## WHAT HAPPENS at conclave?

Fun, fun and more fun. Conclave is a weekend full of activities, brotherhood and training. Scouts from all over the Chicagoland area come to Camp Lakota for a great weekend. The state of the art trainings give Arrowmen the resources to go back to their lodge and lead. The afternoon activities are a great way to meet fellow Arrowmen while having fun. And last but not least the shows Friday and Saturday night are the best in the Midwest and something you definitely do not want to miss.



Arrowmen cheer on their teammates during the Lodge Cup Competition.

# WHY <u>YOU</u> SHOULD COME TO CONCLAVE

Conclave is a great opportunity for all Arrowmen. If you just received your ordeal last year or are a chapter chief conclave is the event for you. Conclave is designed to be a fun filled weekend for all. Conclave is a great way to learn more about opportunities in the Order as well as help you grow as a leader. Conclave has been the inspiration for many of our Order's leaders. I challenge you to be the next national chief, start your journey at Conclave!

### HOW TO REGISTER

To register for 2012 Section Conclave, log on to

### register.oac7.org

The cost is only \$30 if you register before March 18!!! After March 18 it is \$35.

### more information

For more information on Section Conclave or the section in general, visit the Conclave Central at **www.oac7.org**. We look forward to seeing you at conclave and we assure you the weekend to remember.

"Conclave is the best place to have fun and be able to exchange ideas with other lodges in a very close relaxed atmosphere."

> -John Rehm 2012 National Chief

### Location

Camp Lakota is located in Woodstock, IL. The camp is an hour and a half northwest of Chicago and has great facilities for Conclave. The camp features a 40 foot climbing wall, a brand new pool, archery and BB ranges and indoor training facilities.

### questions?

Contact your Lodge Chief or Lodge Adviser. If you are unable to reach them, feel free to contact the section leadership.

Section Chief- Patrick Wilson- chief@oac7.org Section Adviser- Don Hough- adviser@oac7.org





# APRIL 27-29 CAMP LAKOTA





"Section Conclave is only the single most fun weekend of the year. Filled to the brim with training, shows and competition. If you are looking for the best way to spend your weekend then look no further because Section Conclave is right around the corner!"

> -Marty Opthoff 2012 Central Region Chief

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NEW to conclave this year, the American Indians Activities (AIA) and Inductions and Ceremonies Events (ICE) will add a new twist to conclave. Whether you are an experienced dancer with your own gear or just interested in the topic there will be activities for you. There will be numerous trainings on ceremonies and dancing, as well as ceremony evaluations.

"Conclave is one of my personal favorite events within the Order because it's an opportunity to meet Arrowmen from across the section who share my enthusiasm for Scouting. These weekends are filled with fun and exciting training and sports activities and allow everyone to participate."

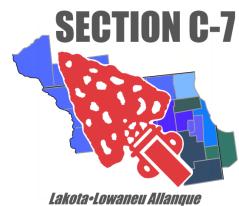
-Preston Marquis 2012 National Vice-Chief

### TRaining

The trainings this year will be presented by the top Arrowmen from across the Section. Building off our theme of Finding the Brotherhood we are focusing the trainings on building the ties of brotherhood between Arrowmen. We are making a effort to have American Indian Activities a part of the Conclave trainings bringing a new element this year.

### activities

This year activities at Conclave are going to be awesome! The activities committee is hard at work finalizing plans. Conclave will feature blow up boxing, and obstacle course and many other great activities! There will be many activities that everyone will be able to participate in. This year's Conclave is one event that you do not want to miss in 2012!



Lakota·Lowaneu Allanque Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan·Michigamea·Owasippe Pachsegink·Waupecan·Wulapeiu



Andrew Piper of Owasippe Lodge races to finish the relay race at last years.

#### special events

The special events at Conclave strive to make anything and everything fun! The main events put on include: the VIA luncheon, the Grand Hodag on Saturday night. The Grand Hodag features rootbeer kegs and minute to win it games, it is an event you do now want to miss. The VIA luncheon is a great opportunity for Ordeal Arrowmen and the Lodge Chief to have lunch with our special guest. Expect nothing less than a good time and fantastic fellowship.

### SHOWS

NEW this year we will be having two shows, one on Friday and Saturday night. The hope is to help instill the theme "Finding the Brotherhood" into the weekend, by kicking off the event with a theme show. These state of the art shows are very memorable and something you do not want to miss!!!