April 2020 Wag-O-Shag



The Fox



What's New with Wag-O-Shag? The Lodge is renovating the OA Bowl!

Our first step for improving the OA Bowl is to reset the steps going down to the bowl. We want to install new railing posts along the stairs with the OA Song painted on them so you can read as you walk down. In addition, our plans include the installation of 15 new blaze posts with new torches that represent the points of the Scout Oath and Law. Lastly, we are constructing a new rack in the shape of an arrow that the sashes will lay upon. Ultimately, our goals also involve making the bowl more accessible to those who need accommodations.



-Vice Lodge Chief Sam Matheny

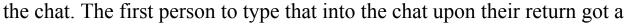


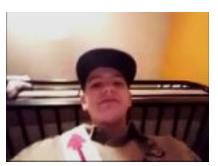
The Galaxy Fox Chapter held an epic scavenger hunt!

On Saturday April 5th, at 7:00 many Arrowmen logged onto a zoom call for an intense Scavenger Hunt. This event was planned and hosted by the Galaxy Fox

Chapter. The way it worked was Chapter Chief, Logan Woessner would say a common or scout related object.

Then everybody rushed to find the object in their house and run back within two minutes. Once they returned with the item arrowmen typed "Got it" into





certain amount of points. Then the second, third, and fourth, got less. Then the rest of the arrowmen that returned within the time limit received the same amount of points and those that didn't make the time limit got no points.

There were 20 rounds and each round became more intense because everybody was trying to get the most points. As the rounds went on Mr. Matheny counted up the point totals. The top three arrowmen in the number of points got Amazon gift cards!!!! The third place winner, Lodge Chief Peter Selfors from Crew 175 received a \$10 Amazon gift card. The Second place winner,

Graham McKenzie from Troop 68 received a \$15 Amazon gift card. Last but not least the Galaxy Fox Chapter scavenger hunt champion, Thomas Barney from Troop 271 took home the 1st place prize of a \$20 Amazon Gift Card. Overall, it was an awesome night filled with fun and fellowship!



The Lodge is looking for Elangomats

I am in need of your help. If you remember back when you completed your ordeal and all the volunteers that helped you advance in



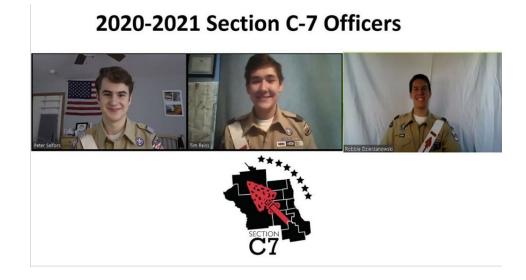
the OA by being a part of the lodge. During Spring Conference there is a need for more elangomats. Elangomats serve as guides to assist new candidates as they complete their ordeal. In addition to going to the Spring Conference for free, you will also get a free t-shirt.

-Membership Committee Chairman Ashlyn Schlieve



Section C-7 election results!

This past month Section C-7 held it's elections through zoom because Conclave where they are normally held had to be cancelled due to COVID-19. Arrowmen across the section could watch through a livestream. However, the people that voted were ten pre-selected delegates from each lodge. The new section officers from left to right are as follows: Section Vice Chief Peter Selfors, Section Chief Tim Reiss, and Section Secretary Robbie Dzierzanowski. They have big plans for the Section!





How Section C-7 leadership is helping our lodge

This year, Section C-7 will be prioritizing the support of our lodges, as well as the refocusing of our section events to prioritize the

experiences of the Arrowmen we serve. We will be shifting our section committees to focus on better supporting our lodges. One of these committees is our training committee, which will now be focused on helping our chapters and lodges THRIVE. It also includes our communications committee, which will work more directly with our lodges to help with the promotion of lodge and section events. We will also be reworking our section events to better engage our



Arrowmen, as well as support the next generation of great leaders. We, as an Officer Team, have many great things coming down the line, and we can't wait to share them with all of you!

-Section C-7 Chief Tim Reiss

Peter Selfors was elected as C-7 Vice Chief

Lodge Chief Peter Selfors was elected C-7 Vice-Chief by the section. He will continue serving as Lodge Chief for the rest of the term. This means we will have an ear in the section! Next month's edition of the Fox will include an article of Peter's leadership progression in the OA that you won't want to miss!



Upcoming Events

Lodge Day of Service - RESCHEDULED, at MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary



Lodge Day of Service!

This years lodge day of service will be held at MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary in Milwaukee.

Activities Will Include:

- Clear Rubble 2nd Floor (Main Project)
- Clean up trash in the community
- Bike Repair
- Clothes sorting
- Assembling Hygiene Kit

Where: MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary

2461 W Center St, Milwaukee, WI 53206

When: April 25th (Time TBD)

Who: All Order of the Arrow Members!



Spring Conference - May 29, 2020, at Camp Long Lake

On May 29, 2020, Arrowmen from all over in the lodge will gather at Camp Long Lake. The theme for Spring Conference is the Wild West! Scouts that have been tapped out will have a chance to complete their Ordeal. Also, those eligible for Brotherhood testing will be allowed to test and undergo their brotherhood ceremony. There will be lots of opportunities for cheerful service as well.



2020 National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) -August 3-8, 2020 Michigan State University, MI



If you love patch trading, meeting Arrowmen from different lodges, and you love fun, then you will want to go to the 2020 NOAC! Registration is now open so don't waste time and sign up! Info on how to sign up on our website, here.

Camp Long Lake is Still Looking for Camp Staff

Camp is still looking for potential staffers who are energetic and eager to put on a great summer program for the Scouts and Scouters who attend CLL this summer. They are still looking for positions that require 18 years of age minimum and 21 years

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of age minimum. Areas of focus being desired are mainly in climbing director (21 years of age minimum), climbing instructor (18 years of age minimum), shooting sports (21 years of age minimum), waterfront and first-year program director positions (18 years of age minimum). If interested contact Brad Singer, Camp Director, at campdirector@pabsa.org or Jeff Pett, Program Director, at programdirector@pabsa.org.





Contact our LEC

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