



E L O G A M G U S S I T

Newsletter of ESWAU HUPPEDAY, Lodge #560, Order of the Arrow

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CHIEFLY SPEAKING

Hello everyone. I hope everyone is having a terrific start to the New Year. Winter Banquet is now officially out of the way and with all the laughter and tears behind us we push forward to even more fun and exciting lodge events. Winter and spring are always the biggest times of the year for our lodge with multiple events thrown at us week after week. On the weekend of January 24-26, we will be hosting our annual Carolina Indian Seminar where we will have classes, great company, and a spectacular Pow Wow headed by our talented VCIA and AIA participants.

Along with that March will consume many weekends for all of us scouts as March 1st is Beaver Day, where we partake in some cheerful service by doing some work projects around our camp to prepare for the summer camp season. A week after that, many of our adult brothers will be teaching the youth of our council merit badges for Merit Badge University on March 8th. If you are not taking a class however or

are not currently teaching one, there are still some openings as of now (being placed online) for some volunteers to teach some classes and help with set up and cleaning after the day is finished. If you would like to help contact Aaron Cook at 828-879-2879 so he can give you more information on what you can do to help out.

Finishing up our time in March we will be having our weekend of fun with Spring Fellowship on the weekend of the 21-23. I hope to see some of you at these next few events as we gear up for Dixie Fellowship as it follows our Spring Fellowship. If you haven't pre-registered for any of these events please do so with Jimmy as soon as possible if you believe you will be attending these events. Also Dixie registration needs to be turned in ASAP as well so that we can make sure you get all the merchandise you want as well as make Jimmy's job a lot easier on him.

I hope you all well and have a great start in this New Year,

Matt Cook, Lodge Chief

WINTER BANQUET

The 2013 Winter Banquet was held Saturday, Jan. 4th at the First United Methodist Church in Hickory, NC. The event served as a way for Lodge members to gather, discuss the year ahead, and begin the celebration the 50th anniversary of Eswau Huppeday.

Festivities started at 1:30 p.m. with the American Indian Affairs 2014 Kickoff.

Newcomers and veterans alike enjoyed a work session which allowed them to get acquainted with their team and practice their skills.

At 6:00pm, the banquet began. Members were treated to a fantastic meal of NC style BBQ from Boxcar Grille. We enjoyed such program events as Trivett's Trivia Time, a wonderful speech on how the lodge has changed over the last 50 years, and the famous (or infamous) Nabby awards. Other, more serious, awards were given out for the previous year, and our lodge chief gave a wonderful speech on this past year, and plans for the future. Overall, it was an event of laughs, fellowship, scouting, and a good time was had by all.



Saturday March 1st Is Beaver Day



Let's make Camp Bud Schiele the busiest place in the Piedmont Council area on Saturday March 1st! There are always lots of projects going on at Beaver Day and lots of hands will be needed.

Join your Brothers as well as Troops and Packs from throughout the Piedmont Council will join together in a day of labor to keep our camp in top condition.

As always, a wonderful lunch will be served by the amazing Eswau Huppeday Cook Team.

Don't miss out on this always fun day of service and fellowship – come out and join us for Beaver Day 2014!



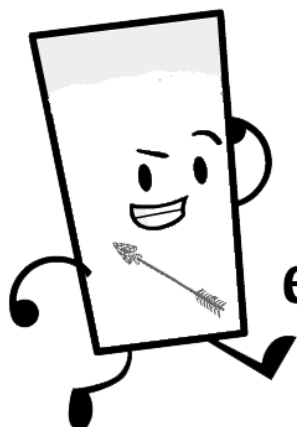
MERIT BADGE UNIVERSITY Saturday March 8th at Gaston College

Merit Badge University is a great opportunity for Scouts to learn from highly specialized merit badge instructors and earn badges that may be rare in their unit or district.

It's also a great day to provide service for your lodge. If you'll be attending MBU, or just want to come down and help, let someone know at registration. There's always a need for helping new Scouts find their way to their classes in the morning and other ways for you to help throughout the day.

MBU is presented by the council Training Team and Eswau Huppeday. Help us make this year's event the best one ever!

got chapter report?



**submit it
online at
eswau.net**



Late Registration for 2014 Dixie Fellowship

The standard deadline for registration was January 14th, but you can still register for \$45.00 up until Spring Fellowship on the weekend of March 21st.

Please be aware that Late Registration does not guarantee you'll receive the delegate items that were included in standard registration.

Dixie Fellowship will be held April 25-27th at Camp Coker in South Carolina. It will be a weekend jammed pack with events: the Quest for the Golden Arrow, Ceremonial, Dance, and Sing competitions, and don't forget the training sessions that can help you get a boost in your role in the Order of the Arrow.

