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WORKSHOP * FEBRUARY 15, 1975

Host: Machek N'Gult Chapter Supplement to the MacheK Newsletter

WHERE: SCOUT SERVICE CENTER
8480 Enterprise Way
Oakland

WHEN: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15
10:00 am

WHO CAN COME: ANY REGISTERED
member of the Order of
the Arrow who ~~is~~ interested
in Indian Lore and Ceremonies.

WHAT TO BRING: Uniform and sash,
pen or pencil, ceremonies
handbook (if you have them),
bag lunch, and yourself.

COST: The cost of this workshop
will be less than one
dollar. This cost will pay
for a notebook that you
will be given when you
register.

ACTIVITIES

- Indian Dancing (Beginning)
- Indian Drumming
- Preparation and presentation
of tap-outs and Ordeal
ceremonies.
- Costume Building

WHAT IT IS: The ceremonies
workshop is a gathering of
members with an interest
in O.A. ceremonies and
Indian Lore. The program
will include several types
of Indian Lore and ceremonies.
The purpose of this workshop
is to give you a working
knowledge of O.A. cere-
monies. Your direct parti-
cipation will be stressed.

PRE-REGISTRATION is necessary
so that enough notebooks
will be available. Mail the
form below to:

Order of the Arrow
SFBAC
Ceremonies Workshop
8480 Enterprise Way
Oakland, Ca 94621

Please send no money.
Pay at the door.

In Brotherhood,
Greg Lawler, Chair-
man

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ORDER OF THE ARROW
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA COUNCIL

ACHEWON NIMAT LODGE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Ceremonies Workshop February 15, 1975

NAME: _____ VILLAGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ HONOR: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

THIS IS YOUR PERSONAL COPY OF THE CHAPTER NEWSLETTER.

HELP!!! This newsletter needs a name... See page 5.

THANK YOU

===== MACHEK N'GULT
Vol.1 No.2 + Circulation: Yes, we have one + Order of the Arrow

NOTE OF THANKS

Thank you so much for the gorgeous poinsetta and roses that were given to me for Christmas from your Chapter.

Mrs. Bev Craney

GOLDEN ACORN VILLAGE

CHIEF: Greg Hoff 339-0692

Announcing.....

a VILLAGE MEETING.. February 5
at FRICK JR. HIGH SCHOOL
located at 2845-64th Ave.
in Oakland.

Become a part of a new growing village, please come to the village meeting.

Live Oak Village will host this meeting, so come and show Live Oakians that Golden Acorn is number ONE in Oakland.

For more details, phone Greg Hoff.

The Village is looking for an Advisor. If any adult is interested, please phone Mr. Bill Lewis at 276-0731.

A letter from the Chief, namely Greg Hoff, will be mailed to you shortly.

AMANGI NECHOCHWEN VILLAGE

Village meetings are held on the first Saturday of each month at the FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH 20080 Redwood Road, Castro Valley at 9:30 am.

The next Village meeting will be held on February 1.

Interested in Indian Dancing? Join the Amangi Dance Team.

CHIEF: Stan Mason 278-6813

VICE: John E. Lutz 276-7702

SEC/TRES: Brian Mueller

ADVISOR: Mr. Lee Mason 278-6813

Congratulations to Cleveland Williams, Jr. and Mr. Tom Preston for receiving special recognition plaques and brown bead at the Lodge dinner last month at H'S Lordships in Berkeley.

LIVE OAK VILLAGE

CHIEF SPEAKS OR WRITES

My Brothers:

For the Village to run smoothly, committees were formed. However, these committees can not be run by the officers. It takes the combined effort of all members to make the committees and Village GO!!! The Village faces many new challenges this new year. With everyone working together, we can meet them and be proud for our efforts. So don't sit back and do nothing, join a committee and be a part of a growing and exciting Village.

/s/ Cleve Williams

LIVE OAK VILLAGE * LIVE OAK VILLAGE * LIVE OAK VILLAGE **

CHIEF: Cleve Williams	638-0225	ADVISOR: Tom Preston	531-5240
VICE: Rick James	531-3828	SECRETARY: Ron Heffner	530-0136
VICE: Ron Anderson	531-1967	TREASURER: Bill Hitchings	635-4051

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 5 Village Meeting; Frick Jr. High School, Oakland
7:30 pm

February 28- Snow Trip (See below for details)
March 2

March 8 Skill Award Rally

May 10 District Dinner

May 16-18 Camporee at Yosemite

Village Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month at Frick Jr. High School= 2845-64th Ave., Oakland at 7:30 pm.

VILLAGE SNOW TRIP

On the weekend of February 28-March 2, the Village will have snow trip to Yosemite. There will be skiing and other snow activities. The cost is only \$12.00. The cost includes transportation, cabin rentals, and park fees. There are only 24 openings left, so make your reservation NOW!!! Phone Bill Hitchings at 635-4051.

