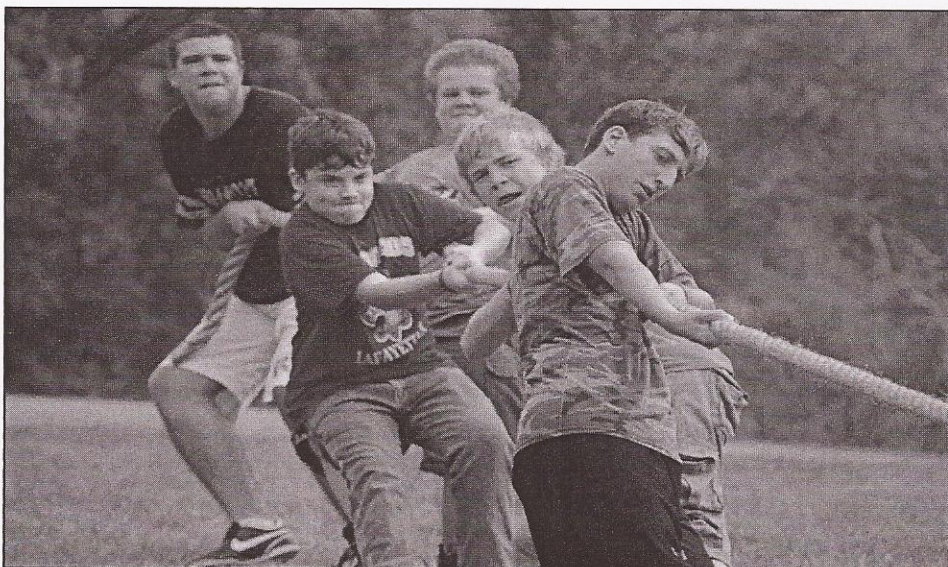




# The Flying Eagle

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## WA-HI-NASA is ArrowSTRONG!



On September 18-20, over 200 Arrowmen converged on Boxwell Reservation for the 2009 Fall Fellowship. This year's theme was ArrowStrong, which stood for: leadership, sacrifice, and determination.

This event was packed full of fun and exciting opportunities for the Arrowmen to enjoy. Some of these events included tug-of-war, dodgeball, and hatchet-

throwing. However, what better way to start off the weekend of ArrowStrong than a scavenger hunt? Each Arrowman was placed in a

... "exciting and thrilling for every Arrowman" ....

team of 6-7 people to compete in the scavenger hunt; as well

as 17 other events that occurred throughout the weekend. At the end of a long and energetic day, Arrowmen and their staff took a chill at the closing campfire where the three pillars of ArrowStrong (leadership, sacrifice, and determination) were given their full meaning in accordance to the weekend.

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## WINTER BANQUET 2009

We hope you can attend the 2009 Winter Banquet on Saturday, December 5th. The location has been changed to First Presbyterian Church, Nashville.

This year's theme for Winter Banquet is "And the Winner IS..." Have you ever wanted to go to the CMA awards or to the Grammy's? Well, now you can! Prepare for a wonderful and unique experience like you have never seen before. Winter Banquet is all about rewarding those who have worked cheerfully, without begrudging for the better of the Wa-Hi-Nasa Lodge.

This banquet will feature recognitions such as the Vigil Honor Class of 2009, the Josh Sain Memorial Award, and the Founder's Award.

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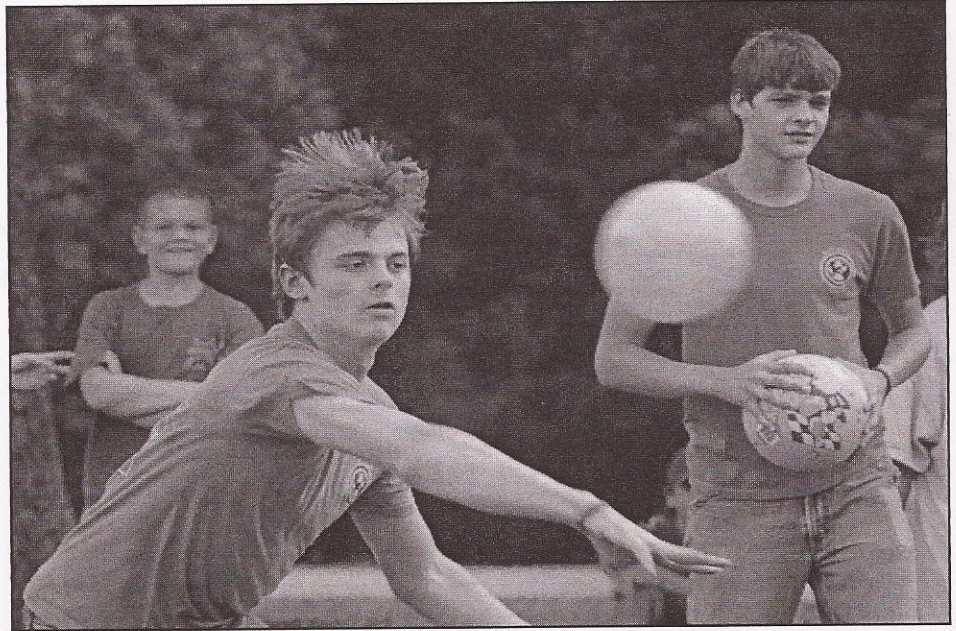
... And Much More



