

**Shawnee Lodge #51**

Order of the Arrow

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## A Message from our Chief

My Brothers,

It is my honor to have been elected to serve you, my fellow scouts, as chief of this Lodge. At the Fall Reunion, the Arrowmen in our Lodge selected me to lead our Lodge towards improvement and success not only for the Lodge as a whole, but also for each Chapter, and each Arrowman. Now that my term is well on its way, it is my pleasure to inform you of the monumental goals Shawnee Lodge will strive to achieve this year.

The first major goal is built upon the improvement of effective communication in our Lodge programs. Specifically, the Lodge will reinvent the Camp Promotion program, revitalize the Elangomat program, and take complete advantage of the OA Troop Representative program. You can read about the new Camp Promotion program later in this edition of the Lookout. The Elangomat and OA Troop Rep programs mainly depend on the participation of each individual for their success. I ask each of you to cheerfully serve in at least one of these three programs in your Chapter in the upcoming months in order to contribute to the overall success of our Lodge.



The second major goal includes the success of brotherhood, cheerfulness, and service at all Lodge events throughout the year. These events include the Winter Fellowship Banquet, the Arrowman Experience (a new Lodge invent that includes aspects of the Ceremonial Team Seminar but also invites all Arrowmen to join in brotherhood and cheerfulness) the One Day of Service, the Spring Conclave, and the Fall Reunion. Again, the participation of each individual Arrowman in our Lodge is what overall translates to the success of these events, so do your part! More information on all these events will be available at the Banquet.

The final goal is adoption of the National Journey to Excellence (JTE) Program. It is my personal goal, as well as all of the Lodge officers and chairmen who serve you, to attain the highest possible achievement level: gold. Enclosed is a detailed article about the JTE program, our ability to achieve this honor is primarily up to your participation in our Lodge's programs and events.

As Allowat Sakima says in the Ordeal Ceremony, "My Brothers, we challenge you." We, the Lodge Officers, challenge you to help the Lodge achieve our many goals. Help us define this year in the Shawnee Lodge a success. Help us, your brothers, to serve cheerfully.

Austin Smith

Shawnee Lodge Chief

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## Impressive Improvements to Camp Properties

This year, Council has approved many new changes to the Camp Programs. They hope that this will increase the interest in our camps, both within our Council and from others. Here are just some of the major changes that have just been approved by the Council Executive Board:

- The **expansion of aquatics**
  - Two aluminum john boats for the **Motorboating Merit Badge**
  - Six ski boats for the **Watersports Merit Badge**
  - Six more paddleboards to enjoy in **free swims**.
- **125 seat harnesses** to replace the older rope-style climbing harnesses will greatly improve the climbing programs at the Ranch.
- Beaumont's **Wohl Lodge renovations** will turn it into an overnight cabin that will be rented to Troops throughout the year.
- **Two new showerhouses**, one each at Camp Gamble and Camp Famous Eagle will be constructed complete with individual stalls and flushing toilets. The **unisex** design will eliminate youth protection issues of sharing facilities.



All these changes and more will be implemented by the 2013 summer camp season. Are you ready to go back to summer camp yet?

## National Scout Jamboree

The 2013 National Jamboree is this coming summer!! It is July 11 – 25. What an exciting way to begin a new century of Scouting by joining 44,000 Scouts from all fifty states and across the world. This will be the first event held at its new permanent Jamboree home, The Summit, in West Virginia. This will be BSA's fourth *High Adventure* location, and you have the chance to be there for the very first time it is open.

This Jamboree will be more exciting than ever before with High Adventure activities from daylight to sundown. A partial list of the activities include whitewater rafting, scuba, pistol shooting, eight 3500-foot zip lines with canopy tours, rock climbing, mountain boarding, 37 miles of BMX bicycle trails as well as a skate park built by the X-Games team. This program will be more diverse, more intense, and have a higher energy level than previous Jamborees. This is not like any Jamboree or Scouting event you have ever attended.

The Summit will also offer many of the traditional Scouting adventures, but this Jamboree will utilize technology at every possible level from registration throughout the entire event. Venturers will also be allowed for the first time to participate in this Jamboree and all of the events. We will still do the tour of Washington, DC prior to the Jamboree.

For more information go to:

Greater St. Louis Area Council: [www.Jamboree.stlbsa.org](http://www.Jamboree.stlbsa.org)

- or -

2013 National Jamboree: <https://summit.scouting.org>

Now you are set to be on your way to Jamboree.





