

The Arrow Point



San Francisco Bay Area Council

April 2006

Achewon Nimat Lodge

Words from the chief...

Hi Achie,
Thank you all for a well-planned out year and successful events so far! I would say that my best times have been spent with you all and want to keep it going as long as we can. I would like to have you all go to Conclave, the Upcoming Ordeal, and Scout-O-Rama so that I can personally say THANK YOU for your participation and support!

Yours in Brotherhood,
Thaddeus Lee

Thaddeus' Notes...

Village Reports:

Amangi – Spring Camporee coming up with Ohlone and Tulpe, Village Ceremonies Team going well, Elected 2 new members

Tulpe- No report

Royaneh – Held 2 elections and had 1 new Brotherhood at Achiefest.

Ohlone – Village fun weekend, Doing Tri-Camporee, elected 4 new candidates, 1 new Brotherhood at Achiefest.

Sunenen- 2 Arrow of Light Ceremonies, working on Brotherhood conversions and Camporee.

Committee Reports:

Klondike – Record attendance, made good profit to go towards program and NOAC scholarships, PERFECT snow, looking into getting staff recognition items.

Achiefest – Largest attendance in the past few years. It was very close, but Amangi took first place and won the Achiefest Axe.

Ceremonies- Did ceremony and got 2 new brotherhood, getting ready for conclave, practicing every Tuesday in Fremont.

NOAC – Meeting at Achiefest. Please contact Bill Parker immediately if you'd like to sign up. 29 going with the contingent.

Conclave – Register Today!

Arrowpoint – Need an Arrowpoint Chairman! Need articles and news of what's going on!

Camp Promotion – Getting Started, creating camp promo board, unit visitations, asking for any pictures of scouts doing things at camp.

Brotherhood – Have inducted 4 Brotherhood for the year. Need to promote Brotherhood at the village level.

Banquet – Need a chairman

Vigil – List of eligible Vigil is in this newsletter. Election will be at Spring Royaneh Ordeal.

Winter Camp Awareness – Need a chairman and need to start working on this now.

Web Page – Achie's page is currently on the council site <http://www.sfbac.org/oa/index.cfm>. All villages please check out Royaneh Village's page http://www.sfbac.org/gg/gg_0a.cfm on their district site and try to get information on your district web pages.

Lodge Calendar

April 28th - 30th

W3A Conclave @ Cutter Scout Reservation

May 19th - 21st

Royaneh Spring Ordeal

May 25th

Coldstone Fundraiser

July 29th-August 3rd

NOAC @ Michigan State University

September 8th-10th

Achie Retreat @ Los Mochos

September 29th-October 1st

Wente Fall Ordeal

October 13th-15th

Royaneh Fall Ordeal

November 3rd-4th

Vigil Ordeal @ Los Mochos

November 17th -19th

National Leadership Seminar

December 2nd

Winter Camp Awareness

December 9th

Lodge Banquet

Village Meetings

Ohlone

1st Thursday @ 7:30 p.m. Centerville Jr. High in Fremont

Amangi

3rd Thursday @ 7:30 p.m. Faith Lutheran Church in Castro Valley

Suenen

2nd Thursday @ 7 p.m. Sheriff's Training Center in Dublin

Royaneh

1st Monday @ 7:30 p.m. Zion Lutheran Church

Tulpe

2nd Tuesday @ 7:30 p.m. Leona Lodge in Oakland

Jump Start!

New Members, If you need help with your Brotherhood, please go to www.jumpstart.0a-bsa.org.

Yahoo Group

If you or anyone you know, who is a member of the lodge, would like to join the Achewon Nimat Yahoo group, please send an e-mail to wongnwo@aol.com and with your e-mail, name, and a request that you'd like to be added to the group.

Lodge Officers 2005-2006

Chief Thaddeus Lee (510) 483-3102

Vice Chief of Activities Daniel Salet (510) 790-1499

Vice Chief of Ordeals Brian Chalmers (415) 317-4012

Secretary VACANT-need election

Treasurer Will McMahn (925) 447-6288

Adviser Rob Wong (510) 305-7558

Associate Adviser Jim Smith (650) 992-7955

Associate Adviser Mark Clevenger (510) 972-0046

Vigil Eligibility List

Elections will be held at the spring Royaneh ordeal. Please submit your letters of nomination to Bill Parker, Barbra Erickson or Justin Costa. The following list is of the people who are eligible. Youth are in **bold**.

