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Spring Fellowship

March 25-27, 2011

Camp Lazarus- Columbus, Oh

The events will include:

- Atlatl
- Tomahawks
- Archery
- Lacrosse
- Other items in the works

Come and experience our Spring Fellowship. This is a great weekend to interact with the Brothers you work with throughout the year. Registration starts on Friday night 7:00-8:00pm PM. This is always a fun-filled weekend full of activities. Elangomat Training will be offered on Saturday for those interested in working as Elangomats for our Ordeals. There's also an opportunity to take your Brotherhood. If you are just coming for the Banquet, it starts at 6pm. Come and congratulate all your fellow Arrowmen for their accomplishments in 2010 in the Tecumseh Lodge. Registration details will soon be available on our website. We do want to get people registered as soon as possible to hold our cabin space.

\$15 for weekend including banquet and lodging

\$10 for the banquet

Quality Chapter announcements will be made at the banquet. Immediately following the banquet Quality Chapter patches will be available for \$3. This is a one time deal for those attending the banquet. Cost will go up to \$4 at all the other events.

Lodge Leadership Development

February 19, 2011 from 8:00AM - 3:00PM

Bucher Training Center at Camp Lazarus Cost \$5.00

Leadership training is fast approaching and here is the place to learn how to do it!

If you are a Chapter Officer or Adviser, want to be one in the future or just want to learn how things in the Lodge are done, this is where you want to be. Here you will learn Lodge and Chapter operations, and how to be successful in your position. We highly recommend this day of training for all OA Members especially members who are or want to be a Chapter or Lodge Officer and OA Troop Reps. Registration and continental breakfast begin at 8am at the Bucher Training Center with lunch provided. LEC meeting begins at 2:15pm with dismissal at 3:00pm.

Each Chapter needs to attend the LLD and have an authorized youth leader attend the LEC meeting in order to qualify for the Quality Chapter Program. If you have a long distance to travel and wish to stay at camp Friday evening arrangements can be made by contacting Joel Chow at joel.tecumseh65@yahoo.com. There is an additional cost of \$5.00 to stay at Oak Lodge. Please bring a check or exact change with you that Saturday.

May 13 - 15, 2011

Section C-4B Conclave

Buckskin Scout Reservation

Diley Mills, WV

Please hold these dates for the Section Conclave. Tecumseh Lodge is working at the communications center publishing 5 newsletters during the weekend. If you know publishing or like to take photos, we can use your talents. This promises to be a great time to meet our Brothers from all the other Lodges in our section. Who will represent our Lodge at the different competitions? Also this is a great place to trade patches. More details will be available soon.



Brethren,



Thanks to all our Arrowmen for again helping us achieve Quality Lodge. Give yourselves a pat on the back especially the Arrowmen that toiled in service to our camps and the lodge. Last year the sticking point was getting everyone to pay their dues, so we are again putting in a dues page at the beginning of the year. Please remember that dues are due annually just like your other Scouting

unit fees.

With a new year we have a clean slate. What experiences or great opportunities lie ahead? Chapters should be wrapping up unit elections. Our goal is to have 100% contact with units to offer OA elections and/or the camping presentation. We want our units to know that the Order of the Arrow is here to serve them. We want youth to be excited about being a part of Scouting's National Honor Society.

Please take a look at our calendar to see where you can join us for training, recognition, service and leadership. While it seems like we are always asking for dues, we value your friendship and fellowship. Be active in your troop and your chapter. We would also love to see you at lodge functions especially during Ordeal weekends. This year we are only having four Ordeals with only one at Camp Lazarus in September. Please alert your units and candidates of this change since they may be used to having five Ordeals every summer. We want candidates converted to Ordeal members. I can tell you that having an Ordeal every two weeks the last few years has been a real sacrifice of time and effort from all our staff.

Once again our Lodge is offering a special deal to certain listed events for \$80. Please see the details on our website: <http://www.tecumseh65.org/>. In fact our website has all kinds of news and registration items for you to review. We are efforting a page with Trading Post items. Also note that we are charging a late fee of \$5 if you register after the deadline for an event. Other groups charge \$10 extra. This helps us get a better estimate on food purchases so we are not overspending and wasting food.

