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YEAR PASS POLICY CHANGES

For the past several years, Timuquan Lodge has offered the opportunity to pay for all four Lodge weekends (three conclaves and one fellowship) plus annual dues and the annual back patch from the patch series. The big change is that the annual back patch will NO LONGER BE INCLUDED in the fee.

While this is a convenient way to pre-register for all scheduled Lodge weekends, we find that about half of our year pass members do not join us. This translates into purchase of extra supplies which are not used in anticipation of hosting our brothers.

All year pass members will receive an e-mail in advance of the scheduled weekend asking you to respond if you will not attend. Please reply at your earliest opportunity so we can properly prepare to host the weekend.

Patches for all year pass members shall be saved for one weekend beyond the weekend for which they were issued. Then, they will revert to the Lodge Box for general sale. If you want your patch mailed, please contact the Lodge Secretary or Secretary Adviser to arrange postage and to verify mailing address.



2010 Section Seminars

I would like to thank everyone who participated in Section Seminars on November 5-7. We had 300 brothers from the section and 82 were from Timuquan. Thanks to the seminars committee and everyone who helped out, the weekend was a huge success!

Yours in Cheerful Service,
Marty Shermetaro
2010 Section Seminars Chairman



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LODGE OFFICER ELECTIONS COMING UP AT MARCH FELLOWSHIP!



Each year at the Lodge Fellowship in March, Timuquan Lodge holds elections for its key Youth leadership roles. Positions available include: Lodge Chief, Administrative Vice Chief, Inductions Vice Chief, Chapter Chiefs, Secretary, Treasurer, and Historian. Newly elected leaders take office on the Sunday of the Section Conference in April and attend the annual Lodge Leadership Development training in May.

Requirements for election include that you are a member in good standing of Timuquan Lodge, including that you are registered with a unit, have your current year's dues paid, and have attended Lodge events regularly. In addition, candidates for Lodge Chief, AVC, and IVC must interview with the Lodge Adviser to ensure dedication to serve in these critical roles.

Even if you are not ready or interested in running for an office, attendance at the March Fellowship is vital to ensure that your vote will be counted. It is the Youth who lead our Order and the Youth who choose these leaders. Encourage good Brothers to run for these positions and come out to be a part of this important process!

Eric Frankovitch, Administrative Vice Chief
Mr. Scott Payne, Associate Adviser

Brothers,

I would like to thank all the brothers that helped out at seminars, it was great. I hope everybody has a great holiday season and I'll see you in January.

Thank you,

Eric Frankovitch, Administrative Vice Chief



Jakob Fritz, Inductions Vice Chief

Mr. Paul Drouin, Associate Adviser

Dear Brothers,

I would first like to thank you for your support for the two big events that we had recently. I would like to thank all of the 46 OA members who came out to help staff for the Tiger Growl. Mrs. Kelli Cliff greatly appreciated our help parking, running activities, and cooking lunch. The other activity was the more recent Section Seminars. I would like to thank all the 80 plus Timuquan members who came out to staff that weekend. Everyone was impressed that we were able to accomplish so much in six months of planning.

Now moving along to some committee business.

We are looking for more ceremonialists. So if you would like to become a ceremonialist, contact the Ceremonies Chairman, Jimmy Briggs, or me and I will let him know you are interested. Also within your troops, encourage Ordeal candidates to go through their Ordeal and Ordeal members to seal their membership in the Brotherhood. I also encourage **you** to come out and enjoy the weekend at Camp Soule. See you there!!



In WWW,

Jakob Fritz, Inductions Vice Chief

Brian Martin, Secretary
Mr. Mark Scheiderer, Secretary Adviser

Dear Brothers,

If you need to update your contact information with the Lodge Secretary the easiest way to do it is to send an email to timuquan@gmail.com with your name and the piece of information that has changed such as your mailing address, email address, phone number, etc."

Brian Martin, Lodge Secretary



Andrew Case, Treasurer

Mr. Ed Ronshausen, Treasurer Adviser

Dear Brothers,

We made a good deal of money at the trading post at Section Seminars. I would like to thank all of those who came and helped out. I still have pre-orders from NOAC and the 2008-2009 year pass holders. If they are not picked up at the January weekend, they will go into the lodge box. Also, the current lodge flap will most likely not be on sale at the Winter Conclave. On the bright side, the 2010-2011 back patch will be on sale.

A Scout is Thrifty,

Andrew Case, Lodge Treasurer



Michael Coser, Historian

Mr. Sam Joseph, Historian Adviser

Brothers,

I want to first say what a great involvement the Kings Cup display has been in our council so far, from Program Preview to the Centennial Camporee. We have used the Kings Cup as a way to draw attention to the lodge and inform old members and possible new members of our brotherhood. Next, I would like to make a plea to all (pg 4)

Registration Form

Winter Conclave — January 7-9, 2011 — Camp Soule, Clearwater, FL

Return with Payment to: Timuquan Lodge 340, West Central Florida Council, BSA
11046 Johnson Blvd., Seminole, FL 33772

Make Checks Payable To: BSA or Boy Scouts Of America

Winter Conclave Registration

Registration Deadline is **close of business on Monday, January 3, 2011**. If paid after this date, you will have to register at the event with a \$5.00 late fee.

First Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Last Name: _____ Work Phone: _____

Unit Type and Number _____ Cell Phone: _____

Youth _____ or Adult _____ Male _____ or Female _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

_____ city _____ state _____ zip code

- Chapter**
- Arpeika
 - Hiyaraba
 - Yayi Yaha
 - Outina

- Honor**
- Ordeal
 - Brotherhood
 - Vigil

- Office Use Only**
- Processed at WCFC _____
 - Entered into OA Lodgemaster _____
 - Medical Form dated _____ on file

Current Medical Form will be required.

Select Only One

- Member Registration, on-time \$20.00, late \$25.00**
\$5.00 late fee if received after close of business on January 3, 2011
- Brotherhood Registration, on-time \$30.00, late \$35.00**
Additional \$10.00 includes the Brotherhood sash
- Brotherhood Registration for Year Pass Holder \$10.00**
- Food Service, on-time \$17.00, late \$22.00**
- Elangomat, on-time \$17.00, late \$22.00**

The event begins Friday night at 7:00 and ends Sunday at 10:00 AM.

Multiple Registers

Include their name, e-mail address (if applicable), and registration type

2011 Year Pass or Dues Form

Year Pass option

Name _____

Address _____

City, State Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Date of Birth _____

Troop/Unit _____

Returning again this year is the option for lodge members to pay for a year pass. The year pass will automatically register you for all four lodge weekends during 2011 and pay for your 2011 lodge dues. The year pass will provide the patches for the events the year pass covers. The year backpatch IS NO LONGER included. Section events and functions held away from the weekends will carry their own fees. Year Pass fee is \$95.00 for 2011 if paid before January 3, 2011.

Dues

Dues for the 2011 Timuquan Lodge year are now due. These dues cover the period of January 1 thru December 31, 2011. You are reminded that current registration in the Boy Scouts of America is required to maintain your lodge membership. Dues are \$15.00 per year or \$20.00 after January 9, 2011.

Chapter

Arpeika

Hiyaraba

Yayi Yaha

Outina



Has your information changed? If so, please check here so that we may update our Lodge records.

Please make checks payable and mail to:
 Timuquan Lodge 340
 West Central Florida Council
 11046 Johnson Blvd
 Seminole, FL 33772-4715

Year Pass at \$95.00
 Pay by January 3, 2011

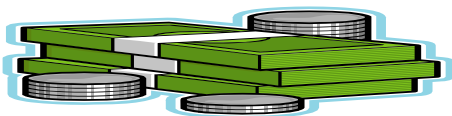
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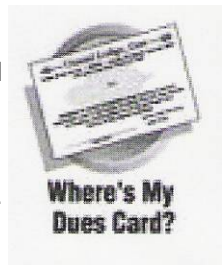
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Signature:



Dues for 2011 are payable now and will be late at the end of the January weekend. Please remember that you must maintain your Boy Scout registration in order to maintain your OA membership.



JR Ronacher and Mrs Alice Cliff were presented with a trophy for winning the Publications Competition at Section Conference in April 2010. The trophy was discussed by the LEB and donated by Mr. Jim Ronayne.





OA HELPS WITH TIGER GROWL

By: Kelli Cliff

Tiger Growl took place on Saturday, October 9th from 7 am to 3 pm. For the great and wonderful staff, the day started before the break of dawn at 6:30 am. A fun-filled day was had by all 252 participants and 75 staff members with 6 events including a Water Relay, Tiger Hunt, Toss Across, Monkey Bridge, David & Goliath and the making of a Tiger puppet. Lunch was executed nicely by Jane and John Petruccelli with the assistance of Bob Cliff and all staff members. Fire Station 50 and 51 were on-site for the Tigers to peruse the trucks during lunch. Pinellas County Deputy Cahoon and K-9 Nitro were at closing ceremonies giving a demonstration with help from Mitch Bollenbacher who got a few bites taken out of him. Thank you to all OA members who assisted with the activities, lunch, parking, and registration. There's no way the event would have gone as smoothly as it did without your help. Guess what?? I'm in charge of Tiger Growl again next year!



University of Scouting

By: Delphine Nasr

We had a great day at the University of Scouting on October 16th at Espiritu Santo Catholic School in Safety Harbor. Over 300 Scouts and Scouters attended the event for our 100th year of Scouting as well as our 10th year anniversary of running University of Scouting. The location was great and the facilities were wonderful. Thank you to Brian Jones for getting us the location!

