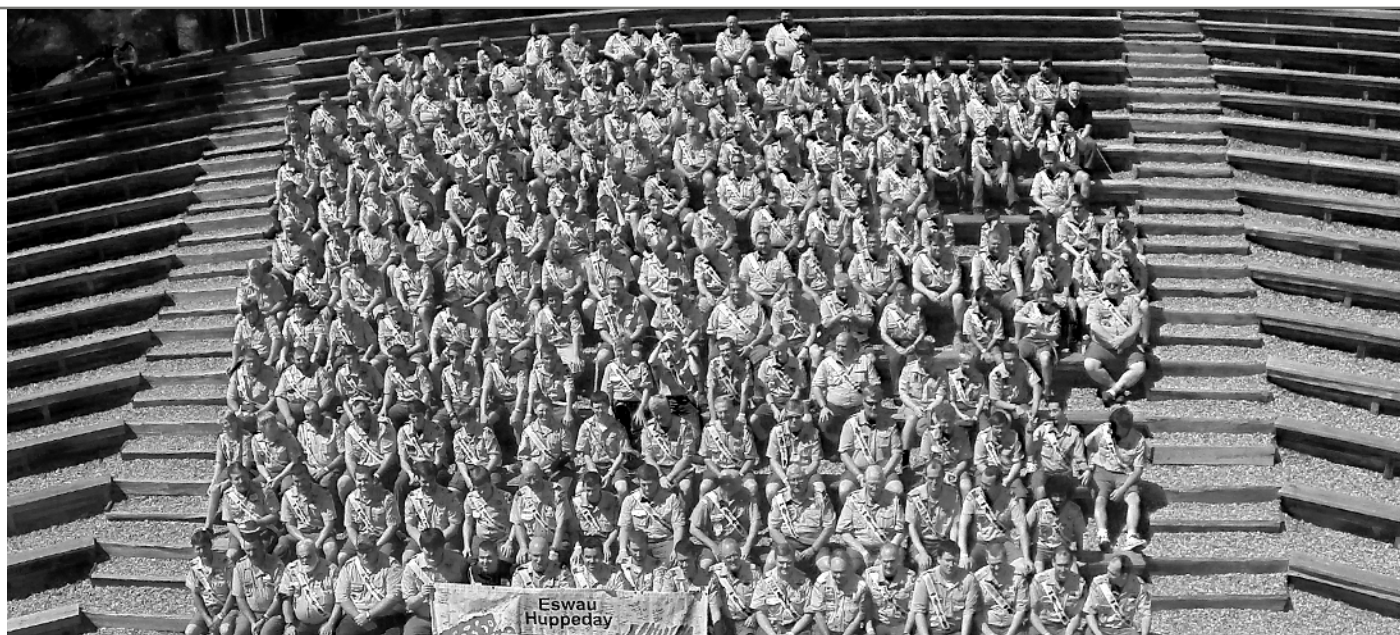




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Eswau Huppeday
Lodge,



As 2014 is drawing
to an end I would like

to express my extreme happiness with this year's events. Fall fellowship was outstanding, and on behalf of our Lodge's leadership, thank you to those of you who pre-registered.

Our next event is Winter Banquet and I encourage everyone to attend. We will be wrapping up the 2014 year along with trivia, a catered meal, and much more. Winter Banquet is also a good opportunity to ask questions about the upcoming year and events. With this said, please pre-register if at all possible. I hope to see you all there.

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As your new Lodge Chief, I would like to thank you for electing me to serve you and our lodge in the upcoming year. I look forward to working with the new lodge leaders in making this upcoming year fun and successful. Those attending NOAC, please keep an eye on your email for updates concerning travel plans, and the event.

I am here to serve you, so if you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please feel free to contact me with the provided email address.

Our 50th anniversary year was a very good year, but let's make the 51st even better. I hope you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving Holiday, and a Merry Christmas.

