

## Forward

Putting to paper the Nachenum Lodge and Chapter histories was a labor of love in the beginning, then as the weeks turned into months, and the months into years, it turned into a labor of "like". I think that I have achieved a small understanding of what writers go through when they write a factual novel, with many people to interview, going through newspaper articles and research, research, research....

I know there are many things that are left out of these histories, Lodge chiefs of certain years, and their officers, members of ceremonial teams through the years, and it goes on and on. But I hope this information in these next few pages will jog some memories for those of you that read it.

If anyone has additional information on the Nachenum Lodge or Chapter, feel free to send it to me. If enough material comes in to justify a revision, I will put out an updated history.

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# **Section 1**

## **Lodge and Chapter Histories**



Nachenum Lodge History  
1939 – 1985

Prior to the chartering of the Order of the Arrow in the council, there was an organization with its roots deeply entrenched in Indian lore. This was called the GIMAGASH. The Order of the Arrow had a firm foundation of twenty years before it was ever brought into the Mound Builders' Area Council. Though the GIMAGASH had a lot of fine features, it did leave something to be desired. News of the new organization had reached the local council and interest in it grew. Here was an organization that could boast a fine program and a national membership of over ten thousand members.



1939

On March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1939, a group of men gathered together for the purpose of discussing the Order of the Arrow. At the end of the evening's meeting, a committee had been empowered to attempt to obtain an Order of the Arrow charter for the Mound Builders' Area Council. This committee consisted of A. W. Steed for the Council Camping Committee, and Charles Boyle, Evan Hamilton, Don Brown, and George Harvey representing the leaders. Based on information received by mail and phone, the investigating committee made a formal application for a charter on March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1939. We were chartered as the 145<sup>th</sup> Lodge in the United States.

The Council scoutmasters were contacted and were asked to nominate one boy from their troops to membership in the Order of the Arrow. These nominations were the basis for selecting the first candidates. From all the letters of nomination, the investigating committee using the National Qualifications, screened and investigated each boy and finally evolved a list of eight names. These were to be the charter members of the local lodge. The Lodge adopted the name of an animal that abounds in and around Camp Hook, the raccoon.

By April 26<sup>th</sup>, all was in readiness for the first Ordeal ceremony. The ceremony took place at Camp Hook on the 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>. The degree team consisting of Dick Vogelsang, Elza Abraham, Joe Davey and Bill Sharp inducted the Lodge's first members: Jerry Gorrell, Donnie Young, Robert Hollenbaugh, Chalmers Hughs, Henry Moore, Edward Boel, Bill Bergan, and Robert McCroskey Jr.

Robert McCroskey was elected by the group as the first lodge chief.

Regular elections were held as was the process at Summer Camp and the second group of candidates were given their Ordeal in September. A twenty-eight hour of testing period from the 12<sup>th</sup> to the 13<sup>th</sup> was given to Jim Barrett, Jay Johnson, John Frazier, Bill Sommers, Gene Walck, Charles Bohl, Dave Chapman, Walter King, Bill Moles, Elmer Willoughby, Bill Lakoff, Bob O'Neal, Marion Waites, Frank Simon, Tom Sixt, Bob Gorrells, H. Harrison, Don Castle, Bill Cox, Lewis Yoder, Lee Page, and adults Charles Adams, A. S. Paul, Bill Tucker, Ralph Chamberlin, Dave Clark, Charles Boyce, Don Brown, McKnight Kinne, Frank Chapman, Earl Billman, George Harvey, Evan Hamilton, and A. W. Steed.

It was Walter King who wrote to Daniel Carter Beard and asked him for the Indian name of our Lodge. In a letter, that is part of the Lodge records, Daniel Carter Beard named us the Nachenum.

**1940**

Jerry Gorrell was elected Lodge Chief (1940 – 1941)

George "Hawkeye" Harvey became Lodge Advisor.

From 1939 to 1948 Nachenum Lodges' dance team performed in 14 states. They had 25 dancers and 2 prop masters (female).

The lodge issued its first insignia. It was a Chenille patch, (a napped, looped material like those of athletic letters) 2 per Life. It was arrowhead shaped, with a gray and black raccoon on a tan background. At this point in time, there was no specific place to wear these insignia. Some Arrowmen wore them on neckerchiefs and others on leg garters. Ceremonial and Dance team members also wore them on their leggings.

August 30<sup>th</sup> to September 2<sup>nd</sup>, the O. A. held its first National Convention at Camp Echo, Newport, Pennsylvania. There were 618 Arrowmen present. The Nachenum delegation consisted of Elza Abraham and Frank Simon of Troop 11, Walter King of Troop 5, Jim Frazier of Troop 2, and Don Castle of Troop 1.

**1941**

Gordon Purgrum was elected Lodge Chief (1941 – 1942) and Charlie Elam was elected Vice Chief.

**1942**

Ted Conley was elected Lodge Chief (1942 – 1943). He was later drafted and Bill Van Guelpin was elected Lodge Chief. Vice Chief was Jack Kahill.

**1943**

Bill Burgman was elected Lodge Chief (1943 – 1944). He was later drafted. Jimm Faye was elected Lodge Chief. His Vice Chief was Joe Paese.

**1944**

Bill Van Guelpin was elected Lodge Chief (1944 – 1945). He also was later drafted and once again Jimm Faye was elected Lodge Chief. His Vice Chief was Warren LeMay.

**1945**

Dudley Inwood was elected Lodge Chief (1945 – 1946). His Vice Chief was Dick Lewis.

Nachenum Lodge members built the first Indian outfit worn by Bob Raymon, Miami University's first "Chief Miami".

**1946**

Ken McGuire was elected as Lodge Chief (1946 – 1947). John Helsinger was elected Vice Chief.

**1947**

John Burns was elected as Lodge Chief (1947 – 1948).

**1948**

Dick Keller was elected as Lodge Chief (1948 – 1949). Charles Doring was elected as Lodge Secretary.

Lodge members spent many man-hours working on the construction of Lake George at Camp Hook.

Between the late 40's and early 50's, there were four dance teams in Mound Builders' Area Council. One was in the Butlerville-Morrow area headed by Bernie Chittwood. The second was in the Carlisle area headed by Tom Cruse. The third was in the Maineville area. They were called the Tsungani. After they disbanded, another group started up in the Trenton area. The last group was from the Middletown area. They were called the Minnataree, headed by Jimm Faye.

Delegates to the National O. A. Conference at Indiana University were Dick Hopper, Delegation Leader, Jimm Faye, Jim Burgess, Dale Petry, Don Wilson, Dick Wilson, Dick Banker, and George "Hawkeye" Harvey.

George "Hawkeye" Harvey received his Vigil honor during the NOAC at Indiana University.

**1949**

Larry Sullivan was elected Lodge Chief (1949 – 1952) and Steve Goecler was elected Vice Chief.

**1950**

Under the leadership of Larry Sullivan, the large stone arrowhead at Broken Arrow campsite was built during the 1950 Fall Ordeal by Dick Hopper, Ken McGuire, Jimm Faye, and Gene Geckler.

**1952**

Bill Goodman was elected Lodge Chief (1952 – 1953).

Nachenum Lodge's dance team placed third at the National O. A. Convention at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. The team members were: O. B. Walker – boy chairman, Mike Stamper, Terry Webster, Don Wilson, Dick Wilson, Vern Wilson, Bill Billet, Dick Banker, Wendel Snowden, Danny Yount, and Jimm Faye – Advisor. They performed the Blackfoot Bundle Dance and the Pueblo Buffalo Dance.

After leaving the National O. A. Conference, members of the dance team went to a Mohawk Reservation in New York for a week and taught the children how to dance.

The dance team performed in the International Folk Festival at Wilmington College. During one of the performances, Dick Banker was doing the Desert Wind in the Cloud dance and spun off the stage and fell into a timpani drum.

**1953**

Bill Hilz was elected Lodge Chief (1953 – 1954).

**1954**

Phil Sams was elected Lodge Chief (1954 – 1955). Dick Hopper received his Vigil Honor at the Fall Ordeal.

The year before each National Conference, there is a Patch Design Contest for Youth Arrowmen. The youth designing the conference patch attends the National Conference for free. In 1954, Bill Hiltz, Nachenum Lodge member, designed the National O. A. Conference Patch. Other Nachenum Lodge delegates were Bill Wiley and George "Hawkeye" Harvey. There were other delegates, but as of this printing, they are unknown.

**1955**

Don Burns was elected Lodge Chief (1955 – 1956). William Hiltz received his Vigil Honor at the Fall Ordeal.

**1956**

Elected Lodge Chief unknown (1956 – 1957). Nachenum Lodge issued its first flap-type patch designated as F1; restriction was one lodge flap per lodge activity. There were four lodge activities per year.

**1957**

Mike Dennis was elected Lodge Chief (1957 – 1958).

**1958**

The 1958 National O A Conference was held in Lawrence, Kansas. One of the Delegates from Nachenum Lodge was Tom Sant. Other delegates are not known at this time.

Tom Sant was elected Lodge Chief (1958 – 1959). Terry R. Webster received his Vigil Honor at the Fall Ordeal.

**1959**

Lodge members worked many man-hours on the Chapel at Camp Hook. It was dedicated July 22, 1959.

During Summer Camp, members of the Tap-out Ceremony were Tom Sant, Storyteller, Tim Goforth, Hunter, and Lee Dennis, Puller. Lee performed this function from 1959 to 1962.

The Area 4C Conference was held in August at Camp Friedlander in Cincinnati, Ohio. Delegates from Nachenum Lodge were Lee Dennis, Joe Caldwell, and Everett Sherron. Other delegates are not known at this time.

Elected Lodge Chief unknown (1959 – 1960). George E. Bundick and Joe Caldwell received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

**1960**

The Area 4C Conference was held at Cricket Holler Reservation in Dayton, Ohio.

John Sherron was elected Lodge Chief (1960 – 1961). Chiefton was Tom Hilton and Secretary-Treasurer was Steve Alexander, and Lee Dennis was Sergeant-at-arms.



**1960** (cont.)

On October 15, 1961, Chief John Sherron read an account of the things that the Lodge accomplished during 1960 – 1961. The Lodge Constitution was revised. Waiters were supplied for the "Pokey" Griffith District meeting. The treasury was divided into two funds. Money was given to the Scout Office to help defray costs for secretarial work. A Camp Hook promotional pamphlet was produced. Clean-up day was held at Camp Hook. Key tags were made for keys for cabins at Harmon Park. The Medicine Man Headdress was completed. The Trading Post was manned at the Spring Camporee by Nachenum Lodge members who sold milk and snacks. The Lodge letterhead was developed and accepted by the membership. Money was given to A. F. S. Three stoves were purchased for Camp Hook. The O. A. flag was made. Twelve torches were made for Ceremonies. A float was constructed for the Steel Parade. A concrete slab was poured for the porch of White Ash cabin and a slab was poured for the garbage cans in back of the Mess Hall at Camp Hook. A "Where to Go Camping" booklet was produced. A chain saw was purchased for Camp Hook. The Lodge gave a percentage of money to help defray costs for the Philmont trip. Money was given to repair the gate at Camp Hook. Delegates were sent to 4-C Conference and to National O. A. Conference. At the 4-C Conference, Nachenum Lodge performed the Brotherhood Ceremony. This was long before competitions were ever formed. Members of the Brotherhood team were Kichkinet – Lee Dennis, Nutiket – Danny Hogan, Allowat Sakima – John Sherron, and Meteu – unknown.

**1961**

Nachenum Lodge sent delegates to the National Order of the Arrow Conference at Indiana University. The delegates were Tom Sant, Curt Thomas, Lee Dennis, and Gordon Bowles.

John Dechant was elected Lodge Chief (1961 – 1962). Lee Dennis was elected Chiefton, Kent Dills was elected Secretary-Treasurer, Mike Johnson was elected Sergeant-at-arms, and Mike Bessel was elected Historian. At the Fall Ordeal, Everett Sherron, Tom Sant, and Bill Stiles received their Vigil Honors.

**1962**

Daniel Hogan was elected Lodge Chief (1962 – 1963).

Nachenum Lodge hosted the 1962 Area 4C Conference at Camp Hook. Lee Dennis served as Lodge Support Chairman. Other members present were Everett Sherron and Joe Caldwell. Many other members attended, but their names are not known at this time. At the Conference, John Sherron was elected as Section Vice Chief (1962 – 1963).

**1963**

At Summer Camp, members of the Tap-out Ceremony Team were Fred Cranford and Rick Robbins (Pullers). Other members of the team are not known at this time.

Tom Thomas was elected Lodge Chief (1963 – 1964). Curt Thomas received his Vigil Honor at the Fall Ordeal.

**1964**

The Area 4C Conference was held at Camp Logan in Chillicothe, Ohio.

John Moore was elected Lodge Chief (1964 – 1965).

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### 1964 (cont.)

The Lodge issued its first fully embroidered flap, designated S1; restriction was one flap per lodge activity. There were four lodge activities per year.

During the mid-60's, Lodge members traveled around to many camps in Southern Ohio doing the Brotherhood Ceremony.

### 1965

John Moore was re-elected as Lodge Chief (1965 – 1966).

### 1966

Jim Moore was elected Lodge Chief (1966 – 1967). Steve Donaldson received his Vigil Honor at the Fall Ordeal.

### 1967

The Area 4C Conference was held at Camp Hook, outside of Carlisle, Ohio, and was hosted by Nachenum Lodge. In attendance were Larry Fraley, John Moore, George "Hawkeye" Harvey, Bruce Kimball, Eric Moore, J. D. Bartlett, Jim Moore and many others.

Larry Fraley was elected Lodge Chief (1967 – 1968). Tom Adams was elected Vice Chief, Bruce Kimball was elected Secretary, Joe Beatty was elected Treasurer, Eric Young was elected Sergeant-at-arms, and Ted Miller was elected Historian. Russell L. Efker, Otis Anderson, John Moore, Larry Musen, and Tom Thomas received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

Lodge members, with the help of troops in the Excello area, opened the Miami-Erie Canal Trail. The Lodge also bought a number of canoes for Camp Hook.

The annual Father/Son Bowling party was held in December.

### 1968

Bruce Kimball was elected Lodge Chief (1968 – 1969). The Lodge issued the A1A neckerchief patch, restricted to one per year. Clyde Durham Jr., Jim Moore, David Morton, and Jimm Faye received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

### 1969

Jerry Swank was elected Lodge Chief (1969 – 1970). Mike Kinyalocets, Larry Fraley, Bruce Kimball, Joe Kugler, Jerry Swank, and Ed Bliss received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

### 1970

Jim Harris was elected Lodge Chief (1970 – 1971). Chuck Mitchell was elected Vice Chief, Tom Yost was elected Secretary, and Pat Dugan was elected Treasurer. Bill Harbaum, Joe Hoffman, Mike Jones, and Andre Matthews received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

The Annual Bowling Party was held on December 18 at the Sports Bowl. 60 plus members attended.

**1971**

The Area 4C Conference was held at Camp Hook outside of Carlisle, Ohio and was hosted by Nachenum Lodge.

In August of 1971, the National O. A. Conference was held at the University of Illinois. George "Hawkeye" Harvey received the Distinguished Service Award on August 24, 1971. Delegates to the National O. A. Conference were Mike Jones, Jim Harris, Chuck Mitchell and Bruce Kimball.

The first issue of the Lodge Newsletter was issued. The Staff were: Editors – Gary Hattery and Pat Dugan, Art Editor – Tom Yost, and Advisor J. D. Bartlett.

In September, the Nachenum Lodge hosted the Area Conference at Camp Hook. Andre Matthews was elected as Area 4 Conference Chief (1971 – 1972).

1971 was Nachenum Lodge's first year under the chapter system.

<u>CHAPTER</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>	
Wulamoc	Pokey Griffith	Mark Fraser - Chief Allen Beach – Vice Chief David Tuttle – Secretary & Treasurer
Allogagen Tarhe	Fort Ancient Wischixin	Tim Maple - Chief Jamie Holaday – Chief

Mike Conrad was elected Lodge Chief (1971 – 1972). In November, Vigil Honors were given to Dr. Mike Matthews of Trenton, Jackson Kimball of Lebanon, Tim Maple of Lebanon, and Jim Harris of Middletown.

**1972**

Nachenum Lodge Bead system was adopted in January. Don Hackney and Allen Beach were appointed to give beads out at all activities.

