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THE MOWOGO LODGE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

INDIAN WINTER RECAP:

On February 21st to 23rd, Mowogo Lodge attended the Section E6 Indian Winter, bringing together Brothers for a weekend of leadership development trainings, Indian Affairs, and fun fellowship activities.

The drumming session that took place allowed Arrowmen to learn the significance of drumming in various Native American traditions and experience the powerful rhythms. Fellow brothers shared their knowledge, allowing Scouts to take part in drumming circles.

In addition, Indian Winter offered several leadership training sessions aimed at preparing Scouts to take on leadership roles within the Order of the Arrow and beyond.

Mowogo Lodge can't wait to attend the next Indian Winter!

Drum training at 2025 Indian Winter



Pow Wow dancer from 2025 Indian Winter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar 21-23 Spring Fellowship Ordeal Weekend
Camp Rainey Mountain, Georgia

Apr 4-6 Section E6 Conclave
Bert Adams Scout Camp, Georgia

May 16-17 Pre-Camp Ordeal Weekend
Camp Rainey Mountain, Georgia

Jun 7 Museum Wednesdays
Camp Rainey Mountain, Georgia

Sep 19-21 Pow-Wow Fellowship Weekend
Camp Rainey Mountain, Georgia

Nov 14-16 Fall Fellowship Weekend
Scoutland, Georgia



LODGE HISTORY - FUN FACT

The first Vigil Honor recipient of Mowogo Lodge was Mr. Charlie Bethea. He received this award at one of Mowogo Lodges first 6C Fellowships in 1956





BEAR TRACKS: CHAPTER UPDATES



The year is off to a great start, and Chapters have continued their drive for success!

The Mowogo Lodge election season is progressing smoothly, with each Chapter scheduling and conducting elections to bring new brothers into the Order of the Arrow.

Chapters have also been holding their monthly meetings, and they look like a blast! Canantutlaga hosted a night of board game fun, Lau-in-nih went rock climbing, Yona-Hi had a great time at the bowling alley, and Jutaculla kicked off their planning for their upcoming workday!



Let us know what you've been up to by sending an email to our communications team at lodge.vcc@mowogo.org



Arrowmen Spotlight

Houston Crawford is an active member of Mowogo Lodge. Recently he has truly taken on the Yona-Hi moto "Leading is serving" by creating a new venture crew to help scouts in his are continue the drive for scouts and high adventure!

ELANGOMAT CORNER

The time to be an Elangomat is now!

Come be a vital part of the Ordeal Experience and be the friend of the candidates



Elangomat's in action

Elangomat Training Dates and Locations:

- March 15th - Scoutland
- April 19th - Camp Rainey Mountain
- May 10th - Scoutland
- August 23rd - Camp Rainey Mountain
- September 20th - Pow Wow at CRM
- October 11th - Scoutland

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Elangomat Interest form

Express your interest and availability in being an Elangomat for Mowogo Lodge!

[Sign in to Google](#) to save your progress. [Learn more](#)

* Indicates required question

First and Last Name *

Your answer

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Join the Indian Affairs Team: Celebrate Tradition Through Ceremonies, Dance, and Drumming!

The Indian Affairs program offers Scouts the chance to connect with and celebrate Native American culture through a variety of meaningful opportunities. Scouts can join the ceremonies team, playing an important role in bringing traditions to life during Ordeal, Brotherhood, and Vigil ceremonies; learn traditional Native American dances like Grass Dance and Fancy Dance, which are integral to lodge events; or train in drumming, the heartbeat of many ceremonies. These experiences allow Scouts to deepen their understanding of Native heritage while contributing to the lodge's rich traditions.

Scouts interested in participating in Indian Affairs team should contact Emily McGowan at lodge.vcia@mowogo.org.



2024 Indian Winter Pow Wow Dancing

SPRRING FELLOWSHIP 3/21-23

Spring Fellowship is the first ordeal weekend of the year! This event is filled with service, fellowship, and amazing food. It is a great opportunity to connect with fellow brothers and get more involved in the OA. During this weekend Mowogo Lodge helps provide service to Camp Rainey Mountain.

Mark your calendars, bring your energy, and get ready for a weekend of fun, learning, and service. Reach out to your Chapter Chiefs with any questions!



 REGISTER NOW



TRAINING AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT

Are you interested in taking the next step in leadership and the Order of the Arrow? Then these trainings are for you!

National Leadership Seminar

NLS is a weekend leadership development course for youth in which you will learn about leadership techniques and how to apply them in your life and in any leadership position.



Developing Youth Leadership Conference

DYCL is a training course for adults 21 and older that will help develop leadership skills and prepare for roles in the OA



Section E6 is offering 10 scholarships for youth arrowmen to attend the NLS in Nashville, TN November 1-3, 2025. These \$125 scholarships will cover more than half of the \$225 event fee. Submit your application using the link below by end of day Friday, October 18th.

Applicants can register for the event by going to <https://registration.oa-bsa.org/>. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact chief@oasectione6.org.



Nashville, TN
November 1-3, 2025
<https://sectione6.oa-bsa.org/nls/>

OA NATIONAL NEWS



National Chief Samuel Crowder (he/him)

National Vice Chief Ben Jones (he/him)

Gateway Region Chief Haley Flores (she/her)

Eastern Region Chief Elijah Aiken (he/him)

E6 SECTION HIGHLIGHTS

What is Conclave and why should YOU attend?

Conclave is a section-wide event where we invite all our members to join us in training and fellowship. During our annual Conclave, we have training opportunities available from shows to the history of the order. We also have fun activities for all our members, no matter their activity level, to participate. We are looking forward to having you join us at Bert Adams Scout Camp on April 4-6!



CAMPING AND OA HIGH ADVENTURE



Are you or your troop looking for a fun traditional camp experience? Then CRM is for you! Experience the fun and adventure by attending this summer. Explore the nature center, dive into the waterfront, paint your way to handicraft, and find the fun!

Interested in becoming the newest member of the High Motivated Truly Dedicated CRM Camp Staff? Information and application link can be found here:

<https://www.nega-bsa.org/campstaff>

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OA High Adventure

Imagine hiking through some of the same territories as Waite Phillips, Dr. Goodman and other noteworthy Scouting figures. Imagine forming a team, coming into an experience as strangers, but leaving as friends for a lifetime. Few people get to experience the world's natural beauty and understand what true fellowship is all about. This summer, the Order of the Arrow invites you to this rare occasion and to participate in the OA High Adventure program.

Click or scan below for more information on registration and program dates.



adventure.oa-bsa.org



ORDER OF THE ARROW
HIGH ADVENTURE
EST 1995

TRAIL CREW
14 DAYS - PHILMONT SCOUT RANCH

OCEAN ADVENTURE
7 DAYS - SEA BASE

WILDERNESS VOYAGE
14 DAYS - NORTHERN TIER

CANADIAN ODYSSEY
14 DAYS - NORTHERN TIER

SUMMIT EXPERIENCE
8 DAYS - SUMMIT BECHTEL RESERVE

APPLY FOR AN ADVENTURE
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