With Brotherhood, Cheerfulness, and Service,

Lodge Chief Nathan Davis

2015 Eswau Huppeday Event Registration

Please print clearly

Date: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Initial: _____

Address: _____

City & State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work or Cell Phone: _____

National BSA Membership Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

OA Chapter or Troop #: _____ Email Address: _____

Health Form included, we only need PART A & B: yes ___ no ___

AGE DURING THE EVENT REGISTERED FOR: up through 17 _____ 18-20 _____ over 21 _____

Registering or paying for:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date:</u>	<u>Fee:</u>	<u>Fee w / Discount</u>	<u>Payment</u>	<u>Staff Cabin</u> <u>space requested</u>
2014 Dues		\$12.00		_____	If bottom bunk
2015 Dues		\$12.00		_____	needed,
2016 Dues		\$12.00		_____	include reason
Winter Banquet	January 3, 2015	\$20.00	\$14.00	_____	
Carolina Indian Seminar (CIS)	January 23-25	<i>see separate CIS registration form</i>			
Scoutmaster Camp Promotions Supper at Camp				_____	
Beaver Day	March 7	Free		_____	
Spring Fellowship	March 27-29	\$26.00	\$20.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
Dixie Fellowship	April 24-26	<i>see separate Dixie registration form</i>			
First Ordeal, members	May 15-17	\$20.00	\$14.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
Second Ordeal, members	June 5-7	\$20.00	\$14.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
Third Ordeal, members	August 21-23	\$20.00	\$14.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
Brotherhood, list event	<i>Free if you took your ordeal in 2013 or 2014</i>	\$20.00		_____	
Fall Fellowship	September 13-15	\$36.00	\$30.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
LLD	October 12	\$14.00	\$14.00	_____	Bot____ Top____
Winter Banquet	January 2, 2016	\$20.00	\$14.00	_____	
Passport	2015 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. jcarthu@aol.com Phone 704 663 3331.

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.

I have read and understand the cabin policy _____

*** You will earn a \$6.00 discount at the following events if pre-paid at least 10 days in advance: Fall Fellowship, all ordeals, Spring Fellowship, winter banquet. Letters postmarked at least 10 days will receive the discounted fee. You can ask for a refund if you cancel a registration 10 days in advance. Candidate fee is not discounted.**

* A Candidate fee of **\$48.00** 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 2013 or 2014.

* The Fall Fellowship includes 2016 dues of \$12.00.

* The Annual Passport includes Beaver Day, All Ordeals, Spring Fellowship, Fall Fellowship, LLD and 2016 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 2013 or 2014 will be able to get Brotherhood free in 2015. The event Fee will still apply.

Members taking the ordeal before 2013 or in another lodge will need to pay the \$20.00 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.**

Fall Fellowship - 50th Anniversary Celebration

It was a very special Fall Fellowship this year. One in which we celebrated 50 Years of Cheerful Service as an Order of the Arrow Lodge. Opening campfire was moved into the Dining Hall due to rain but it certainly



didn't dampen our campfire spirit. The evening was filled with laughter at the skits and songs presented by our Chapters. There was even a special 50th Anniversary Song written and performed by B-nut Putter!

The morning was packed with lots of great activity and fellowship in our training cells, followed by another stellar lunch from our fabulous Cook Team. After lunch, we gathered for a group photo in the amphitheater and stayed for a special presentation from former Lodge Chiefs and other leaders. It was an amazing session covering our lodge's history of service and brotherhood and included several moments of great inspiration for our future.

The session was a hard act to follow, but the Quest events came through with a really fun series of challenges that also celebrated our history. When the rain came back again, it was welcomed for the giant soapy mess of the slip-n-slide challenge.

That evening we gathered for a wonderful catered meal and fellowship that included sometimes hilarious and sometimes touching remembrances from the past 50 years of our lodge. All-in-all the 2014 Fall Fellowship was a great combination of fun, fellowship, and celebration.

New Lodge Officers Elected

Lodge Officer Elections were held at the 2014 Fall Fellowship. Here are the Arrowmen that will be leading Esauw Huppeday to NOAC and serving during the 100th Anniversary of the Order of the Arrow.

Lodge Chief
Nathan Davis

Vice Chief of Program
Matthew Baker

Vice Chief of Administration
Philip Guadagno

Vice Chief of American Indian Affairs
Thomas Colton

Secretary
Zach Caldwell

Treasurer
Blair Hollar



Nv ya o sa ni Chapter Report

got chapter report?



submit it
online!