Finally, we tried the "opt out" program for Tecumseh Speaks last year in an effort to be green and save money. The program did not work. This year we will only print the first and last newsletter and mail it out to all our members. Issues 2 and 3 will be available on the web and we will email it to all members that we have email addresses. There will be a limited number of paper copies available. Entire weekends had been dedicated to putting labels on the newsletters and then sorted by zip code.

I look forward to working alongside with you in all our ventures this year.

Adviser to the Chief

CHIEFLY Speaking

My Brothers,



The lodge recently held our annual officer retreat. The new lodge officers have planned and are currently working on making 2011 a triumphant year for Tecumseh Lodge.

The major goals for the officers are represented by their individual duties. Membership retention, registration development, organization and the

success of the Conclave are among the list of goals the officers have made for the year to come.

The lodge would like to have the unit elections completed by Monday, February 28th. Please get your troops signed up for a troop election. Even if your troop does not have any boys eligible, the lodge would still like to give a camping presentation. If a scoutmaster has not been contacted by this time please make the initiative to contact the lodge.

At the 2011 Conclave our lodge is in charge of communications. Lodge Secretary Michael Osborne is in charge of the committee, with Barb Burger as the advisor. Our duties include constructing and editing the Conclave newsletter and running the technology booth. Anyone that has experience in publication design or loves taking photos and can attend Conclave, please contact Michael Osborn or Barb Burger. We are looking forward to a successful Conclave at the Buckskin Scout Reservation, in lower West Virginia on May 13-15. I would like to thank the Arrowmen of Tecumseh Lodge for the great success of 2010. The lodge supported the council and council camps with over 1000 hours of service and successfully met the requirements for quality lodge. This was due to the great dedication of the Arrowmen that supported the lodge in getting brotherhood conversion and member retention. The lodge officers of 2010 also made a firm stepping stone for 2011. As I express my thanks for those

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Chapter

Chatter

Weski Nimat Chapter

(Ohio Valley District)

Weski Nimat meets at 7 PM the first Thursday of the month at the Village Chapel United Methodist Church, 30 Circleville Ave., Ashville, Ohio.

Starting off the New Year the Weski Nimat Chapter has already had a successful first meeting. During that time the Weski Nimat Chapter met their new adviser Jim Ramey and also held elections for the following Positions

1. Chief -Zach Fausnaugh
2. Vice Chief-Matt Tolliver
3. Secretary-Eric Bohanan
4. Adviser - Jim Ramey 740- 983-4764
smjimram@hotmail.com

The Weski Nimat Chapter is planning to put on a Spring Camp-o-ree for their own Ohio Valley District. Time and locations to be announced so have your ears open at the Round Table and Chapter meetings for the Date, Location, and Cost. We are currently engaged in unit elections. The chapter advisor would like to tell all of his chapter members that he is looking forward to a new year and plans on moving the chapter forward The Chapter has a busy year planned and will need everyone's ideas and hard work to make it happen, from their Camporee, to helping our Brothers in Blue, there are opportunities for all. You have elected hard working, goal achieving leadership and they are ready for cheerful service. Lets do our best to support them and make this a great year.

Mkw'alaakwa Chapter

Chapter Chief - Tim Kaiser

Phillip Seidenstricker- Vice Chief of Activities

Joel Kendall- Vice Chief of Administration

Dylan Wildman- Secretary

Kevin Wilder (Adviser) kwildman66@gmail.com

Our chapter is currently busy carrying out troop elections. We would like it if arrowmen would become more active in our chapter. We meet on the first Thursday of the month at the Plain City Presbyterian Church at seven o'clock. (Same time and place as Round Table) We will also be having our May meeting at the Plain City Bowling Alley from 7 to 9:00.

(\$12- youth, \$13-adults, \$7- just eating)

Includes all you can eat pizza, soda, bowling and shoe rental.

