## **Duck Calls**

## Wahunsenakah Lodge 333 October 2023 Issue



# Special Announcements From the Communications Committee

Brothers,

Welcome to the October 2023 issue of Duck Calls! We are bringing this newsletter back and we are so excited about it. In this issue we are going to be checking in on some of our committees and see how Summer Service & Fall Fellowship went.

Brotherhood, cheerfulness, and service, Emma Recupero Communications Youth Chairman



### Lodge Committee News



# Trading Post Joe Hutchins

The Trading Post had a good weekend, selling roughly over \$900 worth of product. Still looking for a youth that is dedicated enough to show up each weekend and has some good new ideas for new products.

### History Committee Robert Locke

The History committee continues to search for and procure Lodge items not in inventory.

We continue to seek out and recover Lodge, Council & District items not presently held.

View Lodge items that are needed @

Chanco Needs List:

https://www.patchvault.org/users/rml01pv/collections/lodge-333-chanco
-needs-list

Kecoughtan Needs List:

https://www.patchvault.org/users/rml01pv/collections/lodge-333-kecoug
htan-needs-list

Lodge Needs List:

https://www.patchvault.org/users/rml01pv/collections/lodge-333-wahuns
enakah-333-needs-list

The History Committee requests that all Committees include Doc. Green <a href="mailto:docgreen333@yahoo.com">docgreen333@yahoo.com</a> and / or Robert Locke <a href="mailto:bobdebbobby@live.com">bobdebbobby@live.com</a> in their reports to the Lodge, so we may include your committees in the Lodge history.

\*\*\*Want to get rid of those extra patches taking up space - donate the to the Lodge\*\*\*

The next auction will be at the Holiday banquet!

#### Elangomat

#### Nick Dempsey; Jennifer McPeters

This weekend the Elangomat committee had 10 Elangomats and gave out 3 red sashes. We also had 22 new brothers join our order and complete their Ordeal.

#### Nimat

#### Ryan Maddox; Bob Casey

We had 19 brothers confirm their arrow (4 wicomico, 5, chanco, 5 kecoughtan, 5 piankatank). We also had 5 people get their 1st year arrowman award.

#### Service

#### Michael O'Flynn; Mike O'FLynn & Bob Casey

We finished all of the service projects given to us and then had to be given more.



Remember the service is a part of our Order so please partake in it on the weekends.

#### Ceremonies

#### Logan Garwood; Erica Bronsan

The ceremonies team had a great time during Summer Service. We did three ceremonies and recruited new members. After many years, we brought back a decorative prop of an arrow going through the letters OA that we set on fire during the ceremonies. We cannot wait to conduct ceremonies for our new brothers at Winter Service.

#### Registrar

#### Laura Nelson-Rodgers & Bobby Williams

The admin team successfully checked in 142 Arrowmen this weekend; there were 22 Candidates and 19 Brotherhood. Thank you to everyone who brought their updated medical forms, it helps to make check-in run smoothly. 90% of Arrowmen checked-out, we know this is a newer procedure, it is important for everyone to sign-in and sign-out. The admin team has a new email, <a href="OALodge333@gmail.com">OALodge333@gmail.com</a>, please use the new e-mail for any registration or OA dues questions. Be on the lookout for new Admin team shirts, Duck Duck Mighty Duck.

Pay your 2024 OA Dues, \$12 Early Bird Fee, paid before Oct. 31st. \$14 pay between Nov. 1-30, \$15 Dec. 1 and after, <a href="https://scoutingevent.com/595-lodgedues24">https://scoutingevent.com/595-lodgedues24</a>. Remember all dues paid before Dec. 1 your chapter gets \$1.

We are also looking for a youth chairman for the registrar committee, so if you are interested please email the registrar email (following all YPT guidelines) linked above.

#### Kitchen

#### Joey Pendleton; Andy Pendleton

Kitchen had a great weekend and a great menu. We are thankful for all the help we got and are already planning an amazing menu for fall fellowship. If you have any questions or would like to suggest a menu item please feel free to email Joey.



### Upcoming Events



#### Lodge Events

• Winter Banquet: December 9th

#### Section Events

- E9 Section Leadership Summit 2024: February 9-11, 2024 @
- E9 Spring Council of Chiefs Meeting: February 10, 2024 @ 10am-3pm
- E9 Conclave: April 26-28, 2024 @ 5pm-10am

#### National Events

• NOAC 2024: July 29-August 3 @ University of Colorado Boulder



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Good morning my brothers, thank you all for the amazing weekend! I know that I had a lot of fun and it always warms my spirit to feel the fellowship and cheerfulness of our lodge. We had an outstanding weekend and I am so proud of our lodge for all of the service that we were able to accomplish. Congratulations to all of our new ordeal members, I am so excited to work with you all in the future and watch you grow.

- Joshua Cox



## Committee Openings



• Communications: Youth needed

• Chapel: Youth Needed

• American Indians Activities: Youth Needed

• Ceremonies: Youth Needed • Registrar: Youth Needed • Trading Post: Youth Needed