



Withlacoochee Lodge Fall Ordeal & Fellowship

14-16 November 2014, Camp Osborn



Friday	Event	Location	Group
6:00 – 8:00 PM	Check-in. BSA Health v. Lodge Dues v. BSA Registration v	Administration Bldg.	All
8:00 – 8:30 PM	Nimat and Elangomat Orientation with Mr. Dale Wilson	Administration Bldg.	Nimats & Elangomats
9:00 - 10:00	Pre-Ordeal Ceremony (Class A for Members)	Wachtschu Fire Bowl	All
10:00 – 11:00 PM	Cracker Barrel Fellowship	Abernathy Dining Hall	Members
11:00 PM	Taps	Chapter Campsites	Members
Saturday	Event	Location	Group
7:00 AM	Reveille and Personal Hygiene (Members, Candidates)	Chapter Campsites	All
8:00 – 8:45 AM	Member Breakfast and Clan Breakfast (at Clan Areas)	Abernathy Dining Hall	Members, Candidates
9:00 – 11:45 AM	Native American Crafts and Classes (Dance & Drum Team)	Eagle Pavilion	Members
9:00 – 11:45 AM	Ordeal Candidate Service Projects	Various Locations	Candidates
9:00-10:00 AM	LLD: Centuries of Service Presentation (Mr. Merrill)	Burrow	Members
12:00 – 12:45 PM	Member Lunch and Clan Lunch (at Clan Areas)	Abernathy Dining Hall	Members, Candidates
1:00 – 4:00 PM	Ordeal Candidate Service Projects Continue	Various Locations	Candidates
1:00 - 4:30 PM	Lodge Games and Competitions	Activity Field	Members
1:00 – 4:30 PM	Brotherhood Session and Hike	Burrow	Brotherhood Candidates (Class A)
5:00 PM	Brotherhood Ceremony	OA Ring	All
4:30 - 5:30 PM	Ordeal Candidates Personal Hygiene, Change into Class A	Chapter Campsites	Candidates
5:30 PM	All Ordeal Clans meet at Eagle Pavilion	Eagle Pavilion	Candidates
6:00 PM	Ordeal Ceremony (Class A)	OA Ring	All
7:00 - 8:00 PM	Dinner	Abernathy Dining Hall	All (Class A)
8:00 – 9:00 PM	Vigil Call-out Ceremony	Activity Field	All (Class A)
9:00 – 10:00 PM	Cracker Barrel Fellowship	Abernathy Dining Hall	All
10:01 – Until ?	TORTOISE TIME !!	Abernathy Dining Hall	All
Sunday	Event	Location	Group
7:00 AM	Reveille	Chapter Campsites	All
8:00 – 9:00 AM	Breakfast	Abernathy Dining Hall	All (Class A)
9:00 – 9:30 AM	Scout's Own Worship Service	Eagle Pavilion	All (Class A)
9:30 – 10:15 AM	New Member Orientation	Burrow	New Members (Class A)
10:15-11:00 AM	Lodge Membership Meeting (Lodge Officer Elections)	Eagle Pavilion	All (Class A)
11:15 – 12:00 PM	Lodge Executive Committee (LEC) (All members invited)	Burrow	LEC (Class A)
12:00 PM	Chief's Dismissal – Thank you for joining us this weekend. Drive Safely. See you at our Winter Banquet!		

WHAT'S ON THE MENU ?	
Friday Cracker Barrel	Hot Dogs w/ Chili, French Fries, Cookies, Lemonade or Tea
Saturday Breakfast	Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Biscuit, Cereal Bar (3), Milk, OJ, Coffee, Cheesecake
Saturday Lunch	Hamburgers, Mac & Cheese, Lemonade or Tea, Pudding Cups
Saturday Dinner	Beef tips on rice, Green beans, Whole corn, Salad bar, Crescent roll (2), Lemonade or Tea Cake w/ ice cream & peaches
Saturday Cracker Barrel	Mini Pizza, Chex Mix, Gold Fish Lemonade or Tea
Sunday Breakfast	Pancakes, Sausage patties Cereal bar (3), Milk, OJ, Coffee, Belgium Powder Puffs

Do you remember your Ordeal? The hunger, time of reflection, sore muscles, and labors you endured to improve our camp? Do you remember walking into the OA circle in your Class A uniform seeing the bright OA sashes, smelling the campfire, and being inspired by the orange glow of the flames highlighting the ceremonialist? Do you remember the Arrowman who reached out to you after the ceremony and congratulated you on completing the Ordeal? The Arrowman who befriended you, welcomed you into the lodge, and let you know that you were now a member of Scouting's national honor society left a lasting impression on you. Be that Arrowman to one of our new members this weekend.