Newa Hanna Chapter

(Delaware District)

Chapter Chief, Paul Raia

Vice Chief, Nick Hunt

Vice Chief of Ritual, Kevin McMains

Vice Chief of Elections, Drew Heinz

Chapter Secretary- open

Vice Chief of Programming- open

Chapter email address: newahannaoachapter@gmail.com

Chapter Advisor, Jim McMains, mcmains5@yahoo.com

Associate Advisors: Irene Miller and Ken Heinz

Meetings: 2nd Thursday each Month, except July

Liberty Presbyterian Church, corner of Home Rd and Olentangy River Rd. 7:00pm

Newa Hanna chapter has come a long way this year. Starting the 2010 year with a new chapter and getting it all set up and running was a big task and the brotherhood showed strong leadership in starting and implementing the cheerful service of the Order of the Arrow.

OA Representatives: Troop elections are being held. If your troop stills need to schedule an election, please contact Drew Heinz, VC of Elections at, DrewH@insight.rr.com.

Brothers that are interested in assisting with any OA ceremonies, please contact Kevin McMains, VC of Rituals. We have some Blue and Gold and Arrow of Light ceremonies requested so we need OA members to assist. Contact Kevin at, bsa347@gmail.com.

Remember that OA dues can now be paid online, go to the lodge website: <http://tecumseh65.org>.

Mullsannuk Chapter

(Arrowhead District)

Chapter Chief David Heiser rune0011@hotmail.com

Adviser James Borders - 638-7787 -

scoutmaster_borders@yahoo.com

Chapter Meetings

Come to the next Chapter Meeting to see what fun and exciting things we have planned for the members of our Order of the Arrow Chapter.

When: The First Thursday of Every Month, 7:00pm

Where: St. Matthew's Episcopal Church

233 S. State St., Westerville

Who: All members of the Mallsannuk Chapter

Spring Camp-O-ree and Call Out

Be sure to get your troop out to the Arrowhead District Spring Camp-O-ree. This year's Camp-O-ree is a titled: *CSI Camp Scene Investigation*. Registration can be completed at Arrowhead District page at www.skcbbsa.org.

Saturday night will be a Chapter Call Out Ceremony inducting our newest members into the Order. Please plan to attend this memorable event.

If you would like to be a part of a crossover or ritual team come to the next chapter meeting and get more information.

Questions? Contact James Borders, Chapter Adviser

Publication Dates for 2011

	Deadline	Mail Date
First Quarter	Jan. 20	Jan. 30
2nd Quarter	March 25	April 5
3rd Quarter	July 10	July 25
Last Quarter	Oct. 9	Oct. 19

2011 Tecumseh Lodge Calendar

Please note that due to circumstances beyond our control some dates may be subject to change.

Feb. 19 Lodge Leadership Development at Camp Lazarus

March 25-27 Spring Fellowship at Camp Lazarus

March 26 Lodge Banquet at Camp Lazarus

May 13-15 Section C-4B Conclave at Buckskin Scout Reservation, Dilley's Mill, WV

May 20-22 Ordeal/Brotherhood at Camp Oyo

June 10-12 Ordeal/Brotherhood at Camp Falling Rock

July 9-10 Vigil Honor Weekend TBA

July 23-24 Vigil Honor Weekend TBA

August 12-14 Ordeal/Brotherhood at Chief Logan Scout Reservation

Sept. 9-11 Ordeal/Brotherhood at Camp Lazarus

Oct. 7-9 Fall Work Weekend at Camp Falling Rock

Nov. 4-6 Area Leadership Training at Camp Lazarus

Please note there are only 4 Ordeals next year with only the September Ordeal at Camp Lazarus. If you are elected as a candidate, you must attend the Ordeal for that year.

**Time Sensitive
Material**

Tendeuchen Chapter

(Buckeye District)

Website: <http://tendeuchen.awardspace.com>

Sawyer Stokes Chapter Chief 853-3496
Alec Kaepfner VC Administration 961-2043
Steven Steigelman VC Activities 771-7891
Sam Post VC Dance Team 799-0086
Aaron Wyckoff Chapter Advisor 406-8080
spoons214@yahoo.com

We are getting ready to start a very busy season. We are nearly finished with our unit elections. A big thank you to everyone who helped run them. Now we are looking ahead to several spring events.