## Chiefly Speaking

Dear Brothers,

This year has been a very fantastic year for our lodge. We have accomplished a lot of things through our different events that we have had this year. We are coming to the close of this year and the start of a brand new one. This year we are looking forward to conclave which is being held at Boxwell reservation in 2010. Our goal for this year is to provide a 300 Arrowmen strong service corps and we really need to represent at our hosted event. Please make the new officers feel as welcome to the lodge leadership



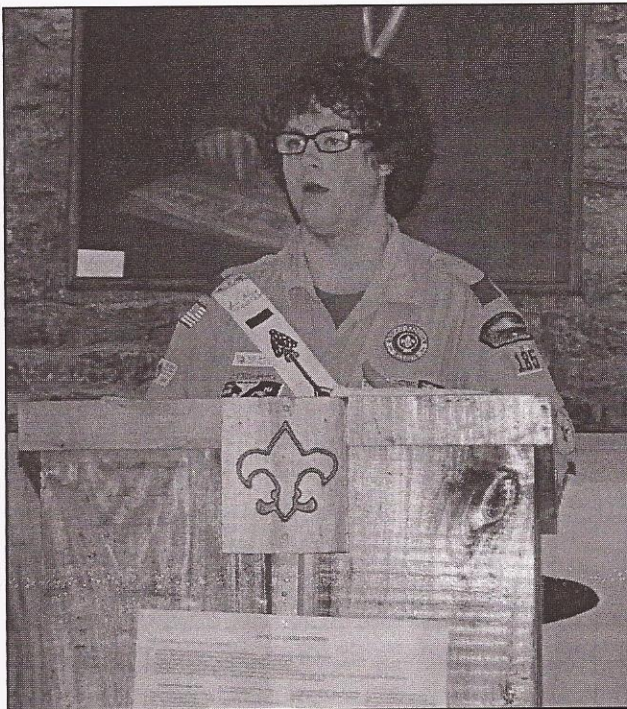
as you all have done for me. This next year is going to be really great and we will need all the support we can get. I would also like to thank everyone that has supported me through my youth in the Order. I look forward to continued service in the Order of the Arrow.

YIS,  
Nate Danielson

## Fellowship...

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As the Fellowship drew to a close, Arrowmen elected Lodge Officers for 2010 year on Sunday morning. This year's Fellowship was "exciting and thrilling for every Arrowman", said Matt Brown, the 2009 Lodge Vice Chief of Activities. We hope to see you next year at the 2010 Fall Fellowship on September 17-19, 2010.



*2009 Lodge Chief Nate Danielson gives his farewell remarks and congratulates all Arrowmen on a job well done at the Saturday night show during the 2009 Fall Fellowship.*

## And the Winner IS . . .

Find out at the  
Winter Banquet!

