for a great time. Included in this Newsletter is a registration form. Please pre-register so that we can plan accordingly. Trust me when say it's a good time; I know from experience.

Cory Hall

This year besides the normal camp setup and pool maintenance, we will be looking for some extra manpower to help complete some camp improvements. Please make the time to join us at Camp Sam Wood for some Fun, Fellowship, and Service.

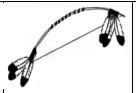


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CONCLAVE 2005

OUR SECTION COVERS ALL OF WESTERN NY. AND MUCH NORTHWESTERN PENN. IT CONSISTS OF 8 LODGES FROM THE COUNCILS COVERING THIS WIDE AREA. THE CONCLAVE WILL BE FUN. THERE WILL BE TIME FOR MEETING NEW BROTHERS. TAKING TRAINING. COMPETING GAMES AND OTHER COMPETITIONS. THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF GOOD FOOD. FELLOWSHIP, PATCH TRADING, SHARING OF IDEAS, AND BUILDING THE SPIRIT OF THE ORDER OF THE ARROW. THE YOUTH WILL BE ELECTING THE NEXT YEAR'S SECTION OFFICERS DURING CONCLAVE. WE NEED TO SHOW OUR LODGE SPIRIT BY SENDING A FULL CONTINGENT OF MOSTLY YOUTH.

ADULTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND AS SUPORT AND TRANSPORTATION TO OR YOUTH.

YOUTH ARE OUR BACKBONE AND OUR FUTURE. WE NEED YOU THERE TO VOTE, SHARE, AND EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS AS TO WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE FOR OUR FUTURE.

Dues / Newsletter Update

The ASHOKWAHTA TEHTAS is a paper put out by the Order of the Arrow Lodge to keep its members up to date on happenings in the Activities are listed, reservation Lodae. sheets are included, and news is needed. This edition will be the last copy sent to those of the members that have not paid their 2000 dues and are in arrears. The cost of the postage and materials does not warrant continued subscription for those not current. Please note that as the editions progress toward 2005 dates---- names will be dropped if the dues are not current. Many people were deleted that were not paid prior to 2000. Thank you for the immediate submission of delinquent dues. (\$6.00 for one year ---\$12.00 to be in good standing if delinquent.)

ITC Spring Camporee

On May 13-15, 2005, Iroquois Trail Council will hold its "Claim Jumpers" Spring Camporee at the Leroy Conservation Club. Activities and competition will make the weekend a spectacular event for your troop! Come on out and stake your claim! Lynn Durkee, Chairman