If you missed the deadline, register now using the form in the back of this page so you don't miss out one of the biggest OA events of 2014!

2014 Dixie Registration – April 25-27

LATE Dixie Registration Fee of \$45.00 is due by Spring Fellowship. Registrations will be excepted as long as the host lodge will except them, but do not expect to get all of the items, such as a ditty bag or a lodge dixie t-shirt.

The Dixie fee includes a delegate patch, participation pin, lodge delegate t-shirt, and a lodge Dixie delegate flap when registered by Jan 14th. **A BSA health (part A & B) form is required and must be returned with this registration form. *Late registrations may not include everything listed.***

Name: _____ T-shirt size _____
 Address: _____ Email Address _____
 Phone: _____

Send to: Jimmy Arthurs jcarthu@aol.com Dixie fee enclosed: _____ \$45.00 _____
 181 Oak Meadow Rd, Preorder enclosed: _____ 00.00 _____
 Mooresville, NC 28115. Phone 704 663 3331 Dixie flap fee: _____
 BSA health form included _____ Date received _____ Total included: _____

Standard registration deadline was January 14th to get all delegate items. Your registration will be returned if you do not include your health form.

Lodge delegate flap		\$3.00	Flap orders will be accepted until February 14th
Lodge Preorder total			Payment due by February 14th.

Dixie 2014 will be held at Camp Coker is 2029 Camp Coker Road, Society Hill, SC 29593.
 Delegates may pick up delegate flaps when available, likely SF. All others may pick them up after/during Dixie. You may also pay \$4.00 and have them mailed after Dixie.

LODGE OFFICERS

Lodge Chief - Matthew Cook

Vice Chief of Program - Nathan Davis

Vice Chief of Administration - David Marder

Vice Chief of Indian Affairs - Thomas Colton

Secretary - Phillip Guadagno

Treasurer - Blair Hollar

Lodge Adviser - David Cody

Lodge Treasury Adviser - Jimmy Arthurs

Lodge Committees

Ceremonies

Chair - Dylan Cody, Adviser - Charles Lutterloh

Communications

Chair - Daniel Pezzi, Adviser - John Green

Cook Team

Chair - Kendall Shrum, Adviser - David Guynn

Dance Team

Chair - Justin Cobb, Adviser - Eduardo De Torres

Drum Team

Chair - Mitchell Harbin, Adviser - Michael Lowder

Unit Election

Chair - Connor Dimmitt, Adviser - JT Dimmit

Contact your Lodge Officers and Committees at eswau.net/contact-us

2014 Unit Election Season

Greetings Brothers.

It is that time of year for units to hold their OA Election again. Remember, eswau.net has all your unit election forms as well as videos on how to conduct a Unit's OA Election.

OA Representatives, please remember, that you are needed to help conduct not only your Troop's election but other Troops as well.

Please have all the youth forms turned in to Eswau.Elections@gmail.com by May 2nd for the May 16th ordeal; May 23rd for the June 6th ordeal and August 1st for the August 15th ordeal.

Please remember to send your adult selections to Eswau.Elections@gmail.com as soon as possible, so they can go through their nomination process.

WWW,
Connor Dimmitt



From The Adviser

I would like to thank our outgoing lodge chief Michael Lowder for his outstanding leadership during the last two years.

The lodge chief position, in my opinion, is one of the toughest positions a Scout could ever undertake. It has many challenges that are very different than those at the troop level.

Michael's journey was not always easy and many times difficult. Our lodge's success is due to his commitment. I am very proud to have advised Michael and applaud his achievements!

Thank you Michael!!

David Cody
Lodge Adviser



Spring Fellowship – March 21-23, 2014

Ah Spring, when a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of ... quest events! Spring Fellowship is March 21st-23rd at Camp Bud Schiele! The weekend will start with a bang Friday night when we help out the Cub Scouts with their campfire at Webelos Woods.

Does your chapter have a skit they'd like to present for the Cubs? Then we need you to do it! Appropriate skits, jokes, and cheers are a key part of any campfire and really make it fun for the Cubs.

Saturday morning will begin with breakfast followed by a round of great training cells. Then in the afternoon, we'll have the fun, friendly, and frantic competition that is our Spring Fellowship Quest Events. Always expect the unexpected at Quest!

Plus we'll be celebrating our 50th Anniversary at all our events this year, don't miss this year's Spring Fellowship. Use the form on the back of this page to register today!

2014 Event Registration

Eswau Huppeday Event Registration

Please print clearly

Date: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Initial: _____

Address: _____

City & State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work or Cell Phone: _____

National Membership Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

OA Chapter or Troop #: _____ Email Address: _____

Health Form included: yes ☐ no ☐ AGE DURING THE EVENT REGISTERED FOR _____

I have read and understand the cabin policy _____

NEW POLICY FOR CABIN USE.

