

Tutelo Lodge Meeting Minutes

Date: May 18, 2008

Location: Claytor Lake Aquatics Base

The meeting was called to order by Lodge Chief Drew M.

Order of the Arrow Obligation

Invocation by Parker V.

Lodge Officers Reports

Secretary's Report-

- The Minutes were read by Adam N.

Treasurers Report-

-The Financial report was given by Matt C.

Historian's Minute-

-I am preparing material for the booklet. There are going to be past Lodge Meeting Minutes in the booklet. I am also preparing interviews.

Vice-Chief of Committees-

-The key to success at this function was communication. Committees did a fine job and I saw a lot of good things. This function (the first at Claytor) was a success.

Activities Committee-

-no report handed in

Elangomat Committee-

-we had 6 elangomats at this function. I would like to thank Saura, Catawba, Moneton, and Rawenok for providing these elangomats. I am taking names for next function.

Membership Committee-

-no report handed in

Service Committee-

-we did a lot of service this weekend getting CLAB ready. We are looking forward to the Summer Function at Powhatan.

Trading Post-

-We sold a lot of patches and snacks. We began selling the 2008 Conclave flaps. 2008 uncut function patches will be available at Summer Ordeal.

Vigil Selections-

-I need nominations. The nomination form can be found online and in the Torchbearer. Please turn in nominations.

Indian Affairs Committee-

-We had a really good weekend using the ceremony ring down the road. Will Miller will be holding auditions for new ceremonialists.

Inductions Committee-

-Everything went well for the Ordeal and Brotherhood this weekend. The Brotherhood class had 20 members. There were 35 new Ordeal members at this function.

Publications Committee-

-Torchbearer articles are due ASAP. Get them to Ben W. or John Johnson. Changes to Where to Go Camping Guides are also needed ASAP.

Winter Banquet

-we are collecting pictures and video clips for the slideshow. Please email these to me whenever you can. We got a lot of good pictures this weekend.

Vice-Chief of Chapters Report-

-Chapters did a great job this weekend getting Brotherhood conversions. I saw a lot of good things from all of the chapters this weekend despite the new camp and the difficulties that come with it.

Catawba-

- We had a chapter meeting at our Spring Camporee. 13 scouts were tapped at this event.

Koo Koo Ku Hoo-

-We are working hard on unit elections. We had 34 Kooks at this function. We had lots of fun at Conclave and at Spring Ordeal. Congrats to our new Ordeal and Brotherhood Members.

Moneton-

-We had 15 people show up to this function. We will be talking about troop elections and Webelos to Woods at our next meeting.

Rawenok-

-we are in the process of ordering tutelo hats and should be ready to sell them next function.

Saura-

-we held our tap-out at our Spring Camporee. At Conclave we had Cody A. place 1st in Grass Dance and Jeremy Jones came in second in Northern Traditional.

Tuscarora-

-we went to Conclave and have had regular meetings. This weekend we built the ceremony ring. We have now ordered chapter t-shirts.

Wil-Kip-Jo-

- we have been reminding our members to pay their dues. We have now completed most of the elections for this year. We had a good showing at Conclave.

V-Da-Li-

-no report handed in

Business-

Ongoing Business-

-Bylaw Changes

-A motion was made to accept the whole packet of bylaws proposed by the Bylaws Committee

-Vote was 39 yea to 11 nay out of 50 youth members present

-Conclave 2008

-Conclave was wonderful

-We won Tug-of-War

-We need to work on our weaknesses so we don't have to share the Arrow

-Tutelo T-shirt Design

-Proposed earlier by Matt A. that the Lodge make a t-shirt

-Motion made by Matt C. that a deadline be placed on T-shirt designs at the Fall Ordeal

-The motion was adopted

New Business-

-Discussion-Spring Ordeal

-Changes in original plans from a committee standpoint

- we came and did a lot of good work to help out the new camp
- Problems that happened were understandable because of it being a new camp
- There was a problem with waiting around for equipment to work with
- Spring Ordeal Review
 - Numbers
 - 43 Ordeal
 - 20 Brotherhood
 - 200 at Saturday dinner
 - New Brother Recognition
 - First Year Arrowmen
 - Chiefs of Camp
 - Camp Ottari- Eric W.
 - Camp Powhatan- Parker V.
- Motion made that Saura Chapter make T-shirts for their Chapter
 - Motion adopted
- Motion made to order three sets of OA windfeathers
 - Motion rejected
- Motion made to purchase one set of OA windfeathers
 - Motion adopted

Reminders-

- Pay Your Dues!
- Attendance at Lodge Functions
- TUTELO SUMMER ORDEAL AT CAMP POWHATAN
- Next Lodge Meeting at Summer Ordeal, June 15.

Lodge Staff Advisor's Minute-

- If you are still wondering what to do for the summer, contact Tommy Pendleton because he has a few positions to fill. We had a great weekend helping this camp get ready for the summer. We are ready for a great summer.

Lodge Advisor's Minute-

-What we did this weekend would make E. Erner Goodman proud. We got a lot of service done. An entire cabin was put up in about four hours. I thank you all for your spirit of brotherhood and cheerfulness and service.

Lodge Chief's Minute-

-I got so many emails starting about Monday. I came up on Wednesday to see how things were going to be and it didn't look good. I don't think I've ever been this nervous before an event. Then I remembered Conclave when we lost the first three events, to Shenandoah, who bent us over and spanked us. Then, we came back and tied for the Golden Arrow. That showed me that you guys can do anything.

The meeting was adjourned with the Order of the Arrow Song.

These minutes were recorded and produced by Adam N., Lodge Secretary, 2008