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Ktemaque Lodge's Centennial Celebration Breakfast

A Salute to Service in Scouting
Saturday, January 9, 2010 NEW DATE
9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Royal Regency Hotel in the Diamond Room
165 Tuckahoe Road in Yonkers, NY
Fee: \$17 per person

Registration and payment POSTMARKED

NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 18 are required! **NO WALK-INS!** Use the banquet registration form on the Ktemaque Lodge web site, the Council web site, or in this *Beaver Tracks*.

All Ktemaque Lodge members and their family members are invited. This is a family event, so parents, siblings, and other family members are welcome to attend. **Everyone who completed their Ordeal, Brotherhood Quest, or Vigil in 2009 should attend.**

The Program Committee is preparing an interesting program. There will be an **OA high adventures** presentation and information about **National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC)**. **Awards and recognitions** will be presented, and **everyone who completed his Ordeal or Brotherhood Quest in 2009 will receive a certificate.** Our Lodge leaders will be there and look forward to talking with you, and the food will be scrumptious!

The delicious **buffet breakfast** will consist of:

Fluffy Scrambled Eggs	Sweet Butter
Country Sausage	Assorted Teas
Crisp Bacon	Orange Juice
Homemade Breakfast Potatoes	
Waffles	Freshly Brewed Coffee
Pancakes	Decaffeinated Coffee
Freshly Baked Bagels	
Muffins	
Croissants	
Danishes	
French Rolls	
Assorted Fruit Preserves	

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Fall Ordeal/Service Weekend

Ktemaque Lodge #15 held its **Fall Ordeal/Service Weekend** on September 25-27, 2009 at Durland Scout Reservation in Putnam Valley, NY. Thank you to everyone who helped to make this a great weekend!

67 Ordeal Candidates completed their Ordeal, a record-breaking number of **41 Arrowmen completed their Brotherhood Quest,** and **4 Arrowmen were inducted into the Vigil Honor.**

Thank you to everyone who helped make it a successful weekend. Program Vice Chief **Joel S.** came up with the schedule and led the Fall Weekend. Lodge Chief **Bobby C.** supervised and served on the Ceremonial Team. Ordeal Master **Tucker W.** coordinated the projects with Service Vice Chief **Roberto B.** to ensure that each project was carefully completed to quality standards. **Clayton W.** served as the Vigil Chairman.

Elangomat Chairman **Will S.** advised by Elangomat Adviser **Joe McG.** oversaw and organized about ten volunteer Elangomats who helped provide the best possible Ordeal experience to the new members. **Jason D.** conducted a non-denominational interfaith service after breakfast on Sunday morning. **Robert C.** brought a special arrow that he designed and built that was used during the weekend. **Bob F.** did the pre-registration.

Ceremonial Team members **John B., Bobby C., Keith L., Kyle L., Timmy O' C., Tommy R., Will S., Clayton W.,** and **Tucker W.** performed impressive ceremonies. **Kevin W.** was their Adviser. Check-in staff included **Rob C., Fred G., Margaret L.,** and **Kevin McG.** The Trading Post was run by **Rob C.,** who also in his role as Lodge

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Last names, telephone numbers, and email addresses have been removed from this internet version.



**ORDER OF
THE ARROW**

Chiefly Speaking

Hello Ktemaque Lodge. First off, I'd like to congratulate all new Ordeal members, for whom this may be their first edition of the *Beaver Tracks*. I would also like to congratulate all new Brotherhood members for sealing their membership in the Order. I would also like to thank the Program Committee for their work on the Fall Service Weekend and the Service Committee for their work on the Thunderbird Games.

One thing I need to say is when you are registering for these events, please register on time because you cause the council and our lodge much hardship and there are consequences to running an effective program.

We are moving toward a better direction as we come to December. We are getting more people involved in the Lodge and we are on route to have many lodge positions filled. One thing is that I ask you to get involved. Without youth involved, the program becomes harder to run and we are looking for whatever help we can get. We also have many fun events coming up. I hope many of you become interested and try to get involved with the Order. Brothers, remember to "Preserve the tradition of cheerful service." Get involved and give service to the lodge and you will realize that it is a cheerful experience that you will remember for the rest of your life.

