



March 20, 2016

Dear Ordeal Candidate:

Congratulations again on your election into the Order of the Arrow! The last opportunity you will have to seal your membership in the Order of the Arrow is at the upcoming Spring Ordeal scheduled for Friday, June 10th thru Sunday, June 12th, 2016, at J.E. Mack Scout Reservation. Registration for the weekend starts at 7:00 PM at the main Pavilion. Please plan to arrive prior to 9:00 PM. If you have a school related reason for arriving late, but are still interested in taking your Ordeal, indicate the earliest possible time that you will arrive on Friday night. However, we do ask that you **arrive no later than 9:00 PM.**

If you cannot attend this ordeal, you will need to submit to the election process all over again with your troop, so please keep this in mind, as the new election cycle has already started for 2016. The Lodge contact information is listed at the top of this letter for any questions you may have related to the weekend. The weekend activities will wrap-up on Sunday at 9:00 AM.

You must bring a Copy of Annual Health and Medical Record Parts A & B to the weekend.

Instructions for Friday evening:

1. Wear your work clothes to Camp Mack.
2. Register at the main pavilion.
3. After you register, move your gear and set-up your tent in the Activities Field near the large parking lot and Alley Action Center.
 - a. Leave everything not in #4 below, including your uniform, in your tent.
4. Bring the following to the Hyman Pavilion and await further instructions:
 - a. Sleeping Bag
 - b. Ground Cloth
 - c. Work gloves
 - d. Pocket knife
 - e. Water bottle

Parents – please feel free to assist your son with the above items. If you have any questions, please use the contact information above.

Lodge Merchandise

The Lodge trading post will be open on Saturday evening during Cracker Barrel, which is where you will be able to purchase your Lodge Flaps (for your uniforms), and many other types of Order of the Arrow and Lodge branded merchandise (like patches, shirts, mugs, pins, etc.). There will also be a silent auction late on Saturday evening featuring many unique Scouting and OA items; so bring along some cash! We have also included an order form for a Lodge Name Badge, if you are interested in purchasing one, and these will be available for pick-up at Spring Ordeal if your registration is received by the deadline of May 13th 2016.



Here's what you should bring to the weekend:

- **Copy of Annual Health and Medical Record Parts A & B**
- Work Clothes (wear these when you arrive on Friday night)
- Work Gloves, pocket knife, water bottle (keep these with you when you arrive)
- Sleeping bag & ground cloth (tie these together, separately from your other gear)
- Full Scout Uniform (scout shirt, scout pants or shorts, scout socks and belt)
- Backpack or Duffel Bag
- Jacket and/or Sweatshirt
- Poncho
- Flashlight
- Toiletries (including shower stuff, towel)
- Tent

Here's what you should NOT bring to the weekend:

- Food
- Mess kit or cooking gear
- iPod or personal gaming system
- Lantern

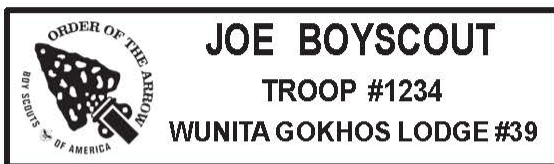
SEE YOU on June 10th! If you have any questions before the weekend, please contact Eric Shea, Lodge Adviser, at 717-278-9646 or erichshea@gmail.com.

Yours in Service,

Max Grove
Lodge Chief

Eric Shea
Lodge Adviser

LODGE ORDER OF THE ARROW NAME BADGE ORDER FORM – SPRING ORDEAL 2016



YES! I want my own OAName Badge. Please engrave my badge as indicated on the right. I have enclosed \$12.00 for each badge (pin back) or \$14.00 (magnetic back) I have ordered. Pick-up will be at Spring Ordeal.

Please, only one badge per order form. Copy this form for additional orders.

Name badge is white with red OA Arrowhead logo, red beveled edges, red lettering and fastener of your choice.

Line 1
Line 2 (optional)
WUNITA GOKHOS LODGE #39
Line 3

Specify 1 or 2 lines of text up to 25 characters per line. Line 3 will always read, "WUNITA GOKHOS LODGE #39."

Send this form & payment to:
Pennsylvania Dutch Council, BSA
C/O #6237T OA Nametag
630 Janet Ave., Suite B-114
Lancaster, PA 17601-4582

**ABSOLUTE DEADLINE
FOR NAME BADGE
ORDER IS
May 13th, 2016**

Deadline for orders is May 13, 2016. If your name tag order arrives after this date, we can't promise that your name badge will be included in the this order. If you have any questions please contact Lodge Adviser Eric Shea at 278-9646 or by email at erichshea@gmail.com.

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone No.: _____ Email: _____



2016 Spring Ordeal Candidate Registration Form

If you register for the weekend, but cannot attend and cancel before the registration deadline, you will receive a full refund. If you notify us after the deadline but before Friday May 27th that you cannot attend, you will receive a refund of \$30 (price less food cost). If you do not attend and do not notify us before Friday June 10th, no refund will be issued.

Weekend Cost: \$50.00 (includes food, sash, OA handbook, membership card, 2016 dues)

ABSOLUTE REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 27, 2016

**REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT MUST BE IN THE OFFICE BY THIS DATE.
- NO EXCEPTIONS! -**

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I have the following medical issue(s), limitation(s), or food allergies(s):

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ - _____ **Date of Birth:** _____ **Troop #:** _____

Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ **Phone#:** _____

District (circle one): Horseshoe Trail Conestoga River Harvest

___ Check here if you plan on arriving between 7:00 and 8:30 PM

Because of school-related activities, if you expect to arrive later than the 7:00 to 8:30 check-in time on Friday. Please indicate the time you expect to arrive at Camp: _____ PM. **Remember, you must arrive by 9:00 PM**

Please mail this form and your payment to:
Pennsylvania Dutch Council
OA 2016 Fall Ordeal
Code 6237S
630 Janet Ave
Lancaster, PA 17601-4582

**ABSOLUTE REGISTRATION
DEADLINE FOR SPRING ORDEAL
WEEKEND IS MAY 27, 2016**

A parent or guardian must sign this release if you are under 18 years of age. If you are 18 years old or older, please sign your own name.

I give permission for full participation in the BSA/OA program listed above.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, I understand every effort will be made to contact me (if participant is an adult, my spouse or next of kin). In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give my permission to the licensed health care practitioner selected by the Adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery or injections of medication for my child (or for me, if participant is an adult).

Signature of Parent/Guardian or Adult

Date