## 2012-2013 Shawnee Lodge Executive Committee

Chief	Austin Smith	Camp Promotion	Caleb Barger
First Vice-chief	Joe Kreienkamp	Ceremonies	C.J. Toland
Second Vice-chief	Sam Picus	Nominating	Bobby Kaye
Corresponding Secretary	Thomas Van Horn	Program	Justin McManemin
Recording Secretary	Glen Hervey	Service	Joe Paglisotti
Treasurer	Caleb Heiney	Social Media	Bobby Kaye
Lodge Adviser	Bruce Levitt	Vigil	Ben Luedloff
Lodge Staff Adviser	Mike Zolezzi	Webmaster	Alex Molner
Lodge Associate Staff Adviser	Brian Sens		

## 2012-2013 Chapter Chiefs and Advisers

<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Chief</u>	<u>Adviser</u>
Boone Trails	Nicholas Keeseey	Ron Krull
Grand Towers	Shemar Lee	Robert McRath
Gravois Trail	Adam Kaul	Janet Nelson
New Horizons	Scott Mayberry	Jim Thomure
North Star	Cody Meinert	Michael Yarbrough
Osage	Matt Bruton	Carol Casey
Ozark Trailblazers	Joe Moulton	Bruce Forest
Pathfinder	Zack Becker	David Gentle
River Trails	Tyler Bryant	Mike Mouser
Thunderbird	Justin Crain	Dan Decker

### Anpetu-We Lodge

Congratulations to our brothers who are the 2012-2013 officers of the Anpetu-We Lodge.

Lodge Chief	Conner Hodge
First-Vice-chief	Elwood Voss
Second-Vice-chief	Andrew Miller
Corresponding Secretary	Job Mobley
Recording Secretary	Shane Cowser
Treasurer	Dustin Nolan
Adviser	Bill Eddleman

### Section C-3B

Congratulations to our newly elected Section Officer's

Michael Weber	Chief	Woapink Lodge
Wyatt Fecht	Vice Chief	Black Hawk Lodge
Trent Goeckner	Secretary	Woapink Lodge

Also welcome back the Woapink and Illini Lodges to the Section

Congratulations to all that have offered to serve their fellow brothers



2012-13 Shawnee Lodge Officers and Chapter Chiefs

## High Adventure (Philmont, Northern Tier, Sea Base) on Sale<sup>2</sup>

Ready for the adventure of a lifetime? Want more of Philmont? If so, OA trail crew is just for you. Under the direction of the Philmont Conservation Department, participants spend one week building trails in Philmont's back country and another hiking a custom trek.



Trail Building is tough. The worksite experience is full of long, strenuous days requiring much physical effort. On top of the normal height, weight, and age requirements for Philmont, participants are expected to lift loads of up to 50 lbs. However, the experience is very rewarding, as the trails you will help build will last over 75 years and will be enjoyed by thousands of scouts from across the country.

Participants will also strengthen leadership skills, learn advanced wilderness and low-impact camping techniques, observe and participate in group wilderness safety, good judgment, and motivation, and receive special OA instruction. The project's mission is to maintain, reinforce, and enhance the purposes of the Order of the Arrow through scout camping traditions.



This two week program is **only \$250**, which is nothing compared to a normal Philmont trek. Travel expenses are not included in this price. In addition, in 2013, our C3B Section will be offering a **scholarship** to these high adventure camps, check our website and our next Lookout issue.

You can apply by completing the application form at [http://adventure.oa-bsa.org/oatc\\_app.pdf](http://adventure.oa-bsa.org/oatc_app.pdf) and mailing it with a \$50 deposit to Order of the Arrow, Boy Scouts of America, P.O. Box 152079, Irving, TX 75015-2079. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, and the deposit will be returned if you are not accepted.

For more information about OA trail crew and the other service opportunities at our national high adventure bases, please visit <http://adventure.oa-bsa.org/>

## Winter Fellowship Banquet

Coming soon on Monday, December 17, is the annual Winter Fellowship Banquet. This year we will be unveiling a brand new Camp Promotions program, summer camp activities, and specifics for the One Day of Service.

While you're there, make sure to check out the booths in the hallway to get information on some the incredible opportunities our Council presents, such as University of Scouting, Horse Camp, National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT), and the Ranger program.