Yours in brotherhood,
Bobby C. Lodge Chief
Ktemaque Lodge #15 WWW

Fall Ordeal/Service Weekend

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Adviser supported and assisted our youth leaders. **Norm H.** advised the Service Vice Chief and was our physician in camp.

A special thank you to our cooks **John M., Ed L., Ed M., Steven T., Harold T.**, and all those who helped in the kitchen for the delicious food.

The Section Chief of Section NE-7B **Brandon A.** arrived Saturday after his responsibilities were completed with the OA National Leadership Seminar at Alpine Scout Camp in Alpine, NJ.

Maintenance projects, trail work, and a community service project were cheerfully done by our members during the Fall Weekend. The projects at Durland Scout Reservation helped make it better for those who will be coming after the Fall Weekend. In keeping with our lodge's pledge of community service, a small group of 30 brothers went to Croton Point Park to do a "Good Turn" where council holds the annual Cub Scout Thunderbird Games.

The service projects included:

- split wood
- work on Don Long Pavilion at Site 40
- repairs to picnic tables
- weed whack site across road from Cedar Cabin
- weed whack around White Pine and Hemlock Cabins
- fill wood boxes at the cabins
- drainage around Sperling Center back and sides
- cut back pricker bushes around Sperling Pond
- cut back pricker bushes on Green Trail behind Site 33
- cut back Green Trail North of 30s road
- replace roofs on latrines at Sites 33, 36, 37, 42, 43
- paint picnic table under Sperling Center
- paint and scrap soffits on white house
- dig out fire pits in all camp sites
- wash windows in all cabins and latrines
- split kindling wood in Ward Latrine
- replace post holding up archery net on right side
- paint shed at water front
- cut dead or dangerous trees through out camp
- sort wood in woodshed next to shop
- paint picnic tables in camp sites
- send 30 people to Croton Point Park in 2 vans
- cut brush in Site 40 along waters edge by pavilion
- backfill fill trench in front of white house
- cut up kindling wood by fire wood storage area

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Matthew M. - Program Adviser
Joel S. - Program Vice Chief
Kevin W. - Ceremonial Team Adviser



VIGIL HONOR

Submitted by **Bob F.**

Ktemaque Lodge is proud to announce the **Vigil Honor Class of 2009.**

Ktemaque Lodge, Order of the Arrow annually recognizes those individuals who give exemplary leadership to our lodge over a sustained period of membership. The individuals below have been selected based on their leadership indicated and were inducted into the Vigil Honor at the Fall Service Weekend at the Durland Scout Reservation. Formal presentation of their Vigil Honor certificates will be done at our lodge breakfast in January 2010. Join me in congratulating them on this very deserving achievement.

Brandon A.

Eagle Scout with Gold Palm, Eagle Scout Mentor, former Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop 1 Chappaqua

Recipient of the Ner Tamid Medal of Reverence
Inducted into Scouting's National Honor Society in May 2005

Sealed his membership in the Order completing his Brotherhood Quest in April 2006

Attended and Taught at the National Leadership Seminar and the 2009 National OA Conference in Indiana

Earned the Order's "Leadership in Service" award

Faithfully attended all meetings, activities and service weekends of the lodge.

Has served Ktemaque Lodge as Ceremonial Team member and two term Ceremonies Chairman, LLD and Banquet Chairman, Ordealmaster, Lodge Vice Chief – Program and briefly Lodge Chief before being elected to serve in his present position as Section NE-7B Chief

Robert (Bobby) C.

Eagle Scout with Silver Palm, former Senior Patrol Leader, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster Troop 440 Patterson

Inducted into Scouting's National Honor Society in May 2006

Sealed his membership in the Order completing his Brotherhood Quest in May 2007

Attended National Leadership Seminar, 2007 World Scout Jamboree in England, 2008 ArrowCorps5 in the Grand Tetons, 2009 National OA Conference in

Indiana, youth staff member in NYLT, trainer at WPC University of Scouting

Faithfully attended all meetings, activities and service weekends of the lodge.

Earned the Order's "Leadership in Service" award

Has served Ktemaque Lodge as Ceremonial Team member, Head Elangomat, Lodge Vice Chief and is presently serving as Lodge Chief.

Joseph McG.

