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Letter from the Lodge Chief, Sean D.

Hello Brothers and I want to thank you for coming to our September Fellowship Weekend. This is a very important weekend as we need to get camp ready for the Winter Camping Season. It is a very exciting time in our lodge as we have many events to look forward to during this fall and winter. Coming up in November, we have our Council of Chiefs at Camp Mack, where we will learn more about what the section is doing and get an update about Conclave 2024. Additionally, we are looking forward to the Spookaree, where we will be hosting an OA Snack, in order to boost involvement and have a fun way for brothers to meet other brothers at a non-OA event. I also want to thank all the brothers who came down to help out at the June Weekend. All of that help made Summer Camp a huge success. Finally, Octoraro 22 had a blast at Conclave at Hawk Mountain Scout Reservation hosted by Kittatinny Lodge Five. It was an awesome time and we met many people from around the section.

Please continue to stay involved in the way and at camp to help ensure that we can provide an amazing time for scouts and scouters alike.

-Lodge Chief Sean D.

Save The Dates!

- **Lodge Meeting** November 5th PARC
- Blue Heron Fellowship Weekend October 13-15th Pipsico Scout Reservation
- Council of Chiefs November 11th Camp Mack Training Center
- Lodge Meeting December 3rd PARC
- LLD and Brotherhood Blitz December 8th-9th Camp Horseshoe
- **Lodge Meeting** January 7th PARC
- Lodge Meeting February 4th PARC

Letter from the Lodge Adviser, Tom Savoy

I would like to welcome back the new Brothers that took their Ordeal during the April and June weekends and those that have decided it was time to get back involved. I would encourage you to seal your membership if you are eligible, please find the Brotherhood Committee – they will be excited to see you. I would also like to extend a cheerful welcome to the Brothers from Blue Heron #349, our daughter lodge, for our fall fellowship. Please make sure you reach out and meet our fellow brothers from Blue Heron, home of our National Chief.

Our September weekend brings a great opportunity to focus on Fellowship for Saturday afternoon. Please check out the activity schedule for times, locations and activities. I look forward to seeing everyone enjoying each other's company and all the fun activities. We had a great summer and are ready for the fall season to start, however camp did experience heavy storm damage during August, so there is still much to do in the shortened service day Saturday morning, so let's work together and get it done!

We Brothers need to start the rebuild and move the lodge membership back to pre-COVID numbers. The Officers and Advisors cannot do it ourselves. I would ask everyone to assist by ensuring your Troop membership is current and participating in Lodge activities and ensure both your troop and your own active participation in Cub Scout recruitment and retention!

We have a busy weekend with our lodge elections – please take the time to get to know the Officer Candidates prior to the elections. Our Ordeal Candidates and a few brothers will be working on the Trails – it will be nice to get them in shape. Saturday afternoon, we will have games and I would encourage youth and adults to participate in the Lodge's Amazing Race, testing your Order of the Arrow knowledge. Like last year, the adults will do the staffing and youth members will comprise the Teams – prizes will be awarded.

W.W.W.

Tom Savoy



Lodge Leadership Development (LLD)

This Weekend, we will be holding an LLD Session at 4PM in the Dining Hall. We will be going over "Unit Relations", being held by Collin W. Any Brothers currently in or interested in a leadership position should attend.

Also, the LLD Team is looking for members! Our committee is looking for brothers who are interested in learning how to better present, or who are interested in being a trainer at LLD Trainings! If you are interested in joining the committee, please contact Ethan G. or email Ild@octoraro22.org

2024 Lodge Officer Elections

In September of every year, Octoraro 22 elects the officers for the next year. These Officers are sworn in during January, and end their term in December. The Officers are the leaders of the Lodge, and are elected by the youth of the Lodge. Elections for Lodge Chief will take place during Lunch, and the rest of the elections will take place during Dinner.

Remember to vote for who you think will lead our lodge well!