Our dance team will be performing at the Maple Syrup Festival again this year. We will be dancing both weekends in the Exchange Lodge. The second weekend will also be our annual Chapter Fellowship. We will be in the Exchange Lodge all weekend, watching movies, playing video games, eating junk food, and having a great time. Everyone from the Tendeuchen Chapter is welcome to attend the fellowship. Those who are not on the dance team will be able to help the lodge run the dining hall, flipping and serving up 17 million pancakes (give or take a couple). The cost for the chapter fellowship is only \$5.00, includes a ton of great food and fun, and no preregistration is required.

Our dance team will also be performing at several Blue and Gold Banquets and Webelos crossovers. If you think you might be interested in dancing, join us at our next practice, the third Wednesday of each month at the Riverside UMC on Zollinger Rd., 7:30-8:30 pm. No previous experience (or even talent) needed.

Don't forget about the Lodge Spring Fellowship, too. We are hoping to have a very large turn-out from our chapter. It sounds like there will be a great program, and the more people that show up, the more fun we will have. We also expect to be named as a Quality Chapter again this year at the Lodge Banquet. And of course, if you are not a Brotherhood member yet, this will be your first chance this year to seal your membership in the Order.

Maka Ina Chapter

(Chief Logan Service Area)

Chapter Chief- Isaac Oberer
Assistant Chapter Chief - Phillip Greer
Adviser- Dan Lockard (740) 384-3606
dlockard@verizon.net

Website- www.freewebs.com/maka-ina

The Maka-Ina Chapter did a "fall clean up" this year at the Simon Kenton Council Scout Shop in Chillicothe, we cleaned up the parking lot and trimmed the trees. they also held elections, electing Isaac Oberer to Chapter Chief and Philip Greer to Assistant Chapter Chief. they plan to hold their annual Spring Camporee at Chief Logan Reservation on April 29-May 1. There will be multiple exciting events and merit badges such as Basketry, Scouting Heritage, and Mammal Study .The Maka-Ina Chapter meets the first Tuesday of every month 6:30 PM at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on 1918 North Bridge Street in Chillicothe .

Katinonkwat Chapter

(Tri-Creek District)

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Secretary: Sean Bynam
Ritual: Blake Charles
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tony_reed_465@yahoo.com
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<http://www.angelfire.com/oh2/katinonkwat>

Our meetings coincide with Tri-Creek Roundtable on the first Tuesday of every month except July at Reynoldsburg United Methodist Church at 1636 Graham Rd. in Reynoldsburg. Our Meeting starts at 7:15pm. If you need a ride contact one of your unit leaders attending Roundtable.

Unit Elections are in full swing, however we still need volunteers to help on election teams. We need 2 youth & 1 adult for each team. If you are interested in helping please come to the next chapter meeting or contact Chapter advisor Barb Burger.

Lodge Leadership Development (LLD) is Feb. 19th from 8am - 3pm at Bucher Lodge at Camp Lazarus. Cost is \$5.00, this is a great opportunity to learn how a chapter & lodge are properly operated. If you have any questions contact Chapter Chief Michael Lilly

We are still working on planning the Tri-Creek District Spring Camporee. We are in the process of finalizing our stations & getting our supply list together & working on the budget. This is no small feat so we are going to need a lot of help to make it successful. If you are interested in helping please come to the next chapter meeting or contact Chapter Chief Michael Lilly

We are trying to put together a Chapter E-mail list to keep everyone updated on Chapter, Lodge, & National events, so if you want on the list please e-mail Tony Reed.

Does your troop have an Order of the Arrow Representative? The OAR is the liaison between the troop & the OA. The OAR comes to the meetings & brings back all the information he learned back to the troop.