Started as Tiger Coach in 1994, held various adult positions in Cub Scouts.

Presently serving as Scoutmaster of Troop 110 Bedford Hills

Avid Outdoorsman (Camping, Hiking and Cycling)

Inducted into Scouting's National Honor Society in May 2003

Sealed his membership in the Order completing his Brotherhood Quest in April 2004

Earned Order's "Leadership in Service" award

Has served Ktemaque Lodge since 2004 as driver for the Spring Service Weekend and as Elangomat Adviser to the new candidates.

Performed over 500 service hours with lodge

Active member of Bedford Hills Lions Club

Driver / crew member of Katonah-Bedford Hills Volunteer Ambulance Corps

Margaret L.

Has served as Den Leader and Webelos Den Leader in Pack 164 Yorktown

Presently serving as Manitoga District Unit Commissioner, Manitoga Roundtable staff, and Committee Member in Troop 174 Yorktown

Inducted into Scouting's National Honor Society in May 2005

Sealed her membership in the Order completing her Brotherhood Quest in April 2006

Served as a trainer at WPC University of Scouting and serves on Manitoga District Cub Leader Training staff. Also served on Cub Day Camp, Webelos Residence Camp and Den Chief Conference staffs.

Earned Order's "Leadership in Service" award

Has served Ktemaque Lodge as the Associate Lodge Adviser - Communications since 2006.

**Be willing not only to serve,
but to serve willingly.**



Thank You!

Thank you very much to all the youth and adults who contributed in so many ways to help our lodge in 2009. We wish we could list everyone by name. Thanks to the Lodge officers, Lodge Committee members, Advisers, Chairmen, Ceremonial Team Members, Elangomats, Cooks, and so many others who cheerfully helped behind the scenes.

Your help is invaluable and greatly appreciated!



**Ktemaque Lodge's Centennial
Celebration Breakfast**

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Order of the Arrow and Ktemaque Lodge items will be for sale. See Mr. **Jess H.** Bring small bills or your check to pay for purchases.

Everyone who wants to become more active in the Lodge should talk to our Lodge Chief **Bobby C.** or any of the Vice Chiefs or Advisers.

Wear your official uniform with your OA sash.

A **Google map** with optional driving directions from your location is on the Ktemaque Lodge web site. Also, written **directions** are at www.royalregencyhotelnyc.com/directions.php.

If you have questions, please contact **Joel S.** Lodge Vice Chief of Program or **Matthew M.** Associate Adviser of Program.

Check the Ktemaque Lodge web site at www.ktemaque.org for more information and updates.

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Order of the Arrow

Westchester-Putnam Council
Boy Scouts of America

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- A Salute in Service to Scouting -

Saturday, January 9, 2010

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon Breakfast, awards, recognitions, and program

Royal Regency Hotel in the Diamond Room

165 Tuckahoe Road

Yonkers, NY

PAYMENT BY THE DEADLINE IS REQUIRED! Absolutely NO WALK-INS!

Name _____ Phone # (_____) _____

Address _____ Over 21 Under 21

Town _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____

Email address _____

Member \$17.00

Guests \$17.00 each. List guests' names: _____

Food allergies: _____ Attach a note, if needed.

I have a ride. I can supply rides for _____ number of brothers.

Method of payment (check one) Check VISA MasterCard

Credit card number _____ Expiration Date _____

Your signature is required below to authorize the Westchester-Putnam Council, BSA to charge your credit card.

Cardholder name (PRINT) _____ Total Amount: \$ _____

Cardholder signature _____

If paying by check, write "OA Account Number 1-2371-000-00" on your check.
Mail this form and your check made payable to "Westchester-Putnam Council,
BSA" **postmarked no later than December 18, 2009** to:

Ktemaque Lodge #15, WWW
Westchester Putnam Council, BSA
41 Saw Mill River Road
Hawthorne, NY 10532-1519

Wear your official uniform and your Order of the Arrow sash.

A map and more information about the Banquet are on the Ktemaque Lodge web site at www.ktemaque.org.

If you have questions about the Banquet, please contact Joel S., Program Vice Chief or Matthew M., Associate Adviser for Program.