CAMPOREE 1975

Preparations for the Camporee at Yosemite (Yes- Yosemite) are going well. Four committees are working to make this Camporee a success, these are: (1) Campfire, (2) General Program, (3) Campsite, and (4) Ceremonies. For these committees to run smoothly, your help is needed. For more information, phone Ron Anderson or Rick James. (Editor's note: There is a rumor that the staff for the Camporee will be able to skip school for a day or two.)

COMMITTEES

In January, the camp promotions and unit elections committees will be in full operations. Initial plans have already been made. If you would like to work on any of these committees, please phone Cleve Williams at 638-0225.

VILLAGE DUES

At the December Village Meeting, the general membership voted to have a one dollar (\$1.00) village dues to be paid annually to the Village Secretary. The dues will cover the cost of costumes, newsletters, and other needed materials. Please fill out the form in this issue and mail it to Bill Hitchings TODAY!!!! (Editor's note: Live Oak joins the Amangi Nechochwen with the village dues idea. With more money, Live Oak can be the best Village in the Lodge.)

The following article is re-printed from the HIGH EAGLE, December 1974, the Talako Lodge's newsletter.

From: Staff Advisor's Corner

YOU- a member of the Order of the Arrow. Elected by your fellow Scouts. Why? Was it because you were popular in your Troop or Post, or was it because you were setting the pace, being the organization, helping others to advance and share the fun of Scouting.

STOP- Do we stop breathing, camping, enjoying the fun and fellowship when we became members of the Order of the Arrow?

CHALLENGE- I would rather believe that every O.A. member accepted the challenge to advance further in the ranks of Scouting, become a better camper and outdoorsman and, above all challenge, the members of his unit in the Scouting way.

OPPORTUNITY- (It) is yours to help build a stronger patrol, Troop, or Post. Yours to give service and leadership at Camporees, Scout-O-Ramas, and Camp Staff. Yours to participate in the great outdoor program, Area and National conference, meeting and making new friends. Yours to encourage every Scout and Explorer to participate in community service programs. Yours, by physical effort, to make our camps a better place for more Scouts, and yours to help promote more units and more Scouts and Explorers to attend Summer Camp.

REWARDS- The pay only comes from the knowledge of a job-well-done, along with the fun and fellowship of your being a part of all this. (Con't on next page)

++++ Special thanks to ++++
TALAKO LODGE #533 (Marin Council)

Mrs. Bev Craney

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WAMPUM BEADS

How many times have you seen someone grab the shirt of the guy with the beads and hiss "Give me my bead!!!"? Have you ever wondered what all those beads stood for? Well here is a brief history of the system itself.

The bead system was developed in 1970 as a quick and easy way to show what an Arrowman had done in the Lodge, and what activities he had attended (it also shows his honor). The beads make a colorful necklace and a good conversation piece.

Now, here is the bead color code that you can cut out and save...

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WAMPUM BEAD COLOR CODE

Activity Beads

- RED - Ordeal*
- YELLOW - Service and Work Projects
- WHITE - Village Functions
- BROWN - Chapter Functions
- DARK BLUE - Lodge Functions
- LIGHT BLUE - Lodge Officers
- BLACK - L.E.C.M.
- RED, WHITE and BLUE - National Confer.
- LIGHT & DARK BLUE and BROWN - Scout-O-Rama
- LIGHT BLUE (again) - Conclaves

Honor Beads (Wooden)

- Red - One for each honor, i.e. Ordeal, Brotherhood, Vigil.
- Brown - Special Recognition

* Your induction doesn't count.

STAFF ADVISOR'S CORNER (Cont)

THANKS- My personal thanks go to all those leaders and members for helping to make Scouting happen in the lives of all boys.

Dick Hacke
Staff Advisor
Talako Lodge #533

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PERSONNEL CHANGES

- TIM BERGDAHL- Appointed Lodge Secretary and Editor of the Lodge's Arrow Point.
- JOHN E. LUTZ- Advanced from 2nd Vice-Chief of the Amangi to 1st Vice (taking Tim Bergdahl's position.)
- BERNIE MILLER- Appointed the Chapter Newsletter Editor (taking the vacated position of Tim Bergdahl)
- GREG LAWLER- Appointed Ceremonies Workshop chairman.
- GREG HOFF- Appointed Golden Acorn Village Chief.

LODGE CALENDAR

- February 15- Lodge Ceremonies Workshop. See info sheet enclosed.
- March 2 - LECM host: Machek N'Gult Oakland Scout Service Center. Phone Village Chief for more info.
- March 14-16 - Ordeal at Los Mochos Host: Machek N'Gult
- April 4-6 - Section W-3A Conclave

See Village calendars for other O.A. activities.

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GENERAL INFORMATION FOR NEW O.A. MEMBERS

Village: Villages are geographical areas which corresponds to the Councils Districts. If you are in the Live Oak District then you are in the Live Oak Village. The only exception is the Charrowood District; if you are in this district then you are in the Amangi Nechochwen Village.

