



Order of the Arrow — Section NE-3B
Business Meeting
Conclave 2003 — Camp Russell, Woodgate, NY
August 24, 2003 — Meeting Minutes

I. Opening

Meeting called to order and opened with the Obligation of our Order, led by Chief Tyson Ford, at 9:18 a.m.

II. Roll Call

Lodges Present

Haudenosaunee #19
Half Moon #28
Ga-Hon-Ga #34
Otahnagon #172
Kayanernh-Kowa #219
Tahgajute #247
Loon #364
Onteroraus #402

Section Officers & Advisers Present

Section Chief Tyson Ford
Section Secretary Peter Bird
Section Adviser Bob Black
Section Staff Adviser Tom Labayewski
Associate Section Adviser Wayne Farnsworth
Associate Section Adviser Bob Stickle
National Chief Nick Digirolamo
Northeast Region Chief Ian Pinnavaia
Western Region Chief Matt Griffis

III. Secretary's Report

Motion by Otahnagon Lodge to approve the minutes of the May 10, 2003 Council of Chiefs Meeting as presented. Seconded by Onteroraus Lodge. Motion passed.

IV. Awards

Sean Murray, CVC of Recreation, presented the following recreation awards:
Volleyball Competition — Onteroraus Lodge
Outdoor Course Relay — Otahnagon Lodge
Pre-Ordeal Ceremony — Otahnagon Lodge
Three on Three Basketball Competition — Onteroraus Lodge
Free Throw Challenge — Dan Higham, Otahnagon Lodge
Ultimate Frisbee Competition — Otahnagon Lodge
Five-Kilometer Run — Jesse Williams, Haudenosaunee Lodge
OA Jeopardy — Otahnagon Lodge

Tyson Ford, Section Chief, and Peter Bird, Section Secretary, presented each lodge chief with the training degrees earned by the members of his lodge.

Tyson Ford recognized our special guests for the weekend: National Chief Nick Digirolamo, Northeast Region Chief Ian Pinnavaia, and Western Region Chief Matt Griffis.

V. Elections

Northeast Region Chief Ian Pinnavaia conducted the section elections.

Election for Section Chief

Tyson Ford of Kayanernh-Kowa Lodge and Sean Murray of Otahnagon Lodge nominated for Section Chief.

Candidates gave speeches.

Tyson Ford was elected as the 2003-2004 Section Chief.

Election for Section Vice Chief

Sean Murray of Otahnagon Lodge nominated for Section Vice Chief.
Sean Murray was elected as the 2003-2004 Section Vice Chief.

Election for Section Secretary

Peter Bird of Haudenosaunee Lodge nominated for Section Secretary.
Peter Bird was elected as the 2003-2004 Section Secretary.

VI. Additional Awards

Section Chief Tyson Ford presented the following awards:

Allowat Sakima Award for Leadership — Sean Murray, Otahnagon Lodge
Kichkinet Award for Service — Matt Hait, Onteroraus Lodge
Nutiket Award for Cheerfulness — Mike Shear, Loon Lodge
Meteu Award for Brotherhood — Shows Team, Haudenosaunee Lodge

Most Cheerful Arrowman — John Farnsworth, Loon Lodge
Most Outstanding Arrowman — Josh Greenman, Onteroraus Lodge
Most Outstanding Lodge — Otahnagon Lodge

Section Chief Tyson Ford recognized the Professors of Allohakasin University, Ga-Hon-Ga Lodge, the service lodge for the conclave, and others involved in making the conclave a success.

Section Adviser Bob Black encouraged all participants to promote and improve the conclave for next year.

The meeting closed with the Order of the Arrow song at 10:04 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Peter Bird
Section NE-3B Secretary