The Banquet will be held at Machinist's Hall, 12365 St. Charles Rock Road, Bridgeton, Missouri. The Banquet will begin at 6:30 pm. Buy your tickets online at [www.banquet.ShawneeLodge.org](http://www.banquet.ShawneeLodge.org) or at a Council office. The cost is \$15 until December 7, 2012 and then increases to \$20.

The Lodge is asking each Arrowman at the Winter Banquet to participate in the Marine Corp Reserves' Toys for Tots program. Each Arrowman is asked to bring a new toy in its original packaging, unwrapped (that is, not wrapped with gift wrap) to the Banquet. Units can also collect toys and then send them with their OA members. Your participation in this good turn project will make the holiday season brighter for a child.

Register in 3 easy steps:

1. Go to [www.banquet.ShawneeLodge.org](http://www.banquet.ShawneeLodge.org)
2. Buy your ticket online
3. Print your confirmation email and bring it to the banquet

Yep, it's that easy! No stamp. No post office. No lost mail. No waiting. No hassle.

## Apply Now for 2013 Summer Camp Staff

The success of a Troop's week at summer camp is often determined by the quality of the staff. Do you want to spend the summer outdoors? Teach scout skills? Make new friends and have life-long memories? Then you need to apply for summer camp staff. If you are an Eagle Scout who will be 15 years old by June 1, then you should apply.

Applications for camp staff can be secured at any Council service center, the Lodge web page, or the Council web page ([www.stlbsa.org](http://www.stlbsa.org)) under Camping and Summer Camp. Interviews will be held at the MacArthur Service Center located at 4568 West Pine Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63108.

December 18 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Camp Famous Eagle, Camp May, and Rand Staff  
December 19 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Camp Gamble, Swift, and Lewallen Staff



Swift Base at  
S bar F Scout Ranch



Camp Lewallen



Camp May at Beaumont Scout  
Reservation



Camp Famous Eagle at  
S bar F Scout Ranch



Camp Gamble at  
S bar F Scout Ranch



S bar F Scout Ranch

## University of Scouting - Join the fun

On January 26th the 2013 University of Scouting will feature fun and challenging learning experiences for youth and adult leaders. There will be over 100 classes and almost 150 hours of instruction. The University is held at Fox High School at 751 Jeffco Boulevard, Arnold, MO 63010. Learn to:

- **Improve the Functions of the OA in Your Troop** (BSC-12)
- **Get ready for Philmont or Sea Base** (HA-1, HA-2)
- **Apply Advanced First Aid** (LC-1)
- **Become a Better Photographer** (TEC-1)
- **GPS Technology** (TEC-9)

Invigorate your Venturing program or Youth Leadership skills – *2 whole colleges dedicated to these programs!*

There is no better one day of training available anywhere. The University is great to attend either before or after NYLT. To select classes and register go to <http://www.stlbsa.org/training/pages/university-of-scouting.aspx>.

## Section Conclave: Brotherhood Across Lodges

The Section C-3B Conclave took place at Ingersoll Scout Reservation in London Mills, Illinois September 28th to 30th. Arrowmen this year were offered a lot of different opportunities for learning and fun. Interesting training cells were offered in the morning ranging from "OA Troop Rep" to "Roach Making". Preston Marquis, the National Vice Chief, visited and answered questions at "Meet the Man." We also had Ordeal and Brotherhood ceremonial teams from our Lodge win competitions. In the evening, Shawnee Lodge put on the campfire show that included an awesome video of our NOAC experience and a speech from our National Vice Chief. On Sunday morning, the Section elected a brand new slate of officers to serve this year.





# Journey to Excellence Awards - Do *You* Have What it Takes

## Our Lodge

2012-2013 is the inaugural year for the Lodge Journey to Excellence (JTE) Award. You may be familiar with the JTE program in your Troop, District, or Chapter where you play active roles in success. Each Arrowman also plays a very important role in the Lodge JTE program as well.

While some requirements rely on the dedication of the Lodge Officers you elected at the Fall Reunion, most requirements actually depend on the participation of the Lodge Arrowmen. For example, Brotherhood conversion and Lodge event attendance. Each of you participates in getting the Lodge a higher level JTE award when you attend an event or gain brotherhood.

As such a large and organized Lodge, Shawnee is fully capable to achieve the JTE Gold standard. In that respect, that is what we will strive for. However, it requires the effort of **YOU!** Your attendance, your conversion, and your promotion of these to other scouts play crucial roles in this Lodge's success! So please, take responsibility and do your part so Shawnee can go for the gold!