**Visit the Lodge Website:
www.tecumseh65.com**

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officers, I would like to encourage each officer of 2011 to step up and give the lodge 100%, while striving to meet their individual goals. I would like to highly commend and thank Ashton Shuster for his service as Vice Chief of Administration. The Ordeals were all well organized and run because of the hours of service he gave to the lodge in 2010. Secondly I would like to thank Joel Chow for taking the place of lodge advisor; I am grateful for the service he gave to the lodge and its operations in the last year. Overall the success of the lodge is due to all the Arrowmen. I again would like to thank all the members of Tecumseh Lodge for their support in 2010 and would like to encourage everyone to be part of our success in 2011.

Ben Wasmer

2011 Lodge Chief

Chief Tarhe Chapter

Chapter Chief - James Fox james.fox106@yahoo.com

Chapter Adviser - Larry Reams 740-653-8327

rhodatjoe@hotmail.com

This past year 24 youth and 5 adults were inducted into the Order from Chief Tarhe. This is a good number of brothers and it has been exciting to welcome them. The chapter is gearing up for service in many innovative ways. Service will include assisting at the district's February Klondike Derby, developing an interactive and substantial Fairfield County Fair exhibit, and taking the lead in developing an expanded, more detailed Where To Go Camping booklet. Vice Chief of Ceremonies Evan Brubach [740-474-9343; evanbrubach@yahoo.com] is coordinating troop elections, the spring tap-out, and recruiting for our effort to acquire Indian attire and research what Native American traditions best enhance our ceremonies. He also hopes to develop members for assisting in Ordeal ceremonies for the lodge. Vice Chief of Activities Pierce Burris [740-862-8844; kmburris@columbus.rr.com] is spearheading efforts to organize two adventure outings this summer and winter that are open to all older Scouts in the district, plan a miniature high adventure outing this summer for the chapter, a chapter trip to Philmont in 2012, and laying the groundwork for the chapter to put on the district's fall camporee. Secretary/Treasurer Alex Shambrock [740-277-6911; ashambrock@columbus.rr.com] is working to initiate and maintain an historical archive of the chapter and launch an initiative to welcome back into active service brothers who have lapsed in their yearly dues. Chief James Fox [740-654-8665; james.fox106@yahoo.com] will be representing the chapter at the National OA Indian Summer.

Chief Tarhe will also be represented at the Indiana National Leadership Seminar. The Advisor is Larry Reams [740-653-8327; rhodatjoe@hotmail.com]. Aside from a yearly organizational meeting the second Tuesday in October, the entire chapter will only meet as needed a few times throughout the year; Brothers will be notified well in advance of these dates. Most of the activity will be in small working groups dedicated to a particular task.

Vice Chief of Administration

Hello Brothers,

I am Isaac Sanders. I am an Eagle Scout from troop 243 out of Worthington, Ohio and a junior in high school. I am also your Vice Chief of Administration for the 2011 term. I am excited to be leading the Ordeals and have many plans. The leadership team has set high goals for this year for both Ordeal candidate and Brotherhood conversion rates. I believe that with teamwork and communication from the lodge to the chapters and from the chapters to the individual Arrowmen, we will handily surpass our goals.

I am also asking for your help with the Ordeals this year. We are looking for skilled people (youth as well as adults), with experience in almost any kind of handiwork, possibly to aid Ordeal candidates in a project related to their expertise. If you cannot donate you time, then any materials or tools would be useful. We are looking for an Elangomat Chairman as well as an Adviser.

If you are interested in donating your time, I encourage you to attend the Spring Fellowship, March 25-27 at Camp Lazarus. At this event, we will have Elangomat Training. I encourage everyone who is interested to attend. As the year progresses, incentives will be provided to Elangomats who are trained as well as those that work at multiple Ordeals.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Isaac Sanders

VC of Admin.

Shawnee Chapter

(Tecumseh District)

Chapter Chief - Jamie Ray Fyffe

Advisor - Clayton Beckham

<http://www.shawnee65.info>

and soon at .com and .org

Chapter Meeting Information

Shawnee Chapter Meets: First Saturday of Each Month at Camp Oyo Boyd or other in-camp location at 1PM.