Bradley, Damerre
Bryson, Jason
Carey, Joshua
Deeds, Ryan
Dragon, Derick
Ely, Scott
Goebel, Matbew
Hellewell, Nicolas
Herrington, Trent
Leay, Kyle
Maboney, Tom
Malone, Thomas
Mayer, Christopher
Mays, Andrew
McMaban, Will
Oliovieri, Simon
Salet, Daniel
Smith, Andy
Trujillo, Kevin
Unsworth, David
Armstrong, Wilford
Brandon, Nathan
Brandon, Scott
Brewer, James
Byard, Lance
Costa, Kari
Dragon, Cynthia
Dragon, James
Dunn, Alan
Ely, Gary
Gibbins, John
Gleim, Michael

Helmholz, Hank
Hill, Elbert
Holsinger, Paul
Houriban, John D.
Johnson, Jay
Kitajima, Bob
Kozlow, Richard
Krause, Marcus
Kuznik, Tom
Loubain, Jesse
Malone, Lisa
Masuda, Calvin
Mayer, Michael
Nakao, Paul
Nygren, Merl
Oliovieri, Adam
Orosco, Ruben
Parker, Richard
Phair, James
Priest, Laura
Richardson, Jed
Schwaegerle, Gary
Schwaegerle, Marcus
Seymour, Larry
Tortorelli, Ron
Veatch, Wayne
Walton, Bill
Walton, John
Willson, Larry
Wright, Randy
Wynton, John

Brotherhood Eligibility List

The following people are eligible for their Brotherhood.

Durant, Joseph
 Gentile, Linda
 Harrison, Howard
 Nikssarian, Richard
 Amaral, Derek
 Carson, David
 Dowling, Matt
 Garvin, Jim
 Garvin, Charles
 Mitscha, Drew
 Rodriggs, Steven
 Aufderheide, Maurice
 Fliehr, David
 Fliehr, Alex
 Penalba, Giann
 Smith, Logan
 Stieber, Joseph
 Tanizawa, Steven
 Ajello, Julian
 Bellamy, John
 Bellamy, Sean

Deeds, Don
 Ethier, Christopher
 Ethier, Steven
 Hardwick, Michael
 LaDuca, Robbie
 Lindahl, Erik
 Noble, Will
 Pickering, Nick
 Prado, Tony
 Denbroeder, Justin
 Hill, Elias
 Hill, Matthew
 Mitchell, Geoffrey
 Fong, Justin
 Blea, Carlos
 Brewer, Bill
 Kuznik, Andrew
 Pellissier, Bryan
 Sims, Tom
 Sims, Benjamin

The following people will be eligible after summer

Hillar, Jacob
 Hillar, Paul
 Hopkins, Stephen
 Durant, Jay
 Frankland, Dylan
 Frankland, Richard
 Gulart, James
 Guido, Chris
 Dooley, Robert
 Rodriguez, David
 Fehr, John
 Chin, Alexander
 Kwong, Garrett
 Walton, Will
 Garrison, Greg
 Tipton-King, Jonathan

Donaldson, J.T.
 Smith, Weston
 Aufderheide, Nick
 Dohmann, Charlie
 Dohmann, Chris
 Russ, Louis
 Tripp, Kyle
 Graham, Brian
 Ward, Sam
 Miller, Mike
 Passanisi, Max
 Deeds, Justin
 Goodnow, Chris
 Rochon, Anthony
 Tom, Nicholas

Thank you to the following people who already got their Brotherhood this year:

Matt Ericksen
Jason Costa
Stephen Kay
Adrian Tsang



Words from the Lodge Adviser

Arrowmen,
Looks like we've been having a fabulous year so far! Keep up the Achie attitude and spirit!

I would just like to discuss a few things and will then let you absorb the rest of the info in this newsletter.

First I would like to announce the changeover of Village Advisers in Suenen village. If you haven't heard already, Liz and Scott Brandon have been appointed Village Co-Advisers for Suenen. I would also like to thank John Trundle for the years of service he has served as Suenen Adviser. Thanks John!