## And Your Chapter

The purpose of the Journey to Excellence Award is to help Chapters set and pursue high standards to make themselves stronger, and in turn, make the Lodge stronger. Chapters need to complete seventeen objectives, including:

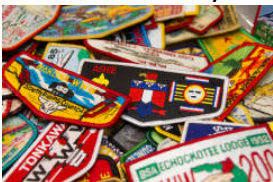
- ✓ Help to complete the induction of Ordeal candidates in your unit
- ✓ Ordeal Members seal their membership by obtaining the Brotherhood Honor
- ✓ Retain members – Stay active in the Order
- ✓ Attend a Section or National OA Event
- ✓ Register with the Lodge's or Chapter's Facebook page
- ✓ Become an active Troop Representative
- ✓ Attend Lodge Event's (Can you name all 6 each year?)
- ✓ Participate in Lodge and Chapter Service Projects
- ✓ Participate in Camp Promotion

We wish the best of luck to all Chapters.

## NOAC - A Week to Remember

During the last week in July 7,000 Arrowmen descended upon Michigan State University for the National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC). Arrowmen came to learn and bond in brotherhood. Every morning training cells were offered on a wide variety of topics. In the afternoon Lodges competed in many sports tournaments and ceremonial team and dance competitions. Shawnee Lodge took second place in the volleyball tournament, and our Brotherhood Ceremonial Team received an Honor Award.

Other activities offered throughout the day such as flash mobs, an Order of the Arrow History Museum and an adventure area full of fun and exciting activities. At night the staff put on massive and impressive shows. They also incorporated a new social game Munzee; giving every participant a QR code that could be scanned for points using a smartphone. During the week we got to celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Eagle Scout and celebrated the OA's founders at Founder's Day. The week was an enjoyable experience for everyone, offering an opportunity of fun and learning. The next NOAC is taking place the summer of 2015, celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Order. **Are YOU going?**



## Lodge Calendar

### **Winter Fellowship Banquet**

December 17  
Machinist's Hall at 6:30 pm

### **Summer Camp Staff Interviews**

December 18-19  
MacArthur Service Center –  
11:00 am to 7:00 pm

### **Lodge Executive Committee Meeting**

January 22

### **Chapter Meetings/Banquets**

February 3-16

### **The Arrowman Experience**

March 2  
Beaumont Scout Reservation

### **Lodge Executive Committee Meeting**

March 26  
Beaumont Scout Reservation

### **Spring Conclave**

April 12-14  
Beaumont Scout Reservation

### **One Day of Service**

To Be Announced Soon

### **Chapter Meetings**

May 5-17

### **Chapter Meetings**

August 4-16

### **Lodge Executive Committee Meeting**

August 27  
Beaumont Scout Reservation



## The Vigil Honor

The Vigil Honor is the highest honor that the Order of the Arrow can present to its members for service to the Lodge and the Council's camping program. It dates to the year 1915, when the Order's founder, E. Urner Goodman, became the first Vigil Honor member. Since then, thousands of members have been awarded this honor.

It is a high mark of distinction and recognition reserved for those Arrowmen who have given exceptional service, helping others beyond the call of duty, involving personal effort and unselfish interest to one or more of the following: their Lodge, the Order of the Arrow, Scouting, or their Scout camp. Under no circumstances should tenure in Scouting or the Order of the Arrow be considered as reason enough for a Vigil Honor recommendation.

Alertness to the needs of others is the mark of the Vigil Honor. This calls for an unusual awareness of the possibilities within each situation.

Vigil Honor members have an honorable tradition to uphold. They must at all times conduct themselves in accordance with the ideals of Scouting, the Order of the Arrow, and the Vigil Honor. Membership cannot be won by a person's conscious endeavor. It comes as recognition of his unselfish service. This fact should be given careful consideration in the selection of candidates for membership. The Vigil Honor has successfully fulfilled a very definite and satisfactory service to the Order of the Arrow, to Scouting, and to individual members. Its continued success depends on the care with which future members are selected and on the maintenance by its members of the high ideals of service to others for which the Vigil Honor has always been known. Vigil nominations must be turned in to the Council office by November 15th. The nomination form is available on the Lodge website at [http://www.ShawneeLodge.org/files/vigil\\_nomination\\_fillable.pdf](http://www.ShawneeLodge.org/files/vigil_nomination_fillable.pdf). Nominate someone worthy!

