

THE MISSING LYNX

SPRING EDITION

Toloma Lodge

Greater Yosemite Council

Spring Ordeal 2015

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SPRING ORDEAL IS HERE!!!

After several months of Unit Elections and a very successful Tap-out ceremony at the Council Campor-all, it's finally here... the SPRING ORDEAL IS UPON US!!! This is our first big event that allows us to serve our Council, mainly by getting Camp John Mensinger ready for camp just a month away. However, this is also our first opportunity of the year to make a good impression on the new Ordeal candidates seeking to join our Order. Whether we can set a good example through being an awesome Elangomat, or by just being friendly and lending a helping hand, this will be many of the boy's first one-on-one contact with the Order of the Arrow, and what they take away from it is crucially important.

So...what are you waiting for? Come join us for a weekend of fun, hard work, and being with friends new and old! If you don't know anybody that's going... even better! Bring a friend! The link to the registration is below, as well as information on how to drive to Camp John Mensinger. The cost is \$30.00 for Brotherhood Candidates, \$15.00 if you are going just for fun, and \$45.00 if you are an Ordeal Candidate (though I'm not sure how you would be reading this if you weren't already in the OA...but anyways). Click on the link below!

<http://www.yosemitescouting.org/event/1574529>

Hope to see you there!

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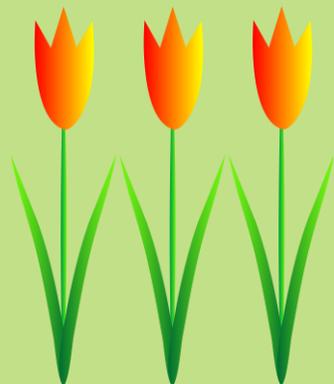
UPCOMING EVENTS

ArrowTour @State
Capitol.....July 5th

ArrowTour
@Piedmont...July 8th

NOAC.....Aug. 3rd-8th

Summer
Ordeal...Sept. 11-13th



ORDEAL

Can you find the Missing Lynx?

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ARROWTOUR...a taste of NOAC on wheels!!

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Every two years the National Order of the Arrow hosts NOAC, (National Order of the Arrow Conference), a once in a lifetime experience! But what if you can't make NOAC this year, especially since it's the OA's 100th Anniversary? Fear no longer! Welcome to **ArrowTour**, a small bit of NOAC that will tour the U.S. over this summer. It will allow Arrowmen to come from all over the region to do activities, games, and to get a taste of the rich history of the Order of the Arrow. The dates and locations are on the link below and in the "Events" section on the front page...don't miss out on this one-in-a-hundred-year experience!

<http://arrowtour.aa-bsa.org/schedule/#western>

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*If in the Yo-Se-Mite Chapter, scan the QR code above to check out their new website!

Highlights of Recent Events!

The past couple of months have been an exciting time for members of the Toloma Lodge. From Klondike to Conclave, from helping out at the Council Campor-all to monthly Chapter meetings...it's been a blast! Below are some pictures highlighting the events...make sure to check out the calendar on the front page so you don't miss out!



#OA100!!! #W3SConclave
#Klondike2015!



TOLOMA LODGE COMICS!!!



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"Rubbing sticks together was a great idea. After 40 minutes, I'm so warm I don't need a fire!"

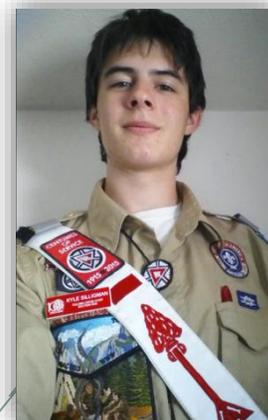
MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF!

Dear Arrowman,

As we approach the centennial NOAC (National Order of the Arrow Conference) which will act as the main centennial celebration on a national level, I've started thinking about what it means to be an Arrowman in the centennial year. I decided that (in my opinion) whether you're the National Chief or a brand new Ordeal member, being an Arrowman in the centennial year means that you are a part of a program that has survived 100 years. As the centennial theme goes, "it starts with us", and it is up to us to make sure we are around for many years to come.

Kyle Silligman

2015 Centennial Toloma Lodge Chief



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Make sure to click on him!