



POW WOW

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THE ARROWMAN

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POW WOW 2007 IS HERE!!!

Arrowmen,

I have had the pleasure of serving all of you this year as Lodge Chief. It has been a great year thus far for the lodge. A lot of changes are in store for Woa Cholena Lodge due to the new strategic plan that has been issued by the national committee. Some of our arrowmen along with myself had the privilege to attend the National Conservation and Leadership Summit where we went through training on how to better the lodge through the new strategic plan. A class will be taught at Pow Wow on this new information that has been released.

Pow Wow is of course coming up soon so please make preparations to attend. The weekend will consist of training, fellowship and fun. Once again I thank you for this opportunity to all of you this year.

In WWW,

Josh Aikens
2007 Woa Cholena Chief



2007 Upcoming Events

Event	Date/Time
Work Day	November 2/7:00 a.m.-dark
Fall Ordeal	December 8



ArrowCorp5

Brothers,

I am writing to inform you of an amazing opportunity this coming summer. The Order of the Arrow has partnered with the U.S. Forest Service to bring us *ArrowCorp5*. This event will be unlike any other experience before.

Promising to be the largest volunteer service effort ever undertaken by the Boy Scouts of America, both youth and adults will join you in the experience of preserving National Forests, our American treasures.

A willingness to cheerfully serve will be compensated with a day of fun and adventure. Each of the 5 sites offer a unique opportunity for all Arrowmen to enjoy the gift the National Forests offer.

Since you are an Arrowman, I know service plays a large role in your daily life. With that in mind, I was hoping that you would take this opportunity to provide an immeasurable service with your brother Arrowmen from across the country.

At Pow Wow, I will be giving a presentation during the business meeting that will give you complete details of *ArrowCorp5*. I look forward to seeing you and sharing more information with you about this awesome event. O yeah, and about the hundred bucks, please stay tuned to the *ArrowCorp5* presentation to find out more details.

Yours In Service,

Mark Norris

OA Strategic Plan

Like all organizations the Boy Scouts of America and the Order of the Arrow use strategic planning to make the organization more effective in achieving its purpose. A focus in the 2008-2012 organization for our Order is service to the council. Our lodge is addressing this in a number of ways including constructing new facilities at Camp Maubila, providing experienced arrowmen to serve on summer camp staff, and staffing other boy scout and cub scout functions in the districts.

During the next year the lodge will focus on helping council units see the benefits that can be obtained by participating in a summer camp program, specifically the program that will be offered at our council camp in 2008. The program and facilities at camp Maubila are much improved, and additional improvements are still in the works. Please extend an invitation to the lodge camp promotions committee to visit your unit so we can inform you about the fun your scouts will have attending your local council summer camp in 2008.

Steve Pierre
Lodge Adviser