On October 14, 2014 we elected new chapter officers. Jordan Chatham was elected as Chapter Chief. Ceremony team is preparing for their Cub Scout ceremonies and the Call Out ceremony. We currently meet every second Tuesday of each month rotating between Statesville and Mooresville. We will start taking orders for Chapter t-shirts next month. We currently have 4 members signed up to attend NOAC with a few on the waiting list.

eswau.net/contact-us/submit-chapter-report/

2015 Dixie Registration – April 24-26

Dixie Registration Fee of \$46.00 is due by January 14th to lock in your spot and to make sure you will get all items. Registrations will be excepted after the deadline for as long as the host lodge will except them, but do not expect to get all of the items. The Dixie fee includes a delegate patch, participation pin, lodge delegate t-shirt, and a lodge Dixie delegate flap. 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: _____

Dixie 2015 will be held at Belk Scout Camp at 9408 Belt Road, Midland NC 28107

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

Registration deadline is January 14th to get all delegate items. If you wait, you may not get to go or get all delegate items. Your registration will be returned if you do not include your health form.

Dixie 2015 Pre- Order Form Name on Order _____
Dixie Pre-order payment is due by January 14th.
You can order patches even if you are not attending Dixie

Lodge Preorder	Quantity		Total	Flap orders will be accepted until February 14th
Lodge delegate flaps ordered		\$3.00		Payment due by February 14th.

Official Dixie Items ORDER	Quantity	Price	Total	Circle size, men's sizes
Dixie Delegate Pocket Patch		\$6.00		
Dixie Delegate Ghost Patch		\$6.00		
Dixie Jacket Patch		\$17.00		
Dixie Chenille		\$30.00		
Dixie Coffee Mug		\$10.00		
Dixie Hat		\$18.50		
Dixie Hat Pin		\$5.00		
Dixie Neckerchief		\$20.00		
Dixie Neckerchief Slide		\$8.00		
Dixie Bolo-Tie		\$12.00		
Dixie Decal		\$5.00		
Dixie Coin		\$8.00		
Vigil Medallion and Ribbon		\$15.00		
Dixie T-shirt (S-XL)		\$17.00		S M L XL
Dixie T-shirt (2XL-3XL)		\$19.00		XXL XXXL
Staff Polo Shirt (S-4XL)		\$26.00		S M L XL XXL XXXL XXXXL
Staff T-shirt (S-XL)		\$17.00		S M L XL
Staff T-shirt (2XL-3XL)		\$19.00		XXL XXXL
Staff Hat		\$18.50		
Service Lodge Flap		\$5.00		
Service Lodge Red Sash		\$20.00		late orders for this items will not be excepted
Dixie Preorder total				Payment due by Jan 14th.

If you are not attending Dixie, but are ordering Dixie Memorabilia please list someone who can pick up your order for you _____, **make sure they know to ask for your order:**

Any preorder not picked up within 12 months will become property of the lodge

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 flaps or pre orders mailed after Dixie.



NOAC's Cup Runneth Over

On October 1st, National OA announced that they had reached full capacity for NOAC. Eswau Huppeday had procured 40 spots in advance, 26 were taken at the time of the announcement and the remaining ones filled quickly. The lodge acted fast to start a wait list and on October 10th, we formally requested additional spots if they became available.

On November 6th, National announced that "Additional room has been secured so that every youth member can attend the conference, who were initially registered or on the wait list through October 10, 2014." However, this is only accomplished by reducing the number of adults that were requested by each council contingent.

The good news: we are one of the fortunate lodges and were increased to 60 delegates. Many of our neighboring lodges were not so fortunate and have contingents half the size of ours. The bad news: the amount of adults that can attend will be limited.

An email was sent on November 20th with more details. Adults can still apply for a national staff position at: event.oa-bsa.org/events/n2015/conf/staff.htm

American Indian Affairs Kickoff on January 3rd

When you were first becoming an Arrowman, you were conducted through the ordeal by the ceremonies teams. Maybe you have had the pleasure of watching dancers spin and turn as they danced gracefully. Or perhaps, you have seen and heard your very own, Eswau Huppeday Sing Team giving an awe-inspiring performance.

The Order of the Arrow offers a unique opportunity for you to participate in American Indian Affairs. Eswau Huppeday had traditionally been a force to be reckoned with when it comes to American Indian Affairs. If you have ever wanted to join the Ceremonies, Dance, or Sing Teams, now is a great time to do it. **Come out to the AIA Kickoff at 1:00 pm on January 3rd** at First United Methodist Church in Hickory, and then stick around for Winter Banquet that evening.

– Thomas Colton, VC AIA

2015 Carolina's Indian Seminar - First Timer's Guide

Who Can Attend CIS?