Pizza and Drink will be provided. Please see our page for the most up to date information about chapter meetings and any change to location if camp is not available or if we will meet in a special event location, "like a pool party :). All OA Members are encouraged and welcome to come to ALL events.

In Chapter News:

The Chapter held at its annual leadership election at Camp Oyo in October and elected the following members:

Chapter Chief: Cody Quillen

Chapter Program Vice Chief: Eric Manninen

Chapter Membership Vice Chief: Justin Brooks

Chapter Administrative Vice Chief: Sean Ison

Chapter Ceremonies Vice Chief: Ty Bender

Chapter Service Vice Chief: Mathew Chatfield

Chapter Unit Representative Chairman: Alex Arthur

-In other news, The Chapter had an outstanding time at the ALTC with 13 members in attendance. Our member ate well, played hard, and found that they all liked ultimate Frisbee. Good

Shawnee Continued

time and learning was had by all and was the first of many Lodge events to come that had the entire Chapter Leadership in its attendance.

- The Chapter had its January Chapter meeting at Camp Oyo At OKPIC "Tecumseh District Winter Camp" and the following was discussed:

-Troop OA Visits: If your Troop has yet to have a OA visitation. Please Contact Sean Ison Via

Our Web page www.shawnee65.info and NOW

WWW.SHAWNEE65.ORG TODAY

-Meeting Location and Time Change First Saturday of Each Month at Camp Oyo Boyd or other In-camp location at 1PM.

-Our Chapter is Planning on attending The LLDC Event in February. If any of the OA membership would like to attend this AWSUM event please contact Cody asap so we can arrange the transportation. The Cost is only \$5 and it would be a Day event. Leave Portsmouth at 6am and Return around 6pm.

-Our Chapter is also Looking at attending The C4B Conclave this year. Stay Updated on our page for More Info.

-The OA chapters from Chief Logan and Tecumseh Districts are joining forces to present an outstanding Spring Camporee. Activities include archery, rifle shooting, dutch oven cooking and atlatl. Scouting Heritage, Mammal Study and Basketry merit badges will be offered. Saturday evening includes a delicious Lasagna Dinner for all attendees and OA Call-outs. If you would like to be apart of the event staff or do Call Out Ceremonies please come to a meeting;

It is looking to be a very active year at Shawnee. We would like to invite all membership to come out and say hi to everyone at each District Event by making sure they wear a OA Sash and Class A to each Event that Friday so that we can see who is at the event. The Chapter was challenged by The District to help in supporting role at the district event with manpower. What does that mean to you. Well DO you LIKE being on a event STAFF. Here is your chance. At Friday nights Event meeting all you have to do is have your Class A on with Sash and ask if you can help. Im Sure your SERVICE to the camp as a STAFF member could be used. By the way. STAFF also gets a RADIO Assigned to them so they can talk to each other at the event. Do you LIKE being on STAFF and Having a RADIO. Ask if you can Help.

-To rap up this edition of NewsLine we would like to remind all members to Please, Please, Please PAY YOUR DUES... Its only 4 Monster Drinks or 2 # 4's at McDonald. Only \$10 for the year and you get to wear your Sash and OA Flap. Cant beat that.... Pay them now Online at WWW.Shawnee65.info or WWW.Tecumseh65.org . Either way it goes to the Payment page.

-Just as a Reminder We can be found 24/7 at WWW.SHAWNEE65.ORG AND ON FACEBOOK "SEARCH: Facebook and Google "SHAWNEE OA CHAPTER" As always, we will be seeing you at the next Lodge and Chapter Event. And remember to always "LOVE ONE ANOTHER"

Kaniengehaga Chapter

(Licking District) <http://www.kaniengehaga.org>

Chapter Chief: Daniel Pargeon - (740) 644-9259 – ufdfireman08@hotmail.com

Chapter Advisor: Mat Stickle – (740) 403-1372 – oadviser420@gmail.com

Chapter Website: www.kaniengehaga.org

The Kaniengehaga chapter has continued to be busy since the last Tecumseh Speaks went out. The chapter dance team has performed at many events including The Works Museum Harvest Festival in October and Apple Butter Days at Camp Falling Rock in November. We also set up a tipi at Falling Rock and explained about Native American culture. Kaniengehaga Chapter also hosted the Licking District Klondike Derby at Camp Falling Rock on January 15th 2011. You can read about the event and see pictures at <http://www.newarkadvocate.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=2011101160311> or go to www.newarkadvocate.com and search "Klondike".