Lodge Chief

Collin Wheeler

My name is Collin Wheeler, I am a Life Scout from Troop 62 in Kemblesville, Pa. I am running for the position of **Lodge Chief**. I completed my Ordeal in August of 2020, and I completed my Brotherhood in April of 2021. I have served as Communications Chair and currently serve as a member of the Ceremonies Team and as Corresponding Secretary. In March, I was awarded the 2023 "Most Valuable Arrowman", and at Conclave 2023. I was voted to be the Section E11 Secretary. But I also want to change our lodge as we move into a year with Conclave Planning and NOAC. If elected as Chief, I would focus on creating fellowship events outside of our weekends, and find more ways to strengthen our LLT! I am ready to serve as your next Lodge Chief and build our lodge to the best it can be!!

Peter Gorman

Hello, I am Peter Gorman, a Life Scout from troop 73, and I am running for the position of **Lodge Chief**. I completed my Ordeal in September of 2020 and sealed my Brotherhood in April of 2021. I served as Kitchen Chair my first two years of being in the order and for the past year I have served as your Vice Chief of Administration. As Chief, I would like to fill all of our positions on our LLT and increase non-chair participation in the LLT. I would also like to increase our fellowship events outside of weekends with activities such as bowling or baseball games. Octoraro 22, I am ready to be your next Lodge Chief!

Vice Chief

Anthony Watson

Hi my name is Anthony Watson. I was your 2023 Program Vice Chief and 2022 Corresponding secretary. I am re-running for the office position of Vice Chief. I am a life scout from troop 52 and I am the rank of brotherhood. I plan on completing my eagle scout in 2023 having completed my eagle project. I lead the lodge to a successful 2023 and plan to do it again in 2024. I helped MC and run the lodge banquet this year. I would help lead the lodge through fun fellowship activities and I plan on helping the lodge increase its activation. I want to help lead the lodge in service this year. If voted in I plan on making it as fun, exciting, and full of cheerful service 2024 year! Vote for Anthony Watson!

Secretary

Austin Price

My name is Austin Price and I am from Troop 10 of Avondale, PA. I am running for the position of Corresponding Secretary. I began my Scouting career as a Tiger Cub, and am currently a Life Scout working towards my Eagle Scout rank. I have been a member of the Order of The Arrow since September 2021. receiving my Brotherhood Rank in April 2022. Outside of Scouts. I attend Avon Grove High School as a Junior, and am working towards earning my black belt in Tang Soo Do. If I am elected as Corresponding Secretary, I will continue to effectively communicate with members as my predecessor did, while also striving to make any improvements I see as helpful or members suggest.

Summer Camp!

Our Summer Camp Season has come to close. Throughout the Summer, we held OA Snacks on Tuesday Nights. Around 150 Brothers attended our OA Snacks throughout the summer. A big thanks to our Camp Chiefs, Sean D. and Grayson P. for their work as Camp Chiefs throughout the Summer Season.



THESECTIONSUMMEN

Section E11 - Fall COC

Our Fall Council of Chiefs is coming up on November 11th at Camp Mack. We plan to discuss events upcoming including Conclave 2024. Our Officers will be attending, but if you are interested in what the Section does, speak with Collin or any other Officers.

E11 Conclave 2024!

Conclave 2024 will be hosted by Wunita Gokhos 39 at Camp Mack.
Remember to keep your agendas open for May 31st - June 2nd for a Conclave full of Pirates!

Section Positions

Section E11 is looking for youth to fill some committee positions. Our positions at the Section are Communications, Lodge Assistance and National Program. Please speak with Collin W. if you are interested.

Lodge Shirts!



We are excited to announce our new Lodge T-Shirts, which will be available at the Trading Post starting Saturday Morning for just \$20! All proceeds go to support our lodge!

NOAC 2024!



NOAC is returning in 2024 at the **University of Colorado**: **Boulder** on **July 29th-August 3rd.** The theme is "Seek New Heights". Sign Ups are coming in October!