**December 5, 2009  
6 P.M.**

First Presbyterian Church  
4815 Franklin Pike  
Nashville, TN 37220

## DO YOU HAVE??

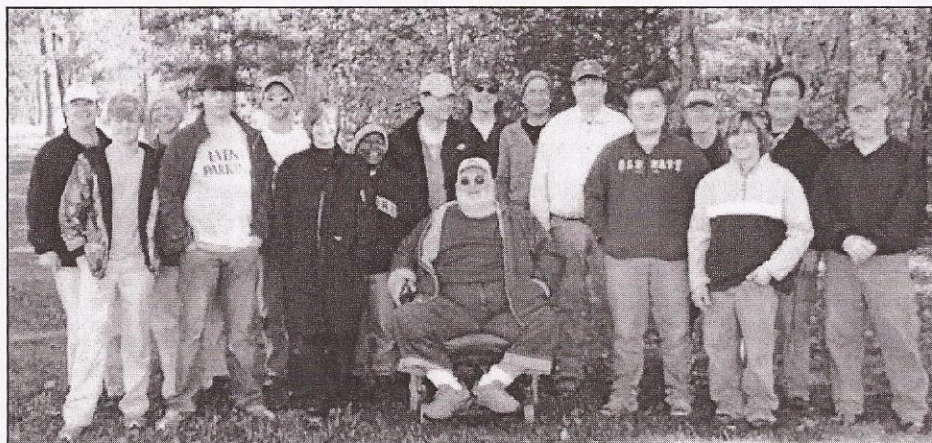
- A Good Vacuum Cleaner?
- Rebar or Concrete Wire?
- New Curtains?

Help fill our Lodge needs. If you can donate any of the above, contact Chris Snoddy at [chrissnoddy@msn.com](mailto:chrissnoddy@msn.com)

### Winter Banquet...

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Recognitions will also be made to chapters in our Lodge on behalf of Ceremonies, Brotherhood Conversions and more. Please register with the enclosed form and bring your and family & friends as we celebrate another successful year of brotherhood, cheerfulness, and service. The church is located at 4815 Franklin Pike in south Nashville, across from John Overton High School.



*Thanks to everyone who demonstrated Cheerful Service for ArrowCorps<sup>111</sup> at Latimer High Adventure Reservation this year. See you in 2010!*

Dr Goodman, the founder of our Order, once said "Infinity, dear brothers, extends not only outwards but inwards to the heart of each human being." What does this say to us? Our lodge is at a great time in the year but many of you may not see it as a very busy time. We are preparing to say thank you to many special Arrowmen that have made this a wonderful year. The 2010 officers are hard at work planning for next year.

So what does this Infinity mean to us? Lets look at some of the things that we looked to infinity and asked our youth to meet the challenge. We have had the largest attendance at a NOAC that was not in Tennessee. Our lodge inducted 400 new

members. We sent service Crews to all 4 Cub and family weekends.

These are some of the things that we have done but we should never rest on our foundations. Where will we go from here? Well next year we have a great chance to test ourselves, We get the chance to host conclave. We will need to have 250-300 Arrowmen there in April to help serve. This is always a great way to test.

This is a way to test ourselves as a lodge but we always need to test ourselves as individuals. Where can we grow as people and what can we do better to be better leaders. This should be a constant question for all of us. So now as we start planning and developing our plans for next year, take some time to develop your own personal goals in the lodge. In these plans make sure you look for the infinity within your own heart and allow for your own growth as a person and a leader.

Always trying to improve myself,

Ian Romaine  
2009 Lodge Adviser

## Adviser's Corner

## 2010 Lodge Calendar

The dates for next year's lodge events are listed below. Please encourage your troops and districts to keep these dates in mind when planning their calendar.

Order of the Arrow University  
March 12-14, 2010  
Conclave Work Day  
March 27, 2010  
Section SR-6 Conclave  
April 16-18, 2010  
Spring Ordeal  
June 4-6, 2010  
Fall Ordeal  
August 13-15, 2010  
Fall Fellowship  
September 17-19, 2010  
Council Jamboree  
October 8-10, 2010  
Winter Banquet  
December 4, 2010  
Winter Camp  
December 26-31, 2010

### They're Coming . . .

. . . and we better be ready!

The 2010 Section SR-6  
Conclave is at  
**BOXWELL RESERVATION**  
April 16-18, 2010

Wa-Ha-Nasa is hosting over 1000 Arrowmen from Tennessee, Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio, Virginia, and Mississippi here for an exciting weekend!

Work Day @ Boxwell  
March 27, 8:30 a.m.

We need **ALL ARROWMEN!**



## Arrowmen Spotlight: 2010 Lodge Officers

### Matt Brown, Lodge Chief

Matt Brown is a 16 year old Eagle Scout from Troop 1 in Brentwood Tennessee. He is a junior at Brentwood High school and is highly active in



Clockwise from bottom left corner: Adam Weatherell, Zach Rice, Matt Brown, Forrest Rice, Zach Whitehead, and Caleb Wilson.

the local community. He recently received the vigil honor and is now hard at work devoting all his time and energy to what he believes is one of the most important youth led organizations in Tennessee. Before becoming the chief he served as the Vice Chief of Activities and Lodge Secretary. He is very eager and excited to be this year's Lodge Chief.