White Round	Ordeal Membership
Red Round	Brotherhood Membership
Black Round	Vigil Membership
Marble Green Flat	Summer Camp Ceremonial Team
Clear Flat	Ceremonial Team
Tan Flat	National O. A. Conference
Blue Flat	O. A. Section Conclave
Red Flat	Winter Fellowship
Green Flat	Fall Ordeal & Business Meeting
Yellow Round	Jamboree (World & National)
Yellow Flat	Spring Fellowship
Orange Flat	Chief's Award
Purple Flat	March Activity
White Flat	August Activity
Dark Green Flat	Lodge Officer
Black Flat	Clan Leader
Shell*	Lodge Chief

\* Each Lodge Chief obtained his own shell.

In August, the Area 4C Conference was held at Camp Birch outside of Yellow Springs, Ohio. Members that attended were Tony Roell, Everett Sherron, Norm Griffin, Mike Jones, Lee Dennis, Martin Kimball, Andre Matthews, Tom Yost, J. D. Bartlett, Dave Olson, Drew Hasselbach, Mike Kidd, and Chuck Mitchell.

**1972** (cont.)

Mike Conrad was re-elected Lodge Chief (1972 – 1973). Tom Yost was elected as Vice Chief. Drew Hasselbach was elected as Secretary. Pat Dugan was elected as Treasurer. Don Phillips, Mark Frazer, Peter Matthews, and Chuck Mitchell received their Vigil Honors at the Fall Ordeal.

<u>CHAPTER</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>	
Wulamoc	Pokey Griffith	Drew Hasselbach – Chief Peter Matthews – Vice Chief Tom Gamble – Secretary
Allogagen	Fort Ancient	Martin Kimball – Chief Jeff Linkous – Vice Chief Scott Cottle – Secretary & Treasurer
Tarhe	Wischixin	Jerry Malcolm – Chief Rick Stumer – Vice Chief Jeff Fox – Secretary & Treasurer

On December 30<sup>th</sup>, the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party was held at the Sports Bowl. Over 60 people were in attendance. After dinner, trophies for the bowling competition were awarded, reports were given on the 4-C training conference and on the upcoming ski party.

**1973**

The Spring Work Weekend was held June 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. The Lodge did many work projects. The main project was the replacement of the camp flagpole. Other projects included putting up tents, and cleaning up camp in preparation for Summer Camp. Also on that Saturday evening, a Brotherhood Ceremony was held. Nachenum Lodge purchased four canoes, two rowboats, and a window fan for Camp Hook.

On August 12<sup>th</sup>, there was a Lodge Fellowship/Swim party. As service projects, members cleaned and painted the steps behind the Mess Hall, cleaned up the Council Ring, and sent crews to clean the areas around the Middletown and Franklin Hydraulic Dams.

In Mid-August, Nachenum Lodge sent delegates to the National O A Conference in Santa Barbara, California. The delegates were Mike Conrad, Drew Hasselbach, Louie Andres, Tom Conrad, Andre Matthews, and Lee Dennis. Other delegates are not known at this time.

September 14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup>, the Area 4-C Conference was held at Woodland Trails Scout Camp. Andre Matthews was elected as Area 4 Conference Chief for a second term (1973 – 1974). The Area 4-C designation was changed to EC-6A (East Central – 6 Area). Forty Nachenum Lodge members attended the EC-6A Section Conference.

At the Fall Ordeal, Drew Hasselbach was elected Lodge Chief (1973 – 1974). Mike Conrad, Jack McFarland, Drew Hasselbach, Charles Nixon, and Martin Kimball received their Vigil Honors.

In December, Nachenum Lodge had its Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet.

**1974**

January 11<sup>th</sup>, there was a Brotherhood Ceremony at Camp Hook. Two members received Brotherhood.

**1974** (cont.)

In the spring of 1974, we sent a delegation of members to the EC-6A Conference at Chief Logan Scout Reservation.

October 4<sup>th</sup> through the 6<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge held their Annual Fall Ordeal. Steve Petrou was elected Lodge Chief (1974 – 1975). Bill Brown was elected Vice Chief. Tom Gamble was elected Secretary. Thirty-nine candidates were inducted into the Order of the Arrow, Nachenum Lodge. Twelve Arrowmen received their Brotherhood membership, the largest number of members at one time to date. Four members received Vigil Honor. They were Norm Griffin, Lee Dennis, Terry Owens, Richard Broadbeck and Tony Roell. The Lodge issued their 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary flap, S2, 2 per Life.

The Pre-Ordeal, Ordeal, Brotherhood and Vigil Ceremonies were greatly improved due to the hard work and dedication of Lee Dennis, Norm Griffin, and Jimm Faye who worked with the Ceremonial Teams. A very special thanks was given to Jimm Faye for the Lodge's new ceremonial outfits.

Eight committees were established. They were:

<u>Publications</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Terry Owens	<u>Advisor</u> J. D. Bartlett
<u>Camp Promotions</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Louis Andres	<u>Advisor</u> Roger Coffman
<u>Ceremonial</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Drew Hasselbach	<u>Advisor</u> Lee Dennis Norm Griffin
<u>Trails – Silver Moccasin</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Jon Stiles	<u>Advisor</u> Everett Sherron Bill Stiles
<u>Trails – Miami Erie</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Bill Gayhart	<u>Advisor</u> Phil Lacefield
<u>Special Services</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Jeff Fox	<u>Co-Chairmen</u> John Conrad Bryan Wren
<u>Functions</u>	<u>Chairmen</u> Tom Conrad Bill Brown	
<u>Dance</u>	<u>Chairman</u> Mike Osborne	<u>Advisor</u> Jimm Faye

On October 19<sup>th</sup>, we had the Miami Erie Canal cleanup day. Signs were erected all along the trail. The final project was to mow a four foot by three mile path through dense underbrush. It was accomplished with great difficulty. Those who were there still remember the hardship.

In late December, the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown. Following the Bowling Party, there was dinner and a business meeting. After the business meeting the 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary flaps were sold.

**1975**

On March 8<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge Fellowship was held at the Silver Moccasin Cabins in Lebanon. Twenty Arrowmen attended. This was an increase from the previous year.

On April 5<sup>th</sup>, four Arrowmen went to a Planning Conference for the upcoming Conclave, which was held at the Muskingham Valley Scout Reservation. Advisor Everett Sherron, Steve Landis, Tom Grimes, and Tom Conrad were the Arrowmen.

**1975** (cont.)

From May 23<sup>rd</sup> through the 25<sup>th</sup>, Joe Brown, Lee Dennis, George "Hawkeye" Harvey, Steve Landis, John Conrad, Tom Conrad, Terry Owens, Steve Petrou, Bill Brown, and J. D. Bartlett attended the EC - 6A Conclave. Steve Petrou designed the Conclave patch.

On May 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, the Annual Spring Work Weekend was held at Camp Hook. Arrowmen present were Advisor J. D. Bartlett, Chief Steve Petrou, Vice Chief Bill Brown, Steve Landis, Advisor Lee Dennis, Terry Owens, Tom Conrad, Jon Conrad, Mike Conrad, Tony Roell, Tom Grimes, Bruce Henderson, and David Wolf. They accomplished the following projects: Mess Hall was cleaned, Drainage tiles were placed in front of the shower house, the leach bed was cleaned out, wood chips were prepared and placed around the flagpole, the non-swimmers pool was cleaned, White Ash was cleaned, gutters of the shower house and White Ash were cleaned out, gravel was hauled in and holes in the road were filled, and the O. A. purchased a radial saw for use by the Ranger.

Nachenum Lodge sent ten Arrowmen to the National O. A. Conference at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. The delegates were Terry Owens – Delegation Leader, Tony Roell, Tom Gamble, Steve Landis, Jon Stiles, George "Hawkeye" Harvey – Advisor, Everett Sherron – Adult, Lee Dennis – Adult, Pat Dugan – Staff, J. D. Bartlett – Staff/Delegate, Jimm Faye – Staff.

In September, at the Annual Fall Ordeal/Fellowship, Bill Brown was elected Lodge Chief (1975 – 1976). The following Lodge Members received the Vigil Honor: Louis Andres, Chuck Nixon, Tom Gamble, and J. D. Bartlett. The Lodge issued the A1B patch. It was used as a neckerchief patch, restricted to 1 per year.

In late December, the Lodge held the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown.

**1976**

In May, the Nachenum Lodge sent thirteen Arrowmen to the 1976 EC – 6A Conference. Delegates were Louis Andres, Bill Brown, Jeff McKenzie, Brian Michael, Jon Conrad, Randy Giehls, Pat McKnight, Steve Landis, Greg Stephens, Lee Dennis, Paul Collins, J. D. Bartlett, and George "Hawkeye" Harvey.

The Lodge issued the S3 flap with White border, BSA over the fleur de lis, with no restrictions. The order was for one thousand flaps. Of those thousand flaps, two hundred fifty of them came back with the Camp Totem instead of the fleur de lis. This is now known as the S4 or Error Patch. There was no restriction on that patch.

The Fall Ordeal was held from October 1<sup>st</sup> through the 3<sup>rd</sup> at Camp Hook. Forty-nine new Ordeal Members were inducted into the Lodge. This was the largest number of new candidates in many years. Also, fifteen Arrowmen received their Brotherhood. Those receiving Vigil Honors were Pat Dugan, Bill Stiles, William Repasky, Bill Brown, and Steve Landis. At the Annual Business Meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, elections for Lodge Officers took place. Elected were Louis Andres – Lodge Chief (1976 – 1977), Bill Repasky – Vice Chief, Paul Collins – Secretary, Chris Hoffman – Treasurer, Russ Johnson – Wulamoc Chapter Chief, Jeff McKenzie – Allogagen Chapter Chief, Brian Underwood – Tarhe Chapter Chief. Also committees and chairmen were appointed. Election and Camp Promotion Committee – Jeff McKenzie, Chairman, Lodge Publication Committee – Paul Collins, Chairman, Silver Moccasin and Miami Erie Trail Committee – Greg Stephens, Chairman, Ceremonial Team Committee – Lee Dennis, Advisor, Indian Dance Team and Indian Lore Committee – Bill Brown, Chairman, and Service and Special Events Committee – Tom Conrad, Chairman.

**1976** (cont.)

On December 18<sup>th</sup>, the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown. Many members and their fathers attended. Much fun was had by all.

**1977**

On January 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Many members served on the OA Service Corps.

On April 30<sup>th</sup>, Nachenum Lodge held a Service Day at Camp Hook to prepare the camp for the summer.

On May 14<sup>th</sup>, Nachenum Lodge sponsored its first Outdoor Equipment Seminar. This was held at Camp Hook. Many outdoor equipment suppliers set up displays from cooking gear to rappelling equipment. The Lodge issued a 4 inch round R patch dated 1977 and used for the 1977, 1978, and 1979 Equipment Seminars. Seminar pins were also issued and used for all three years.

The Lodge issued the S5 flap. It had a white border and Camp totem with BSA over it. There was no restriction on this flap.

May 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>, Nachenum Lodge sent 21 delegates to the EC6A Section Conclave held at Camp Oyo, at Portsmouth, Ohio.

In August, a delegation from Nachenum Lodge attended the National O. A. Conference. Delegates were Louis Andres, Chris Roell, Bill Repasky, Scott Dellmore, Russell Johnson, Lee Dennis, George "Hawkeye" Harvey, and J. D. Bartlett. The Lodge issued the A2 patch, used as a delegate patch for NOAC. The restriction was for two per person.

At the Fall Ordeal, Steve Landis was elected Lodge Chief (1977 – 1978), Jeff Fox was elected Vice Chief, Bill Gayhart was elected Secretary, and Gerry Hamm was elected Treasurer. After numerous Brotherhood ceremonies throughout the year including the Fall Ordeal, the Lodge achieved 70% of eligible membership as Brotherhood. Brian Underwood received his Vigil Honor.

In the spring of the year, the Silver Arrow Award was created to recognize those Arrowmen who have given outstanding and unselfish service to Nachenum Lodge. At the business meeting at the Fall Ordeal, the first two recipients of the Silver Arrow Award were Louis M. Andres and Everett Sherron.

In December, Nachenum Lodge held its Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown.

**1978**

Nachenum Lodge sponsored its second Outdoor Equipment Seminar at Camp Hook.

In the spring, the EC6A Conclave was held at Camp Friedlander in Cincinnati.

In August of this year, four Arrowmen from the Lodge attended the National Indian Seminar at Camp George Thomas in Oklahoma. Those attending were Bryan Wren, Tim Taylor, Louis Andres, and J. D. Bartlett.

**1978** (cont.)

Steve Landis was re-elected as Lodge Chief (1978 – 1979), Tom Ross was elected Vice Chief, Mark Metz was elected Secretary, and Brian Taylor was elected Treasurer. Lee Dennis was appointed Lodge Advisor, and Lee Kuizenga was appointed as Professional Advisor. The following committee chairmen were appointed: Camp Promotions – Rob Curry, Trails Committee – Eric Hass, Ceremonial Committee – Ken Morgan, and Dance Team – Bryan Wren.

At the Fall Ordeal, the Silver Arrow Award was presented to Lee Dennis and J. D. Bartlett. There were no Vigil Honors given this year.

At the EC – 6A Conclave, Steve Landis was elected Section Secretary (1978 – 1979). Since he could not hold both a Lodge and Section office, he relinquished the position of Lodge Chief to Tom Ross.

In December, the Lodge held the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown.

**1979**

Nachenum sponsored the third and final Outdoor Equipment Seminar at Camp Hook.

In the spring of the year, the Lodge issued the A3 patch. This was a service patch used to get more of the Lodge members involved in service at Camp Hook and in the Council. One Service Patch was awarded for every twenty-four hours of service. In the first year of this patch's inception, twenty-two members earned the patch. Five hundred and twenty-eight hours of service were given to the Camp and the Council in this year.

The EC6A Conclave was held at Camp Lazarus, north of Columbus, Ohio.

In August, eight members attended the National O. A. Conference at Fort Collins, Colorado. Those attending were Steve Landis, Frank Villella, Alex Brackett, Lee Dennis, George "Hawkeye" Harvey, and J. D. Bartlett. The names of the other two are unknown at this time.

At the Fall Ordeal, Tom Ross was elected Lodge Chief (1979 – 1980). Scott Campbell was elected Vice Chief, Ben Dunn was elected Secretary, and Ken Morgan was elected Treasurer. The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Steve Landis. Tom Ross and Bryan Wren received their Vigil Honors.

The 1979 – 1980 Brotherhood Team consisted of the following members: Allowat Sakima – Steve Landis, Meteu – Chris Clifton, Nutiket – Tim Taylor, and Kichkinet – Frank Villella.

In December, the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown.

**1980**

In the spring of this year, Nachenum Lodge hosted the 1980 EC – 6A Section Conclave at Camp Hook. Sixty-two members were in attendance as support staff and/or delegates.

In August, four members of the Lodge attended the National O. A. Indian Seminar at Beaumont Reservation just west of St. Louis, Missouri. Those members were Frank Villella, Alex Brackett, Bryan Wren, and J. D. Bartlett.



**1980** (cont.)

At the Fall Ordeal, officers were elected. Frank Villella was elected as Lodge Chief (1980 – 1981), Ben Dunn was elected Vice Chief, Alex Brackett was elected Secretary, and Ken Morgan was elected as Treasurer. Norm Griffin was appointed Lodge Advisor. The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Jim Harbin. Vigil Honors were bestowed upon Ben Dunn, Carl Morgan, and William Troll. The Pre-Ordeal Team was Allowat Sakima – Rob Taulbee, Meteu – Jeff Pruett, Nutiket – Bill Gray, and Kichkinet – Allan Johnson. The Ordeal Team was Allowat Sakima – David Wilson, Meteu – Ben Dunn, Nutiket – Bill Gray, and Kichkinet – Allan Johnson.

In late fall of this year, the Lodge issued the J1 Ceremonial Patch. This patch was restricted to two per person. Also, the X1 Ceremonial Segment and X2 Espan Dancers Segment were issued. The requirements for receiving the Ceremonial Patch had been set in January. Five members had fulfilled those requirements by December of this year. Those members were Mark Longworth, Steve Gadd, Bill Gray, Frank Villella, and J. D. Bartlett - Advisor.

The requirements for the Ceremonial Patch were:

1. Attend 75% of ceremonial meetings
2. Attend 75% of all performances
3. Each dancer and/or ceremonial member must have his own outfit, kept in good order.
4. Attend 75% of all dance practices
5. Ceremonial members must be at all ceremonies
6. Dancers must know at least ten dances
7. Ceremonial and/or dancers must go on a minimum of two field trips (Examples – Powwows, museums, etc.)
8. When the back patch has been earned, the ceremonial/dance team member may buy one extra patch (max 2)

Ceremonial members could also earn hours towards the Lodge Service Patch.

