



**KU-NI-EH LODGE**  
**ORDER OF THE ARROW**

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**Upcoming Lodge Events**

<b>May Ordeal</b>	<b>May 6-7</b>	<b>Camp Michaels</b>
<b>Conclave</b>	<b>May 13-15</b>	<b>Camp Cricket Holler</b>
<b>Summer Fellowship</b>	<b>June 4</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>NOAC</b>	<b>July 25-30</b>	<b>University of Tennessee</b>

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**Chief Tracker**

**Andy, what did you do as Lodge Chief in April?**

Over the month of April I have been working on some exciting events for the lodge. My officers and I worked on planning our first ordeal of the year, which went great! At the section level, I met with the section leadership and toured Camp Cricket Holler in preparation for Conclave.

## What do you plan on doing in May?

In May, I plan on putting effort into the May Ordeal at Camp Michaels to make sure it goes as smooth as possible. Additionally, I cannot wait to help put on an amazing Conclave on May 13-15! I will be continuing to put effort into planning the event with the other section members.

## What are you most excited for the Lodge to do in May?

The thing I am looking forward to the most has to be Conclave! I've been working hard with other section leaders to plan and put together this amazing event for all the arrowmen in our section. Our sign-ups still seem low, so make sure to sign up as soon as possible!!!

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## Unit Elections

The Lodge has updated the process for how Order of the Arrow Unit Elections will be conducted in the Dan Beard Council in 2022. The changes were introduced at the February Lodge Executive Committee (LEC) meeting and solidified in March . The details can be found on the lodge website: <https://ku-ni-eh.org/unit-election-request/>

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## Ordeals

April Ordeal happened on April 22-23 at Camp Friedlander. It was a very productive weekend as the 28 candidates worked hard to ensure Friedlander would be ready to operate this summer camp season. 2 members also went through the Brotherhood Ceremony.



Thank you to all the staff that made this possible and the candidates that spent their weekend in cheerful service!

The May Ordeal is arriving soon on May 6-7, at Camp Michaels. It has been many moons since the admonition has been whispered around the fire of cheerfulness in the ceremony ring of Camp Michaels. Members are encouraged to staff for the event and attend the ceremony to welcome new members into the circle.

Register here for the event: <http://legacy.danbeard.org/oaevents>

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### Conclave

Join us at Cricket Holler Scout Camp on May 13-15, 2022 for a gathering of Arrowmen unlike any other! Attendees will experience top-notch trainings and an afternoon packed with games, shows, and competitions. Bring all your OA spirit to join the competition for the Spirit Stick, the coveted prize awarded to the lodge showing the most spirit both before and during the Conclave.

<https://mycouncil.danbeard.org/Event/11950>

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### NOAC

Hey Brothers! This is Rebecca S. reminding you that the deadline to register for NOAC is **MAY 15TH!!!!** Go to <https://ku-ni-eh.org/national-order-of-the-arrow-conference/> to find out more information and to register. Whether you completed your Ordeal in 1915 or before **MAY 15TH 2022**, you can register to come with us! Personally, I'm most excited for patch swapping, but others who've ALREADY REGISTERED are excited for intricate beadwork, the escape rooms, and meeting so many other scouts from across the nation (among many other amazing activities)!!!

Thanks, Rebecca



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## **Communications**

The Lodge Communications Committee needs help. There are multiple committee positions for youth to fill, ranging from taking photos to coordinating social media accounts. All people of any skill level are welcome. Also, adults with a passion for Communications are encouraged to volunteer.

<https://ku-ni-eh.org/contact/>

Stay up to date with information about the lodge: [www.Ku-Ni-Eh.org](http://www.Ku-Ni-Eh.org)

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## **Trading Post**

The Lodge has an online trading post. Check it out for some amazing deals: <https://ku-ni-eh.org/shop/>

The Trading Post will also be physically at upcoming events, such as May Ordeal.

If you're interested in getting involved in the Lodge, the Trading Post is also a great way to do that. You would be helping to sell Ku-Ni-Eh merchandise. If you're interested in this position, find Alanna C., the Lodge Treasurer, at May Ordeal.