### Zach Rice, Vice Chief of Development

Zach Rice, 15, is a Life Scout from Troop 406 in Hendersonville, TN and a recent Vigil Honor recipient in the Lodge. He has served in numerous lodge positions such as the

"Dirty Dozen" Crew Chairman and as an assistant Ordeal master for both the Spring and Fall Ordeals. In 2010, Zach wishes run a fun and successful training program for the Lodge.

### Forest Rice, Vice Chief of Activities

Forest Rice is an Eagle Scout from Troop 406 in Hendersonville, TN and a recent Vigil Honor recipient. He has previously Vice Chief of Service and the year prior was the conclave chairman. He is currently attending college at Volunteer State Community College and

is looking forward to attending MTSU in Murfreesboro Tennessee.

### Caleb Wilson, Vice Chief of Service

Caleb Wilson, a 16 year old Eagle Scout from Rickman, Tennessee is this year's new Vice Chief of Service. He is a sophomore at Livingston Academy and is highly active in his Marching and Concert Bands. He served at the 2009 Lodge Secretary and as the as the Summer Camp Kick-off Chairman for 2008. One of his favorite aspects of the Order is being able to meet people from all over Tennessee and even the nation.



## 2009 Vigil Honor Recipients



*Top Row (Left to Right): Mikel Venable, Barry Bowman, Dorsey Horne, Radford Strong, Philip Rice, Chandler Johnson, Mel Sorensen*

*Bottom Row (Left to Right): Wes Oakley, Danny Bryan, Matt Brown, Forest Rice, Zack Rice, Caleb Wilson, Trey McClain*

### Lodge Officers...

#### **Adam Weatherell, Secretary**

Adam Weatherell is a 16 year old life scout sophomore at Brentwood High School. Adam participates in many activities but he considers Scouts to be one of his favorites. He is Troop 1's Senior patrol leader in Brentwood. This past summer Adam volunteered at a Catholic Youth Camp in southern Illionis. He the Sophomore President, on the Habitat for Humanity board at his school, and is in Youth Leadership Brentwood along with the Lodge Chief Matt brown. He enjoys competitive swimming, golf, and recreational tennis.

#### **Zach Whitehead, Treasurer**

Zach Whitehead is a 17 year old Eagle Scout from Murfreesboro, TN, and is a member of Venturing Crew

448. A 2009 graduate of Oakland High School, Zach attends Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU), and is majoring in Pre-Pharmacy. He enjoys playing rugby and is on the team at MTSU. He can be seen sporting Berets and driving his 1950's Mercedes around campus.



## Winter Camp Approaching: Staff Needed

We need you for Winter Camp Staff at Boxwell Reservation on Dec 27-31! There are many ways for you to assist. The theme for this year will be a medieval theme full of knights in shining armor, far away castles, and the enormous fire breathing dragons that you can be a part of this year. So what can you do? There are loads of staffing positions that you could work at, from afternoon to evening ac-

## Craig Salazar Named National Vice-Chairman



Wa-Hi-Nasa Lodge member Craig Salazar, has been named as a Vice-Chairman of the National Order of the

Arrow Committee. In this new role, Craig will head up the *Communications and Technology Subcommittee*, which is responsible for marketing and publications like <http://oa-bsa.org>, *The National Bulletin*, and the *Annual Report*. In this capacity, Craig joins National Chairman Ray Capp, a fellow member of Wa-HI-Nasa Lodge, on the Order of the Arrow's national steering committee.

Craig Salazar grew up in Middle Tennessee, serving as a section chief and also sits on the Middle Tennessee Council executive board. Professionally, he is the CEO of Sleep Centers of Middle Tennessee.

activities, training, kitchen, and the service crew.

Being on staff is a great way to learn the true meaning of service in the OA, and it can help you gain experience for possibly working summer camp staff in the future. Applications will be available at the Fall Fellowship and online.

Don't miss your chance to serve in this "warming" experience. Serve on Winter Camp Staff!

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### Save the Date!

The Winter Banquet is fast approaching. Register at [www.wa-hi-nasa.org](http://www.wa-hi-nasa.org).  
December 5, 2009

### In April 2010 - You Can Make 1000 New Friends

We will need "All Hands On Deck" as we welcome the Section SR-6  
Conclave back to Boxwell Reservation. April 16-18, 2010.

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