



Cahuilla Lodge #127 - Order of the Arrow

California Inland Empire Council #45

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From The Desk Of The Lodge Chief

The June 24, 2004 LEC Meeting at Camp Helendade was cancelled due to road closures due to fire.

Since a meeting was not held where everyone could attend, here is some brief information that you should be aware of:

Old Business

June Ordeal

Josh Kast (Ordealmaster) will be providing a report soon concerning how things went at this ordeal. The ordeal went very well, and Josh and his staff did an excellent job.

Section Meeting

This is covered in the Lodge Chief Report. In summary, for Conclave 2005, Cahuilla will be handling Event Promotion and Shows.

New Business

OA Summer Camp Days

Every chapter should be assigned a summer camp day at this point. Refer to the First Vice Chief report for more information.

Ceremony Expert Program

The Lodge is in the progress of rewriting to clean up some of this program. Right now we need more teams and individuals to become certified. A copy of the program can be found [here](#).

Call of the Cahuilla, 3rd Edition

This is complete and being mailed. Work will begin on the new one soon!

NOAC

Camping Promo Booth

Our Lodge will be getting together to work on this for NOAC. A message will be sent out over the Listserv concerning a time and location.

New Paraphernalia

T-shirts are going to be made for NOAC participants.

Location for the next LEC

The next LEC will be held Wednesday the 21st of July at Camp Emerson at 7:30pm. There will also be a meeting for NOAC participants at 7pm.

Please refer to the Officer Reports for information in more detail.



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Lodge Chief Report

Thursday, June 24, 2004

Summary of Recent Actions

- June Ordeal
- Section Meeting
- NOAC
- Camping Promotion

I feel that so far this year, our Lodge has done an exceptional job to improve upon the years past to be more efficient and effective in most everything that we do. The month of June marked the second Ordeal this year that we have implemented our Lodge programs as well as the rules and recommendations outlined in the *Guide to Inductions*. I would like to give a big thanks to Josh Kast and his team for stepping up to the plate at the last moment and pulling our Lodge out of a tough spot. This is a great example of cheerful service- the principles upon which our Order is founded.

One thing that I would like to see more of in the future is chapters being more assertive about implementing the new programs in our Lodge. The Ceremony Expert Program is one example. The Lodge has been doing evaluations at the Ordeals to find those who would make good candidates for the program, yet no chapter has made any effort to have a team join the program. This is a shame because the only people that are eligible for our nifty new patches right now are trainers. The Lodge is going to make a greater effort to get the word out, but we still need the chapter chiefs and their respective ceremony members to take initiative. For more information, contact Corey Painter.

Although I was thrown into the pool at the Section Meeting, I still had a good time evaluating Conclave 2004 with the section. We already have some really good ideas that are going to make 2005 an awesome year to go to Conclave. At this meeting we decided what Lodges were going to handle what tasks for the coming year. Cahuilla has some rather fun responsibilities:

- Event Promotions
- Shows

I'm sure you all know what this means: I am looking for Conclave Vice Chiefs to head up these areas. The event promotions chairman will need to handle publishing a flyer and other associated work once the location and price has been determined. The shows CVC will be in charge of putting together the Friday and Saturday night campfires- which will require a substantial staff. I am confident that we have the resources and the means to provide the section with exceptional work. By the way, if you ever catch Gollner alone by a pool, push him in for me.

NOAC is right around the bend! As of right now, there is one youth slot open and we still intend to fill it. The cost for NOAC will be about \$800 but the Lodge hopes to subsidize up to \$300 of it. Sign up now! Contact Dan Alexander at (909)684-3976.

Chris Horn
Cahuilla Lodge Chief



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1st Vice-Chief Report

June 24, 2004

Chris Ogaz – 1st Vice-Chief (Clogaz@csupomona.edu)

Fall Fellowship Chairman

I need everyone to scour their chapters for a talented youth who is willing to be the 2004 Fall Fellowship Chairman. They will be working with Assistant chairman Kyle Bradley and Bryan Rindal as well as Advisor Tracy Shultze. I will be speaking with every chapter about who they have that can run this event.

I also want to remind everyone about their specific OA day at summer camp each week where your Chapter will attend and participate in the program there as well as provide a service project. I need each chapter to sign up for the week that is most suitable for them. This will give even more service to our council camps. Some of you still haven't signed up!!!

