Upcoming Events

Lodgemaster Training,
- Jan 13, 2018:
  9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Council Service Center

EVC/Election Team Training,
- Jan 13, 2018:
  1:00 PM – 4:00 PM, Council Service Center

33rd Annual Lodge Trade-O-Ree,
- Feb 23-24, 2018:
  Council Service Center

Indian Affairs Weekend,
- March 9-10: Oso Lake

2018 NOAC
- July 29 - August 4, 2018:
  Indiana University,
  Bloomington, IN

Collin Freeman
Wiatava Lodge Secretary

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2018

WIATAVA LODGE 13
Orange County Council

The National Order of the Arrow Conference is the Order of the Arrow’s largest national program event. The reason for its growing popularity can be attributed to the fact that it is planned and carried out by Arrowmen. Youth involvement ensures that the conference program will be exciting, relevant, and non-stop fun.

During NOAC, Arrowmen will participate in a six-day conference which includes top notch training sessions, cool recreational opportunities, evening shows full of theatrics and special effects, and exciting programs.

Wiatava Lodge once again plans to send a sizable contingent to NOAC in 2018. If you sign up today, you have the chance to go to NOAC 2018.

Sign up TODAY!!!!!

For more info, visit http://wiatava.org/noac-2018

The Cog
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The Crows Nest
2017’s Crow Chapter Banquet was one of the largest attended banquets in a number of years. Was it due to the diligence of EVC Michael Kao and EVC Advisor Mr. Woodard, making sure it would be the best banquet in recent memory? Of Course! Taking the Arrowmen of the Year, were Thomas Burnett(Youth) and Robert Flynn(Adult). In the highly competitive race for the coveted King Corn, Dan Toussaint(Adult) was the winner, while Andy Mason(Youth) secured his second kernel trophy in as many years. In a surprise award, Mrs. Sandi Boles took the first ever, Queen Corn trophy, Accepting the award for Mrs. Boles, was her proud husband, Mr. Boles. At the end, Chapter Advisor, Mr. Doidge, oversaw the exchange of the Chief’s bonnet from Michael Kao, to ... Michael Kao. With former Chapter Chief Riyaz Razi busy with college classes and USC Trojan Football games, Michael was thrust into the Chief’s position ahead of time, but has been doing a great job and will continue to do so as 2018 begins. As the 2017 Board was rolled out, the 2018 Board was presented. With some familiar faces on the new Board, and a new one here and there, 2018 should be in good hands. One way to tell if it was a successful banquet or not- Mr. Hoogeveen only had one pie to auction off at the end of the evening! A big thanks to all who attended and also those who helped make it a success. See you all next year!

-Mr. Muleady
With 2017 gone with the wind, it is time to congratulate those who succeeded this year with awards at our annual Lodge Banquet. Here are the winners for 2017!

Chapter Camp Promotion Award - Koshare
John La bare
Camping Award - Steven Maloney
Chapter Service Award - Amimi
Most Improved Chapter - Amimi
Chapter of the Year - Crow
Silver Arrow Award (Arrowman of the Year) - Matthew McMahan and Greg Taylor
Wiatava Lodge Founder's Award - Adrian Castaneda, Patrick Doidge and James Cotterman Jr

When:
Friday, February 23, 2018 from 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Saturday, February 24, 2018 from 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Where:
Orange County Council Service Center
1211 East Dyer Road Santa Ana, CA 92705

Cost: Free Admission

Tables: Pre-paid before January 1st $15, After January 1st $20

Bid Number: FREE

Attendee Patch: $10 each (One per attendee)

Silent Auctions: Sat. 9:00 AM to Noon

Live Auction: Saturday 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Trade-O-Ree Cont.

Reserve your TOR Tables ASAP. They may sell out this year. In return for your donation, we are offering 2 new limited edition CSPs donor patches. These CSPs are sure to be valuable collector's items given the restrictions the council has on creating new CSPs. We have 2 limited edition CSPs for your $50 and $100 donations. You may donate multiples of $150 in cash or memorabilia for multiple sets of these CSPs. Please donate what you would want to buy such as OA items, CSPs, and Jamboree items. Also, Scout books, Scout uniforms, hats, belt buckles, neckerchiefs, and camp patches are welcome. High Value items are always gladly accepted. Donation Value Guidelines for items:
- OA Flaps ($5)
- OA 2-piece Flap sets ($10)
- OA 3-piece Flap/CSP sets ($15)
- OA Jacket patches ($10)
- OA Neckerchief ($10)
- OA activity patches (Lodge, Conclave, NOAC) ($3)
- JSPs ($5) Jamboree Neckerchief ($5)
- Camp patches (before 1990 $3) (1990 and newer $2)
- Common CSPs ($3)
- FOS CSPs ($5)
- Higher value CSPs: RULING maximum $10 donation credit on any CSP.
- Please no more than 2 of the same item.
- Donations of high value items must be reviewed by the TOR Committee.