



Lowaneu Allanque Lodge #41
E-Board Minutes
October 18th, 2018, Bethany Lutheran Church, Batavia, IL.
Secretary: Stephen Carlson

Executive Board Positions:

Lodge Chief- Jack Dzierzanowski (chief@oa41.org)
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Lodge Secretary- Stephen Carlson (sec@oa41.org)
Lodge Treasurer- Justin Weber (treas@oa41.org)
Lodge Quartermaster- Hayden (qm@oa41.org)

Agenda: Reports-

Secretary's Report (Stephen Carlson) – Approved the minutes from the September 19th E-Board.

-Webmaster with Mrs. Deb Brown – Mrs. Brown was not able to attend the meeting. She had an email report that said that LLD registration is building nicely and we also have to make decisions on the annual memberships.

Treasurer's Report (Justin Weber) – The lodge has a sufficient amount of funds.

Quartermaster's Report (Hayden) – The patches for 2019 need to be voted on, Hayden is also looking at a few different options for lodge hat designs.



Chapter Reports-

Chanonee – Chanonee had sixteen youth and four adults, they planned for their Haunted Hike and played dodge ball.

Foxfire – Foxfire did not have a representative to report.

Fox Valley – Fox Valley had thirteen youth and five adults, they talked about chapter events that they would like to do in the future.

Great Bear – Great Bear had twelve youth and nine adults, they talked about chapter events and upcoming lodge events, they also played “Giant Jenga”

Indian Prairie – Indian Prairie had two youth and three adults, they talked about their chapter activities for the upcoming year.

Kishwaukee – Kishwaukee did not have a representative to report.

Maramech Hill – Maramech Hill had twelve youth and six adults, they talked about their next meeting. They also played “monkey in the middle”. In the spirit of Halloween they also brought candy to enjoy.

Northern Trail – Northern Trail had two youth and six adults, they talked about their new location of their chapter meetings.

Potawatomi Trails – Potawatomi Trails had five youth and three adults, they held their meeting at the bowling alley and played two frames of bowling.



Thunderbird – Thunderbird had eight youth and four adults, they played games and went over upcoming events.

Committee Reports –

American Indian Activates (Grounds, old AIA) – The AIA committee is looking for ceremonialists for the brotherhood ceremony that will be taking place at LLD. Also, the Meramech Hill drum team is starting up and preparing for conclave.

Activities – Nothing to report

Brotherhood – The brotherhood committee is working with AIA to get a brotherhood team together for LLD.

Elangomats – Nothing to report

Engagement (Inductions and Promotions) – The engagement committee is looking for a new chairman to take over.

Service – Nothing to report

Vigil – We recently had twelve people complete their vigil. The vigil committee is also preparing for winter banquet awards.

Old Business-

Vigil weekend – Vigil weekend is where people do their vigil from when they got called out



FCOC –The Lodge had a great time at the FCOC (Fall Council of Chiefs). We talked about Conclave and attended training sessions.

New Business-

NLS - The National Leadership Seminar (NLS), is a great opportunity for scouts to learn about leadership with people from all around the country. The topics focus on relevant leadership skills for today, that scouts can use in and outside of scouting. Scouts who are interested can go on the Central Region website for more information.

Haunted Hike – The Lodge has been asked to help with parking and general assistance at the TFC Haunted Hike. The Lodge is looking for as many scouts as possible to come and help out at this fun event.

Popcorn Super Saturday - Popcorn Super Saturday is November 3rd, Jack is asking that we get 20 arrowmen there. There will be lunch for volunteers, it is located at the Batavia Public Works from 7am-3pm.

LLD – LLD (Lodge Leadership Development) will be taking place on November 10th, 2018 at Sycamore High School. It is a great way for arrowmen to come out and learn new leadership skills. This is a free training which includes lunch, registration is required.

FOS donation – The Lodge will be continuing the FOS donations that we had promised. In 2019, we will talk about our new donations plan. The commitment to 3 years of FOS donations was approved by the E-Board in January of 2016, and we will finish that commitment.

Lock in – The Lodge voted to have a “Lock-In” in 2019, more details will be available soon.

Dues – The Lodge dues for 2019 are due at the Winter Banquet. Arrowmen can pay on the Lodge website.



Vigil gathering – The Vigil Gathering will be Saturday, November 24th. More details will be coming soon.

Activities patches have to be approved – The Lodge approved to go forward with the 2019 patch set ideas. They also approved Hayden to further look into a new lodge hat. The lodge has also decided to order 200 patches for the Haunted Hike, this order was 100 less from 2017 where they ordered 300 patches.

Election form revision - The election forms for the 2018 election season have been updated for female youth.

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Council Rep (Ron Wentzell) -- Mr. Wentzell talked about how we as arrowmen can make a big impact on our communities. He gave all arrowmen in attendance a washer to represent how the scouts are the builders of programs and character.

Lodge Staff Advisor (Sean Nadeau) – Sean encouraged the Lodge to never back down to new challenges. He talked about how pushing forward with small challenges can have a big impact on your daily life.

Lodge Advisor (Mr. Parks) – Mr. Parks is looking forward to the upcoming service projects. He encourages to scouts to make a positive impact on every level of their lives by serving their communities.

Lodge Chief (Jack Dzierzanowski) – Jack talked about his recent experience with a two-star general that he met at a college visit. His main points were to never give up, to achieve greatness.