In December, the Annual Father/Son Bowling Party/Winter Banquet was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown.

**1981**

In May of this year, Nachenum Lodge sent twelve delegates to the EC – 6A Conclave.

The Camp Hook 1981 Summer Camp Tap-Out Team was:

Camp Chief – Robert Braunstien  
Chief – Frank Villella  
Storyteller – Alex Brackett  
Puller - Ben Dunn, alternate – Jeff Johann  
Puller – Jim Harbin  
Medicine Man – Mike Aus  
Young Man – Scott Rupp, alternate – Norm Kote  
Wolf Clan – Robert Braunstien, alternate – Shawn Dawson  
Hunter – Ken Morgan  
Arrow bearer – Bob Dearth  
Drummer – John Stahl  
Guide – Tom Sproat

Nachenum Lodge sent two Arrowmen to the National O. A. Conference at the University of Texas at Austin, Texas. The delegates were Lee Dennis and J. D. Bartlett.

**1981** (cont.)

At the Fall Ordeal, Bill Gray was elected Lodge Chief (1981 – 1982). The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Robert Hattery. Frank Villella and Bob Leis received Vigil Honors.

On December 12<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge held the Annual Bowling Party/Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown. Thirty-four members were in attendance. Those winning bowling trophies were: Robert Hattery – High game, Shawn Leis – High series, Eric and Wilbur Smithers – High Father and Son game, Scott and Bill Rupp – High Father and Son Series, and Kyle Shrout – Needs the Most Improvement award.

Ceremonial Teams for 1981 – 1982 were:

Pre-Ordeal

Allowat Sakima – Scott Rupp  
Meteu – David Guido  
Nutiket – Steve Gadd  
Kichkinet – John Campbell

Ordeal

Allowat Sakima – David Wilson, alternate - Bill Piersall  
Meteu – Jim Harbin, alternate – Steve Gadd  
Nutiket – Bill Gray  
Kichkinet – John Campbell

Brotherhood

Allowat Sakima – Jim Harbin  
Meteu – Todd Hayes  
Nutiket – Bill Gray  
Kichkinet – Scott Rupp

**1982**

This was the first year that the O. A. Lodge had their own city at the Klondike Derby, which was held at Camp Hook.

From February 26<sup>th</sup> to the 28<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge Ceremonial Committee held its Fellowship weekend at Camp Hook. Members practiced the Pre-Ordeal, Ordeal, and Brotherhood Ceremonies. They also worked on outfits, studied outfits from a slide presentation, and had general good fellowship.

In May, Nachenum Lodge members attended the EC – 6A Conclave held at Cricket Holler in Dayton, Ohio. Some of the delegates were Steve Gadd, Mark Longworth, Dusty O'Neil, Jim Harbin, John Campbell, Bill Gray, Tyler Abplanalp, Kyle Shrout, Robert Carder, Lee Dennis, and J. D. Bartlett. Others attended, but their names are not known at this time.

At the Conclave, Nachenum Lodge members performed the Summer Camp Tap-out Ceremony for all in attendance. The Team members performing the Ceremony were:

Chief – Bill Gray  
Storyteller – Steve Gadd  
Puller – Jim Harbin  
Puller – John Campbell  
Young Man – Tyler Abplanalp  
Hunter –  
Wolf Clan –  
Arrow Bearer – Kyle Shrout  
Guide/Drummer – Robert Carder

1982 (cont.)

In 1982, the Service Patch hours changed from 24 hours required to 12 hours required to receive the patch.

The Summer Camp Tap-out Team for Summer Camp consisted of the following individuals:

Chief – John Campbell	Arrow Bearer – John Draut
Medicine Man – Steve Gadd	Guide – Kyle Shrout
Young Man – Chuck Staudenmaier	Guide – Jim Harbin
Hunter – Mark Longworth	Guide alternate – Bill Gray
Wolf Clan – Don Stiens	
Puller – Bill Piersall, alternate – Jim Harbin	
Puller – Todd Hayes	

At the Fall Ordeal, we were told that Nachenum Lodge was awarded National Merit Lodge. John Campbell was elected Lodge Chief (1982 – 1983). Bill Piersall was elected Vice Chief, Mark Longworth was elected Secretary, and Eric Smithers was elected Treasurer. Forty-seven candidates completed their Ordeal. Four members achieved Brotherhood. They were Scott Grau, John Campbell, Steve Gadd, and Stan Graham. Jim Harbin, Robert Hattery and Don Dawson received Vigil Honors. The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Floyd K. Shrout. J. D. Bartlett was appointed Lodge Advisor.

Ceremonial Teams for the Fall Ordeal were:

Pre-Ordeal  
Allowat Sakima – Don Stiens, alternate – Jeff Fogle  
Meteu – Mark Longworth, alternate – John Draut  
Nutiket – Steve Gadd  
Kichkinet - Chuck Staudenmaier, alternate – Kyle Shrout

Ordeal  
Allowat Sakima – Tim Mount, alternate – Bill McIntosh  
Meteu –  
Nutiket – Bill Gray  
Kichkinet – John Campbell

Brotherhood  
Allowat Sakima – Steve Gadd  
Meteu – Todd Hayes  
Nutiket – Jim Harbin  
Kichkinet – John Campbell

At the Fort Ancient Fall Camporee, the Lodge ran activities during the day and the campfire in the evening. The following members ran the activities: John Campbell, Bill Gray, Rick Benz, Don Morgan, John Wachter, Dave Wilson, Jr., Dave Wilson, Sr., Earnie Morgan, Ves Baxter, and Jamie Rener.

In October, Nachenum Lodge participated at Middfest in Middletown, Ohio, where they built a Florida Seminole "Chickee" (a traditional southeastern shelter). Over three thousand people came into the area where these shelters were being built.

In December, the Lodge Banquet was held at Duff's Smorgasbord in Middletown. A Radio Shack representative presented a program on the new TRS-80 computer. He showed the capabilities of the processor, including the different games that could be played on the computer. More than sixty members and their parents attended this banquet.

**1983**

The Lodge again had their own city at the January Klondike Derby held at Camp Hook.

On Saturday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, the Dance Team put on a show at the Towne Mall in Middletown, displaying outfits and other Native American regalia. The members participating were: Steve Gadd, John Campbell, Mark Longworth, Kyle Shrou, Bill Gray, Kenny Shrou, and J. D. Bartlett. Also assisting were John Draut, Glenn Campbell, Geoff Graham, David Erwin, and Kenny Brown.

On May 6<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge had the Annual Spring Fellowship at Camp Hook. During the day, those attending cleared brush around camp, and cleared and marked the Thunderbird Trail. All projects were concluded by Sunday morning. The participants were: Steve Gadd, Kyle Shrou, Mark Longworth, Bernie Marshall, Chris Purdum, Todd Hayes, John Draut, Jim Harbin, Roland Gadd, Kenny Shrou, Everett Sherron, and J. D. Bartlett.

From May 20<sup>th</sup> through 22<sup>nd</sup>, the EC – 6A Section Conclave was held at Chief Logan Scout Reservation east of Chillicothe, Ohio. Even in the midst of huge amounts of rainfall that weekend, Lodge members attended sessions on Camp Promotion, Unit Elections, Ceremonies, the Elangomat System, and Native American Dance Competition. Those delegates attending were: Steve Gadd, John Campbell, Mark Longworth, Phil Reaves, Frank McQuinn, David Erwin, Lee Dennis, and J. D. Bartlett.

George "Hawkeye" Harvey died on June 9<sup>th</sup> at the age of 75. He was the Lay Advisor for Nachenum Lodge for forty years. He was active in the Order of the Arrow at the local lodge level and at section conclaves and national conferences. Hawkeye was the first Arrowman from Nachenum Lodge to receive the Vigil Honor (in 1948). He also received the National Distinguished Service Award of the Order of the Arrow in 1971. Hawkeye was active in scouting for sixty-four years. During this time, he entertained scouts of all ages with his magic shows and archery shooting. One of the major trademarks of Hawkeye was the beautiful Indian outfits that he wore during these shows and demonstrations. In 1944, the Mound Builders' Area Council awarded him the Silver Beaver Award for service to youth. This is the highest award a council can give a scouter. Hawkeye was a past president of the Mound Builders' Area Council, a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Rotary, YMCA, Masons and Shrine. He owned the Harvey Transfer Co. and was a member of the Ohio Trucking Association. Hawkeye is sorely missed by those who knew him.

The Summer Camp Tap out Ceremonies Team consisted of:

Chief – Bill Gray	Medicine Man – Steve Gadd
Young Man – Eric Smithers	Hunter – Jim Harbin
Wolf Clan – Mark Longworth	Puller – Bernie Marshall
Puller – Todd Hayes	Arrow Bearer – John Draut
Guide – Chad Neibert	Guide – Dave Wilson, Jr.
Guide – Chuck Staudenmaier	

Other Arrowmen who helped during the summer with the Tap out Ceremony were: Phil Reaves, Frank Vilella, Rick Krebs, David Barker, and Russ Belt.

Nachenum Lodge sent two delegates to the National O. A. Conference held at Rutgers University in New Jersey. Those delegates were Lee Dennis and J. D. Bartlett.

**1983** (cont.)

At the Fall Ordeal, on August 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, Nachenum Lodge received recognition as being a National Honor Lodge. Forty-eight candidates took their Ordeal. Twenty-one Arrowmen earned their Brotherhood. This was the largest number of Arrowmen to receive their Brotherhood at one time in Nachenum Lodge history. Bill Gray received his Vigil Honor. Steve Gadd was elected Lodge Chief (1983 – 1984). Mark Longworth was elected Vice Chief, Dusty O'Neil was elected Secretary, and Bernie Marshall was elected Treasurer. The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Bill Gray.

The Lodge issued the S6 flap, the Hawkeye Memorial Patch, which was restricted to two per person.

On November 5<sup>th</sup>, several Lodge members gathered at Caesars' Creek State Park and cleared two and a half miles of littered trails. These trails are part of the Lodge's new Silver Moccasin Trail, the Little Miami segment. They then proceeded to go to the College Football Hall of Fame in Kings Mill, Ohio for the afternoon. Lodge members were Steve Gadd, Jeff Gadd, Roland Gadd, J. D. Bartlett, Mark Longworth, Bill Gray, Steve Longworth, Mike Dennis, and John Weidle.

On December 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>, Nachenum Lodge members went to the Section Training Conference at the Lutheran Memorial Camp near Fulton, Ohio. At the Conference, we were instructed in new methods and principals of the Order of the Arrow. Two of the Instructors were Ed LaBenne, Section Chief and Bob Wade, National Chief. Those members in attendance were: Steve Gadd, Jeff Gadd, Roland Gadd, Charles Montgomery, Richard Montgomery, Bernie Marshall, and J. D. Bartlett.

On December 16<sup>th</sup>, four Arrowmen received their Brotherhood, Phil Reaves, Mike Harris, Dave Wilson, and John Newby.

On December 28<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge held the Annual Lodge Banquet at the Bounty Buffet formerly known as Duff's Smorgasbord at the Middletown Shopping Center, Middletown, Ohio. The program consisted of an appearance by Section Chief Ed LaBenne and a slide show about the World Jamboree.

**1984**

Nachenum Lodge once again manned a city at the Council-wide Klondike Derby. The Mayor of Skagway, the O. A. City, was Chief Steve Gadd. Others at the city were Steve Longworth, Bryan Mark, Luke Ritchie, Jeff Gadd, Roland Gadd, Richard Montgomery, Robert Hattery, Phil Reaves and J. D. Bartlett.

The Lodge Executive Committee Meeting was changed to April 25<sup>th</sup> to commemorate our 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The meeting was held at Godfather's Pizza in Middletown. Approximately forty to forty-five members were in attendance.

On May 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>, the Spring Fellowship was held at Camp Hook. Twenty Lodge members attended and completed many projects, some of which were completing picnic tables, cutting timbers for the Cit-A-Rama, and cleaning the leech bed. Many fun-filled events were also held. The Crazy Olympics were held with the "I Don't Knows" taking first place and the "Bufu's" taking second. After dinner, the lodge auctioned pies, and J. D. Bartlett, Lee Dennis, and Bill Hines II were the recipients of several of the pies, although not in the traditional manner. The movie "Raiders of the Lost Ark" was shown afterwards. Members attending were Steve Gadd, Mark Longworth, Jeff Gadd, Mike Dennis, Chris Purdum, Chris Doll, Ben Hines, Vince Streiff, Brian Rose, Steve Snelling, Bill Hines III, Everett Sherron, Steve Longworth, Bill Hines II, Roland Gadd, Bill Gray, Lee Dennis, Bob Cover, J. D. Bartlett, and Thomas "Baldytop" Scott. Section Secretary Chris Vaughn and Tom Mills (the ex-professional advisor) also attended.

**1984** (cont.)

The EC – 6A Conclave was held at the Muskingham Valley Scout Reservation near Coshocton, Ohio. Eighteen Nachenum Lodge members attended the Conclave. Those members were Steve Gadd, Mark Longworth, Steve Longworth, Mike Dennis, Jeff Gadd, Richard Montgomery, Ben Hines, Chris Doll, Chris Purdum, Jason Fritz, Jeff Scurlock, Roland Gadd, Charlie Montgomery, Bill Hines II, Robert Hattery, Lee Dennis, Everett Sherron, and J. D. Bartlett. All enjoyed attending the many Native American sessions, competitions, and rappelling workshop. Mark Longworth placed second in the Native American traditional dance competition. Steve Gadd placed second in the interlodge ice cream eating contest. The Pre-Ordeal Team also competed in the Ceremonies competition. The Team members were Vince Streiff, Jeff Gadd, Chris Doll, and Ben Hines.

The Lodge hosted two 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary parties during Summer Camp on June 29<sup>th</sup> and July 13<sup>th</sup> after the tap out ceremonies to meet with old and new members.

In August, the National Indian Seminar was held at Camp Bud Schiel in North Carolina. One Lodge member, J. D. Bartlett, attended the Seminar as Assistant Scout Master to one of the Seminar Troops, and Staff Member training on Northeast Woodlands Culture.

At the Fall Ordeal, Mark Longworth was elected Lodge Chief (1984 – 1985). Dusty O'Neil was elected Vice Chief, Jeff Gadd was elected Secretary, and Mark MacIntosh was elected Treasurer. Nachenum Lodge received the recognition of being a National Honor Lodge. The Silver Arrow Award was presented to Steve Gadd and Mark Longworth. Forty-four new members were inducted, and twelve members received their Brotherhood. John Campbell, Steve Gadd, Bill Hines II, and Mark Longworth received their Vigil Honors. The 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Back Patch (J2) was issued in recognition of the Lodge's Anniversary. Only seventy were made.

On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, numerous members attended the Nachenum Lodge College Football Hall of Fame Trip. As in the past, those members went over to the Silver Moccasin Trail/Little Miami Segment and picked up trash, cut brush, and remarked the trail from Waynesville to Fort Ancient. Following lunch at McDonald's, the members then went to the College Football Hall of Fame where they went through the museum, watching numerous highlights of Bowl games, and bloopers.

The Annual Winter Banquet was held on December 27<sup>th</sup> at Bounty Buffet at the Middletown Shopping Center. Sixty-three members and their families were in attendance. After dinner and the executive committee meeting, there was O. A. Jeopardy, door prizes, fun and fellowship.

**1985**

In January, Nachenum Lodge members served in many capacities at the Klondike Derby.

On March 23<sup>rd</sup>, Nachenum Lodge had their 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Olympiad. Activities included Championship Buck-buck and the Great Ski Sprint.

On April 19<sup>th</sup> through the 21<sup>st</sup>, the Spring Fellowship was held at Camp Hook. The two Arrowmen in charge of this great event were David Evans and Dusty O'Neil. Due to a water shortage, we were asked to bring water for the First Annual O. A. Water Drive. There were many fun-filled activities during the weekend.

Nachenum Lodge received recognition for being a National Honor Lodge.

The Lodge issued the S7 flap. It was received in the office before the Conclave.

**1985** (cont.)

May 17<sup>th</sup> through the 19<sup>th</sup>, the EC – 6A Conclave was held at Camp Falling Rock, north of Newark, Ohio. We had twenty-five members present. At the business meeting Sunday morning, Mark Longworth was elected Section Vice Chief.