Second, we have a busy Spring with the Wente Ordeal, Conclave, Camporees, Royaneh Ordeal and Scout-O-Rama, so keep

these dates on your calendar and see which ones you can make it to. I know we'll see all you hardcore OA guys at all the events.

Last item for now is COMMUNICATE! I hear a lot of ideas and excitement from everyone I've spoken with! Stay up to date on what's going on! Keep in touch with your village chiefs, advisers, and other Arrowmen. Sign-up for the Achewon Nimat Yahooogroup. Be sure to get involved and don't be afraid to speak up at a meeting to bring up a good idea you have!

I look forward to seeing you at all of our events!

WWW,
Rob Wong
Lodge Adviser

NOAC Fundraiser

Attention Achewon Nimat! The NOAC contingent will be putting on a fundraiser at Cold Stone Creamery on, Thursday, May 25th from about 4 PMish to 9 PM. There will be a fundraiser flyer available at OA events and also on the council website. A percentage of the sales and tips will go to the NOAC contingent, so please support this fundraiser! Please keep this afternoon/evening reserved to go out with friends/family to Cold Stone to treat yourself to a

refreshing dessert, and at the same time supporting the NOAC contingent. Here is the address for the Cold Stone West off of Auto Mall Parkway exit off of 880.

Cold Stone Creamery
43562 Christy Street
Fremont, CA 94538



CONCLAVE!

Hey Achie,

Last year at Conclave, the Conclave Award was stolen from us; we lost by less than 5 points. We had great spirit, fierce competitiveness, and an amazing bunch of guys. Let's not let this one slip away from us.

Although I'm Section Chief and I can't compete in any competitions, I'll be rooting for Achie. I was there when our streak of 9 straight Conclave Awards came to an

end, and I know we can win it again.

Whether you're standing on the sidelines rooting for our handball team or going to all your training classes you can make a difference. Translate our Lodge Name and what does it mean? That's right, "Brother's United." Let's stand united and take home another Conclave Award!

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Brian Russ

Scout O Rama 2006

Scout-O-Rama this year will be held at Treasure Island on June 2nd-3rd. This year Achewon Nimat has been asked to serve Scout-O-Rama by doing the parking on Friday and Saturday. This year, vehicles that show up without a parking pass and do not have 3 or more individuals in the vehicle will get a \$5 parking fee, which will be donated to the NOAC contingent fund. In addition to parking duties, the lodge dance team has

been asked to be involved with the shows and we will have booths for Camp Promotions, Dance/Drum Team, OA, and a Webelos Fitness Booth, which will be a booth where we will do fitness requirements with participants for the Fitness and Athlete activity pins. To sign up, please contact Thaddeus Lee, thaddeusbsa@aol.com and Jim Smith, jasm10@pacbell.net.

Three Cheers for 282

Three cheers for two-eighty-two.
All of us together are brothers.
Red arrows across our chests,
We stand out, we are the best (we're the BEST!)
You can search any place anywhere,
But no other lodge can compare with,
The brothers of two-eighty-two!
At our ordeals, we have ideals,
We stand for service, HEY!

Thank you for who those who have registered for Conclave

The following individuals are pre-registered for conclave. There is a lot of fun and fellowship, along with fierce competition and Achewon Nimat needs more than just a few good Arrowmen to take the conclave award! We need the whole lodge!

Currently Registered: **43**

Amangi Nechochowen/Tres Ranchos Chapter: 12

- Chris Bieschke
- Ryan Blea
- Claude Brooke
- Joshua Carey
- Thaddeus Lee
- Chris Coon
- Michael Connelly
- Dylan Frankland
- Matthew Griffis
- Charles Hoffman
- Laura Priest
- Robert Wong

Ohlone/Mission Peak Chapter: 12

- Jason Costa
- Justin Costa
- Kari Costa
- Barbara Ericksen
- Jacob Hillar
- Paul Hillar
- Ed Jordan
- Stephen Kay
- Andrew Mays
- Rick Nygren
- Daniel Salet
- Larry Seymour