Communications!

Communications is looking for
Photographers to help take photos of our events during the weekend! All we need is for you to take a couple of photos here and there during our weekends and events!

Email

communications@octoraro22.org
If you are interested.

Come to LLD and Brotherhood Blitz!

On December 8th-9th, Octoraro 22 will be hosting it's LLD and Brotherhood Blitz Weekend at Camp Horseshoe! LLD will be held in the morning and Brotherhood Blitz will be in the afternoon. Attend one, or both! More information is coming soon, so pay attention to your emails.

This Weekend at the Trading Post!

This Weekend, at the Trading Post, we have a variety of new things available!

Ernie Heegard Collection

Back again is the Ernie Heegard Collection! Get shirts from old events at the Trading Post! These are sure to sell out quick, so don't wait!

New Lodge Flaps!

We are releasing our New Ordeal, Brotherhood and Vigil Patches! They will be available at the Trading Post! Additionally, if you've attended enough LLT Meetings during 2023, you are eligible to receive the Executive Board Patch!

Octoraro 22 Pocket Dangles!

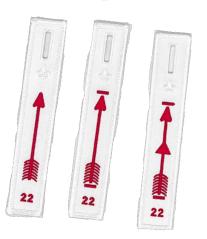
We are bringing back the Octoraro 22 Pocket Dangles, with a Ordeal, Brotherhood and Vigil Flap!

Lodge Shirts!

Our New Standard Lodge Shirts are available in the Trading Post! Make sure to pick one up!







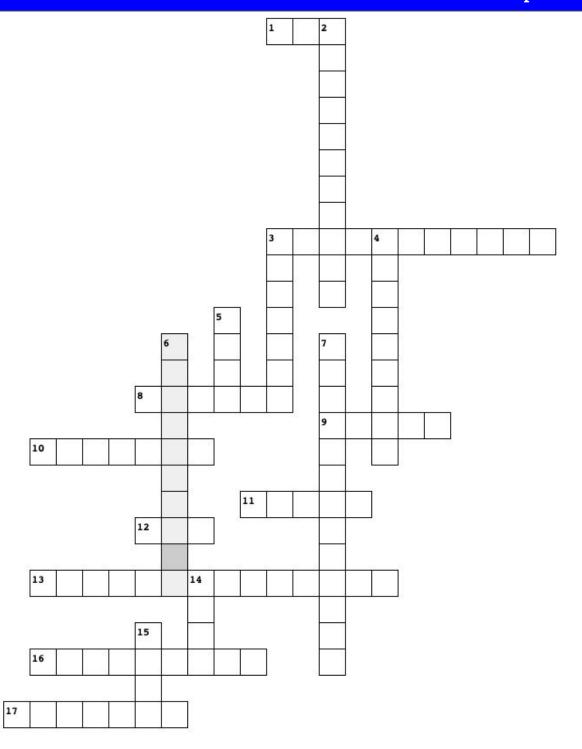
Goose Points!

This Weekend, look for Goose Point QR Codes to earn Points towards a Prize! Goose Points can be earned from exploring camp, seeing officers, and participating in events. Try to earn as many points as possible. Since you read the Wulamoc, here's 100 Goose Points!





Goose Points!



Across

- 1. <u>genta.</u>
- 3. The rank of one that has sealed their membership
- 8. Wears our Goose Costume
- 9. Our Mascot
- 10. Nature Lodge AKA _____ Lodge
- 11. A True Brother
- 12. Number of Lodge Officers
- 13. NOAC 2024

Down

- 2. Committee in charge of Officer Elections
- 3. University of Colorado: _____
- 4. Our Camp
- 5. ____ Elections.
- 6. His Years as Chief, Numbered ____
- 7. W._.W.
- 14. The Only Place to get food before an OA Weekend
- 15. Number of Lodges in our Section