In the compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, Ktemaque Lodge #15, Order of the Arrow, WWW will make all the reasonable efforts to accommodate persons with disabilities at their activities. Please call the Scout Service Center (914) 773-1135 with your request.

Office use: Date Rec'd _____ Receipt # _____ Amount paid \$ _____



2010 Dues Registration Form

Ktemaque Lodge #15, WWW

www.ktemaque.org

Order of the Arrow
Westchester-Putnam Council
Boy Scouts of America

Due before January 1, 2010 1 year \$10.00 3 years \$27.00

First name _____ Initial _____ Last name _____

Date of birth ____/____/____ Date of Ordeal _____ Brotherhood _____ Vigil Honor _____

Address _____ Apt. # _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____

Home phone (_____) _____ Business phone (_____) _____

Email address _____

Occupation / Special skills _____

Boy Scouts of America Registration Number (from BSA membership card) _____

This is required information. You must be registered with the BSA to be an OA member.
Call Council (914) 773-1135 to get your BSA registration number if you cannot find your card.

Pack # _____ Troop # _____ Post # _____ Crew # _____ District _____

District / Council level position _____ District _____

Out of Council (Council and position) _____

Out of Council (Council and position) _____

Please check one: Do you prefer to receive the OA newsletter via email _____ or as a paper copy via USPS mail? _____

Please contact me. I want to get more involved in our Lodge. Yes _____

Method of payment (check one) Check VISA MasterCard

Credit card number _____ Expiration Date _____

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If paying by check, make your check payable to "Westchester-Putnam Council, BSA", write "OA Account 1-2371-000-00" on your check and mail **before January 1** to:

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Westchester-Putnam Council, BSA
41 Saw Mill River Road
Hawthorne, NY 10532-1519

If you have questions about membership, please contact Bob F., Membership Adviser.

Membership cards will be mailed to all 2010 dues-paid members with the first 2010 issue of the lodge newsletter.

Office Use: Date Rec'd _____ Receipt # _____ Amount paid \$ _____



Volunteers Are Needed On December 5

From **Ian Y.** at Westchester-Putnam Council

Volunteers are needed to help load popcorn boxes

Locations:

- o Best Plumbing Supply in Yorktown Heights
- o Whalen's Moving Company in Mount Kisco
- o Food Bank in Millwood
- o RCI in Yonkers

If you want to to help or have questions contact **Roberto B.**, Service Vice Chief, at (restricted).
Thank You.

~~ORDER OF THE ARROW IN CYBERSPACE~~

Don't know the dates of the next event? Need a copy of the Lodge Unit Election Guidebook to do your unit's election? Don't have it? **DOWNLOAD IT !** from the Ktemaque Lodge website.

www.ktemaque.org

Our homepage has the following information available:

- Lodge History
- A listing of all Past Lodge Chiefs & Advisers
- Honored Brothers
- The Lodge Rules
- A listing of all Lodge Officers
- The Lodge Calendar
- Event Registration Forms and other forms
- Lodge Newsletter, *Beaver Tracks*
- Lodge Unit Election Guidebook
- Section NE-7BHomepage
- National OA Conference
- Lodge Patch Memorabilia
- Links to the Council homepage
- Where to go camping directory

Calendar 2009-2010

The **2009-2010 Ktemaque Lodge calendar** in its entirety is on the Ktemaque website www.ktemaque.org

October

- 17-18 **Thunderbird Games**
- 27 **Lodge Executive Committee Meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY

November

- 6-8 **Section Officers Seminar**
Alpine Scout Camp 441 US Hwy 9 W, Alpine, NJ
- 24 **Lodge Executive Committee meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY

December

- 5 **OA Service Corps**
Popcorn Distribution, 8:00AM-1:00PM
Locations in Millwood, Mt. Kisco, Yorktown, Yonkers
- 15 **Lodge Executive Committee Meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY
- 18 **DEADLINE** to mail Lodge Breakfast payment and registration form
- 31 **DEADLINE** to pay Lodge membership dues

January 2010

- 1 **Unit Election period begins**
- 9 **Lodge Breakfast NEW DATE**
9:00AM-12:00PM Royal Regency Hotel, Yonkers, NY
- 26 **Lodge Executive Committee meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY

February

- 8 **100th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America**
- 23 **Lodge Executive Committee meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY

March

- 23 **Lodge Executive Committee meeting**,
7:30PM Council Service Center, Hawthorne, NY
- 27 **Lodge Leadership Development (LLD)**
Training w/ Council's University of Scouting
Location to be decided.
- 31 **Unit Election period ends**

Membership Dues

Look on your mailing label to check the year your dues are paid thru. The label should show 2010 or greater.

