



Feathers from the Arrow

53 Years of Cheerful Service
Mandan Lodge #372 Summer 2001 Newsletter

Fall Fellowship, September 7-9

We are all leaders in our troops and throughout the council.
We come together as one lodge and as
Scouting's National Honor Society.

Mandan Lodge's Fall Fellowship will be a weekend of fun, fellowship, and the opportunity to expand your knowledge of Order of the Arrow. The activities include: Ordeal Ceremony for those who complete the Ordeal, Brotherhood Ceremony for those who complete their conversion, Vigil Callout, training sessions, cheerful service projects, lodge and chapter elections, ice cream social, patch trading and a High Adventure Expo (TOAP). The Saturday night dinner will be a real feast!

Registration will run from 7:00-9:00 pm on Friday and 8:00 am on Saturday. The Pre-Ordeal Ceremony will start at 9:00 pm on Friday. Arrowmen may choose to pitch a tent or there will be limited rooms available in the renovated Mandan Lodge. The fees for the weekend for all those who register by September 1 are: \$12 for a general member (food & program), \$27 for those who will become new Ordeal members (food, program & new member packet) and \$19 for those who will become Brotherhood members (food, program & Brotherhood sash). Those who register after September 1, will be charged an additional \$5.

Please take the time to complete a Vigil Nomination for candidates that you believe are deserving. Eligible Brotherhood Members are listed in the enclosed newsletter.

SPSR STAFF CONDUCTS SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Under the leadership of Summer Chief, Ian Stuart, the camp staff gave the leadership needed to call out 50 new arrowmen at Spanish Peaks Scout Ranch this past summer. Their efforts included coordinating a weekly meeting of arrowmen, conducting the Thursday "Call Out", and the Friday Ordeal Ceremony. These examples of cheerful service are much appreciated!

Consider working on the **Arrowman Service Award**. The Order of the Arrow's vision for the future emphasizes a strategy of increased service to the Boy Scouts of America by Arrowmen. To reward those Arrowmen who go beyond their immediate responsibilities to help and guide others to new heights, the Order of the Arrow created the Arrowman Service Award. The award will focus on three areas of service: personal, chapter/lodge activities, and general service to the community.

Learn more about the requirements and pick up a participation form at Fall Fellowship!

2001 FALL FELLOWSHIP REGISTRATION

NAME _____ MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE NUMBER _____ CHAPTER BR HP CR

Membership you currently hold: Ordeal _____ Brotherhood _____ Vigil _____

_____ \$ 7.50 Just attending Saturday evening Mexican Fiesta

_____ \$ 12.00 General Membership attendance fee

_____ \$ 27.00 Newly elected & plan to complete the Ordeal

_____ \$ 19.00 Ordeal Member, planning to be a Brotherhood Candidate

_____ TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (Make checks payable to Santa Fe Trail Council)

*Consider making yourself available for election to a lodge or chapter office.
List your leadership preference here: _____*

**RETURN THIS REGISTRATION BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2001, TO AVOID AN
ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF \$5.00 FOR EACH CATEGORY ABOVE.**

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UPCOMING LODGE EVENTS

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| SEPTEMBER 7-9 | FALL FELLOWSHIP at Mandan Training Center |
| SEPTEMBER 29-30 | LODGE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE at Mandan Lodge |
| OCTOBER 12-14 | C-6B SECTION CONCLAVE at Ft. Riley |
| OCTOBER 26-28 | MANDAN RENDEZVOUS at Mandan Training Center |

SUCCESSFUL WORK WEEKEND

Thanks to the many arrowmen who joined others to make the June 8-10 work weekend most successful! Nearly 70 campers helped prepare Spanish Peaks Scout Ranch for the camping season. Your cheerful service was most appreciated.