Don't miss the Centuries of Service presentation by the Lodge Adviser, on Saturday morning, 9:00 AM in the Burrow. This 1-hour briefing will teach you about the events planned to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Order of the Arrow. Actively participate in the discussion and you'll receive a Withlacoochee Lodge Centennial Chip!





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Health, Safety, & Good Conduct

- Report to the Health Lodge for any injuries or illnesses. The Medical Officer's cell: (229) 894-4729
- The Abernathy Dining Hall is the assembly point for severe weather.
- Follow the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and OA Obligation.
- The Buddy System is in practice at Camp Osborn.
- Speed limit in camp is 5 MPH. We enforce seatbelt use.
- Please wear closed-toed shoes while walking around camp.
- Absolutely no riding in beds of trucks or on trailers.
- Operators of carts must be 18 years old or older
- Respect the wildlife and practice Leave No Trace.
- No hats worn inside the Abernathy Dining Hall.



Chapter	Campsite	Assignments
Crooked River	Between Handicraft and Health Lodge	
Ichauway	Between Admin and the Burrow	
Blackwater	Between Doublewide and Stables	
Adults	Cub World Cabins & Staff Cabins	
For safety and accountability purposes, lodge youth are required to camp with their Chapters. The Doublewide, Burrow, Handicraft and buildings on the Ridge are off-limits for sleeping.		

See the Lodge Adviser to purchase a lodge T-Shirt, lodge pin, and extra lodge flaps! There is a limited supply left so buy today!



Arrowmen can celebrate the OA's 100th anniversary right now by working to complete the Arrowman Service Award (ASA). This award, or "the sash patch," will be recognized as one of the few patches that have ever been approved by the national committee to be worn on one's Order of the Arrow sash. The purposes of the ASA are to encourage Arrowmen to recommit themselves to the ideals of the Order, strengthen their commitments to their local councils, and take part in the 100th anniversary events. The award will have 3 categories of criteria with various requirements that Arrowmen can complete. These include components on personal growth, service to Scouting, and participation in the centennial celebration. Members can begin working on the Arrowman Service Award right now and Arrowmen can continue working towards its completion through December 31st, 2015. Requirement cards are available on the display in the Abernathy Dining Hall.

** Withlacoochee Lodge 2014-2015 Event Calendar **

December 5-6	Lodge Vigil Induction Night	Camp Osborn
January 9-10, 2015	Lodge Banquet/LLD (Blackwater Chapter hosts banquet) LLD in conjunction w/ Council's University of Scouting	FUMC Tifton / T62 Scout Hut (LLD)
Jan 30-1 Feb 2015	Section Winter Activities Gathering (SWAG) (mini-Conclave focusing on ceremonies, dance, drum. Section CoC.	Camp Comer Mentone, AL
February 6-8, 2015	Endurance Ride	Camp Osborn
March 6-8, 2015	Lodge Spring Ordeal and Fellowship	Camp Patten
April 24-26, 2015	Section SR9 Conclave	Camp Sidney Dew, Waguli Lodge
Summer 2015	ArrowTour – (we will do our best to visit the nearest ArrowTour stop)	TBD
August 3-8, 2015 (travel 2-9 Aug)	National Order of the Arrow Conference	Michigan State University E. Lansing, MI
August 21-23, 2015	Lodge Summer Fellowship / Brotherhood	Camp Osborn

Smoke signals from the Section SR-9 council fire tell us that Section Vice Chief Patrick Mapp, and Section Secretary Matt Harris will be with us this weekend. Also planning to visit us are Nathan Moore and Alex East from Coosa Lodge. If you see these visiting Arrowmen wandering around camp; please make them feel welcome and make sure they get fed!



For All Things OA: www.aa-bsa.org
 Southern Region: <http://southern.aa-bsa.org/>
 Section SR-9: www.sr-9.org
 NOAC 2015: <http://event.aa-bsa.org/events/n2015/>

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