The Shawnee Lodge will conduct its Vigil Honor Call-out Ceremony at the Annual Winter Fellowship Banquet on December 17, 2012. The Vigil Honor Inductions Ceremony will be conducted at the 2013 Spring Conclave.



## Need a Challenge - Here's a Puzzle!

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L R E R I P S Q E M U I I A D  
P J O U H G P U I I D K T U I  
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Z S E E T H U Y S A Z Q T K G  
A S Q F E T C F X H Q E I K N  
X N X Y J M F N C C U P G P R

ALLOWATSAKIMA  
BANQUET  
BROTHERHOOD  
CHIEF  
CHINGACHGOOK  
KITCHINET  
LOOKOUT  
METEU  
NUTEKIT  
ORDEAL  
SHAWNEE  
UNCAS  
VIGIL

Taken the challenge, now that you're ready, keep on reading!

## Be an OA Troop Representative

Talk to your Scoutmaster and Senior Patrol Leader about being the Order of the Arrow Troop Representative for your unit. The responsibilities include attending your Chapter's meetings, promoting all of the Lodge functions, and assisting with the Troop elections. The Troop Representative is considered a leadership position when working toward rank advancement. Once you become a Troop Representative, register yourself on the Lodge's database. Log on to [ShawneeLodge.org](http://ShawneeLodge.org) and select 'Programs > Troop Representative'

## Camp Promotion

This year, Shawnee Lodge is initiating a new Camp Promotions Program in which they will switch back to promoting Boy Scout Troops while taking advantage of the technology available in this day of age. We are switching back to Boy Scout Troop promotion to inform all St. Louis scouts of the phenomenal improvements coming to our camping program areas this year.

In order to ensure the quality of these presentations, the new program will feature a slideshow with notecards for the presenters so they may provide a well developed presentation, incorporating the important and necessary information. Additionally, chapter-run training cells will be held to train these presenters on efficient and powerful promotion. Taking advantage of technology, the promotion materials will be made available on-line so presenter can simply download the slideshow and notecards and even add their own touches.

This new Camp Promotion Program ensures more effective communication of the improvements to our camps while using the technology of today to create a better presentation experience for both the presenter and the audience.





# A Word from Your Chapter Chiefs

## Boone Trails

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Hello, Boone Trails Arrowmen,

Thank you to all who attended our first Chapter Meeting. I and my fellow officers and chairmen hope you had a good time and that you will be involved in the Order of the Arrow this year. Remember that our next Chapter Meeting will be our Chapter Banquet. It will be on February 7 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Cottleville. All Arrowmen encouraged and welcome to attend.



Don't forget to get involved in other Scouting events this year as well. Interviews for NYLT and Camp staff will be in mid-December; these are great chances to give back to our fellow Scouts. University of Scouting will be in January, providing a great opportunity to learn about anything Scouting, from Homesickness to Leadership.

We are a Brotherhood of Cheerful Service; be sure to live this out in your lives. Stay cool, Boone Trails Arrowmen! (It's winter!)

Yours in Service,  
Nicholas Keesey, Chapter Chief

## Grand Towers

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Dear Arrowmen,

Grand Towers has been very busy. We participated in the Charter Oak Program, which program helps new units start camping experience while teaching patrol methods. The Charter Oak Program was a hit. 14 scouts completed the course and learned all about the outstanding wonders of being outdoors. The Arrowmen from Grand Towers helped staff the Charter Oak.



Don't forget that the 22 mile African-American Hike Project is still in effect. If you have your project book ready please turn it in at the November Chapter Meeting.

Shemar Lee,  
Grand Towers Chapter Chief

## Gravois Trail

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Hello Fellow Arrowmen,

My name is Adam Kaul, your Gravois Trail Chapter Chief for this year. I am glad to be working with you guys.



Please remember that we have a meeting on November 14th at St. Elizabeth for Hungry from 7-9. Please check your mailboxes for our postcards with full information. I hope to see you all there.

Yours in Brotherhood,  
Adam Kaul

## New Horizons

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Hello New Horizons,

The Chapter has put together some really cool events, and I hope to see you all at them.



First, our November Chapter meeting will be at Skyzone, starts at 7pm, and the fee will be \$8. You must bring a waiver in order to jump! They can be found at <http://stlouis.skyzonesports.com/Portals/0/MOWaiver.pdf>.

