

Kuskita



Chiefly Speaking

Greetings Fellow Brothers,

As our year comes to a close, I would like all of us to look back on our events and try to think of things we could have done better or things that we would like to do again. The end of my 2nd term as your Kuskitanne Lodge is also quickly approaching and I would like to thank all of the E.C members and advisors for doing a great job this year and for helping and supporting me through my terms as lodge chief. I am excited for a new youth to take the torch and lead our lodge just as I and many before me have. So if anyone is interested to run for an office, please don't hesitate. It's a great opportunity to get some leadership experience under your belt and also work with a great bunch of people. Our next event that is coming up is our Big 3 weekend. It will be held at camp bu-coco on August 21, 22, 23. Unfortunately I will not be able to make to this great event in the making. I am starting college this fall and my freshmen orientation falls on that weekend. I extend my apologies to all of my brothers and hope you all have a safe and fun weekend. In my absences, Chris Covert will be Chief and make sure everything runs smoothly. I hope everyone has a safe and fun holiday!



WWW,

Dominic Paunovich

Lodge Chief



Ceremonies

Greetings Brothers,

The ceremonies team will be having practices this summer to prepare for the Big Three Weekend. The dates have not been finalized due to the camp season. I will be sending out an e-mail later with the dates and times of the practices. Also if any ceremony team member wishes to help with the call-out ceremony up at camp, please be there around 5:30 to 6 pm on Wednesdays. I cannot make it to all Wednesdays, but if a few of you could it would be appreciated. Any questions or concerns please e-mail me at firemage_13@yahoo.com or call me at (724) 787-9712. If I do not answer leave a message with your name and number. The best time to reach me is between 10 am and 2 pm, due to work.



Thank you,
Jack C. Libengood
Ceremonies Team Chairman



Brotherhood

Greetings,

I am looking forward to seeing a large number of new Brotherhood members at Big 3, so if you are an Ordeal member, and have been in the lodge for 10 months, start thinking back to the ceremonies and studying the questionnaire. Also make sure that you write out a letter of intent that states what you intend to do in the lodge once you have sealed your membership. I hope to see each and every one of you at Big 3.

Kenny Greene
Brotherhood Chairman



Conclave/National Programs

NOAC 2009 will be here before you know it!

We will have a NOAC meeting at the Agawam Beaver Day before the EC meeting on July 11, 2009. Please try to attend. I need your health forms ASAP so I can send them to national. If we don't get them there two weeks before NOAC we will have to wait in line at registration. Contact us if you have questions.

Craig Spink, Lodge Adviser and Dave Spink, NOAC Chair



Publications

We Won!!!

Over Conclave the Kuskita won first place in publications. I hope you all have enjoyed the Kuskita this year. I also thank all of you for your feedback helping to make the Kuskita better.

The Publication Chair and editor of the Kuskita,
Tyler Lucas



No articles were submitted by anyone else.

Lodge Officer Elections will be held at the Big 3 weekend!

We will be electing new youth leaders including Lodge Chief, Administration Vice Chief, Program Vice Chief, Membership Vice Chief and Secretary/Treasurer. Any youth member that wants to run for lodge office must send a letter (email or snail mail) to Craig Spink by July 21 indicating that they want to run for lodge office. This is a youth run organization and we need youth members to step up and help run the lodge. This is your opportunity to determine what things we will do in the coming year! Please help us run our lodge and make it better!

Craig Spink, 145 Dwellington Dr., Valencia, PA 16059 alchemist@wowoatam.com

Lodge calendar:

August 21-23, 2009	Big 3 Bucoco
August 22, 2009	Business meeting
September 11-13, 2009	LLD Bucoco
October 25, 2009	EC meeting Rae's cabin
November 20-22, 2009	Brookie Brotherhood Agawam
November 21, 2009	Business meeting



Emergency Health Information and Waiver

(a new one must be filled out for all Lodge weekends)

Name of Participant: _____ Birthdate: _____

In case of emergency contact:

Name: _____

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone: _____

Phone: _____

Physician: _____

Phone: _____

Health Insurance: _____

Policy # _____

Additional information we should know (include current medications and health problems):

In case of emergency, I understand every effort will be made to contact me (if adult, my spouse or next of kin). In the event I can not be reached, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including, but not limited to, hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections and medications for my son (or me, if I am adult).

Date: _____ Signature of parent/guardian or adult





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