UPDATE

++ LIVE OAK VILLAGE ++

There are only 14 spaces left for the snow trip. More help is needed for the Camporee.

++ GOLDEN ACORN VILLAGE ++

Help is needed to operate this new and growing Village. If you can spare just ONE hour a week, phone Greg Hoff.

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LODGE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Have a comment to make on the operation of the Lodge? You are now invited to attend the next LECM on Sunday, March 2 at the Scout Service Center in Oakland. For more information, please phone your Chapter or Village Chief.

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HAVE AN O.A. PROBLEM?

If your Village Chief can not help you with a problem, please phone one of these individuals.

Machek N'Gult Chapter:

Chief: Jerry Sakamoto 278-0689
Advisor: Bill Lewis 276-0731

OHLONE CHAPTER:

Chief: Bruce McDannold 846-7309
Advisor: Bill Sills

ROYANBH CHAPTER:

Chief: Charles Disharoon
586-0243
Advisor; Mike Strain ~~467~~ 5445
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↑ DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR DUES!!

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VILLAGE DUES

MACHEK N'GULT CHAP.
JAN/FEB 1975 * 5

LIVE OAK VILLAGE AND THE AMANGI NECHOCHWEN VILLAGE charges one dollar per Lodge calendar year for dues. The dues cover the cost of Village supplies, newsletters, and other needed materials.

If the address on the reverse side is incorrect, please cross out the incorrect part and write in the correct version.

VILLAGE: _____ HONOR: _____
PHONE NUMBER: _____ UNIT NUMBER: _____

ENCLOSED: \$ _____ ADULT? _____ YES; _____ NO

Send this form and dues to:

AMANGI NECHOCHWEN: Brian Mueller, Treasurer
19126 Garrison Ave., Castro Valley 94546

LIVE OAK VILLAGE: Bill Hitching, Treasurer
7675 Surrey Lane, Oakland, CA

MAKE SURE YOUR ADDRESS LABEL IS ATTACHED TO THE BACK OF THIS FORM.
IF NOT, WRITE YOUR CORRECT NAME AND ADDRESS!!!

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YOUR CHAPTER NEWSLETTER NEEDS A NAME!!!

If you have an idea for the name of this bi-monthly newsletter, write it down on a sheet of paper and mail it to: Bernie Miller
2325-9th Ave
Oakland 94606

The best name received before Midnight, February 28, 1975 will receive a 50% reduction of the fee for an Ordeal or Fellowship before the end of the Lodge calendar year of 1974-75.

YOUR NEWSLETTER STAFF

Bernie Miller - Editor
Jerry Sakamoto - Ass't Editor
Greg Hoff
Cleve Williams - Village News
Mrs. Craney - assistance

PUBLICATION DEADLINE

The deadline to submit articles for the March/April 1975 issue is Sunday, March 2.

The Chapter Newsletter is published bi-monthly by the Machek N'Gult Chapter. The opinions expressed in this newsletter are those of the author and not necessarily those of the staff or officers of the Chapter, Village, or Lodge. Any rebuttals or comments are welcomed and can be sent to the editor.

EDITOR'S ADDRESS

BERNIE MILLER, Editor
2325 - 9th Avenue
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 Oakland, California 94621

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RUSH TO:

NOTE:
 Lodge Ceremonies
 Workshop info
 is on the ditto
 that is enclosed
 with this issue.

DATED MATERIAL + HAVE A NICE DAY!!!! + RUSH

IS YOUR ADDRESS CORRECT?
 If not, print your correct address here:

Section W-3A
 Conclave April 4-6
 See you there!!!

Mail this form and Village dues to the address
 on the reverse side.

MORE INFORMATION FOR THE NEW MEMBER

Chapter- Chapters are geographical areas. If you are in either Live Oak, Amangi Nechochwen (Charrowood), or Golden Acorn Villages (see page 5), then you are also in the Machek N'Gult Chapter. If you are in San Francisco, then you are in Royaneh Chapter. If you are in Mission Peak, Twin Valley, or South Villages, you are in the Ohlone Chapter.

Lodge- Your Lodge name is ACHEWON N'WAT #282. If you are in the San Francisco Bay Area Council, you are in this Lodge.

Village Meetings- Usually held once a month. Phone your Village Chief for dates and location.

Caution: Do not get discouraged, if your village chief can not help you with a problem, contact your chapter chief. If he can not answer your question or help with your problem, phone the Lodge Chief, Will Dashiell at 327-6236.

There are phone numbers throughout this issue. Phone any one of those people listed, they will be happy to assist you.

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS?

Next time you are at the Scout Service Center in Oakland, stop by and see Mrs. Craney. If it is more convient to write, then put your old or incorrect address and your new address on a sheet of paper and mail it to: Mrs. Bev Craney, Order of the Arrow SFBC 8480 Enterprise Way, Oakland. Or you can phone 638-3600 and ask for Mrs. Craney.