The first line on the mailing label indicates dues year, membership status and induction number. If you fail to keep your dues current, you will be unable to participate in all the fun and festivities of the Ktemaque Lodge. If your **label shows 2009 your membership will EXPIRE on December 31, 2009**. Please send your dues form and payment **before December 31**.

Annual dues are **\$10 for one year or \$27 if you pay for three years**.

Any problems regarding membership status should be submitted to **Bob F.**, Membership Adviser, in writing, c/o the Council Service Center.

Communications Report

submitted by **Sean-Patrick S.-I.**

Hello everyone. If you like to write articles and see them printed in a newspaper you are reading the right article. If you want to write an article about an OA event, send me an email message and I shall let you know when the deadlines are. There is currently a position as the **Recording Secretary** available, so if you are good at taking notes and want to help out, come to some of the monthly Lodge Executive Committee (LEC) meetings on the 4th Tuesday night at the Council Service Center beginning at 7:30p.m. Please contact me at (restricted) if you have any questions.

Program Report

submitted by **Joel S.**

We are planning a lot of fun upcoming events like the Lodge Breakfast, the Fellowship Weekend, and the Spring Service Weekend. You should try to be at all of these fun events. If you have any ideas just shoot me an email. Hope to see you there.

Adult Drivers Needed

Adult drivers are needed to drive Council vans to Read Scout Reservation for the Spring Ordeal/Service Weekend on May 21-23, 2010. Contact **Rob C.** at (restricted) for more information and to sign up.



OA High Adventure Programs

Have an adventure of a lifetime at one of the **Order of the Arrow's high adventure programs!** Earn SCUBA certification and dive in the Florida Keys, go on a canoe trek in northern Minnesota that was inspired by the traditions of the French Voyageurs who ventured the northern wilderness during the 1700-1800's, go on a backpacking trek at the BSA's premier high adventure base at Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, provide community service, learn leadership skills, and make new friends! Space is still available. **Sign up now!**

Order of the Arrow High Adventure programs are **very popular, low cost**, high adventure programs for OA members. The **Sea Base Ocean Adventure** in the Florida Keys, **Philmont Trail Crew** at the Philmont Scout Reservation in New Mexico, and **Northern Tier Wilderness Voyage** in northern Minnesota are two-week programs in the summer.

Want to go to Philmont, but your troop's not going? No problem! Sign up for Philmont Trail Crew!

The new Order of the Arrow **Wilderness Voyage: Canadian Odyssey** program is an experience like no other. For two weeks, you will join together with Arrowmen from around the country and experience the wild beauty of the Quetico Provincial Park of Ontario, Canada.

Like its U.S. counterpart, the first week of the program is spent giving back to the Quetico through portage trail restoration work. Participants have the opportunity to leave their mark on the Quetico that will enable millions of visitors each year to better enjoy their experience. Trail work involves restoring and protecting trails that have existed for centuries and are in dire need of repair.

The second part of the program is a 90 mile trek from Atikokan, Ontario to Ely, Minnesota.

Visit <http://adventure.oa-bsa.org/> for more information and applications for these programs. Sign up now, because **these popular programs fill fast**. All 2009 OA High Adventure programs were full by March 2009 and in 2008 they filled up in November! We encourage you to apply for the OA Trail Crew or OA Wilderness Voyage, as preference for OAOA in 2010 will be given to those who have attended either OA Trail Crew or OA Wilderness Voyage.





Congratulations to all our new ordeal members. We **welcome** you to our lodge. We hope to see you at future meetings and events. Go to www.Ktemaque.org for information and dates of upcoming events. See you there.

The following **new Brotherhood members sealed their membership in the Order of the Arrow**. We look forward to seeing them at future meetings and events. Contact **Bobby C.** at (restricted) to learn more on how you can help our lodge.