Nachenum Chapter History  
1985 – 1997

**1985**

On July 1, 1985, the Nachenum Lodge 145 merged with the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge 462. Numerous meetings were held between the two lodges. Gordon Evans, Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Advisor, and J. D. Bartlett, Nachenum Lodge Advisor, had many discussions on how to combine these two great lodges. The new lodge became Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge 145.

In September, the first Nachenum Chapter Ordeal was held at Camp Hook. There were thirty-nine new lodge members inducted.

In October, the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge held its annual Fall Fellowship at Camp Friedlander. The lodge held events and competitions throughout the weekend. On Sunday morning, the Ku-Ni-Eh Fall Fellowship Trophy went to the Nachenum Chapter. Thirty-nine Nachenum Chapter members were present at the event. During the lodge business meeting, Chapter elections were held. Joe Howard was elected Chapter Chief (1985 – 1986), Jeff Gadd was elected Vice Chief, and Jim Dunn was elected Secretary. J. D. Bartlett was appointed as Chapter Advisor.

In December, the Nachenum Chapter held the First Annual Nachenum Chapter Winter Banquet. It was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. There were thirty-two members present. After the business meeting and pizza, everyone went bowling.

**1986**

In January, members of the Nachenum Chapter served on the Klondike Derby staff. Some of the staff members worked at the starting line, trading post, Dirty Dave's Kitchen, or in one of the cities. Fifty-five Chapter members participated in the event.

In May, the EC – 6A Section Conclave was held at Camp Lazarus, north of Columbus, Ohio. Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge sent one hundred members to the Conclave. Thirty-one of those members were from Nachenum Chapter.

In August, nine members represented Nachenum Chapter at the National O. A. Conference held in Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. The members attending were Lee Dennis, J. D. Bartlett, Bill Hines II, Bill Gray, Jeff Gadd, Jim Dunn, Ben Hines, Jason Fritz, and Mark Longworth. The Nachenum Chapter's Ordeal Team placed seventh in the Nation. Team members were Jeff Gadd, Jim Dunn, Ben Hines, and Jason Fritz. In Native American dance competition, Mark Longworth placed third in the Nation in the Men's Traditional dance category.

**1986** (cont.)

At the Lodge's Fall Fellowship, Nachenum Chapter elections were held. Jeff Gadd was elected as Chapter Chief (1986 – 1987). Jim Dunn was elected Vice Chief, and Ben Hines was elected Secretary. On Jim Dunn's resignation, Ben Hines was appointed Vice Chief, and Rich Welch was appointed to the position of Secretary.

In December, the Chapter held its Second Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. Fifty-three members were in attendance. They had good food, fellowship, and bowling. At the business meeting, a discussion centered on the goals met over the past year, and new goals were set for the coming year.

**1987**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Many of the Chapter members worked at the Klondike cities and on Staff.

In May, the Nachenum Chapter was well represented at the EC – 6A Conclave held at Camp Oyo, north of Portsmouth, Ohio. Twenty-five Chapter members attended.

From June to September, Chapter members assisted the Lodge in three of the four Ordeals that were held at Camp Friedlander and Camp Hook.

During the June to August time frame, Chapter members continued to perform the Summer Camp Tap-out Ceremony at Camp Hook.

In August, the National Powwow (formerly OA National Indian Seminar) was held in Powell, Wyoming. One Chapter member attended. That member was J. D. Bartlett. He served on the Northeast Area Staff, teaching Iroquois history, culture and outfits.

In September, the Nachenum Chapter Ordeal was held at Camp Hook.

In October, the Lodge Fall Fellowship was held at Camp Friedlander. The Chapter elections were held at the Fellowship. Ben Hines was elected as Chapter Chief (1987 – 1988). Jason Fritz was elected as Vice Chief. Roland Gadd was appointed as Chapter Advisor.

In December, the Third Annual Chapter Winter Banquet was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. Before and after the meal and business meeting, we had a silent auction of many scout patches, neckerchiefs, pins, etc. There were also door prizes given out during this time. The youth officers and Roland Gadd, Chapter Advisor introduced these activities. After the business meeting, everyone went bowling.

**1988**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Chapter members served on Staff and in many of the cities.

In May, the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge 145 hosted the 1988 EC – 6A Section Conclave at Camp Friedlander. Twenty-three Chapter members attended and served as Host staff. Seven Chapter members were in the delegate contingent.

In August, the National O. A. Conference was held in Fort Collins, Colorado. Eight Chapter members attended with the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge delegation. Three of the eight members were Lee Dennis, Bill Hines II, and J. D. Bartlett. Names of the others are not known at this time.



**1988** (cont.)

At the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Fall Fellowship held at Camp Friedlander, the Chapter held elections. Shawn Dirushina was elected as Chapter Chief (1988 – 1989). Brian Suddith was elected Vice Chief.

In December, the Chapter held its Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. Prior to the bowling, the business meeting was held. Events and activities were discussed. Chief's Awards were presented. Goals for the next calendar year were discussed and Committee Chairmen were appointed. Once again, a silent auction was held and door prizes were given.

**1989**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Many chapter members served on Staff and worked in the cities.

In March at the Chapter Executive meeting, the Executive Committee decided to have its members take responsibility for cleaning up the length of Morningstar Road which ran in front of the entrance to Camp Hook. This project has been done in April and October every year since this decision was made. Each time it has been completed, tons of waste materials have been removed.

In May, the EC – 6A Conclave was held at Camp Birch outside of Yellow Springs, Ohio. Ten Chapter members were included in the Lodge delegation.

At the Lodge Fall Fellowship held at Camp Friedlander, Chapter officers were elected. They were Jeff Flory, Chapter Chief (1989 – 1990), Doug Clayton, Vice Chief, and Bryan Daniel, Secretary.

In December, the Chapter held its Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. Activities were a Silent Auction, business meeting, and bowling.

**1990**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Many of the Chapter youth and adults worked in various areas and in many capacities at the Derby.

In April, the Chapter continued the Morningstar Rd. litter pick-up program. For those members that participated, the memory of the number of washers, dryers and refrigerators removed evoke a vision of an appliance store with rows of appliances.

In May, the EC – 6A Conclave was held at Camp Steuben outside of Steubenville, Ohio. Of the Lodge contingent, eleven were Nachenum Chapter members.

In August, the National O. A. Conference was held at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana. Six Chapter members attended in the Lodge delegation. J. D. Bartlett also served on Staff in the Native American Events area.

In September, at the Lodge Fall Fellowship at Camp Friedlander, Chapter elections were held. Jeff Flory was again elected as Chapter Chief (1990 – 1991). David Senften was elected as Vice Chief and Brian Daniel was re-elected as Secretary.

In October, the Chapter did a major Ecology clean up on the north section of the Silver Moccasin Trail (Waynesville to Fort Ancient).

**1990** (cont.)

In December, the Chapter held the Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. The event was well attended by members who enjoyed the various activities, including the bowling.

**1991**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Once again, many Chapter members served on Staff and contributed greatly to the success of the Klondike Derby.

In April, once again Chapter members cleaned up Morningstar Rd. Numerous trash bags were filled and collected by the chapter members. The Camp Ranger disposed of the bags.

In May, the EC – 6A Conclave was held and many chapter members attended.

In early June, the Chapter held a workday, as they had in the past, to get Camp Hook ready for Summer Camp. Many projects, including building repair, painting, grass cutting, supplies inventory, and tent stenciling and repair, were accomplished.

At the Lodge Fall Fellowship, Chapter elections were held. Jeff Flory was re-elected as Chapter Chief (1991 – 1992). David Senften was re-elected Vice Chief, and Matt Chambers was elected Secretary.

In October, the Chapter was officially notified that Camp Hook would not be reopened for Summer Camp. This brought the realization that 1991 was the last Summer Camp for the Tap-Out Ceremony, as we knew it.

In December, the Chapter had its Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. At the business meeting, Chief's Awards were given out, accomplishments of the past year were discussed, and goals for the next year were presented. We once again had a Silent Auction and door prizes. Last, but not least, the Chapter members enjoyed bowling.

**1992**

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Many of our Chapter members were in attendance and assisted on Staff.

In May, the EC – 6A Conclave was held at Muskingham Valley Scout Reservation. Of the Lodge contingent, ten chapter members were present.

In August, the National O. A. Conference was held at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, Tennessee. Numerous chapter members were on the National Conference Staff. J. D. Bartlett was on staff for the Indian Events staff. Lee Dennis was on Shows staff. Other members were on staff, but who and what areas they served in are not known at this time.

At the Lodge Fall Fellowship at Camp Friedlander, the Chapter elections were held. Nick Fitzpatric was elected as Chapter Chief (1992 – 1993). Mike Napier was elected Vice Chief. The name of the Secretary is not known at this time. Roland Gadd stepped down as Chapter Advisor, and Jim Daniel was appointed as new Chapter Advisor.

In December, the Annual Winter Banquet was held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio.

### 1993

In January, the Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook. Numerous Chapter members were involved in the operation of the Derby as staff members.

With the realignment of National Regions, the new OA Section became known as Central Region 5B (C5B).

At the Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Fall Fellowship in November, John Nenni was elected Chapter Chief (1993 – 1994). Tim Fitzpatric was elected Vice Chief. Jim Daniel stepped down as Chapter Advisor, and Ed Richter was appointed new Chapter Advisor. Also during this weekend, Nick Fitzpatric was elected as Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Chief.

In December, the Chapter held its Annual Winter Banquet at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio. At the Banquet, many of the year's activities were discussed. Goals were presented for the following year, and Chief's Awards were handed out to Stacy Britton, Gene Geckler, and Ed Richter.

### 1994

In January, Chapter members helped at the Annual Klondike Derby held at Camp Hook.

In May, the C5B conclave was held at Camp Falling Rock, north of Newark, Ohio. Chapter members attended the C5B Section Conclave.

In August, the National O. A. Conference was held at Purdue University at West Lafayette, Indiana. Chapter members that were on staff were Gene Geckler, Charlie Fitzpatric, Lee Dennis, and J. D. Bartlett. Gene, Charlie, and Lee were on Shows Staff, and J. D. and his wife Carolyn were on Indian Events Staff.

At the Lodge Fall Fellowship, Chapter officers were elected. Shawn Jeffers was elected Chapter Chief (1994 – 1995). Stacy Britton was elected Vice Chief, Andy Luksic was elected Secretary, and Ethan Long was elected Treasurer.

At the Annual Chapter Winter Banquet held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio, over forty members and guests were present. Guests included Bret Martin, past Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Chief, Gordon Evans, past Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge Advisor, Jeff Flory, past Chapter Chief, and Jason Fritz, past Chapter officer. Gordon Evans presented 1994 National Order of the Arrow shows Office staff pictures to Lee Dennis, Gene Geckler, and Charlie Fitzpatric. Chapter goals for 1995 were set. These goals were 1) to help the Lodge attain National Honor Lodge, 2) improved communications between the Chapter and the Lodge, 3) better communications between the Chapter and the district troops, and 4) to promote short and long term camping within the district.

### 1995

In January, the Annual Klondike Derby was held at Camp Hook outside of Carlisle, Ohio with many chapter members assisting on staff.

Again, the Lodge was shifted to a new section. We were changed to Section C4A. This Conclave was held at Camp Woodlake in Southern Michigan. J. D. Bartlett designed the conclave patch.

At the Lodge Fall Fellowship, the Chapter officers were elected for 1995 – 1996. Allan Schon was elected Chapter Chief, and Geoffrey Robinson was elected Vice Chief.

**1995** (cont.)

At the Annual Nachenum Chapter Winter Banquet held at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio, fifty members and guests were present. Guests included Gordon Evans, Assistant Section Advisor, Bill Gray, past Nachenum Lodge Chief, Matt and Luke Johnson, former Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge, Nachenum Chapter members now in Black Eagle Lodge in Germany, Lee Dennis, past Nachenum Lodge Advisor, and J. D. Bartlett, past Nachenum Lodge and Chapter Advisor. Nick Rave, Andy Luksic, Stacy Britton, and Lee Dennis were highly praised for doing a great job at the Ku-Ni-Eh Summer Ordeal. Also, Allan Schon and Shawn Jeffers were recognized for doing a great job at the December Brotherhood Ceremony. It was also relayed to the Chapter members present that the Nachenum Chapter played a large part in helping the Lodge receive National Quality Lodge.

**1996**

In January, the Annual Klondike Derby was held with the assistance of many of the Nachenum Chapter members.

In April, Ed Richter stepped down as Chapter Advisor, and Doug Holderbaum was appointed new Chapter Advisor.

Also that month, the C4A Conclave was held at Camp Freidlander, in Cincinnati.

In August, several Chapter members worked at the National O. A. Conference, which was held at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana. Staff members were Gene Geckler and Charlie Fitzpatric, Shows Staff, Lee Dennis, Photographer on Publications Staff, and J. D. Bartlett and his wife Carolyn who were on the Indian Events Staff. The Lodge sent thirty-seven members in the contingent. Six were from Nachenum Chapter. The Lodge contingent served as Ushers at the shows.

In October, the Fall Fellowship was held at Camp Friedlander. The Chapter officers were elected at this time. Matt Burgio was elected as Chapter Chief (1996 – 1997), and Brad Stegmoller was elected Vice Chief. Chapter Secretary, Rob Dooley was appointed at the Chapter meeting on November 11<sup>th</sup> at Camp Hook.

On November 11<sup>th</sup>, the Nachenum Chapter meeting was held at Camp Hook. As stated previously, Rob Dooley was appointed Secretary. Topics discussed were:

- 1) Troop representatives needed from every troop in the District
- 2) Upcoming Lodge events
  - Brotherhood Ceremony – November 25, 1996
  - Cub Winter Day – December 14 – 15 at Camp Friedlander
  - Lodge Winter Banquet on 1-26-97
  - C5B Conclave in April of 1997
  - June, July, and August Ordeals in 1997
- 3) Chapter events
  - Nachenum Winter Banquet December 18<sup>th</sup> at the Sports Bowl in Middletown, Ohio
  - Chapter Newsletter – Raccoon Tracks
  - Silver Moccasin Trail
  - Red River Gorge Trip for Chapter members
  - Camping trip for Chapter members
  - Canoe trip/rafting trip in spring of 1997
  - Host Ordeal and a true Fellowship

**1996** (cont.)

Members present at the meeting were Rob Dooley, Stacy Britton, Shawn Jeffers, Allan Schon, Steve Lipps, James Burgio, Matt Burgio, Charlie Fitzpatric, Bob Dooley, Doug Holderbaum, Lee Dennis, J. D. Bartlett, Ken Yarber, Chris Stumpf, Brian Homan, and Ed Richter.

In December, for the first time in thirty years, the Chapter (previously a Lodge) did not have a Winter Banquet due to internal politics between the Lodge and Chapter personnel. Troop 18 from Middletown, and Post 43 from Lebanon sponsored a Winter Banquet/Bowling Party. Thirty-one members and guests showed up and everyone had a great time.

**1997**

In January, the Klondike Derby, for the first time since it began, changed locations from Camp Hook to Caesars' Creek State Park. Chapter members participated in the event. The date had to be changed twice due to record low temperatures.

Later in the month, the Nachenum Chapter was well represented at the Lodge Winter Banquet in Hamilton.

In February, at the Chapter Executive Committee meeting, it was decided to have a Chapter Fellowship at Camp Friedlander on September 20<sup>th</sup>, and a Chapter Winter Banquet/Bowling Party on December 17<sup>th</sup> in 1997.

In April, the C4A Conclave was held at Camp Little Turtle, north of Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

In April, we were informed that there would be a realignment of the District. On June 1, the Nachenum Chapter ceased to exist due to that realignment. The realignment of District borders split the Mound Builders' District. The Lodge went from nine chapters to three Chapters.

So ends the Nachenum Lodge, Chapter, and Mound Builders' Council and District.