Emerson:

July 7 Serrano

July 14 Wanakik

July 21

July 28

August 4

August 11 Aca

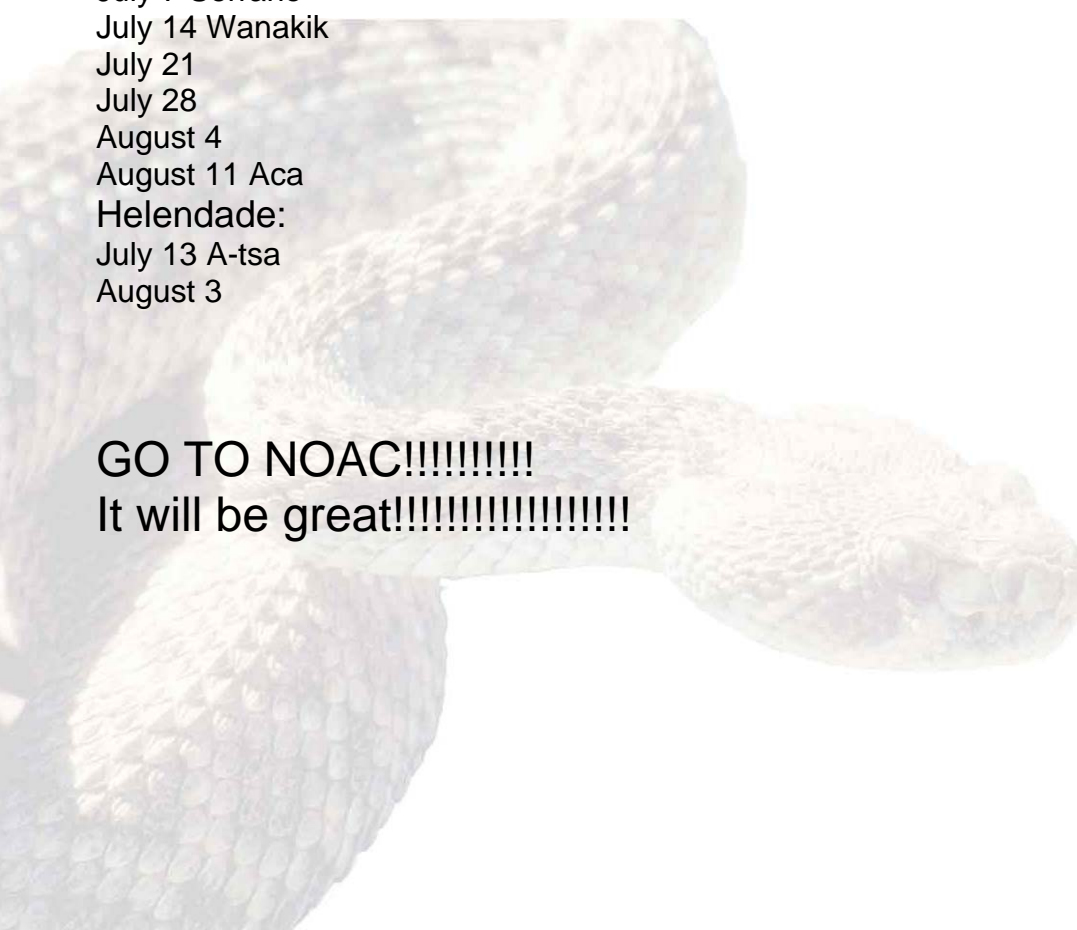
Helendade:

July 13 A-tsa

August 3

GO TO NOAC!!!!!!!!!!!!

It will be great!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!





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2nd Vice-Chief Report

I would like to start out by thanking all those who helped out with the June ordeal at Camp Helendade.