Remember, you were inducted not for what you did, but for what you were expected to do. We have a service project coming up soon on November 2nd and 3rd helping set up, run and tear down Pow Wow. If you wish to help November 3rd you must wear your field uniform and sash.

Also, Scouting for Food bag collection will be on November 17th, so make sure to help box all the donations at your nearest participating fire station. If you have any questions, you can email me at [newhorizons@ShawneeLodge.org](mailto:newhorizons@ShawneeLodge.org).

Yours in Scouting,  
Scott Mayberry

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## North Star

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Greetings Brethren,

I would like to thank you for electing me as Chapter Chief for North Star in the upcoming year. I will strive to make this a year filled with enough spectacular awesomeness that our events will not be something that you feel you need to go, but that you want to go to enjoy the incredible program.



After the Fall Reunion, our Ceremonial Teams have increased impressively. It is never too late to join a team if you are still interested. We meet every Monday night at 7pm at Parker Road Baptist Church. After November 19th, we will break for the Holidays but will pick up again on January 7th. For more information and an updated Chapter calendar visit our webpage at [northstar.ShawneeLodge.org](http://northstar.ShawneeLodge.org) or join our Facebook group "North Star Chapter OA". I look forward to an incredible year for our Chapter and for you.

Your Chief,  
Cody Meinert

## Osage

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Hello Arrowmen!

Welcome back my fellow arrowmen, and welcome to the Osage Chapter new arrowmen! I hope everyone is having a great time. Thank you so much to everyone who attended the Fall Reunion. It was a blast getting to see all of you. This year will be an amazing one! I hope you will join me in making our Chapter extremely successful. Our first meeting will be November 14th at St. Clair Junior High School at 7:30pm.



Yours in Brotherhood,  
Matt Bruton, Chapter Chief

## Pathfinder

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My Fellow Arrowmen,

I would like to thank you for electing me as your 2012-2013 Chapter Chief, while also personally thanking the previous Chapter Chief, Thomas Van Horn, for a successful year. I am confident that with our new adviser, David Gentle, the Chapter Officers and I will lead this Chapter to a great year. With a long road ahead of us we have a lot to accomplish.



With that in mind, we also need to have a fun year. By holding inexpensive yet fun Chapter meetings we can accomplish a fun year. One goal that I have for the Chapter is to hold an informational OA meeting on a Saturday in Spring where newer Arrowmen can meet up with other ones and participate in a program that would last all day, instead of just a Wednesday night. This would fit into my largest goal for the year: to attack Sash 'n Dash by communicating more through Troop Reps and Camp Promoters. If we as a Chapter can successfully utilize these connections I know that we will have a good year. With that lets end on that good note with a question to get you guys thinking. What color is your toothbrush and/or toothpaste? Email your answer and your name/Troop to [pathfinder@ShawneeLodge.org](mailto:pathfinder@ShawneeLodge.org)

Yours in Service,  
Zack Becker, Chapter Chief

## Thunderbird

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Greetings fellow arrowmen and welcome to the 2012-2013 year. First off I would like to thank all of you for giving me the opportunity to be your Chief again. I hope everyone made it to the November Chapter meeting, it was a blast! Remember to put all of the Shawnee events on your calendar. Please do not hesitate to call or email me at anytime if you have any questions. Call 314-737-7087 or [Justin.crain@ShawneeLodge.org](mailto:Justin.crain@ShawneeLodge.org).



Yours in service,  
Justin Crain

## Personal Checklist!

See what else there is to do!

Check off items you have completed!

- ☐ Earn Brotherhood!
- ☐ Perform in a Ceremonial Team!!
- ☐ Visit the Lodge website, ShawneeLodge.org!!
- ☐ Eat a whole head of lettuce!
- ☐ Wave at a stranger- make a new friend!
- ☐ Do a good turn!
- ☐ Attend your next Chapter meeting!!
- ☐ (...) Cook a gourmet meal on your next campout!
- ☐ Get ready for the Winter Fellowship Banquet!!
- ☐ Draw a picture of a bunny!
- ☐ (...) Rule an OA national service camp!
- ☐ Build the next call-out summer camp fire!
- ☐ Howl at the moon!
- ☐ Help someone carry their groceries!
- ☐ Make a fortress out of scouting for food boxes!
- ☐ Preserve cheerful spirit in the midst of irksome tasks!
- ☐ Walk on your hand!
- ☐ Learn the Song of the Order of the Arrow!



**(Fill in your own checklist items below!)**

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