**Rest in Peace!**  
**1939 - 1997**



## **Section 2**

# **Additional Lodge and Chapter Information**







C1





F1a



F1b



S1



S2





S3



S4 Error



S5a & b



S6



S7





1976 Proto-type of S3 - Lodge rejected this design

Taiwan Manufacturer



1985 FAKE (ZF1) of the S7 Issue







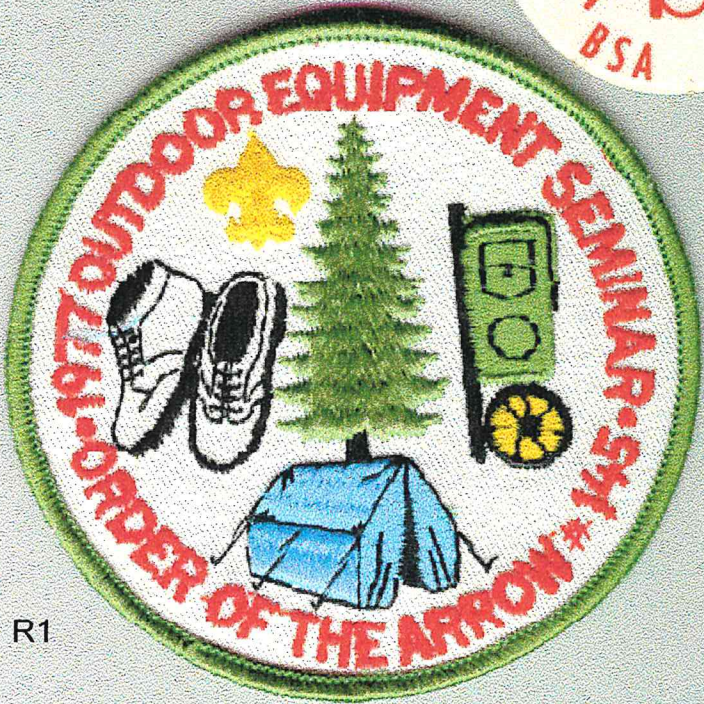
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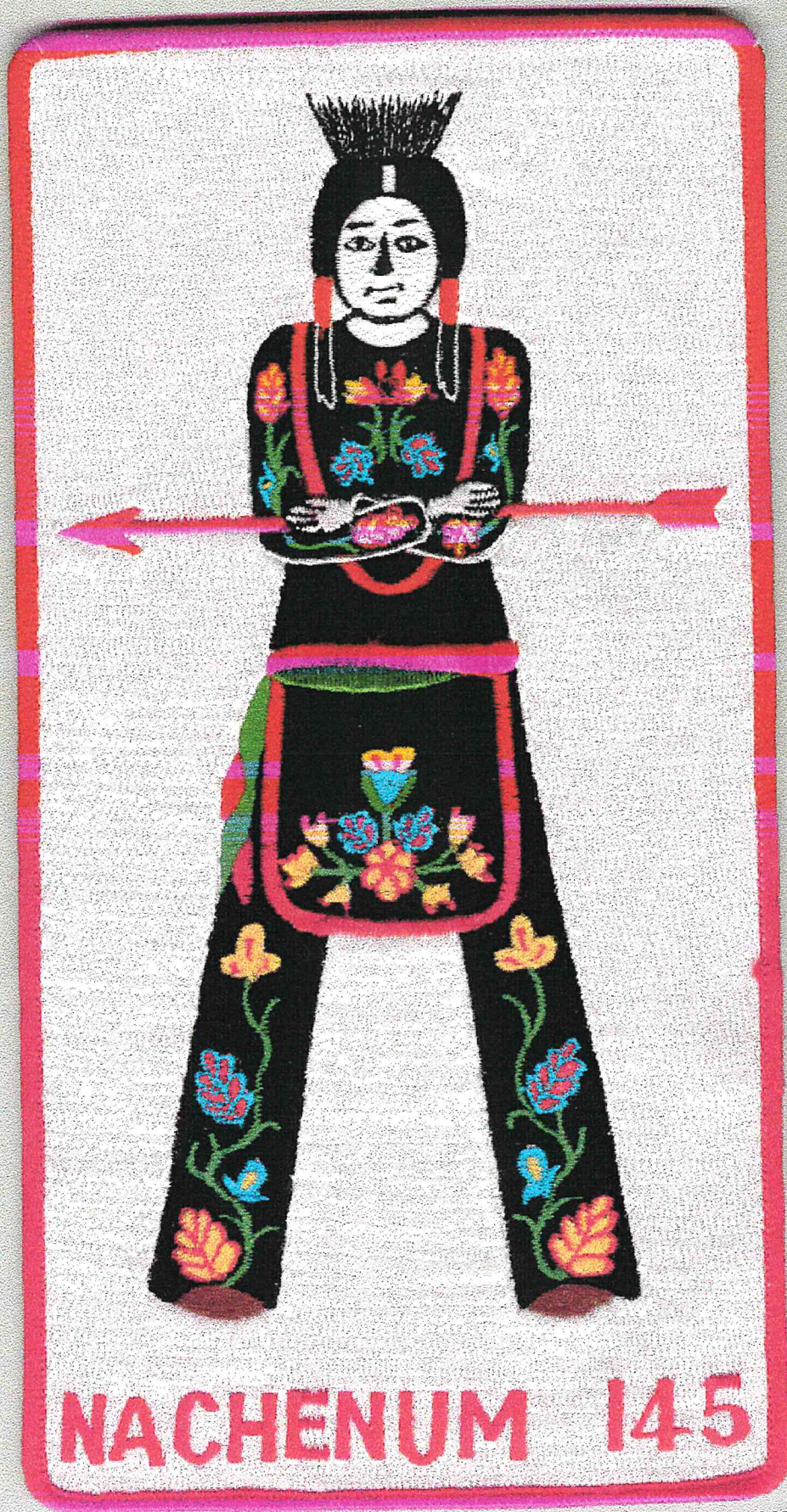
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DELEGATE



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J1



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↑ ESPAN DANCERS ↓

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**1972 Area 4C Conference Delegates**

Kneeling, left to right - Tony Roell, Everett Sherron, Chuck Nitchell, and Mike Kidd  
Standing - Norm Griffin, Mike Jones, Lee Dennis, Martin Kimball,  
Andre Matthews, Tom Yost, J. D. Bartlett, Dave Olson, and Drew Hasselbach



**1975 EC-6A Conclave Delegates**

Front Row, left to right - Bill Brown, Steve Petrou, and John Conrad  
Middle Row - J. D. Bartlett, Steve Landis, and Terry Owens  
Back Row - Joe Brown, Tom Conrad, Lee Dennis, and George "Hawkeye" Harvey







1977 Nachenum Lodge Delegates to National O A Conference

Front Row - left to right - Lee Dennis, Louis Andres, Scott Dellmore, Russell Johnson

Middle Row - Chris Roell

Back Row - left to right - J. D. Bartlett, Bill Repasky, George "Hawkeye" Harvey



1986 Ceremonial Team at Founders' Day Powwow - National O A Conference

Left to right - Jason Fritz, Ben Hines, Jim Dunn

Other Lodge members in picture - Mark Longworth and Bill Gray



## Nachenum Lodge and Chapter Issues

### Abbreviations and Identifications

- A Arrowhead shaped patch generally smaller than 5 inches
- C Patch of any shape that is chenilled
- F Flap shaped patch that is not fully embroidered
- J Jacket patch
- L Leather
- N Neckerchief
- S Flap shaped patch that is fully embroidered
- X Patches of any shape

### Color Code

BBL	Bright Blue	LBR	Light Brown
BLK	Black	ORG	Orange
BLU	Blue	PCH	Peach
BRN	Brown	PBL	Pale Blue
DBL	Dark Blue	RED	Red
DYL	Dark Yellow	SMY	Silver Mylar
GLD	Gold	YEL	Yellow
GRN	Green	WHT	White
GRY	Gray	M/C	Multi-Colored
LBL	Light Blue		

### Nachenum Lodge Issues

Issue	Border Type/Color	Background Color	Name Color	FDL/BSA Color	Comments
C1	ORG	PCH			GRY/BLK Raccoon; Arrowhead Issued early 1940's
F1a	R BLK	LBL	DYL		1st Flap; Red WWW; WHT O. A. 1956-1963
F1b	R BLK	BLU	DYL		Red WWW; WHT O. A. 1956-1963
S1	R BLK	BLU	DYL		Many Varieties Exist; 1964 - 1974
A1a	C BLK	BLU	DYL		BLU Base Material Type - 1968?
S2	R BLK	BLU	SMY		"35th Ann"; 2/Life; 1974
A1b	C BLK	BLU	DYL		WHT Base Material Type - 1975?
S3	R WHT	BLU	DYL	WHT	BSA; BLK FDL - 1976
S4	R WHT	BLU	DYL		Plastic Back; ERROR - 1976
S5a	R WHT	BLU	DYL	WHT	BSA; Cloth Back - 1977
S5b	R WHT	BLU	DYL	WHT	BSA; Plastic Back - 1977
R1	R GRN	M/C	RED	GLD	Used for the Outdoor Equipment Seminars - 1977, 1978, 1979
Pin 1		WHT	RED	RED	Used for the Outdoor Equipment Seminars - 1977, 1978, 1979
A2	C BLK	BLU	BLK		1977 NOAC Delegate
A3	R RED	BLU		RED	FDL, WWW; Service Patch - 1979-1990
J1	R RED	WHT	RED		255 mm X 130 mm rectangle Woodland Native American - 1980
X1	R RED	WHT	RED		Ceremonial Segment for J1 - 1980
X2	R RED	WHT	RED		ESPAN Dancers Segment for J1 - 1980
S6	R WHT	BLU	DYL	WHT	BSA; BLK Sash - Hawkeye Harvey Memorial Patch - 2/person - 1983
J2	R PBL	M/C	DBL	RED	FDL; 1939 - 1984 Anniversary Patch
S7	R RED	BBL	YEL	WHT	BSA; Full Raccoon - 1985
N1		WHT	RED		Silk Screen; Silk
N2		WHT	RED		Silk Screen; Cotton
N3		GRY	DYL		Silk Screen
N4		GRY	DYL		Silk Screen; N3 with Delegate stamped on for NOAC - 1977
L1	LBR	LBR	BRN		Stamped; with OA and 145

### Nachenum Chapter Issue

X1	R GLD	M/C			Made to fit under Lodge Flap - 1987
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NACHENUM LODGE RULES

SECTION I NAME AND AFFILIATION OF LODGE

- A. The name of the lodge of the Order of the Arrow shall be the NACHENUM W.W.W.
  - 1. Nachenum is chartered by the National Lodge of the Boy Scouts of America as Lodge # 145.
- B. The lodge shall be affiliated with the MOUND BUILDERS' AREA COUNCIL, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA and shall be under the supervision of the council camping committee and the administrative authority of the Scout executive.
- C. The totem of this lodge shall be that of the RACCOON.
- D. The neckerchief and the pocket-flap design of the lodge shall be determined by the lodge executive committee.
  - 1. In the event the lodge goes to a nonrestricted pocket flap, the pocket flaps may be purchased at any lodge function or the Council Service Center by each member in good standing.
  - 2. Sashes shall be worn only at Order of the Arrow functions. Full Scout uniforms are strongly encouraged to be worn at all O.A. functions, also.

SECTION II ELECTION TO MEMBERSHIP

- A. The requirements for membership in this lodge are as required in the current Order of the Arrow Handbook.
- B. Procedure for the Ordeal shall be as stated in the current Order of the Arrow Handbook.

SECTION III LODGE OFFICERS

- A. The officers of this lodge shall be lodge chief, lodge vice-chief (s), lodge secretary, and lodge treasurer. These elected officers must be under 21 years of age for the entire term of office.
- B. Lodge officers shall be elected at the Annual Business Meeting.
- C. The term of all lodge officers shall be from one lodge Winter Fellowship Meeting to the next.
- D. The lodge advisor shall be appointed by the Scout executive in consultation with the related camping committee chairman.
- E. The lodge chief shall appoint such operating committees as may be required from time to time with the approval of the lodge executive committee; all chairmen shall be under 21 years of age.

SECTION IV CHAPTER ORGANIZATION

- A. The executive committee and the Scout executive will decide each year whether chapters are feasible for the upcoming year. This decision will be made during the two-week period preceding the Annual Business Meeting.

SECTION V LODGE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- A. The executive committee shall be composed of the elected lodge officers, the immediate past lodge chief, lodge operating committee chairman, lodge lay advisor, camping committee member, District Vice Chiefs, Scout Executive, and staff advisor.

- B. At each executive committee meeting, a quorum, consisting of at least 50% of voting members must be present in order to make a decision.
- C. All lodge members are welcome to attend executive committee meetings as observers.
- D. The executive committee of this lodge must hold at least six meetings each year.
- E. Outgoing lodge officers shall be responsible for conducting the Lodge Leadership Seminar.
- F. Incoming lodge officers shall be responsible for publishing the Lodge Plan Book.
- G. The Key-Three may ask an inactive Executive Committee member to resign.

#### SECTION VI LODGE MEETINGS

- A. The lodge shall schedule lodge events as listed:
  1. Annual Business Meeting.
  2. Winter Fellowship Meeting (father-son)
  3. Spring Camp Service Weekend (Ordeal, optional)
  4. Fall Ordeal
- B. Special meetings of the executive or of the lodge may be called by the lodge chief with the approval of the Scout executive.
- C. Each meeting of the lodge shall be opened with the Obligation of the Order of the Arrow.
- D.\* Members of the Order, 21 years of age or over, shall have no vote in any decision of the Lodge.

#### SECTION VII DUES

- A. There shall be an induction fee determined by the executive committee, payable at the time of induction. For such, each new Ordeal member shall receive:
  1. An Order of the Arrow Pin on red and white ribbon.
  2. A membership card.
  3. An Order of the Arrow sash.
  4. An Order of the Arrow Handbook.
- B. Dues of the lodge shall be collected annually by the lodge treasurer for immediate deposit with the council office. Dues must be paid by December 31.
- C. In the development of the lodge annual budget, funds can be made available for committee mailings and service projects. Committees must gain approval from the lodge treasurer and advisor before incurring expenses. All bills will be paid by the council office.
- D.\* All Order of the Arrow funds shall be handled through the council office and go through the normal accounting procedures used by the council.
- E. Inactive members may be restored to active status by paying back dues for one year and the current dues..

#### SECTION VIII BROTHERHOOD MEMBERSHIP

- A.\* Completion of Brotherhood membership shall be in accordance with the current Order of the Arrow Handbook.

#### SECTION IX VIGIL HONOR

- A. Attainment of the Vigil Honor shall be in accordance with the current Order of the Arrow Handbook.
- B. The lodge chief shall appoint a Vigil Honor nominating committee of 3 or more members. Required paper work shall be done by July 31, prior to the Annual Business Meeting.

#### SECTION X TRAILS

- A. Silver Moccasin, Miami Erie Canal and Thunderbird Trails
  - I. The lodge will maintain three trails known as the "Silver Moccasin Trail", "Miami Erie Canal Trail", and "Thunderbird Trail" primarily for the benefit of Scouting.
  - II. A committee shall be responsible for maintenance of these trails.
  - III. The lodge is financially responsible for these trails and shall maintain them in a proper manner.

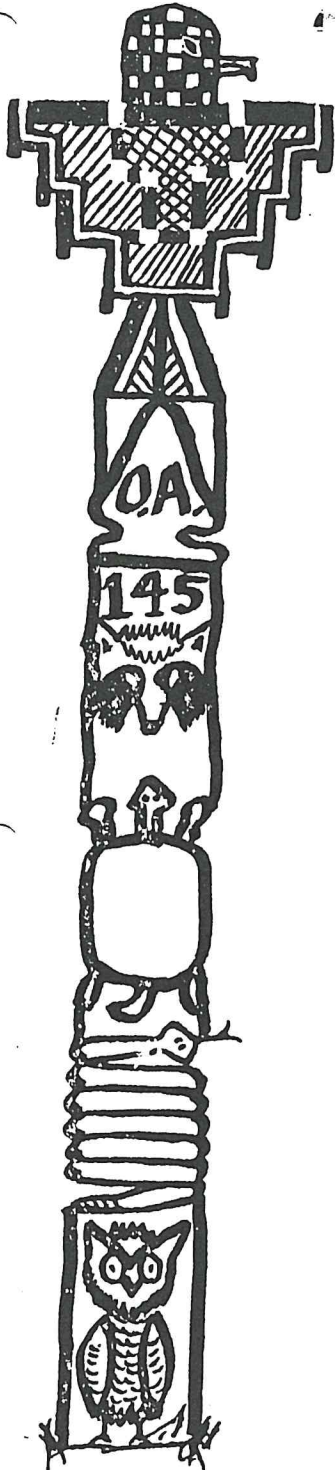
#### SECTION IX CAMP CHIEF

- A. In the event the Lodge Chief or the Lodge Vice Chief, District Vice Chief, in this order of precedence, is not on the summer camp staff to conduct the business and ceremonies of the Order during camp operation, the Lodge Chief shall have the power, with the approval of the advisor, to appoint a temporary ceremonial "Camp Chief" to carry out the related Order camp functions.
  - I. The "Camp Chief" shall always coordinate the activities of the Order with the Camp Director and his council approved program.
  - II. The "Camp Chief's" duties will terminate with the end of the published camp season, or by order of the Lodge Chief.