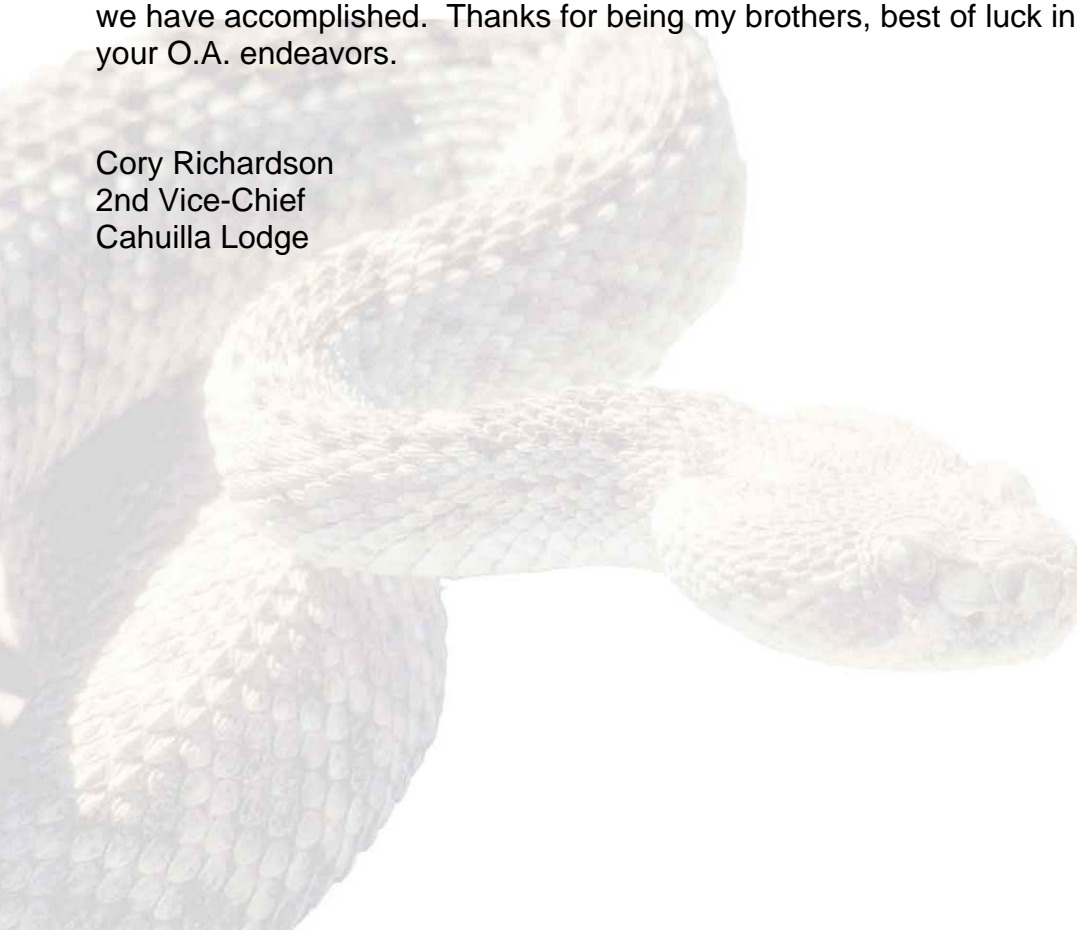
We still have a shortage of elongomats, if anyone would like to volunteer for the August or Sept. ordeal that would be great.

I would like to encourage anyone who is eligible to seal their ties of brotherhood to do so. This can be done at either the August or the Sept. ordeal or Fall Fellowship.

If your interested in being a member of a ceremony team, please contact your Chapter Indian Affairs Chairman as we are in need of Ceremony Team Experts.

Unfortunately, I will soon be leaving the Cahuilla Lodge as I will be moving to the University of Utah. However, I will always remember my brothers in the Cahuilla Lodge, the good times we have had and the deeds we have accomplished. Thanks for being my brothers, best of luck in all your O.A. endeavors.

Cory Richardson
2nd Vice-Chief
Cahuilla Lodge





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Lodge Secretary Officer Report

June 24, 2004
Camp Helendade

Dues

If you attend OA events or if you go to OA meetings then you need to pay your dues. No exception. There is no such thing as a free lunch. We are still lagging in active members and we need all those who are hiding in the background to pay up so that we can reach our goal.

Ceremony Expert Program

I have now taken a clear look at the ceremony expert program and I know what I want to do. I want to create an opportunity to certify members at Fall Fellowship but I need to have adults who want to be trainers. If anyone wants to help out please contact me.

Next LEC

Don't forget the next LEC will be at Emerson, not the council office. We need to have all chapters in attendance. Don't forget.

Corey Painter
Cahuilla Lodge Secretary

