



The Quiver

Spring Edition

Egwa Tawa Dee Lodge



From the Chief's Desk

Hello Egwa Brothers,

Indian Winter was a great event to kick-off 2018. I hope more of you will join us next year for this outstanding Section gathering. Speaking of Section events, who's looking forward to Heartland Gathering? I know I am! It's good to see us working together in ceremonies and quest events as one.

Sprang Flang is right around the corner. Have you signed up yet? Registration is open until February 28. Don't miss your chance to participate in some unique activities. Where else can you compete in a toilet seat toss? We're looking for the Chapter that constructs the best catapult, so plan on attending your Chapter meeting to help create a winning design. Time to let your Chapter teamwork shine.



Left: We say farewell to our staff advisor Bion Jones at our annual Lodge Winter Banquet

Below: Trey Patuka is sworn in as our 2018 Lodge Chief at Winter Banquet



Upcoming Events

NLS/DYLC, VSC,
3/2-4/18
*REGISTER BY 2/26

Spring Gathering,
BASC, 3/9-11/18
*REGISTER BY 2/28

LEC, BASC, 3/11/18

Day of Service,
Chattahoochee
River NRA, 3/24/18

LEC, VSC, 4/8/18

SR-9 Heartland
Gathering, Comer
Scout Reservation,
4/20-22/18 *LATE
FEE AFTER 3/10





Ceremonies

Were you impressed by the ceremony at your ordeal or brotherhood ceremony? If so, you should consider joining your chapter's ceremony team, or help with ceremony support. There are always openings, and all brothers are welcomed, and encouraged to be a ceremonialist. Our lodge also has an honor ceremonialist award, If you earn this, you get rewarded with this special edition lodge flap pictured below. Details can be found by clicking on the lodge flap pictured below. There are also opportunity in ceremonies to represent our Lodge at NOAC and Heartland Gathering. Here, you can also earn medals for our Lodge. If you have any questions contact our Lodge Ceremonies Advisor kampy@bellsouth.net



Wear Your Sash, Pay Your Dues

Do you enjoy all of the great lodge events we have every year? Do you enjoy the great food at all of our events? Do you enjoy the great facilities where all of our events are held? Of course you do! But, in order for us to have all these things you have to pay your dues. It's a very easy process that can be carried out on our lodge website. For a walkthrough video on this process, click on the Youtube logo below



<http://www.acegwa.org/paydues.htm>

Pay Your Dues





NLS/DYLC

The National Leadership Seminar (NLS) is a weekend conference focusing on the skills and characteristics of leadership. It is intended primarily to enhance the leadership skills of the Order of the Arrow's key youth and adult members, as they seek to improve their service to the Boy Scouts of America and the greater community. The Developing Youth Leadership Conference (DYLC) will deepen an adviser's capacity to develop youth leadership within the lodge and chapter. Conference topics will include fostering a growth mindset, promoting resilience, and creating a life-long coaching/mentoring relationship. NLS and DYLC are coming to the Volunteer Service Center March 2-4, click the logo on the left to register



Spring Gathering

This year, Spring Gathering will be held on March 9th through 11th, at Bert Adams Scout Camp. Spring Gathering is an annual lodge event that includes training, games, service, and fellowship. Please sign up for this fun event by clicking on the Egwa logo pictured on the right. Watch our promo video by clicking on the Youtube Logo on the left



Heartland Gathering

One of the primary purposes of Section SR-9 Order of the Arrow is to conduct an annual meeting for delegates of its member Lodges. This annual meeting is the Heartland Gathering. The aim of the Heartland Gathering is to provide a central place for Arrowmen throughout the Section to gather for a weekend of fun and fellowship. The event includes leadership development training, as well as various competitions and games. **MUST SIGN UP ON LODGE AND SECTION WEBSITE.** Click on the logo on the right to watch our promo video (with registration help)