#### SECTION XII ADDITIONS TO RULES

- A. These rules shall be subject to additions at any regular or special meeting of this lodge providing such additions have been submitted in writing to the Executive Committee at least 45 days prior to such meetings and that due notice has been sent to all active members at least 30 days prior to such a meeting. A two-thirds vote of all members present is required for approval.

# NACHENUM LODGE 145-ORDER OF THE ARROW



Mound Builders' Area Council, Inc. 454  
 101 N. Broad St., Middletown, Ohio 45042  
 Phone: (513) 423-6507

Dear Unit Leaders,

In the event that communications may not reach your Scouts regarding the Order of the Arrow that is upcoming September 31, October 1 and 2, please relay the following pertinent information to those members in your Troop that were tapped out this year at Summer Camp. Registration begins Friday, September 31, 6:30 P.M. The total cost of the Ordeal is \$12.00 for Candidates and \$8.00 for members.

Ordeal Candidate Cost:

O.A. Handbook	\$ 1.50
O.A. Sash	1.95
Neckerchief	1.50
Ribbon Pin	.90
New Member Bklt.	.15
Food	4.00
Dues - 1978	2.00
	<u>\$12.00</u>

Member Cost:

Friday	
Cracker Barrel	\$ .50
Sat. Bkfast.	.75
Sat. Lunch	1.25
Sat. Dinner	2.25
Saturday	
Cracker Barrel	.50
Sun. Bkfast.	.75
Dues - 1978	2.00
	<u>\$8.00</u>

The Order of the Arrow is a Service Organization in the Boy Scouts of America and we strongly suggest that you encourage all your Ordeal Candidates as well as those who are already members to attend the Fall Ordeal this year.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Louie Andres,  
 Lodge Chief

LA/mg



# OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT SEMINAR

MAY 14, 1977

9:00am at CAMP HOOK B.S.A.

Sponsored by the NACHENUM LODGE #145 Order of the Arrow  
Moundbuilders' Area Council, Boy Scouts of America

LEARN HOW TO PROPERLY USE, SELECT, AND TAKE CARE OF ALL  
TYPES OF OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT FOR BACKPACKING & CAMPING.

SOME TOPICS THAT WILL BE DISCUSSED

- \* HOW TO SELECT THE BEST HIKING BOOT FOR YOU?
- \* HOW TO PICK A GOOD DOWN SLEEPINGBAG?
- \* WHAT IS DOWN, POLARGUARD, DACRON 88 ?
- \* HOW TO PACK A LIGHTWEIGHT PACK TO PREVENT A PAIN IN THE BACK.
- \* HOW TO KEEP WARM IN ZERO WEATHER.
- \* WHATS NEW IN BACKPACKING AND CAMPING EQUIPMENT.
- \* TIPS ON BUYING, SELECTING, PRICING, AND SAVING ON EQUIPMENT.
- \* HOW TO MAKE YOUR OUTDOOR TRIP ENJOABLE AND SAFE.

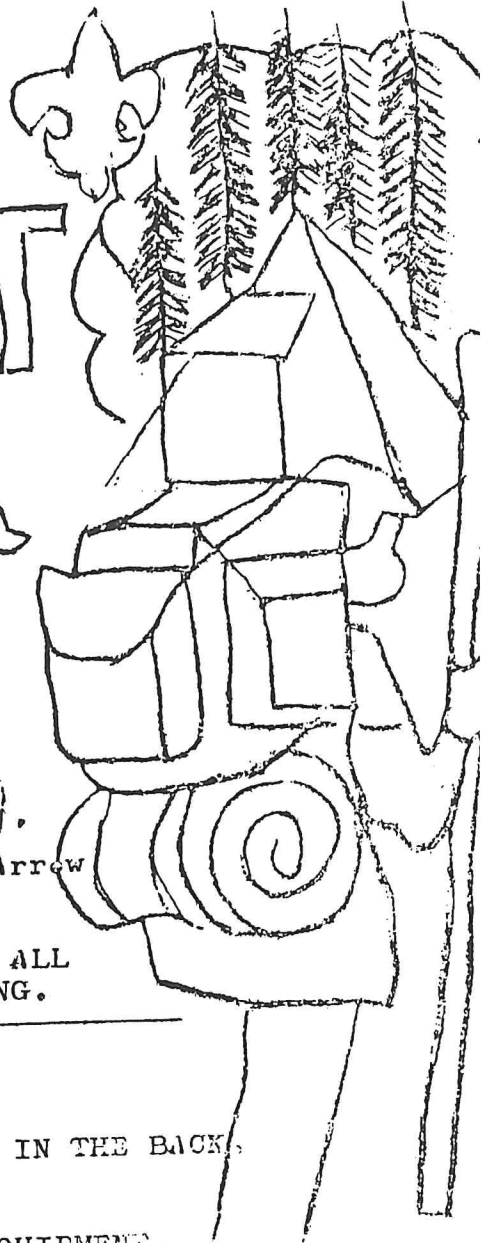
HEAR EXPERIENCED BACKPACKERS AND EQUIPMENT DEALERS SPEAK AND GIVE IDEAS.  
DEALERS AND OUTDOORSMEN WILL BE THERE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS AND GIVE  
HELPFUL AND CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS.


LOOK, AND FEEL BACKPACKING EQUIPMENT LIKE PACKS, TENTS, CLOTHING, & MORE.  
ALL EQUIPMENT IS THERE FOR YOUR INSPECTION AND EVALUATION.

GOOD IDEAS FOR TROOP MEETINGS, OUTINGS, OR YOUR OWN PERSONAL TRIP.  
LEARN WHILE ENJOYING THIS UNIQUE PROGRAM FOR THE MIDDLETOWN AREA.  
BRING YOUR FRIENDS, BROTHERS, SISTERS, UNCLE, AUNTS, GRANDPARENTS, SCOUTS,  
CUBSCOUTERS, MOMS AND DADS, THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.

REFRESHMENTS AND FOOD WILL BE SOLD. NO COST, NO REGISTRATION, JUST COME.  
BEAUTIFUL, TRADING OR MEMORY PATCH WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE.

THE SEMINAR WILL BE HELD AT CAMP HOOK, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, on  
8757 MORNINGSTAR ROAD IN FRANKLIN, OHIO 45005, ON MAY 14TH AT 9:00-5:00PM  
PROGRAM WILL BE HELD RAIN OR SHINE. FOR MORE INFORMATION WRITE:  
OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT SEMINAR COMM, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, 101 N. BROAD, MIDD., OH  
45042





# Raccoon Tracks

1971

## WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT

This first issue of Raccoon Tracks is intended to introduce the Lodge members to the various activities available to them. Our main goal is to provide a continuing service of communication to and between the members of our lodge and its officers.

As could be expected of any first issue, this isn't exactly the most complete or interesting issue. By the time the staff and with your help, has published a few more, we should be moving along quite smoothly. We welcome any and all comments and suggestions you may have regarding this paper and the quality of it. Remember, this is your paper and the quality will depend on all of us as a whole in making it work.

Anyone wishing to contribute any material to this paper is welcomed to do so. We would like to have any articles, editorial, or cartoons you may have. Please help to make this publication the best in our area.

## THE STAFF

### THE NATIONAL O.A. CONFERENCE

On August 24th of this year, four Arrowmen for our lodge had the privilege of attending the National Order of the Arrow Conference, in Champaign, Illinois. This conference is held every two years and is great. Mike Jones, Jim Harris, Chuck Mitchell and Bruce Kimbal were there for four days. Their advisor was "Hawkeye" Harvey who while there, received an

award for outstanding service in the Order. This award is very rare and we all congratulate him on receiving it.

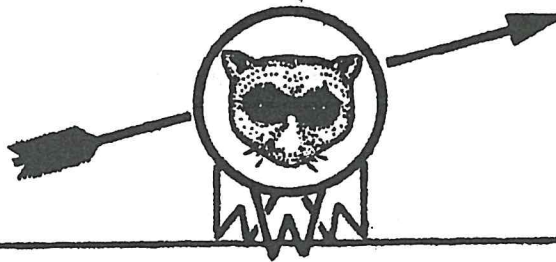
The boys and their advisor attended several seminars and demonstrations while there. The highlights of the conference were the displays from the different lodges, several appearances from Dr. Erner Goodman, the founder of our Order, a visit with Miss Teenage America, and getting to meet others from all over the country. The week was a very thrilling and worthwhile experience for all who were there together, there were around six-thousand boys and men from around the country.

All members who still have the inventory sheets of who is in the lodge from their troop, please return them to the Scout office.

Any one willing to help type the paper, please contact Gary Hattery on Central Ave. in Midd.

**NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS.** There will be a Brotherhood ceremony held at camp for all Ordeal Members who would like to seal the membership in the lodge by becoming Brotherhood members. The requirements are that you must have ten months of active service as an Ordeal mem. You must also write a onehundred word theme on your rededication to the lodge. Memorize the Brotherhood questionnaire and be ready to repeat it. The ceremony will be held at Camp Hook on December 12 at 2:30 and will last about 2 hrs.

ROUND BUILDERS' AREA COUNCIL  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



101 N. BROAD ST.  
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO

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## THE NATIONAL O.A. CONFERENCE

The National Order of the Arrow Conference will be held this next summer from August 20-24. It will be held at the University of California. The goal is "West in 73" for every lodge. Our lodge is allowed 15 boys and 3 advisors to go. Anyone in the lodge can go to the conference. We would like for as many as possible to go because many new ideas will be brought up. There will be a side trip to Disney Land on the 20th of August. The cost is \$150.00 for air fare and \$44.00 for conference fees. The lodge has voted to pay the \$44.00 for each person going. The boy is to pay his air fare. Anyone interested in going should go down to the scout office and put a \$25.00 deposit down by the first of January.

## NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

If there is anyone who has not paid his dues yet this year would you please go down to the scout office and pay them. We need this so we can put you on the mailing list. Also, if you know of someone who is not getting mail and should be, please give us their name.

Chief Mike Conrad

## INFORMATION ON BROTHERHOOD MEMBERSHIP

There will be another Brotherhood Ceremony, Sunday, December 10, 1972, at 2 p.m. at Camp Hook. We urge all Ordeal members to come and rededicate themselves to the lodge. Our lodge is trying to receive National Standard Lodge and to do this, 50% of our lodge must be brotherhood or higher. All you have to do to receive this honored membership is do the following requirements.

1. Know the answers to the questions in the Brotherhood Questionnaire.
2. Submit a written statement of 100 or more words regarding your rededication to the principle of cheerful service to your fellowmen.
3. Wear a simple Indian costume. If you have any questions call the Scout office, or your Chapter Chief.

Louis Andres  
Reporter

# Raccoon Tracks

NACHENUM LODGE #145

OCTOBER, 1983

ROUND BUILDERS' AREA COUNCIL

## Football Fun

Arrowmen are obligated to serve, but you can have fun, too! On November 5th arrowmen will gather at Caesar's Creek State Park to start clearing the new branch of the Silver Occasin Trail. Work will continue until shortly after noon.

Then, at about 2:00 P.M., you will travel to the College Football Hall of Fame for a couple hours of fun! Everyone should be home by 5:30. Be ready for work and bring a sack lunch and \$2.50. Participation is greatly encouraged! For specifics please call Rick Benz at the Scout Service Center.



## Cheerful Service

Being a new Brotherhood member, and going through the ceremony that hundreds of brother arrowmen have experienced, the one thing that sticks with me is cheerful service.

To me this goes beyond the every day thank you's, and helping the little old lady across the street. It means the whole lodge, each and every member (Ordeal, Brotherhood, Vigil) should share the same feeling. To become a combined unit or group with one motive.

"CHEERFUL SERVICE" I know it is hard with all the outside activities to call together all members for service related projects but as a member I feel that this is something that should be considered by our Executive Committee. Let people know that the Order of the Arrow is not only an Order of honored campers, but it is also a service organization dedicated to cheerful service to others. There are many worth while projects that the Order could participate in. These projects could have many good aspects for our lodge. Such as exposure as a service orientated group, honorary implications, and building a stronger bond between members. A bond that we all should have. Remember the flight of the Arrow.

Thomas D. Scott  
Camp Director  
Camp Hook Scout Reservation

WHO: Ceremonial Team  
WHAT: Committee Meeting  
WHERE: Camp Hook  
WHEN: October 16, 1983 from 3:00-5:00pm  
WHY: Get Organized

## CEREMONIAL COMMITTEE BULLETIN

Attention all ceremonial team members! Our first committee meeting - scheduled for 3:00-5:00pm on Sunday, October 16 at Camp Hook. If you cannot attend please call Steve Gadd at 422-2636. We will be getting the team organized so be there!!!

## PRESERVE the TRADITION

On Sunday, September 25, the Council of Chiefs met in Columbus. During the meeting they established a Conclave theme "Preserve the Tradition". The Conclave, which is to be held on May 18-20 at Mushingom Valley Scout Reservation, is a gathering of all nine lodges. We hope you will attend.

Patch designs for the Section Conclave are needed. Anyone who would like to submit a patch design is welcome. Designs must be in to any Lodge Officer by the Executive Committee Meeting on November 16.



## FELLOWSHIP FEAST

Come one, come all to Nachenum Lodge's annual Winter Banquet. This grand event is scheduled for December 28, 1983 at Duff's Smorgasbord on Breiel Boulevard in Middletown. This great affair will feature a visit from a Section Officer and a presentation on the 1983 World Jamboree. All you can eat! Times and costs will be set later, so see your next copy of Raccoon Tracks or attend the next Executive Committee Meeting on October 19, 1983. Fathers are welcome at the banquet.



## LEGEND OF THE RUNNERS

Where the rivers meet the grasslands,  
Where the grasslands meet the hillsides,  
In the shadows of the hillsides,  
Dwelt a tribe known as the Mingo,  
Hunter, statesman, dwelt the Mingo.

Five tribes of the Mingo were there,  
One they called Lenni Lenape.  
Here since time before our knowing,  
Mingo chiefs have come together.  
Come to dance their dance of power.  
Here to seek and show their wisdom.

There came a time with the Mingo,  
To seek a man to replace the old one;  
He who led the tribe with wisdom,  
There was to be a time of testing.

To the lodges of the Mingo  
Went the call to the young men,  
To spend a moon in seeking, testing.  
Where the rivers meet the grasslands.

And the Chieftains of the Mingo  
Sat and watched in silent council  
As they, who were being tried and tested,  
Met each challenge one by one.

One by one they stumbled, faltered,  
In this time of arduous testing.  
From the many who had started,  
Only three remained to stand alone.

From the lodges came the Young Man,  
Untouched by war or killing.  
From the lodges came the Young Man.

From the forests came the Hunter,  
Keen of eye and strong of limb;  
For it was he who fed the Mingo.  
From the forests came the Hunter.

From the night there came the Wolf Clan,  
Dark and silent stood the Wolf Clan;  
For it was he who watched the lodges  
And guarded those who slept in peaceful  
slumber.  
From the night came the Wolf Clan.

At the four points of the compass,  
Sat the Chieftains of the Mingo.  
At the center sat the Old One;  
He who led the tribe with wisdom.

Into the eyes of the three he looked  
To find a sign of fear or weakness.  
But, each stood tall and straight.  
Nor did they flinch beneath his gaze.

And so the chief, the Old One,  
He who led the tribe with wisdom,  
Returned to his fire and offered  
Each this challenge:

"My young friends,  
Far to the West there lies a mountain.  
It reaches its head to meet its maker.  
Go you now and climb that mountain.  
Climb as high as your heart will take you.  
And when you have reached your limits,  
Bring to me a symbol of your level.  
To Mosca! The Great White Mountain!"

When the three had heard the challenge,  
Each in turn bolted  
From the glow of the campfires,  
Into the hiding blackness of the night.

Into the night ran the Young Man.  
Untouched by war or killing.  
Into the night ran the Young Man.

Into the night ran the Hunter,  
Keen of eye and strong of limb;  
For it was he who fed the Mingo.  
Into the night ran the Hunter.