Staff cabins are for use by Lodge Officers and Advisers, People with health reasons that make camping hard and for any adults. Cabin space may be reserved when you register with the treasurer adviser. Unreserved cabins will be available first come, first served starting at 6:30 on the Friday of events. YOU MUST sign up for a cabin bunk at registration. DO NOT put your gear in a cabin before you check in assuming that space is yours! You may register for a cabin by snail mail or by email, but not by phone.

Registering or paying for:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date:</u>	<u>Fee:</u>	<u>Fee w / Discount</u>	<u>Payment</u>	<u>Staff Cabin space needed</u>
2013 Dues		\$12.00		_____	
2014 Dues		\$12.00		_____	
Winter Banquet	January 4, 2014	\$16.00	\$14.00	_____	
Carolina Indian Seminar (CIS) January	see separate CIS registration form				
Scoutmaster Camp Promotions Supper at Camp	February 5			_____	
Beaver Day	March 1	Free		_____	
Merit Badge University	March 8	Register with your Troop			
Spring Fellowship	March 21-23	\$23.00	\$19.00	_____	B ____ Top ____
Dixie Fellowship	April 25-27	see separate Dixie registration form			
First Ordeal, members	May 16-18	\$18.00	\$14.00	_____	B ____ Top ____
Second Ordeal, members	June 6-8	\$18.00	\$14.00	_____	B ____ Top ____
Third Ordeal, members	August 15-17	\$18.00	\$14.00	_____	B ____ Top ____
Brotherhood, list event	Free if you took your ordeal in 2012 or 2013	\$17.00		_____	
Fall Fellowship	September 12-14	\$35.00	\$31.00	_____	B ____ Top ____
LLD	October 11	\$8.00	\$8.00	_____	
Winter Banquet	January 3, 2015	\$18.00	\$14.00	_____	
Passport	2014 general lodge events	\$100.00		_____	Mark Cabin needs
TOTAL PAID					_____

Make Checks to Eswau Huppeday Lodge 560 Send to:

Jimmy Arthurs; 181 Oak Meadow Rd; Mooresville; NC 28115. Phone 704 663 3331. jcarthu@aol.com

*** You will earn a \$4.00 discount at the following events if pre-paid at least 12 days in advance: Fall Fellowship, all ordeals, Spring Fellowship, winter banquet. Letters postmarked at least 12 days will receive the discounted fee. You can ask for a refund if you cancel a registration 12 days in advance. Candidate fee is not discounted.**

* A Candidate fee of \$46.00 is the fee for the entire weekend for anyone joining the OA.

* The Brotherhood fee is for the brother's planning on obtaining Brotherhood at an ordeal or fellowship weekend and is in addition to the standard fee for the weekend.

* The Brotherhood fee is \$0.00 for those members that took the ordeal in 2012 or 2013.

* The Fall Fellowship fee includes 2015 dues of \$12.00.

* The Annual Passport includes Beaver Day, All Ordeals, Spring Fellowship, Fall Fellowship, LLD and 2015 Winter Banquet and 2015 dues. Everybody buying a passport by March 1st will receive the activity patches free. A BSA health form **MUST** be turned in with your passport fee or the fee will be returned.

* Any Ordeal Candidates completing their ordeal in 2012 or 2013 will be able to get Brotherhood free in 2014. The event Fee will still apply. Members taking the ordeal before 2012 or in another lodge will need to pay the \$17.00 fee.

*** A BSA health form will be required for each and every overnight event. The exception: You may send in a single health form when registering for several events at the SAME time, this includes those brothers buying a passport. Health Forms will not be saved unless sent with multiple registration.**

*** All participants will be expected to read and sign the Lodge Code of Conduct at each and every overnight event.**

Anniversary Celebration At Fall Fellowship

ESWAU HUPPEDAY

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Years of Cheerful Service

This year is a milestone for Eswau Huppeday as we mark 50 years of cheerful service. All our events this year will be a celebration of our Lodge's history, culminating with Fall Fellowship as our main 50th Anniversary event.

Save the Date: September 12-14, 2014

Use the registration forms in this issue to register for Fall Fellowship so you don't miss our on the 50th Anniversary Celebration.

On the next page, you'll find an order form with special pricing to order 50th Anniversary memorabilia. Take advantage of it an order yours today!

Scout Lodge Names Slate

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Other officers elected are Flay Anthony of Bessemer City, vice chief; William Poston of Mazeppa in Iredell County, secretary; Nick Posey of Statesville, treasurer; and Dave Kelly of Valdese, historian. A. C. Bowman of Hickory is the lay advisor and Howard Smith of Statesville is the professional advisor.

