



LEC Meeting 9/7/25

Officers in attendance: VC Service (Colton M.), VC Admin (Dennis C.), Chiefs (Sebastian W. and Ethan S.), VC Program (Stephanie C.) CC Wyhome-Pa-Tah (Sebastian S.), CC A-Bani-Ki (Jacob W.) CC Ne-Kee-Wa (Emory W. and Lydia V.)

10:40 - Meeting is called to order

10:40 - Obligation

10:41 - Old Business

10:41 - Officer Reports

10:43 - VC Program (Stephanie C)

Good weekend, some rain. The late late-night program went well. New VC - Beckham S.

10:44 - VC Admin (Dennis C.)

Emails for Oklawaha Conservation Day have been sent out. The website is still in progress, but much of the front end has been completed. We made \$637 this weekend at Lodge Box. Emails for Fall Festival were viewed more than 400 times, leading to the largest brotherhood class in more than 5 years. The spreadsheet for the Specialty Patch and Apparel inventory was completed, and the entire Lodge Box was reorganized and relabeled. As for our social media, we posted two new reels in the past week, with more than 2 and a half thousand views on the last

reel, and 12 thousand eight hundred views in the past 30 days. And for publications, Gator Tales was sent out two days ago on Friday.

10:45 - VC Service

Service went well, but I didn't finish the palettes. Worked at and completed at Paul Bunyan Day. Everything has been reorganized after the shelf broke.

10:45 - CC A-Bani-Ki (Not Present)

70 Members at FF. 29 Members get Brotherhood. The majority enjoyed the fall festival. Need to work on LNT

10:45 Advisor Lowaneu Mawat (Justin R.)

OK Conservation day is coming up, so is the chapter meeting for active members.

10:46 - CC Nee-Ke-Wa (Emory W. and Lydia V)

10 Members, all did brotherhood. They want to do their own elections. Push promotions via Gator Tales. Chapter meetings coming soon.

10:47 - CC Oi-Ya-Tah (Will K.)

13 Members attended, two did Brotherhood. Chapter meetings and instructions are upcoming.

10:47 - CC Wyhome-Pa tah (Sebastian S.)

An unknown number of members attended. Chapter meeting coming Sept. 17th.

10:48 - Section Conference Chair (Stephanie C.)

Everything has been fine, met with Admin and Service. Everyone was given a role and instructions. Moving forward, we are finalizing the budget.

Jacob W. Asks: Are we doing SC Planning at Winter Fellowship? - Yes

Ranger R. Says to assign cleaning by chapter, Stephanie C. agrees.

10:51 - New Business

10:53 - OK Conservation Day- Sep 13th

Serving lunch, then leaving. Participating in service as well. Will also be facilitating the Cub Scout Summertime Adventure/Camping Award.

10:53 - Paul Bunyan Day - Oct. 4th

The event will be held at TKSR. We (the Lodge) will be serving hot dogs at the event. Will also be helping out with one of the OK Conservation days, may allow for Cub Scouts to earn OA Camping Award. Will be working in the Dining Hall as well. It will be refurbishing the interior. Taking everything off the walls, all of the old section conference signs, patch boards, hymns, etc. Will be repainting the walls.

10:57 - Moving events

Moving LLD, as it's too quick a turnaround for school. The new date will be the 3rd or 4th Saturday in Sept. will also be done at the M.E. Rinker Center. The preference has been decided as the 4th weekend. Proposed date for FF would be Aug 28th-30th, as it'll land on Labor Day, followed by Rosh HaShannah. Possibly a new venue, either in Northern Palm Beach or Martin County. May or may not have a ceremonies lock-in.

Resolution to Move Date

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On a vote of 7-0, the motion passes.

11:07 - New Nee-Ke-Wa Chapter Chiefs

Amending bylaws to include co-chiefs in all positions.

Questions regarding the length and effectiveness of double chiefs have to be looked at. Jacob W.

Asks: How can we ensure that the two chiefs aren't 'slacking off'? Would we remove one chief

and replace them, or would it be one chief alone? Stephanie Asks: Would the other positions

(co-chiefs) be as effective with assistants compared to just having committee members? Brady

responds: You're going to have a lot of wiggle areas with co-VCs. You still need the basic

organizational structure, i.e., with Admin, we have a very structured bureaucratic process. For

every instance that you want co-chiefs, do it on a case-by-case basis.

Amending bylaws to extend the original Co-Chief amendment to include all Lodge positions.

A resolution has been tabled for the next LEC meeting in Oct.

11:18 - Sebastian S. Proposal

Proposal: yearly budget taken out of Lodge budget for chapter meetings/activities. \$300 per chapter, 10 meetings per year. Money would be distributed equally. Money would be given on a case-by-case basis, not handing the CCs a blank check. CC purchases the equipment, then is reimbursed by the lodge afterwards. It would be \$1500 a year. Chapters could fundraise at Blue and Golds using the seed money provided. A formal proposal is needed soon for a proper vote.

11:24 - Advisor's & Staff Advisor's Minute

YPT/SYT is to safeguard youth and adults. "Optics is everything". Whether you are 18/21/<17, remember to respect the individual.

Lodge Advisor: What is the admonition? Everyone here is held to a higher standard. We expect everyone on the LEC to be that example, and to be respectful to everyone around you. This weekend was amazing, almost as big as Spring Ordeal. Excited for the Winter Festival, and to see our new Brotherhood members there. Keep up the great work.

11:30 - Brick Proposal

The company approached Mr. Grabash (Ad. Admin), 4x8 brick for the walkway leading into the chapel . \$80 profit. Has not approached me (VC Admin) about the proposal. I need to do some engineering to ensure that the bricks do not get flooded. It would be a council-wide initiative.

11:31 - Song of the Order of the Arrow

NEXT LEC MEETING WILL BE IN OCT (5th or the 12th)