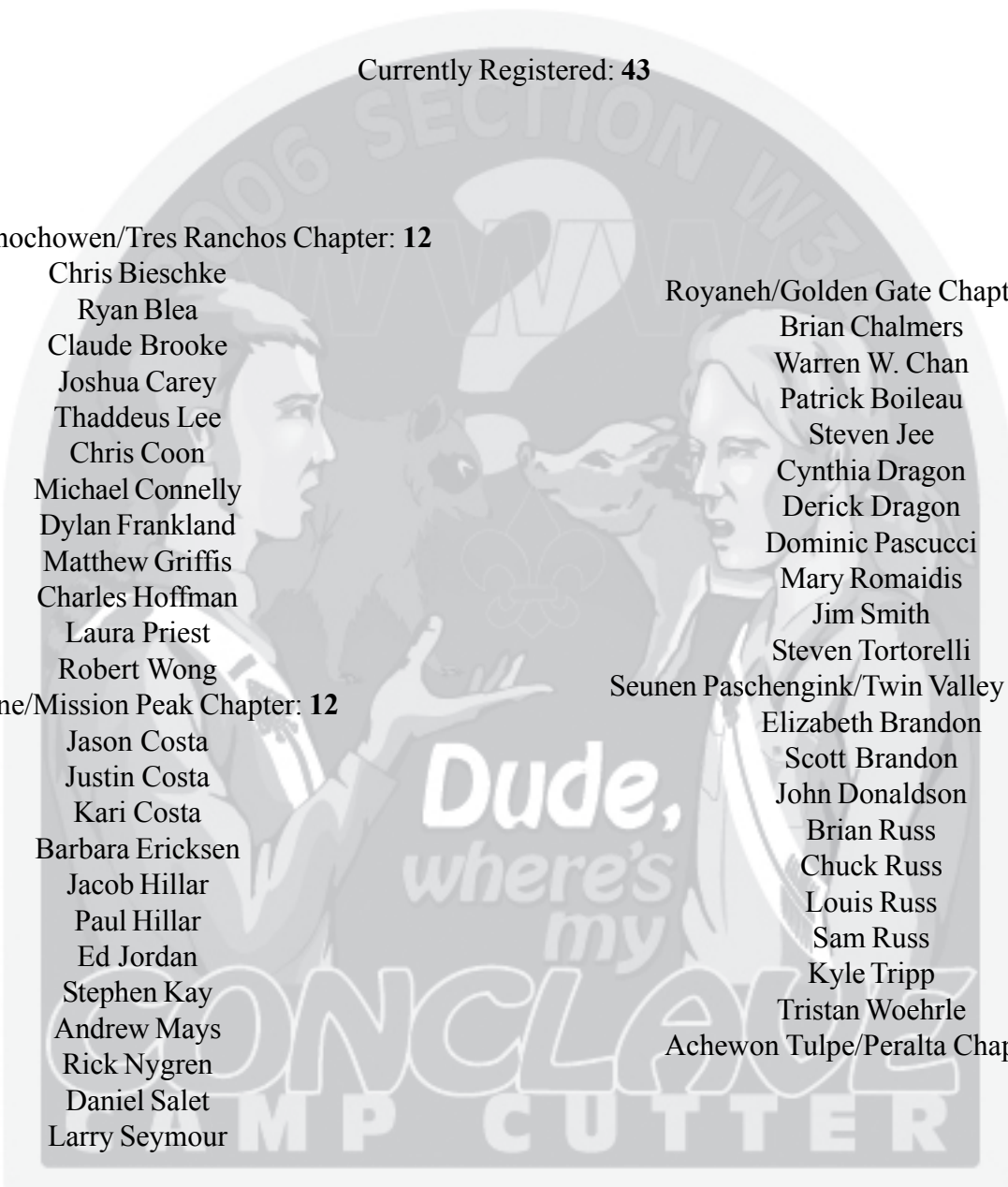
Royaneh/Golden Gate Chapter: 10

- Brian Chalmers
- Warren W. Chan
- Patrick Boileau
- Steven Jee
- Cynthia Dragon
- Derick Dragon
- Dominic Pascucci
- Mary Romaidis
- Jim Smith
- Steven Tortorelli

Seunen Paschengink/Twin Valley Chapter: 9

- Elizabeth Brandon
- Scott Brandon
- John Donaldson
- Brian Russ
- Chuck Russ
- Louis Russ
- Sam Russ
- Kyle Tripp
- Tristan Woehrle

Achewon Tulpe/Peralta Chapter: 0



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