The group selected "Eswau Huppeday" which means "Broad River" in the Catawba Indian language as the name of the lodge. Serving on the name committee was Sam McDowell of Statesville. Elections for new members of the Order of the Arrow will be conducted during the month of September, with induction set on October 10.

ESWAU HUPPEDAY HISTORY

Statesville Record & Landmark - September 7, 1964

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Do You Have Any Eswau History?

We are in search of photographs, lodge newsletters, any item of lodge history that you or someone in your troop or family might have from the early beginnings of the lodge would be most appreciated. Use the contact form on eswau.net to let us know what you have.



Eswau Huppeday will be celebrating it's 50th anniversary in 2014. We will be having special activities during the Fellowships and will be offering some special collectibles.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address _____

Send to: Jimmy Arthurs jcarthu@aol.com

181 Oak Meadow Rd,

Mooresville, NC 28115.

Phone 704 663 3331

Date Received: _____

I want my order shipped: Yes ☐ No ☐

Total Enclosed: _____

<i>Official Lodge Item</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Price</i>	<i>Total</i>
3 piece woven flap set celebrating some of our major flap designs		\$9.00	
W1 Yellow inner border woven flap, (single flap from set)		\$3.50	
W2 Pink inner border woven flap, (single flap from set)		\$3.50	
W3 Red inner border woven flap, (single flap from set)		\$3.50	
Gold ghost flap 8 colors 5"x 2"		\$5.00	
4" pocket patch celebrating 50 years of service.		\$5.00	
Sash patch celebrating 50 years of service.		\$4.00	
50th anniversary flap. 5" x 3" flap		\$5.00	
3 piece 2014 activity patch set for SF, FF, WB.		\$9.00	
2014 Dixie Fellowship flap. 5" x 3" flap		\$5.00	
I of all items listed above		\$38.00	
	PART 1 SUBTOTAL		
50th Anniversary Jacket Patch		\$15.00	
50th Anniversary Neckerchief		\$15.00	
I want my order shipped & have included the fee	Optional shipping	\$7.00	
TOTAL OF ORDER			

All orders with payment due Feburary14th 2014
You can send the order anytime, no need to wait.



ESWAU HUPPEDAY LODGE #560

ORDER OF THE ARROW, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Code of Conduct Eswau Huppeday Lodge

The success or failure of Eswau Huppeday Lodge depends on the conduct of each individual brother that attends. As a Scout and an Arrowman, I understand and will observe all rules and regulations of the Piedmont Council, the Order of the Arrow, the Boy Scouts of America, and will observe the reasonable demands made of me. As a member of the Order of the Arrow, I will:

1. Observe the Scout Law, Scout Oath, and the Obligation of the Order of the Arrow.
2. Wear my officially designated uniform as required throughout the event, specifically during travel to and from the event, during all ceremonies or shows, during Saturday evening supper, and during the chapel service/business meeting.
3. Attend the planned and general training sessions.
4. Confine the trading and swapping of Scout related items to free periods and in designated areas only.
5. Be personally responsible for the breakage, damage, or loss of property.
6. Observe quiet hours and lights-out hours.
7. Keep my quarters clean and dispose of trash in the proper places.
8. Register and pay for all events that I attend.
9. Allow no unregistered person to occupy my quarters.
10. Shirts and shoes will be worn at all times in accordance with BSA policy.
11. No alcohol or illegal drugs will be allowed on camp property.
12. Observe BSA tobacco use policy.
13. Not to leave camp without permission of the event adult leadership.
14. Remember that I am a guest of Eswau Huppeday Lodge, of Piedmont Council, and Camp Bud Schiele.
15. Park only in designated areas unless approved. Designated areas include the activity field and the parking lot. See the adult leadership for other approved parking or driving while at camp.
16. Abide by the BSA Guide to Safe Scouting.

The Boy Scouts of America prohibits the use of alcoholic beverages and controlled substances at encampments or activities on property owned and/or operated by the Boy Scouts of America, or at any activity involving participation of youth members. Adult leaders should support the attitude that young adults are better off without tobacco and may not allow the use of tobacco products at any BSA activity involving youth participants.

All Scouting functions, meetings, and activities should be conducted on a smoke-free basis, with smoking areas located away from all participants.

References: Scoutmaster Handbook, No.33009, and Health and Safety Guide, No. 34415

I understand that the failure to abide by these rules as approved by the Lodge could result in my removal from camp premises, the OA event, the OA lodge, and or Scouting.

Printed name of member _____ Date _____

Signature of Member _____ Date _____

Signature of parent or if member is under 18 _____ Date _____

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ESWAU HUPPEDAY - EVENT DATES

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Lodge Leadership Development	Saturday October 11, 2014