Section SR-7B Order of the Arrow

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Meet the Section: Vice Chief of Program

Jordan Kornegay from Nayawin Rar lodge currently serves as your Vice Chief of Program. He is planning the program that will make Conclave 2016 great. Here's what Jordan had to say about his position.

Q: What experience do you have in the OA?

A: I was tapped out in the summer of 2011 at Camp Tuscarora. I went through my ordeal in October of the same year. From there, I began to serve as my troop's OA Representative. The following fall, I attained my brotherhood and was elected to serve as chapter chief for the 2013 term. I served as my lodge's Treasurer and Trading Post Committee Chair in 2014. In that winter, I began tackling my hardest task in the Order yet, Conclave Chair. This time in my life I was able to develop so much as I leader and am thankful for the opportunity, but of course, thankful that it is over. And last but not least, I am now serving as your Vice Chief of Program.

Q: What duties do you have as Vice Chief of Program?

A: The Vice Chief of Program duties include drafting the annual Section planbook, oversight of planning/execution of Cardinival, preparing the section's needs list for conclave, working with the service lodge in planning/executing conclave, and being a good representation of the Section, the Order, and Scouting.

Q: Is there a difference between lodge and section level leadership?

A: I feel that there is quite the difference between lodge and section leadership. For instance, on the lodge level, most LECs convene once a month, and on the section level we only convene as a group about twice a year. There's a lot less face to face interaction with the entire leadership team, and a lot more phone calls and one on one meet ups.

Q: How have you been impacted by the centennial of the Order of the Arrow? What impression did NOAC leave on you?

A: Being able to be a youth in this organization during the centennial is quite the blessing. This year has been incredibly exciting for our Order and our Section. We have bettered our conclave, and initiated more community service than before. NOAC was also an amazing experience. It was really awesome to run into scouting friends that I have from across the country at an event with 15,000 people, as well as survivalist and Eagle Scout Creek Stewart. I mean what are the chances? I probably had the best time being able to spend these moments with he brothers from my lodge, both old and new.

Q: What do you plan to do differently at Conclave this year? Is there anything new to look forward to?

A: Conclave this year will be absolutely phenomenal! One of our exciting new additions is the SR-7B's got Talent competition scheduled during Cardinival this year. It is going to be a very entertaining and intriguing part of our conclave and will be the hub of the Cardinival block party.

Register for Conclave Today!

Registration for Conclave is now open! Join us for one of the biggest annual Scouting events in the nation, held April 15-17, 2016 at Camp Boddie in Blounts Creek, NC. The theme is "Breaking the Barriers and Bonding in Brotherhood". It's sure to be a great time.

You can only sign up and pre-order memorabilia online, so click the link below and reserve your place!



Represent the OA at National Jamboree!

The next Boy Scout National
Jamboree will be held at the
Summit Bechtel Reserve in West
Virginia in 2017. This is the largest

Register Here!



Council of Chiefs meets at Camp Boddie

Some exciting plans for Conclave were made at the October Council of Chiefs meeting at Camp Boddie last weekend. Section officers, chairmen, lodge chiefs, and advisers all met to discuss what we can expect at Conclave and other section events this year. Expect some big announcements to be made as the year unfolds.

gathering of Scouts in the United States, with more than 30,000 attending Jambo in 2013!

Jamboree cannot happen without the support of Arrowmen like you. Operation Arrow 2017 will be made up of OA members intent of making every Scout's experience a great one. With Operation Arrow, you will have the opportunity to work in great positions like a Service Corps member, Indian Village interpreter, a Trek Guide, and more.

If this sounds like something you're interested in, check out the link below and talk it over with your parents. This is a great way to experience National Jamboree and give back to Scouting!

Find Out More!



Camp Spotlight: Cherokee Scout

Word from the Bird: Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge Spotlight

What's up SR7B?

Reservation

Cherokee Scout Reservation (CSR) is located in Yanceyville, North Carolina and is host to over 300 Boy Scouts, Venturers, Adult Leaders, and staff members for seven weeks each summer, and numerous weekends throughout the offseason.

At CSR, we are very fortunate to have one of the best shooting sports programs in the Southeast, and recently have improved our COPE course. At CSR, you can spend your nights at the Trading Post watching games on our activity areas, participate or watch in the ever-so-popular karaoke nights, or spend a quiet night in one of our many campsites.

If you are interested in bringing your troop to CSR in summer 2016 or would like more information about the camp, please contact Camp Director, Chip White at chip.white@scouting.org or at our Council Service Center at 336-378-9166.

My name is Lanning Honeycutt and I am the Lodge Chief for Tsoiotsi Tsogalii for our 2015-2016 Lodge year. Over here at Lodge 70, we started our year strong with our first Ordeal at our Council's Cub Camp, Woodfield Scout Preservation, where we were able to induct over 150 new members into our Order. However, due to harsh weather conditions, we had to cancel our October Ordeal, which we are now having in December!

Our current focus is preparing to host a Council Camporee at Cherokee Scout Reservation in November that will highlight and celebrate the three-tiered mission of the Order of the Arrow; Brotherhood, Cheerfulness, and Service. We anticipate over 1,000 Boy Scouts across the Old North State Council to come and see what we do as arrowmen.

See you at Conclave!

In the Brotherhood,

Lanning Honeycutt Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge Chief

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