



THE OWL

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A Message From The New Lodge Advisor

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Hello Brothers!

I, Jaime O. Feliberty, Sr. have been selected as your Lodge Advisor for Ranachqua Lodge # 4, and Mr. Cedric Bodley has been named Staff Advisor. After receiving this issue of *The Owl*, if you know any member who is not receiving



their copy, please let us know, we will mail them one. To guarantee continued delivery of your copy of "The Owl", please maintain your membership in good standing. If there are any questions or suggestions you may have, feel free to let us know.

Remember **THIS IS YOUR LODGE**, and the future of the lodge lies within you! It is time to begin to re-focus on our Obligation, and we must recommit ourselves to the ideals of the Order of The Arrow. We all have different ideals and we must work together to make our Lodge stronger. As individuals, we always strive for accomplishment, together, we can accomplish many things.

YOUR LODGE IS RICH IN HISTORY. Be part of its resurgence. The next General Meeting is on October 1, 2006. Elections will be on December 10, 2006. Get together with your fellow Brothers. Run for office or join a committee. Let your voice be heard! Your Lodge needs You!

Jaime O. Feliberty, Sr.
Lodge Advisor
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A Message From The Lodge Chief

Welcome Brothers,

Hello Ranachqua Lodge and welcome to the 2006-2007 camping season. Unfortunately, last year did not go as smoothly as planned but, not to worry, this year myself and my peers hope to whip up a plan to successfully boost Ranachqua Lodge back into full function. Now, of course, we need the help of all available Lodge members whether you can contribute in a big or small way. Some goals for this year are to get active membership up and to increase troop elections.



As we all know Ranachqua has a rich history that though may seem in shambles right now, can and will be built up again, just as the Phoenix rises from ashes after its rebirth.

YIS,
Justin A.
Ranachqua Lodge Chief

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2006 CONCLAVE
ANNUAL CALENDAR
ELECTIONS

BIG APPLE BASH
August 25-27, 2006
West Point Military Academy
Serviced By Achewon Netopolis & Man-A-Hattin
Cost: \$30.00 (\$25.00 Before July 1st)



On **August 25-27, 2006**, the Northeast Region Section NE-2C will be having the annual Section Conclave. The **2006 BIG APPLE BASH!** **And you're invited!**

Registration has begun! This years Conclave will be at Camp Buckner, West Point Military Academy in New York. The fee is only \$25 if paid by July 1st . \$30.00 after July 1st. The service lodges for this year will be Manahattin Lodge # 82 and Achewon Netapolis Lodge # 427.

The theme this year will be the "**Big Apple Bash**" and will feature meals and special events that highlight why New York City is one of the greatest cities in the world. You can view a promotional video on the NE-2C Website, www.ne2c.org.

You can **register online** system using the new On-line Registration process. For more information on the [BIG APPLE BASH!](http://www.ne2c.org) and to register today, go to: "www.ne2c.org" and choose 'Conclave' on the left menu. **Register now** and we look forward to seeing you at the **Bash!!**

Conclave Grant

Ranachqua Lodge has received a private grant for participation in this year's conclave. Any member (up to 20 participants) will receive a \$5 discount off the registration fee. The \$5 will be given at the Conclave.

Conclave Voting

Each lodge will no longer get the automatic ten votes during the Section Officers elections. Instead, at the conclave business meeting, each council may cast one vote per youth member present at the time of the election, up to a maximum of 10 votes, for each office on all ballots; telephone, Email or other electronic votes are not permitted.

IF YOU WANT YOUR 10 VOTES TO COUNT, LODGE MUST HAVE AT LEAST 10 YOUTH MEMBERS PRESENT!!

GETTING READY FOR ELECTIONS

One of the most important positions in the Lodge is The Order of the Arrow Troop Representative

The Order of the Arrow Troop Representative is a youth liaison serving between Ranachqua Lodge and his unit. In his unit, he will serve as a communication and programmatic link to and from Arrowmen, adult leaders and Scouts who are not presently members of the Order. He will do this in a fashion that strengthens the mission of the lodge, purpose of the Order and the mission of the Boy Scouts of America. By setting a good example, he will enhance the image of the Order as a service arm to his unit.

OA Troop Representative Duties:

- Serves as a communication link between the lodge or chapter and the troop.
- Encourages year round and resident camping in the troop.
- Encourages older Scout participation in high adventure programs.
- Encourages Scouts to actively participate in community service projects.
- Assists with leadership skills training in the troop.
- Encourages Arrowmen to assume leadership positions in the troop.
- Encourages Arrowmen in the troop to be active participants in the lodge and/or chapter activities and to seal their membership in the Order by becoming Brotherhood members.
- Sets a good example
- Enthusiastically wears the Scout uniform correctly.
- Lives by the Scout Oath, Scout Law and OA Obligation
- Shows Scout spirit

RANACHQUA LODGE #4 2006-2007 CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER, 2006

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 Steak Out Service Day
10	11 EXEC BOARD MEETING	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

OCTOBER, 2006

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 GENERAL MEMB MEETING	2	3 EXEC BOARD MTG	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
					Ordeal and Brotherhood	
22 	23	24	25	26	27	28
Ordeal Brotherhood						
29	30	31				

NOVEMBER, 2006

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6 EXEC BOARD MEETING	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
					FELLOWSHIP WEEKEND	
19 FELLOWSHIP	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

DECEMBER, 2006

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4 EXEC BOARD MEETING	5	6	7	8	9
10 GENERAL MEMB MEETING ELECTIONS	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

JANUARY, 2007

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 EXEC BOARD MEETING	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

FEBRUARY, 2007

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5 EXEC BOARD MEETING	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17

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