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## FROM THE

Brothers,

Our last three lodge functions were a great success. I thank you for making them memorable, however, we can still improve on attendance at our lodge events.

At the Section 4 Conference our lodge attended a well put together program. I applaud the fine work of the Simalachee Lodge did to make Immokalee 353 feel welcome. I learned how to make our lodges publications better. The lodge's other delegates learned things ranging from bettering our ceremonies to public relations at the conference.

The fun side of the Conference was as exciting as the classes! Good food abounded. The Quest for the Golden Arrow events, the lodge vs lodge volleyball, and the evening shows were great! The dancers in the Indian Dance competitions and the singers and drummers in the Drum Team competition were fabulous. I hope some day to see arrowmen from Immokalce enter in these events.

Our lodge was absolutely terrific during the Beaver Day. We acted like a lodge should act, dedicated to service. I was proud to see all the arrowmen who came and brought their troops. A lot was done to help the camp due to all your efforts and hard work. Special thanks to the callout ceremony team for their Friday night council fire and to brothers, Ron Ingle and Mr Jim Tolbert for serving the lodge as task masters for Beaver Day. If we have the same participation at all are functions, all are events would be a great success.

The other two calling out ceremonies for the 1994 Ordeal candidate class will be held at the Wednesday Night Camp fires

Our Ordeal is on July, 15 - 17. I can not express the need for your attendance at this function. Show the candidates that they are entering a strong lodge. We need people to bare the burden of helping the Ordeal to go smoothly. Please make plans to be there. More information will be given to you at Ordeal Weekend. In the Brotherhood,

Robert Rovick

## Calendar of Upcoming Events

June 29

**Executive Committee Meeting** 

June 19 - 25

1st week of Summer Camp

June 26 - July 2

2nd week of Summer Camp

July 15 - 17

Ordeal Weekend



## 41 ORDEAL CANDIDATES IN '94

Immokalee Lodge will call out 41 candidates for the ordeal this year. This is the largest ordeal class for the lodge in three years. Remember how you felt on Saturday night of your ordeal? Proud to have come through the Ordeal and welcome in the brotherhood of the lodge. At that moment you knew that you were the most important member of the lodge from the way your new brothers greeted you. Now is your chance to give that feeling to this years ordeal candidates. Ordeal Weekend is July 15-17 and registration at camp begins at 6:30 pm.

You will also have the opportunity to attain brotherhood honor if you have not already received it. All present Ordeal honor members of the of the lodge are eligible for brotherhood. It is the hope of the lodge's leadership that this years class of brotherhood candidates will equal the ordeal class in number achieving this honor.

This issue of the Owl Hoot has the pre-registration form for Ordeal Weekend please mail it to the council office to let us know that you will be there.