We have finished most of our troop elections for 2011 and look to bring several chapter officers to LLD in February. Our dance team already has several events on its calendar and it looks to be a busy year for the crew. Also, we are already starting to plan projects for the Falling Rock ordeal in June and are preparing for the Call Out ceremony for Licking District at the Spring Camporee.

We have a SMALL number of very dedicated youth and adults in our chapter that make the service we provide possible. However, we need help from our fellow Kaniengehaga members to continue our long history of service. Please note our meeting schedule has changed!! Our business meeting is now on the 1st Tuesday of every month at First United Methodist Church, 88 North 5th Street, in Newark from 7pm to 8:30pm. Our Dance team meeting is still the 3rd Thursday of every month at Christ United Methodist Church, 10 N Cedar St, in Newark from 7pm to 8:30pm. We are calling on Kaniengehaga members to come to a meeting and see what our chapter is all about! For directions or general information about the chapter, please log onto www.kaneingehaga.org and click on meeting information.

Iroquois Chapter

(Capitol District)

Chapter Chief - Dante Caldwell

Adviser - Tommy Seymour

2011 Tecumseh Lodge Dues Form

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN IT WITH PAYMENT TO:

Simon Kenton Council, BSA
1901 East Dublin-Granville Road
Columbus, OH 43229-3561

Make all checks payable to Simon Kenton Council, BSA

Name in Full _____

Last

First

Middle

Boy Scout ID# _____ **IMPORTANT!** This number is required to verify that you are registered with the Boy Scouts of America. **If we do not have this number we cannot process your registration.** This number is on the ID card you were given by your Troop, Team or Pack. If you cannot find this number contact your Scoutmaster or the Simon Kenton Council Office at (614)-436-7200 or (800)-433-4051 to get it.

Scout Registration _____

District

Unit (Pack, Troop, Etc.)

OA Chapter

Home Address _____

Number and Street

City

State

Zip

Mailing Address _____

(If different from above)

Number and Street

City

State

Zip

e-mail Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Home Phone () - ___ Work Phone (____) ___ -
Month Day Year

Date Of: Ordeal Brotherhood Vigil Honor

Status (see chart below) _____ Amount Paid \$ _____

You may be an OA member only in the Lodge for the Council in which you maintain your BSA registration. If you are not registered with the BSA you may still contribute to Tecumseh Lodge with no membership privileges. Remember that your Boy Scouts of America registration must be current and we must have your Scout ID# for you to be a member of the Order of the Arrow.

Status Codes and Dues Amounts:

1. Tecumseh Lodge YOUTH (20 or younger) members who paid their 2010 dues may renew by paying **\$10.00**.
2. Tecumseh Lodge ADULT (21 or older) members who paid their 2010 dues may renew by paying **\$15.00**.
3. Tecumseh Lodge YOUTH members who are not current with their 2010 dues may reinstate their membership by paying **\$15.00**.
4. Tecumseh Lodge ADULT members who are not current with their 2010 dues may reinstate their membership by paying **\$20.00**.
5. OA members transferring into Simon Kenton Council from another Council may do so by sending proof of current dues paid in the other Lodge and their Scout ID# along with **\$10.00** for youth or **\$15.00** for adults to transfer into Tecumseh Lodge.
6. OA members transferring into Simon Kenton Council from another Council with their OA dues not being current may do so by sending proof of membership in the other Lodge and their Scout ID# along with **\$15.00** for youth or **\$20.00** for adults to transfer into Tecumseh Lodge.
7. Tecumseh Lodge members on ACTIVE DUTY with any United States Military Branch during the current year may maintain their paid dues status free of charge. (This does not apply to local duty in connection with the Reserves or National Guard)