Into the night ran the Wolf Clan,  
Dark and silent ran the Wolf Clan;  
For it was he who watched the lodges  
And guarded those who slept in peaceful slumber.  
Into the night ran the Wolf Clan.

Then the Chieftain of the Mingo,  
He who led the tribe with wisdom,  
Returned to his fire and waited.  
Before his fire he prayed and waited.

(Pause . . . . . twenty count)

One day did pass, then one more.  
A moon went by and still he waited.  
Two months had come and left him.  
But still the Chieftain prayed and waited.

From the trail there came a tapping.  
The sound of leather covered feet upon the trail.  
And to the Chieftain came the Young Man.  
Came the Young Man, tired and broken.

Into the outheld hand of the Chieftain  
He pressed his symbol.  
And the Chieftain took the Young Man's symbol  
And held it high for all to see.

In his hand he held a maple leaf  
From the slopes of the mountain.  
For the Young Man had gone only to the tree line.  
At this place he stopped and faltered.

To the lodges they took the Young Man,  
Untouched by war or killing.  
To the lodges they took the Young Man.

All first-year campers  
Step forward now and form a circle  
Symbolic of your fellowship.  
Just as the Young Man  
Who never had tracked the mighty grizzly;  
Who had never before left his village.  
Take this symbol of your efforts,  
The maple trees of the mountain;  
The lower timber of the mountain.  
You have traveled part way up the mountain  
Your first time at camp.  
Keep this leaf 'till next year,  
But climb the mountain ever higher.  
To Mosca! The Great White Mountain!

Now follow the Indian guides in silence  
To your campsites.

(Pause . . . . . twenty count)

Springtime passed into summer,  
And still the Chieftain stood, prayed, and waited.  
Before his fire he prayed and waited  
For the return of the runners.

As the leaves turned and withered,  
Still he stood and waited.  
And as the wild goose flew,  
Still the Chieftain prayed and waited.

Oh!, so long the Chieftain waited.  
And upon the night air there was borne a sound.  
Into the circle of the firelight came the Hunter;  
Body bent and slowly wailing.  
Into the firelight came the Hunter.

Before the Old One he stood.  
Worn and weary but proud of Manhood.  
Into the hand of the Chieftain he placed a  
pinecone.  
And the Chieftain held it high for all to see.

The Hunter had passed the tree line,  
And stood on the edge of the pine forest.  
But his heart and limbs could go no further.  
And he turned back for the land of the Mingo.

To the forests they took the Hunter,  
Worn and weary, but proud of manhood.  
To the forests they took the Hunter.

All second-year campers  
Step forward now and form a circle,  
Symbolic of your fellowship.  
Just as the Hunter,  
Who feeds the tribe and gives them  
clothing.  
From the forest with bow of wood and sinew,  
Take this pinecone.  
The pine: symbol of the last tree to grow  
High up the mountain,  
Just below the snow line.  
You have traveled even further,  
Past the maple down below.  
Keep this pinecone 'till next year,  
And climb the mountain even higher.  
To Mosca! The Great White Mountain!

Now follow the Indian guides in silence  
To your campsites.

(Pause . . . . .twenty count)

The leaves had turned and fallen,  
The wild goose had flown with its brothers.  
The time of the snow moon was upon the land,  
And still he prayed and waited.

Each night the Old One,  
He who led the tribe with wisdom,  
Stood before his fire, prayed and waited  
For the sounds of the Wolf Clan.

The Old One knew his time was near,  
And soon his eyes would dim and close.  
In his heart he feared for the Wolf Clan.  
Had he gone to meet his maker?

But from the trail there came a groaning.  
The sounds of strain; the sounds of dragging.  
Into the fringes of the firelight came the Wolf Clan.  
Pulling his body across the earth that bore him.

The Chieftain wanted to reach forth and help him,  
But stayed his hand and waited.  
Nearer to the Chieftain crawled the Wolf Clan  
Until at this feet he lay in silence.

The Chieftain bent and searched him  
for a symbol to be taken.  
But the Wolf Clan bore no symbol.  
He bore no symbol of the mountain.

For the Wolf Clan had climbed the mountain,  
And stood next to the heavens.  
There was nothing between him and Manitou  
but the airs of heaven.

When he reached the tree line, he continued.  
Beyond the pine forests he had gone,  
And alone had reached forth and touched the face  
of God.

You my brothers who have come back to the Land  
of the Mingo  
For a second, third, or more times are like the  
Wolf Clan.  
You have not faltered,  
But have continued onward and upward.  
You have given your all.

To you we give no symbol.  
For you have gone beyond a need for same.  
Return for many years and help the young ones,  
As they come into the forests.

Return to your lodges and lead them.  
For they need your skill and knowledge.  
All of these symbols have their meaning:  
Showing that Scouts of the world are brothers  
together.

Without a guide you will return to your Lodge.  
Keep you the silence, until the morning.  
Be kindred with the Great Spirit.  
And like the Chieftain of the Mingo,  
Pray and listen.

Would all remaining non-OA members  
Step forward now and form a circle  
Symbolic of your fellowship.  
Just as the Wolf Clan,  
A man of the night,  
The guard of his tribe against the foeman.  
While they rest in their blankets,  
Stand tall on the mountain.  
So we have seen how the Mingo  
Have come since time before our knowing  
To find a man to lead and help them.

Where the rivers meet the grasslands,  
Where the grasslands meet the hillsides,  
In the shadows of the hillsides:  
In the land they call Ohio.



<b>Did you know?</b>	The first boy to receive Eagle Scout rank in the Middletown Council was Theodore Aupperle on February 10, 1918.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Horsemanship was part of the Camp Hook program in 1930. The course was under the charge of Charles R. Hook, Jr.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first Eagle Scout rank presented in the Franklin District was to William Dechant, February 16, 1933.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Robert McCroskey, Jr. was the first chief of the Nachenum Lodge of the Order of the Arrow.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first Eagle Scout rank presented in the Lebanon area was to Robert Whipple.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first Boy Scout troop in the United States was in the old Region Four at Burnside, Kentucky.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first ten Eagle Scouts in the Council were Theodore Aupperle, Joe Seaman, Fred Danford, Charles W. Sebald, Thomas Kemp, Raymond Murphy, Harold Adams, Robert S. Stewart, Charles C. Early, and Louis F. Kiss.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Dan Beard, one of the founders of the Boy Scouts of America, died on June 11, 1941.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Ross Allen, world-famous naturalist, got his start as a scout in the Mound Builders Area Council as a member of the summer camp staff.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The largest and best-attended social function in Middletown, for years, was the Senior Scout Ball.
<b>Did you know?</b>	In the forties, the Boy Scouts of Middletown had their own newspaper, "The Nutshell." It was staffed and manned solely by Boy Scouts.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Arthur Schuck, former National Executive, put on Cub Scout Training courses in Middletown.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Middletown Scoutmaster, John B. Whitlock, later became Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Miami University.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Lread Shray Levendusky of Dubois, Pennsylvania was long known as the "Biggest Boy Scout in the World." At 16 he was both 5'8" high and around and weighed in at 527 pounds.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first members of the Nachenum Lodge were inducted on April 11, 1939. There were: Jerry Gorrell, Robert McCroskey, Jr., Donnie Young, Robert Hollenbaugh, Chlamers Hughes, Henry Moore, Edward Bohl, and William Bergman.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The original Explorer Scouts are what we now know as Cubs. Before the term, "cubbing" came into being, the boys in blue and gold were know as Explorer Scouts.
<b>Did you know?</b>	When Roger, Bruce, and Dick Hollenbaugh became Eagle Scouts, they joined a very select group. The only other Triple Eagle Brothers were Bob, Jim, and John Moore and the Conover brothers, Carl, George, and Fred.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first Senior Scout troop was formed December 2, 1931 and was sponsored by the Armco Association.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Paul Sieple, the "Arctic Eagle," the boy chosen to accompany Admiral Byrd to the pole, presented all awards for the Mound Builders Area Council at a gathering on June 2, 1931.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The original Camp Hook Mess Hall was constructed of two old school houses that stood on the site of the present City Building.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first person to use the Camp Hook pool was a girl, Miss Dolly Hook. She was then joined by fourteen scouts that had been chosen for their aquatic skills: L.W. Lathram, Charles R. Hook, Jr., George Hook, Fred Conover, Paul Barnes, Theron Jenkins, Arthur Algaugh, Thomas Flanagan, Howard Jenkins, McKnight Kinne, Robert Voorhis, Randall Birch, Sylvester Shetter, and Walker Lewis.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The Cub Scouts of the Middletown area held a "Soap Box Derby" two years before there was one in Akron.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The first Air Scout Squadron was formed in the Mound Builders Area Council in June of '41.

<b>Did you know?</b>	Ed Hamlyn, News Director of WLWD, was a member of the Camp Hook staffs of 1937-38-39 and also was the composer of the Camp Hook Alma Mater, "High Above Old Twin Creek's Waters."
<b>Did you know?</b>	The longest service as Scoutmaster in the Mound Builders Area Council is held by Eliza Abraham.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The present dining hall at Camp Hook was originally supposed to be a winter camping lodge.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The Legend of the Three Runners was originally written by Jim Burgess, Bob Moore, and Jimm Fay and has been adopted and adapted by Camp Roosevelt and Camp Watche in Phoenix, Arizona and Connsburg, New York, respectively.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The 1939 Camp Hook fire warden, Ralph Reed, liked the job so well that he went on to become Fire Chief of Middletown.
<b>Did you know?</b>	First Aid meets were so popular in the 1930's that the Boy Scouts used to sell tickets; one even turned away over 650 people because all seats were sold.
<b>Did you know?</b>	Blacksnake Lodge was originally a Sourdough cabin. It was build in 1934 by Troop 10.
<b>Did you know?</b>	The Mound Builders Area Council's first president was W.J. Beck.
<b>Did you know?</b>	All Courts of Honor used to be held on a Council basis, many times with as many as seven hundred scouts taking part.
<b>Did you know?</b>	As late as 1941 a scout had to stand a Council-level Board of Review for a merit badge.

## Nachenum Bead System

Style	Size	Color	Nachenum Lodge Event	Nachenum Chapter Event
Flat	1/2" dia	green/white marble	Summer Camp Ceremonial Team	Retired
Flat	1/2" dia	red/white marble		
Flat	1/2" dia	blue/white marble		Lodge Fall Fellowship
Flat	1/2" dia	yellow/white marble		Lodge Spring Fellowship
Flat	1/2" dia	orange/white marble		
Flat	1/2" dia	clear	Ceremonial Team	Same*
Flat	1/2" dia	tan	National O. A. Conference	Same
Flat	1/2" dia	blue	O. A. Section Conclave	Same
Flat	1/2" dia	red	Winter Fellowship	Christmas Party/Fellowship
Flat	1/2" dia	green	Fall Ordeal & Business Meeting	Ordeal Staff*
Flat	1/2" dia	yellow	Spring Fellowship	Spring Activity
Flat	1/2" dia	orange	Chief's Award	Same
Flat	1/2" dia	purple	March Activity	Winter Activity
Flat	1/2" dia	white	August Activity	Summer Activity
Flat	1/2" dia	dark green	Lodge Officer	Chapter Officer/Lodge Officer
Flat	1/2" dia	black	Clan Leader	Elangomat/Neamat
Flat	1/2" dia	brown		
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	white	Ordeal Membership	Same
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	red	Brother Membership	Same
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	black	Vigil Membership	Same
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	green		
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	yellow	National or World Jamboree	Same
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	blue		
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	orange		
Round	lg - 1/2" dia	violet		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	red		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	white		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	blue		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	green		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	tan		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	black	Vigil Membership	Same
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	yellow	National or World Jamboree	Same
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	orange		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	clear		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	purple		
Round	sm - 3/8" dia	brown		
		shell	Lodge Chief	Chapter Chief

THE DEVIL WENT TO CAMP HOOK

THE DEVIL WENT TA CAMP HOOK HE WAS LOOK'N FOR A SOUL TA STEAL HE WAS IN A FINE, HE WAS WAY BEHIND, HE WAS WILL'N TA MAKE A DEAL. WHEN HE CAME ACROSS A BOY SCOUT ~~HE~~<sup>CARVING</sup> A PIECE 'A WOOD AND ~~IT~~<sup>CARVING</sup> IT HOT. THE DEVIL JUMPED UPON A HICKERY STUMP AND SAID, "BOY IET ME TELL YOU WHAT, I GUESS YOU DIDN'T KNOW IT BUT I'M A WOODCARVER TOO AND IF YOU CARE TO TAKE A DARE I'LL MAKE A BET WITH YOU. WELL YOU USE A PRETY GOOD KNIFE BOY BUT GIVE THE DEVIL HES DUE, I'LL BET A LOCK BLADE OF GOLD AGANST YOUR SOUL CAUSE I THINK I'M BETTER THAN YOU. THE BOY SAID, MY NAMES JONNY AND IT MIGHT BE MAGE BUT I'LL TAKE YOUR BET YOUR GUNNA REGRET CAUSE I'VE GCT THE WOOD CARV'N MERIT BADGE! JONNY YOU SHAPEN UP YOUR KNIFE AND PLAY YOUR HANDS HARD CAUSE HELLS BROKE LOOSE IN SCOUT CAMP AND THE DEVIL DEALS THE CARDS AND IF YOU WIN YOU GET THIS ~~LOCK~~<sup>SHANNY</sup> LOCK BLADE MADE 'A GOLD, BUT IF YOU LOSE THE DEVIL GETS YOUR SOUL... THE DEVIL OPENED UP HIS KNIFE AND SAID, "I'LL START THIS RACE AND FAR'THEW FROM HIS FINGERTIPS AS HE SHARPENED UP HIS CASE. HE PULLED THAT KNIFE ACROSS THE WOOD AND IT MADE A EVIL HISSSSS THEN A BAND OF DEMONS JOINED IN AND IT SOUNED SOMETHING LIKE THIS.... WHEN THE DEVIL FINISHED JOHNNY SAID, "WELL YOU'RE :PRETTY GOOD OL' SON BUT SIT DOWN IN THAT CHAIR RIGHT NOW AND LET ME SHOW YA HOW IT'S DONE." HE PLAYED, FIRE IN THE CAMP SIGHT RUN BOYS RUN.... DEVILS IN HOUSE OF THE RISING SON... SITTING AROUND THE CAMP FIRE PICKING YOUR NOSE.... READY TO RUN LIKE NO CHILD GOES... THE DEVIL BOWED HIS HEAD BECAUSE HE KNEW THAT HE'D BEEN BET HE LAYED THAT GOLDEN LOCK BLADE ON THE GROUND AT JOHNNY'S FEET JOHNNY SAID, "WELL JUST COME ON BACK IF YOU EVER WANT TO TRY ACAIN. I DONE TOLD YOU ONCE YOU SON OF A SCROUT I'M THE BEST THATS EVER BEEN.

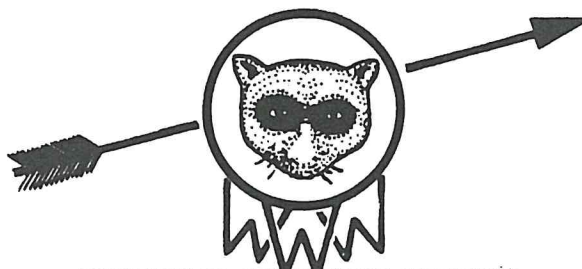
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# NACHENUM LODGE 145

# ORDER OF THE ARROW

MOUND BUILDERS' AREA COUNCIL  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

101 N. BROAD ST.  
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING  
NACHENUM LODGE #145  
ORDER OF THE ARROW  
July 17, 1961

The July 17, 1961 Executive Committee Meeting of the Nachenum Lodge #145, Order of the Arrow, was opened at 7:55 PM in White Ash at Camp Hook with Tom Hilton, Chiefton, presiding.

The following were in attendance: Tom Hilton; Steve Alexander; Steve Printz; Walter Leep; Dan Hogan; Lee Dennis; Joe Caldwell; Dick Hepper; Curt Thomas; Russ Efker and George Harvey.

The financial report was given by Steve Alexander as follows:

General Acct.	400.66
Service Acct.	<u>2,330.70</u>
TOTAL . . . . .	\$2,731.36

The Camp Promotion Committee has made a "Where to go Camping" booklet which has been published and distributed.

Lee Dennis made the motion that we buy a chain saw for Camp Hook. This motion was seconded by Steve Printz. Voted upon and passed by the majority.

Lee Dennis made a motion that the chain saw cost no more than \$250.00. This was seconded by Dan Hogan. Voted upon and passed.

