

Papago Lodge #494

August 16, 2006 LEC Minutes

- Chapter meetings were held before the LEC officially began
- 8 officers in attendance

Opening:

- Meeting Began at 7:29 p.m.
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Obligation

Lodge Officer Reports: 8/9 present

Treasurer: The fees for Ordeal will be thus: The Tuesday prior to Ordeal: \$10.00 for Fellowship, \$38.00 for Ordeal, and \$30.00 for Brotherhood; after which a late fee of \$15.00 will be added for all prices.

Secretary: Alex (the former lodge secretary) will have the minutes for approval for the April, May, June, and July LEC.

1st Vice Chief: Conclave Nov. 10 -12 registration upcoming. The Early Bird price deadline will be changed due to a delay in the registration website.

NOAC was great. Reports are needed on what happened from the participants. Money is still needed from 4 people.

-Lock-in has been decided for Jan. 5-6. Prices are \$3.00 each to be paid before the Dec. LEC (Dec. 20th \$5.00 then on.

Web page will have invitation for the lock-in.

Lock-in will have:

Movies PG-13 or lower.

Board games

And Cards

We need to know which members will be willing to bring these things.

We need to have a discussion on parental permission and if it should be w/ the advertisement

Looking for a lock-in promotion design due by Sept. LEC.

Then to be decided on by the Oct. LEC.

Should there be a prize for the design?

We also need suggestions for Fellowship activities.

We also need to know which adults will be attending to fit council supervision requirements.

The statement that the location for the event still needs to be determined

-The Lodge Banquet went great! 120 people were there including guests. \$420 was raised by the patch auction and an additional \$60 from the patch grab bags.

Thorns:

Need a program,

Need to invite certain people Such as the Staff Lodge Advisor and the Supreme Chief of the Fire

It is necessary for all lodge members Youth and adult to understand that a Chief's gift is the Chief's choice.

The patch auction would have been better if it was located in another room for better crowd control when shutting down the auction.

Roses:

Auction was very good,

Location was good,

The Lodge Advisor stated that the banquet was a very good youth run program.

2nd Vice Chief:

Vigil/founders:

Getting ready for the Vigil weekend

Two candidates (Alex Jimenez and Will Taylor) are being rescheduled for due to their college class schedules.

We need unit election teams—Chapter Chiefs need to ask chapters for volunteers. Names should be forwarded to Alex at papagopete@hotmail.com.

Ordeal Master:

We are trying to get Mr. LeClaire to cook for the Sept. Ordeal.

Also trying to get List of projects from the camp ranger.

Ceremonies/ teams were discussed:

Oraibi is the default chapter for teams, though other chapters are encouraged to make teams for back-up.

A new Allowat is needed as Will Taylor has gone to college.

Chapter Reports:

Victorio: 11 youth and 5 adults in attendance at chapter meeting. Discussed what might be done for the Cochise District camporee. We discussed ceremony regalia.

Talala: 6 youth and 3 adults in attendance at chapter meeting. We discussed upcoming events. The chapter worked on Mannequin chest plates as a service project for the boy scout store.

Oraibi: 12 youth and 3 adults in attendance at chapter meeting. Played lots of games. Pool party next mtg. Medicine bags were discussed as a project for future meetings.

Santa Cruz: youth and 0 adults in attendance at chapter meeting. Christian is working on getting an active chapter.

Old Business:

Patch Design - Pricing on 50th anniversary patch bid:

Discussed design options like: Gold Mylar border

Instead of 8x8 inch size , a 9x9 inch still in price range

We would like to try to have final artwork by Sept LEC so as to place order in advance of Conclave.

Numbers:

Cost estimate is 300 patches @ \$1400

Current Orders:

25 50ths

10 regular.

Looks for the patch:

Do we want the Turkey on it and could we ghost it?

We'll need to submit the final design @ next LEC

NOAC - We also need 21 NOAC beads for necklaces for all the attendees

New Business:

- Neckerchiefs @ Conclave: We discussed which colors would be used?

Choices:

Red w/ black

Black w/ red

Yellow w/ black

Informal vote says: Black w/ red piping

- Nat'l Service Grant:

We will need to turn in by Oct. 31st – \$5,000.00 from the National OA people, it must be for a Council Camp, and we (the lodge) must provide 50% of the necessary labor.

Alex Babis:

I move to allow Ritchie Benner to approve a National Service Grant for Papago lodge, for use towards shooting sports facilities at Camp Lawton.

Christian Duke: I second.

Motion was carried by Unanimous Vote

Committee Reports:

SOP Committee: none

Ceremonies Need a new Allowat

Ordeals: Need a project list.

Ordeal Cooking: trying to get Mr. LeClaire for Sept. Ordeal.

Where to go camping none

Extended Elangomat none

Conclave: Nov. 10-12 in Nevada. James volunteered to be the chairman for the 2006 conclave. Sean volunteered to be the chairman for the 2007 conclave in Tucson. The 2007 Conclave advisor is Mr. Ken Robinson.

Trails: none

NOAC: need money from 4 people

Arrow of Light/ Cross Over: none

Lodge Training: Went well 8 out of 9 LEC members attended.

Vigil/ Founders: Preparing for Vigil Weekend and scheduling for 2 people

Web Page: none

Hohogram/ Frontiersmen: none

Lodge History: 50th patch

Mentoring Program: none

Communication: none

Dance/ Drum: none

Fellowship: none

Lodge Banquet: \$500 raised 120 people in attendance

Youth Expo: none

Open Discussion:

- Patch committee would be nice, though an advisor needs to be chosen and a youth chairman named.

- Almost time for Conclave. Need a Spirit Item? Everyone should come up with ideas, research the cost, and bring to next mtg.

Chief's Minute: School is always First!

Advisor's Minute: Keep in mind jobs for this year, planning, communications, and Brotherhood Memberships.

Staff Advisor's Minute:

Closing:

- Closing song

- Meeting ended at 8:48 p.m.