This year we added some merit badges for the youth classes. We had 2 of the historical merit badges being taught; pathfinding and tracking as well as photography, scouting heritage, genealogy, law, and crime prevention.

We had over 50 volunteers helping make this a smooth event. A big thank you the Cabinet members and all their staff for all their help.

We are starting to look for staff to help for next year. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Delphine Nasr at 727-460-8689 or swissgirl@verizon.net.



Arrowmen Provide Camp Service Throughout the Year

By: Taylor Briggs and Mr. John Petruccelli

This past year, Timuquan Lodge 340 has been very busy making our camps a "work of art." The first weekend of service was the January Conclave at Camp Soule. Projects that were completed were the east fence move,

repair of water front fence, dining hall cleaned, cutup felled trees, split and stacked wood in campsites and ground stumps. Due to the cold weather, this was a shortened weekend, but look at how good the lodge did with abbreviated time to finish these projects.

The next service weekend was the March Fellowship at Sand Hill Scout Reservation. The following projects were completed: repaired fencing on SR 50; repaired fencing on range; painted new wood in latrines; built handicap ramp at campsite 5 latrine; spread mulch at COPE course and climbing wall; pulled firewood from "Raid field" and distributed to campsites, smoker and council ring; put up "No Trespassing" signs and de-rooted west fence line; policed campsites for trash and wood debris and took to burn pile.

A couple months later came our June Conclave at Sand Hill Scout Reservation. The projects that were completed were to put up canvas tents and cots; repaired tent platforms; stained cabins 6 – 10; pressure washed pool deck, stone wall at council ring and ramp at Health Lodge; cleaned around outside of Admin building and parking lot area; cleaned front sign area; replaced rubber feet on dining hall tables and benches; performed a maintenance check on the individual coffee makers to be used for summer camp and Section Seminars; spread mulch on perimeter road and climbing wall; and leveled pads at shotgun range.

Not to long after came the September Conclave at Sand Hill Scout Reservation where projects completed were to repair timbers and cleaned front sign area; pressure washed and stained cabins 11 – 15; finished stacking platforms in campsites 2,3,4, and 8; re-positioned parking blocks at rifle range; repaired cots and tents; sprayed weeds at all fence lines; installed new split-rail fence at climbing wall; repaired benches at dance arbor; cleaned up the council ring; and thoroughly cleaned the ladies bathroom at the dining hall.

Our Last Service Weekend of the Year was the October 30th work day at Sand Hill Scout Reservation. Here 30 brothers took charge in these successfully completed projects. We mowed at the council ring, dance arbor, Sertoma house, OA houses and staff center; weeded front sign area; painted latrines in campsites 4 and 6 and the Hagerty shelter; restretched cables at dining hall parking lots; installed cables in posts at Hagerty parking lot and Camm Road corner; cleaned the windows and screens in the dining hall, swept the walls and vacuumed the air returns in the dining hall; and set the tables and chairs for the seminars weekend. The 30 brothers who came together on October 30th gave 180 hours of service, in that one day, to finish preparing SHSR for the Section Seminar.

In conclusion Timuquan Lodge 340 has been very active in making our camps look AWESOME. Thank you for all of your support, my Brothers.



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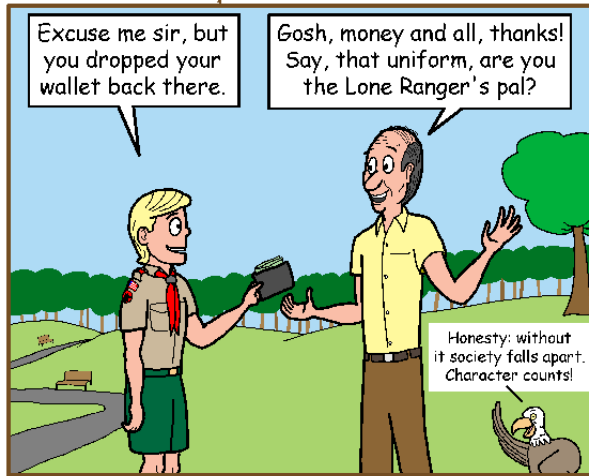
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Lodge Calendar
 Upcoming Lodge Events.....

- January 7-9, 2011**
 Winter Conclave (Camp Soule)
- February**
 6 Scout Sunday
 9 LEB/LEC Meeting (Camp Soule)
 12 Scout Sabbath
- March**
 4 Vigil Honor Callout (SHSR)
 4-6 Spring Fellowship (SHSR)
 5 Vigil Honor Breakfast (SHSR)
 5 Banquet (SHSR)
- April**
 8-10 Section S4 Conference (Tequesta, FL)
- May**
 14 Lodge Leadership Development Conference
 19 Council Program Preview