Lee Dennis made the motion that the Lodge give \$100.00 to the 1961 Philmont Trip. This motion was seconded by Walter Leep. Voted upon and passed.

Steve Printz is to buy the refreshments for the July 20 Lodge party at Camp Hook.

Dan Hogan made the motion that \$15.00 be appropriated for refreshments at the July 20 party. This motion was seconded by Bob Taylor. Voted upon and passed by the majority.

Dan Hogan made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. This motion was seconded by Walter Leep. Voted upon and passed by the majority.

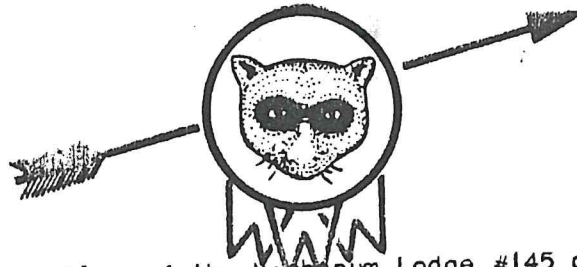
Respectfully submitted  
Steve Alexander  
Sec'y & Treasurer



# NACHENUM LODGE 145

# ORDER OF THE ARROW

GROUND BUILDERS' AREA COUNCIL  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



101 N. BRAD ST.  
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO

The annual business meeting of the Nachenum Lodge #145 of the Order of the Arrow, was held on Sunday, October 15, 1961 in the dining hall at Camp Hook. The meeting was called to order by the Chief, John Sherron, at 2:55 P.M.

Those in attendance were: Lee Dennis, Tr 18; John Dechant, Tr 24; Dan Hogan, Tr 18; Rick Robbins, Tr 18; George Staley, Tr 1; Mike Johnson, Tr 58; Rick Sams, Tr 32; Bill Jameson, Tr 32; Dick Gibbs, Tr 64; Eric Hancock, Tr 57; Ronnie Girod, Tr 57; David Jones, Tr 57; Steve Neal, Tr 46; Mike Sarver, Tr 13; Gary Perkins, Tr 1; James Nickell, Tr 1; Doug Montgomery, Tr 20; Ed Beler, Tr 47; Eddie Hopkins, Tr 47; Steve Cox, Tr 5; David Pennington, Tr 33; Joe Schrote, Tr 19; Kent Dils, Post 30; Butch Ashton, Tr 18; Chuck Kohr; David Fout; John Georgia, Tr 11; Joe Caldwell, Tr 18; Ross Mote; Hawkeye Harvey; Paul Beler; John Hopkins; Al Sherman, Tr 88; Glenmore Hill, Tr 62; Austin Georgia, Tr 11; Tom Thomas, Tr 29; John Sherron, Tr 18; Mike Bessel, Post 65; John Schoultis, Tr 18; John Dales, Tr 62; Everett Sherron, Tr 18; Fred Schlotter, Tr 88; Bob Taylor, Tr 24; Harry Hannah, Tr 44; Dale Baughn, Post 30.

Reports were given by attending Committee Chairmen. John Sherron reported for those who weren't there.

Everett Sherron asked for volunteers to help work on the gateway at Camp Hook on Saturday, October 21. Those who volunteered were: Lee Dennis; Bob Taylor; Mick Johnson; Mike Bessel; Harry Hannah; Butch Ashton; Chuck Kohr; John Schoultis.

Dick Gibbs, Chairman of the Silver Moccasin Committee, said that any one who wanted could come to the cabins at Harmon Park in Lebanon on Saturday, October 21 to help work on them.

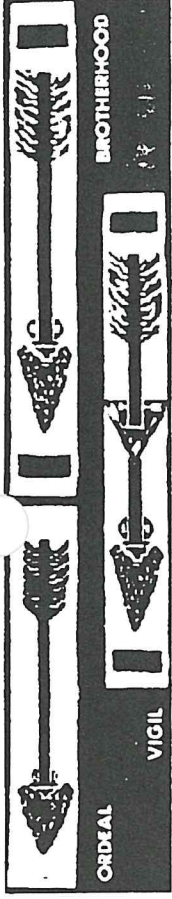
John Sherron read an account of the things that the Lodge accomplished during 1960-61. They were: Revised Lodge Constitution, supplied waiters for "Pokey" Griffith District meeting, Treasury divided into two funds, gave money to Scout Office to help pay for secretarial work, Camp Hook promotion pamphlet, clean-up day at Camp Hook, key tags for keys for cabins at Harmon Park, Medicine Men Headdress completed, PX at Spring Camporee, Lodge Letterhead, Money was given to A.F.S., 3 stoves were purchased, G. A. flag made, 12 torches, service weekend, float for Steel Parade, porch for White Ash, slab for garbage cans, "Where to go Camping" booklet, chain saw for Camp Hook, money for Philmont trip, Camp Hook gate, Improvements around swimming pool at Camp Hook, conservation at Camp Hook, Ordeal and Brotherhood Ceremonies, displays for 4-C Conference, Delegates to 4-C conference, Delegates to National Conference, bunks completed in cabins at Lebanon, and Bull Horn purchased.

Officers for 1961-62 were elected. They are as follows:

Chief	John Dechant
Chieftain	Lee Dennis
Secretary-Treasurer	Kent Dils
Sergeant-at-Arms	Mike Johnson
Historian	Mike Bessel

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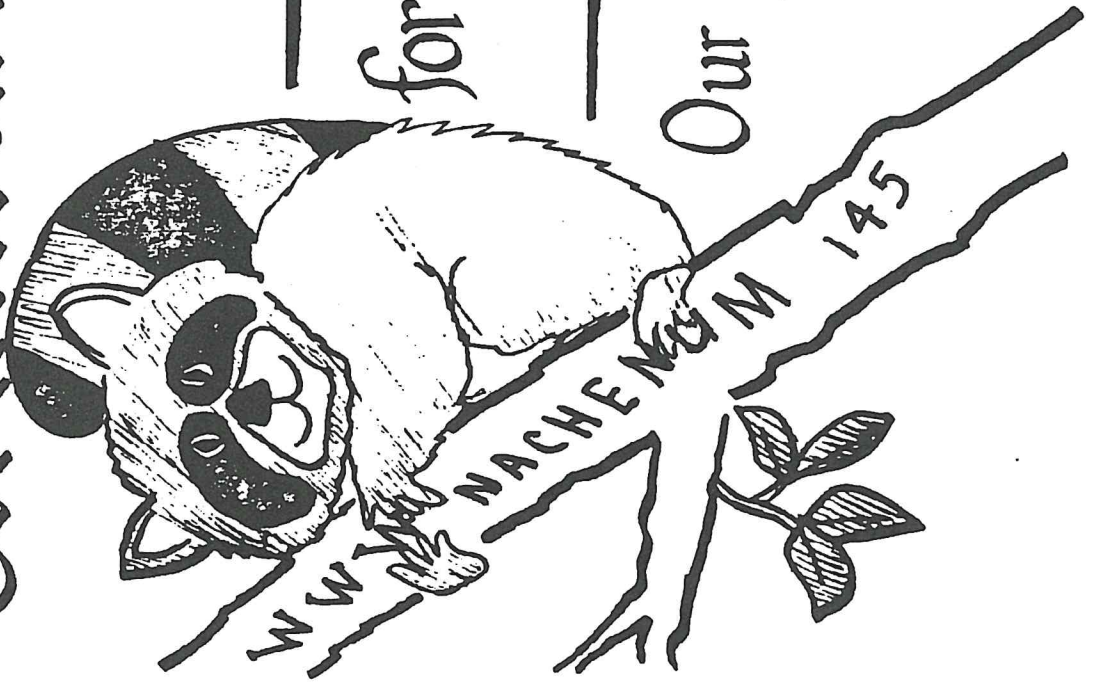
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Our gratitude is extended to you  
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# THE RACCOON'S TRACKS

WINTER 1994 NEWSLETTER

NACHENUM CHAPTER / MOUNDBUILDERS DISTRICT  
KU-NI-EH LODGE #145 ORDER OF THE ARROW

## WINTER BANQUET

This year's annual Chapter Winter Banquet will be held at the Sports Bowl on South Main Street in Middletown. It is a time for fun, fellowship and friendship. Please mark your calendars for Wednesday, December 28.

The Banquet will again include pizza and drinks for \$6.00 per person. After everything is through, there will still be bowling for everyone at the cost of \$1.25 a game and \$.25 for shoes. All Scouts should bring a parent.

The schedule is as follows:

6:15 p.m. - *Registration* • 7:00 p.m. - *Grub Time* • 7:45 p.m. - *Business Meeting*  
8:00 p.m. - *Silent Auction* • 8:30 p.m. - *Bowling*

The silent auction will be an auction for patches and other scout memorabilia. Please remember to bring an item for this as it benefits the chapter.

The Middletown Sports Bowl is located at 2804 South Main St. in Middletown.

## DUES RENEWAL

OA Lodge Dues are now due for 1995. All Arrowmen who have not yet paid their 1995 lodge dues may do so at the Chapter Winter Banquet. The cost of dues still remains at \$4.00. Pay your dues now so your name is not put on the inactive list and taken off the mailing list.

## BROTHERHOOD CEREMONY

If you are an Ordeal member and were inducted in 1993 or before, there is one more chance to become a Brotherhood member in 1994. The ceremony will be held at Camp Friedlander and Craig on Saturday, December 17 after the day's Cub Winter Day activity. Tutoring on knowledge will begin at 1:00 p.m. and testing will start at 3:00 p.m. The ceremony will follow testing. Please attend. The cost is only \$8 for your new sash. No reservations are necessary.

## NEW OFFICERS

Elected to serve as Nachenum Chapter officers were Chief Shawn Jeffers of Troop 43, Vice Chief Stacy Britton of Troop 18, Secretary Andy Luksic of Troop 18 and Treasurer Ethan Long of Troop 1. The new officers were elected at the Fall fellowship/Ordeal in October.

## NACHENUM CHAPTER INFORMATION LINES:

Shawn Jeffers	Chapter Chief	398-2389
Ed Richter	Chapter Adviser	422-0825

Nachenum Chapter  
Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge 145 - Order of the Arrow  
January/February/March  
Newsletter

### Cyclones Game

On our current calendar, we're planning to go to the Cincinnati Cyclones game on Friday Feb. 17 at the Cincinnati Gardens.

If you are interested in going as a group, then we will need to order tickets no later than Monday Feb. 13. Ed Richter will go to Cincinnati and pick up the tickets then and distribute them at the Gardens near the will-call window between 6:45 and 7:15 p.m. on Feb. 17.

If you want to go as a group, you will need to send Ed Richter a check (made out to the Cyclones Hockey Club) for \$6 per adult ticket and \$5 per ticket for scouts or children. His address is 3590-H Village Drive, Franklin, OH 45005.

### Unit Elections

'Tis' the season for unit elections and the goal of Nachenum Chapter is to visit 100 percent of the troops in the Moundbuilders District by the time spring camporee rolls around on April 21, 22, and 23.

This way the chapter can have a calling out ceremony as well as Brotherhood ceremony for those Arrowmen eligible. We will be contacting those Arrowmen now eligible prior to the ceremony and there will be an earlier opportunity to become a Brotherhood member at the OA Work Day at Camp Friedlander on March 25.

The March roundtable will be dedicated to the Order of the Arrow and unit leaders will be informed about our program and have the opportunity to ask questions as well as go through a mock unit election. Please try to attend so that you are clear on this process and are trained to conduct an election in your unit. All units present will be scheduled for a visit by the unit elections team at that time.

The roundtable is slated for 7:30 p.m. March 8 at Otterbein Center. Please plan to be there.

### Next Chapter Meeting

To prepare for the roundtable program, we will have a chapter meeting on Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the McDonalds at Monroe (Ohio 63 at Interstate 75).

There will also be a chapter meeting on March 29 at 7:30 p.m. at the Monroe McDonalds to prepare for the Sectional Conclave and District Camporee.

### Order of the Arrow Information Lines

For additional information, contact Chapter Chief Shawn Jeffers at 398-2389 or Chapter Adviser Ed Richter at 422-0825 (H) or 746-3691 (W).



## Raccoon Tracks

NACHENUM CHAPTER / KU-NI-EH LODGE 145 / ORDER OF THE ARROW / DAN BEARD COUNCIL  
December 1995

### **Annual Holiday Party set for Dec. 28 at the Sports Bowl**

Nachenum Chapter of Ku-Ni-Eh Lodge 145 will hold its annual holiday party on Thursday, Dec. 28, 1995 at the Sports Bowl in Middletown beginning at 6:30 p.m.

This is a time for fun and fellowship as Arrowmen of the chapter get together for pizza and bowling. The annual get together is also a time to review the past year's activities as well as promote the upcoming year's schedule. Chapter awards and beads will be presented at this time as well as meeting chapter and lodge officers.

In addition to the pizza and bowling, there will also be a silent patch auction and all Arrowmen are asked to donate a patch or other item for the auction for the Arrowmen to bid on.

The cost of the evening will be \$6.00 for the meal and \$1.25 a line to bowl. There will also be a small nominal fee for shoe rental.

There will be a short chapter business meeting held before the silent auction. The Sports Bowl is located at 2804 S. Main St., Middletown, just north of Oxford State Road.

### **New Chapter Chief Elected**

Allan Schon of Troop 817 in 20 Mile Stand was elected as chief of Nachenum Chapter during the November chapter meeting held at Otterbein Home near Lebanon.

Allan has been a member of the OA since 1993 and was most recently the chapter's unit election chairman during 1995. He also served as an Elangomat during the 1994 Summer Ordeal and has been one of the most active members in the chapter during the past two years.

He sealed his membership in the Order as a Brotherhood member at the Peterloon camporee in late October.

Allan is currently a Life Scout and is also the senior patrol leader of his troop.

Elected to serve as chapter vice chief was Geoffrey Robinson of Troop 1 of Middletown.

The chapter is currently seeking Arrowmen to serve as chapter secretary-treasurer, service chairman, and troop relations chairman. If you are interested in any of those positions, contact Allan at 398-7893 or Chapter Adviser Ed Richter at 422-0825.

**Happy Holidays!!!!!!**



## RACCOON TRACKS

The Official Newsletter of Nachenum Chapter

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The official meetings of the Nachenum Chapter are at this time being held on the second Wednesday of every month. The meetings begin at 7:30 p.m., at the Otterbein Nursing Home, while roundtable is being held. Head towards the Cub Scout Roundtable, and we'll be waiting for you in the room beside the vending machines.

On Feb. 17/97, the meeting began at 7:35 p.m. Some of the topics that were brought up included: The requirements needed for this newsletter and the annual Bowling Party held on December 17. Also discussed was a possible activity at the Friedlander Dining Hall. This fellowship would begin at approximately 10:00, and would include many things, such as a possible Brotherhood Ceremony. There will be more information about the fellowship and bowling party when it gets closer to the dates. Another thing that was discussed is the meetings in the summer, which would include Pizza, and Football or other such games. The meeting officially ended at 8:48 p.m.

On March 12/97, the meeting began at 7:40 p.m. Some of the topics that were discussed were: The Fellowship on September 20, the need for Elangomats, the bowling party on December 17, the Newsletter, unit elections, the Budget for 1997, the Conclave, and Brotherhood questioning. The meeting was adjourned at 8:07 p.m.

### THE CHIEF'S STATEMENT

Our Chapter is running, but we would really like to see an increase in the number of youth attending our meetings to offer broader views and opinions within the chapter. The youth, with the help and guidance of our adult members, is what makes the chapter work. Attendance at the monthly chapter meetings and our other activities will make you an important part in what the chapter does, because the youth plan and decide on the activities of the chapter. All of our members are important, and we would really like you to join us at our next chapter meeting to help us plan our upcoming events. Your input is important! If you have any questions about the location of the meeting or anything else relating to the OA, please give me a call.

Message from J. D. Bartlett, Nachenum Lodge Advisor, to  
Mike Creigh, Kunieh Lodge Professional Advisor.

Speed Message

To: Mike Creigh  
Dan Beard Council  
Kun-Nieh Lodge  
Subject: OA Lodge Flaps - last issue

From: J D Bartlett  
Mound Builders Area  
Nachenum Lodge  
Date: Aug 3 19 85

500 flaps unit cost \$1.35 ea  
Selling at \$2.00 ea  
Total \$1,000  
\$675 goes back to lodge  
\$325 goes for materials for dump museum

Signed John D Bartlett

