

2015

Section C-5B Conclave Registration Packet



"Remember the Past, Look to the Future" My Brothers in the Wimacttendienk,

This is a year of great significance within our Order. This year we are celebrating one hundred years as an organization set out to strengthen our bonds of brotherhood by cheerfully serving others. This is a year that will be engrained in the memories of the Order and its members for all of time.

To adequately celebrate this centennial year there are many different events for you and your lodges to participate in. The largest of these celebrations is the week long National Order of the Arrow Conference on the beautiful campus of Michigan State University. It will be an unforgettable event, but before that each region will be hosting ArrowTour. It is a six long week event that travels around the Region to different council camps and public locations for scouts and to participate in various activities.

Finally on a more local level we have our Lodge celebrations and Section Conclaves. Our Section Conclave is going to be a spectacular celebration. It will be a time to reconnect with and meet new arrownmen from across our Section. As well you will be able to participate in fun activities, sit in on high quality trainings, and take part in some friendly lodge competitions.

Whether your interests are in ceremonies and dance, or mountain biking and climbing, we have something for you. As well, you don't want to forget that attending Section Conclave offers other opportunities as well. Conclave allows those who cannot attend NOAC participate in a centennial celebration, allows all Arrowmen to complete one of the requirements for the Arrowmen Service Award, and fulfills the requirement for youth Arrowmen who applied for the C-5B OA High Adventure Scholarship. All together it will be an event that you don't want to miss.

Yours in Brotherhood,

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Ethan Veit 2015 Section C-5B Chief

Section C-5B Conclave April 17th, 18th, and 19th Camp Arrowhead

This packet is intended to provide you with all of the information that you will need to get your lodge's contingent registered for conclave. Enclosed you will find the following forms: Dietary Needs Request, Election Nomination, and Housing Needs.

Location- Camp Arrowhead, 4202 State Highway DD, Marshfield, Missouri 65706

Theme- The theme for this year's conclave is "Remember the Past, Look to the Future". This conclave will be a great time to take a look at where our lodges have come from, and what the future holds for us. As well, it will be a fantastic time for all Arrowmen of C-5B to celebrate the Centennial in a fun "Back to the Future" themed weekend.

Camping- Each participant will be responsible for providing their own tents. We will be camping by lodge so your contingent members can coordinate accordingly. If any member of your contingent will have special housing needs please complete the *Housing Needs* form and send it in with your registration.

Registration Fee- The contingent registration fee for this year's conclave is \$40. This fee goes towards the facility costs, food costs, program costs, and a commemorative patch that each participant will take home with them at the end of the weekend.

Check-In- Each lodge contingent will need to provide a roster and health form for each participant upon arrival. Each individual (non-contingent) registrant will need to check-in upon arrival with their health form. It is important that every member has their medical form available upon check-in.

Trading Post- At the event there will be a trading post full of OA merchandise for participants to purchase. Please keep an eye out for more information.

Meals- As part of the event fee, the section will provide a cracker barrel on Friday, three meals and a cracker barrel on Saturday, and breakfast on Sunday. Dinner on Friday and lunch on Sunday will not be provided. If any contingent members have special dietary requests, they will need to fill out the *Dietary Needs Request* form. It is important we get these requests as soon as possible so we are able to make arrangements with the Wha-Sha-She Lodge who will be cooking for the event.

Physical Forms- Each delegate will need to provide two copies of their physical form to their contingent leader. One will be turned in to the section at check-in and the other should be kept by the contingent leader. A minimum of a class II physical is required for this event. All participant medications need to be brought in their original container and kept secure. If any medications require refrigeration, please bring this to our attention at check in.

Tour Permit- Each lodge is responsible for obtaining and abiding by a tour permit from their respective councils.

Participant Guide Book- Upon arrival at conclave each participant will receive a guide book that will contain the conclave schedule as well as detailed information about each activity.

Conclave Activities- Conclave includes a variety of events and activities ranging from Native American activities and trainings, lodge competitions, ceremonies competitions, trainings, and various other activities highlighting the centennial celebration.

Native American Activities- We will be offering trainings and competitions in various aspects of Native American Events.

Lodge Competitions- Various activities and competitions will occur throughout the day on Saturday.

Ceremonies Competitions- Lodges are invited to bring their ceremony teams to compete in the Pre-Ordeal Ceremony, as well as have other ceremonies critiqued by the judge to help improve each lodges ceremonies team, as well as to gather ideas from one another.

Trainings- There will be many fun and exciting trainings at conclave this year that will help prepare you in your home lodges.

Uniforming- The required uniforming for all Arrowmen is "field dress" with OA sash. This policy may be relaxed during the event and will be announced.

Registration- Registration will be available at <u>http://www.mitigwa-lodge.org</u> and the council website at <u>http://www.midiowacouncilbsa.org</u>. Registration will end on March 27, 2015. No Walk-ins are allowed at Section, and late mailed registrations will not be accepted. Plan accordingly.

Section C5B Election Nomination Request

Scout Executive Approval Required

I, ______, am requesting approval as a candidate for Section Office. I will be seeking the office of _______. (NOTE: you may seek office in this rank order – Chief, Vice-Chief, Secretary. If you are not elected for your primary office you may run for any of the remaining offices, however, you may not run for an office higher than that designated.) This form must be completed and returned to the Section Adviser at the Conclave no later than 12:00 noon on Apr. 12, 2014 to be considered for nomination for Section Office. You may mail it in advance if you choose.

Lodge Affiliation _____

Contact Information			
Mailing Address	City	State Zip	
Phone #	Secondary Phone #		
E-Mail	Age	Grade in School	

Brief Description of Past Service to the Order of the Arrow

Brief Description of why the Lodges should elect you to a Section office (Attach another page if needed)

The above candidate is a registered member of The Boy Scouts of America, will be less than 21 years old

for the entire term of office and is approved by _____

Scout Executive or designee

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as a candidate for Section Office on this date _____