NEW ORDEAL MEMBERS FALL 2009

- | | |
|---------------|-----------------|
| A., Nicholas | L., Francis |
| A., Justin | L., Skyler |
| A., Jess | L., Jonathan |
| B., Peter | M., Skye |
| B., Sebastian | M., William |
| B., Patrick | McD., Peter |
| B., Mike | N., Luke |
| B., Douglas | O'B., William |
| B., Emanuel | P., Alex |
| C., Anthony | P., Nick |
| C., Nicholas | P., Billy |
| C., Oren | R., Christopher |
| C., Joseph | R., Matthew |
| D., Joseph | R., Matt |
| D., Dante | R., Gabriel |
| D., Brandon | R., Alex |
| D., John | R., Brian |
| E., Ben | R., Kevin |
| F., Tommy | S., Luke |
| F., Matthew | S., Fred |
| F., Brendan | S., David |
| F., Mark | S., James |
| G., Clark | S., Douglas |
| H., Jerry | S., Colter |
| H., Sean | S., Mark |
| H., Jake | S., Paul |
| H., Ross | T., Ryne |
| H., Ben | V., Stephen |
| H., Connor | V., Maxim |
| K., Daniel | W., Jacob |
| K., Cameron | W., Shane |
| K., Nicholas | W., Steven |
| L., Brendan | W., Kyle |
| | Z., Gregory |

NEW BROTHERHOOD MEMBERS FALL 2009

- | | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| B., Andrew | M., Bruce |
| B., Robert | M., Erik |
| C., Peter | McQ., Sean |
| C., Gary | N., Jacob |
| C., Steven | O., Jonathan |
| C., Kevin | O., Evan |
| C., Tommy | P., Nicholas |
| D., Michael | R., John |
| D., William | R., Jeffrey |
| G., Marco | S., Travis |
| G., Leonardo | S., Stephen |
| G., David | S., Kevin |
| G., J.Ricardo | S., David |
| H., Christopher | S., Lars |
| H., Jerry | S., Russell |
| H., Thomas | T., Andrew |
| H., Michael | V., Domenick |
| K., Matthew | V., Matthew |
| K., Michael | V., Michael |
| K., Eric | Z., Peter |
| L., Eric | |

National Leadership Seminar

March 26-28, 2010

Alpine Scout Camp, Alpine, NJ

The **National Leadership Seminar** is a weekend conference on the skills and attributes of leadership. It is intended to enhance leadership skills. The seminar is an intensive experience in learning about the nature of leadership and practicing some of the skills that a leader uses. While it is designed to be fun, the course challenges participants mentally as well. Participants should be developmentally, physically, and mentally prepared to actively engage in an exhausting, invigorating weekend.

Youth members who are 15 years old or older or hold a lodge office are invited to attend. Completion of Lodge Leadership Development is desirable.

Contact **Rob C.**, Lodge Adviser, at 914-528-

9 9331 for more information.

Brian K. Completed Ordeal

Brian K. completed his Ordeal at Durland Scout Reservation in September 2008. We apologize to Brian for accidentally not listing his name in the newsletter.

Congratulations Brian and **welcome** to our lodge.

Scouting's National Honor Society

www.ktemaque.org



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Time Dated Material

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

December 18 mail Lodge Breakfast payment and registration form.

December 31 pay lodge dues.

Upcoming Events

- **National Leadership Seminar**
March 26-29, 2010
- **OA Ocean Adventure**
dates in June, July, and August
- **OA Trail Crew at Philmont**
dates in June, July, and August
- **OA Northern Tier Wilderness Voyage**
dates in June, July, and August
- **OA Canadian Odyssey**
dates in June, July, and August
- **Section NE-7B Conclave**
June 11-13, 2010
- **National Scout Jamboree**
July 26-August 4, 2010

Where To Go Camping

A Where To Go Camping directory is on the Ktemaque Lodge web site. This directory lists council camps and outdoor facilities in the northeast region. A link to this directory is on the bottom of the Ktemaque Lodge web site's homepage at www.ktemaque.org.

The directory was prepared and is maintained by the Northeast Region Order of the Arrow to assist Scouting leaders with their planning of a varied, interesting, and educational year-round program of camping and outdoor activities.