This event is open to everyone with a desire to learn. Bring your Scout or church group or make it a family weekend. Registration starts Friday at 5:00pm – follow the signs. Uniforms are not required but appropriate attire is requested.

What happens at CIS on Friday?

The weekend begins with a Powwow on Friday night at 8:30pm. All dancers are welcome. When the MC calls for everybody to dance, you may enter the dance arena in your street clothes. It is preferable for you to wear long pants instead of shorts.



This is a great opportunity to learn Powwow protocol. There are normally a number of exhibition dances on Friday night. If you haven't determined the style of dance you want to pursue, this would be an excellent opportunity to see the different outfits and dance styles. Please bring a camping type chair to sit in if you are not dancing.

Where do I stay at CIS?

Rooms are provided in the college for sleeping. There are designated classrooms for Females and Males as well as an open area in the gym. Bring your cot and/or sleeping bag. Showers are available in the gym and restrooms are available on each hall. There are a number of local hotels if you prefer to stay off-campus.

Is there food at CIS?

On Saturday, breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided. Breakfast will be provided on Sunday. You will receive a wristband to tell you which mealtime to attend. Drinks and snacks will be available for purchase between meals.

Most people staying offsite eat breakfast at the hotel; old friends have supper at a restaurant; and many leave before breakfast on Sunday. We are trying to keep from increasing the event fee. One way to do this is to reduce the amount of food we throw away by having an accurate count for meals. Please indicate the meals you plan to eat on your registration form.

What happens at CIS on Saturday?

On Saturday, you will have the opportunity to attend as many as 5 classes starting at 9:00 am. A few classes may have a charge associated with them. An example would be an all-day class where you complete a pair of leather moccasins. Most classes, however, provide all of the materials you need free of charge.

There are approximately 125 classes available on Saturday. Everyone can find classes that suit their interests and skill level. The classes offered include outfit construction like beading, weaving, leatherwork, feather work, quill work, etc. as well as Powwow etiquette, dance styles/instruction, drumming, flute making, and basketry to name a few.

The instructors travel from all over the United States to teach. They are extremely knowledgeable and always happy to answer your questions. There will be vendors available Friday through Saturday to purchase outfit materials if you just can't wait to get started on your new outfit!



2015 Carolina's Indian Seminar - First Timer's Guide , continued...

The Saturday night Powwow, starting at 8:15pm, is an excellent time to show off some of the skills you acquired during the Saturday classes. We often have in excess of 200 dancers on the floor on Saturday night representing a large variety of dance styles. This is a learning Powwow. Don't be afraid to ask someone to help you with your dancing or to help you better understand Powwow protocol. Most of the young men and women you see dancing started at CIS in years past and love to show off their skills. Your family is welcome to come watch you dance – just remind them to bring a chair.

What happens at CIS on Sunday?

Sunday morning breakfast is served at 8:00am and will be followed by a religious service at 8:30. Plan to leave the campus by 9:30 or 10:00am.

CIS is a wonderful place to learn new skills and make lifelong friends. If you like the seminar weekend, the AICA committee, who hosts this Powwow, holds a local dance Father's Day weekend where you can rejoin your new friends and dance all weekend. The Cabarrus Powwow Association holds a Powwow in September where you can reunite once again. In addition to these local dances, your new friends would love for you to attend the Powwows in their communities.

We look forward to seeing you at CIS! For updates and if you have any additional questions, please go to **eswau.net**. And follow us on Facebook: **facebook.com/carolinasindianseminar**

Winter Banquet on January 3rd

On Saturday January 3, 2015 Eswau Huppeday will hold it's annual Winter Banquet at the First United Methodist Church in Hickory NC. At this event, we'll look back on the past year of Lodge activities and look forward to celebrating the Order of the Arrow's 100th Anniversary in 2015.

The AIA Kickoff starts at 1:00pm and the dinner will begin at 6:00pm. We'll have a fun evening program of awards, trivia, prizes, remembrances, and of course, the Nabby Awards.

**I DON'T OFTEN GO TO BANQUETS
BUT WHEN I DO ...**



CHECK YOUR ADDRESS LABEL ON THIS ISSUE – IT MAY BE YOUR LAST

If your label says "Dues Paid Through 2014", this will be the last issue of the Elogamgussit you will receive until your 2015 dues are paid.



Eswau Huppeday 2015 Carolinas Indian Seminar Registration

January 23rd – 25th, 2015

Name_____

Address_____

Email_____

Youth____ Adult_____

Registering as: Participant (\$38)_____ Staff (\$20)_____

(If Staff, what event/classes will you be assisting with?)

Staying Onsite Yes_____ NO_____

Check meals you plan to eat:

Saturday Breakfast____ Lunch____ Supper____ CB____, and

Sunday Breakfast____ (This is an effort to reduce waste and keep costs down)

Registration must be postmarked by January 9, 2015

Mail to: Eswau Huppeday Lodge

C/O Tammy Miller

3005 Dresden Drive

Gastonia, NC 28056

Registration will not be accepted without payment.

Non Registered walk-ins on Friday night will be charged full price and will not be guaranteed meals.



2015 Carolinas Indian Seminar Group Registration Form

Name of Your Group – Include Lodge number if applicable

Adult Leaders: Two-deep gender appropriate leadership is required.

Leaders are responsible for Tour Permits and Medical Forms/Releases. Leaders are responsible for the conduct of their group at all times.

Leaders' Name	Sex	Mailing Address	City, State & Zip	Phone

Participants Name	Youth or Adult	Sex	Participants Name	Youth or Adult	Sex

List additional participants on the back of this sheet. Please make copies of this sheet if needed.

Please supply the following information:

Number of MALES needing accommodations at Mitchell Community College: _____
 Number of FEMALES needing accommodations at Mitchell Community College: _____
 Number of members staying in area motels = _____
 Write in number of members eating each meal: Saturday Breakfast _____ Lunch _____ Supper _____ CB _____
 and Sunday Breakfast _____ (This is an effort to reduce waste and keep costs down.)
 We have special meal needs (please circle yes or no) NO YES (If yes, please list details on back)
 We request vendor space (please circle yes or no) NO YES
 We need handicap considerations (please circle yes or no) NO YES (If yes, please list details on back)

Total Number of Participants _____
X \$38 Registration Fee x \$ 38.00
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

For additional information:

Contact Tammy Miller at 704-867-8525
 or southernunicorn@yahoo.com

REGISTRATION IS TRANSFERABLE BUT NOT REFUNDABLE.

**Please make check or money order payable to:
Eswau Huppeday Lodge**

Mail to:
 Eswau Huppeday Lodge
 C/O Tammy Miller
 3005 Dresden Drive
 Gastonia, NC 28056

Postmark by January 9th, 2015

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OA High Adventure for Eswau Brothers

You may have heard of the Order of the Arrow Summit Experience, or the Florida Sea Base Ocean Adventure, or the Philmont Trail Crew, or one of the two OA High Adventure programs offered at Northern Tier. Two of our lodge brothers recently participated in the Summit Experience program. The following is a Q & A session we had on Dylan Cody's experience.



Dylan Cody and Jimmy Register at the Summit

What exactly is the OA Summit Summer experience?

The OA Summer Experience is a ten day long adventure at the Summit High Adventure base. You stay for 8 days , 4 of which you do trail work. The rest of which, however, are spent doing high adventure activities around the summit.

What did you do for the work part of the trip?

We built a bike trail in one of the national forests neighboring the summit.

What was your favorite part of the trip?

My personal favorite part of the trip was the whitewater rafting on the new river, and just the general brotherhood you form with some of the other Arrowmen in your crew. I knew these guys for 8 days and yet they are some of the best friends I've ever had.

Where did you guys stay at the camp?

Our crew camped in campsite A, but we went to the summit center, the rocks, the canopy tour, and the Big Zip.

Who was on your crew?

There were ten youth and three foremen. Two of the youth were from our lodge, myself and Jimmy Register.

Would you recommend the experience to anyone else?

I would recommend the trip to anyone who can go. It is a lot of fun, and you get a lot out of it.



To find out how you can have an OA High Adventure of your own, go to: adventure.oa-bsa.org

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ESWAU HUPPEDAY - EVENT DATES

Winter Banquet	Saturday January 3, 2015
Carolina's Indian Seminar	January 23 - 25, 2015
Merit Badge University	Saturday February 21, 2015
Spring Fellowship	March 27 - 29, 2015
Dixie Fellowship	April 24 - 26, 2015
First Ordeal	May 15 - 17, 2015
Second Ordeal	April 5 - 7, 2015
Third Ordeal	August 21 - 23, 2015
Fall Fellowship	September 18 - 20, 2015
Lodge Leadership Development	October 2 - 4, 2015