

## Calendar of Events

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*Below is a list of annual events for Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge #70 for 2009 and 2010.*

### 2009

Date	Event	Location
Aug 1-6	2009 NOAC	Indiana University
Aug 14-16	Inductions Weekend	Hagan Sea Base
Sep 11-13	Inductions Weekend	Woodfield SP
Oct. 2-4	Inductions Weekend	CSR
Nov 13-15	Fall Fellowship/Brunswick Stew	CSR

### 2010

Jan 2	First Event	St. Paul's Church
Mar. 26-28	Spring Fellowship	CSR
April 16-18	SR-7B Conclave	Pamlico Sea Base, NC
Apr 30-May 2	Inductions Weekend	CSR
Jul 26-Aug 4	2010 BSA Jamboree	Ft. A.P. Hill, VA
Sept. 10-12	Inductions Weekend	Woodfield SP
October 1-3	Inductions Weekend	CSR
Nov 12-14	Fall Fellowship/Brunswick Stew	CSR

# Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge 70

## Candidate Guide

2009 Edition

**This book will serve as a  
Guidebook as you pass  
through your Ordeal.**

**Please print and bring this  
booklet with you to your  
Ordeal**



**2009-10 Ordeals for  
Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge #70  
August 14-15, 2009 (Ordeal 1)  
Sept 11-13, 2009 (Ordeal 2)  
October 2-4, 2009 (Ordeal 3)  
Apr 30-May 2, 2010 (Ordeal 4)**

## Letter from the Chief

Dear Ordeal Candidate,

Congratulations on being tapped as an Ordeal Candidate in Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge #70. The Order of the Arrow is perhaps the most highly regarded institution within the Boy Scouts of America. Admittance to this institution is granted only to those honor campers who exemplify the Scout Oath and the Scout Law in their daily lives. Your peers have found you to be worthy to wear the red arrow of our order, and we extend to you and invitation to join our brotherhood.

As an Ordeal Candidate, your greatest trial is still ahead of you. Before you are inducted as a brother in the Order of the Arrow, you must first pass through an Ordeal. This Ordeal will test your willingness to serve your brothers cheerfully, and without regard to your personal well-being. Throughout this Ordeal, you will be asked to make sacrifices to help better the lives of your fellow brothers.

Within the coming year, Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge #70 will be hosting four separate Ordeal weekends. As an Ordeal Candidate, you must attend one of these ordeal weekends, and pass through the Ordeal in order to become a brother. Each Ordeal weekends will be held at different locations. Further information about these Ordeals can be found in this booklet. We look forward to seeing each of you at your Ordeal. Once again, our congratulations and best of luck.

Chip Elliott  
2009-10 Lodge Chief  
Tsoiotsi Tsogalii Lodge #70

### Lodge Officers

Lodge Chief:	Chip Elliott
Vice Chief Program:	Zach Warner
Vice-Chief of Communications	Zach Wall
Vice-Chief of Administration	Chris Molnar
Vice-Chief of Indian Affairs	Dustin Cocklereece

### Lodge Advisers

Lodge Adviser	Rob Kennerly
Lodge Staff Adviser	Ted Williams
Vice-Chief of Programs Adviser	Tyler Faucette
Vice-Chief of Indian Affairs Adviser	Ken Shahbaz
Vice-Chief of Communications Adviser	Ron Jones
Vice-Chief of Administration Adviser	Jason Coe

### Chapter Chiefs

Achewon	Grayson Cox
Alamance	Kyle Gannon
Conestee	Austin Brandon
Danawa Tawodi	Matt Sexton
Hycotee	Alex Martin
Saura	Aaron Gleiser
Tutelo	Chip Elliott
Unaliyi	Anderson Burgess
Xualla	Zach Wall

### Chapter Advisers

Achewon	Chris Woody
Alamance	Ken Stevens
Conestee	Gwynn Brandon
Danawa Tawodi	Lyndal Butler
Hycotee	Patrick Craft
Saura	Jeff Gleiser
Tutelo	Rick Williams
Unaliyi	Jeff Kleisner
Xualla	Edwin Owens

## **Ordeal Weekends**

(For Candidates nominated by their Unit during the 2009 year).

You must complete your Ordeal at one of the weekends listed below. If you fail to attend and complete your Ordeal at one of these weekends, your nomination to the Order is withdrawn and you must be re-nominated by your Unit during another year.

August 14-15, 2009	Hagan Sea Base ( <i>30 Candidates</i> )
September 11-13, 2009	Woodfield Scout Preservation
October 2-4, 2009	Cherokee Scout Reservation
Apr 30-May 2, 2010	Cherokee Scout Reservation

The September and October Ordeal weekends are limited to the first 150 candidates to register.

Directions to Camps can be found on the Council Website: <http://www.bsaonsc.org>

Camp phone numbers (EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY):

CSR: (336) 694-6440

WSP: (336) 625-9944

## **What to Expect**

The Ordeal is a vital part of the Induction Process of the Order of the Arrow. The Ordeal provides a time for a Scout to reflect upon his experiences within Scouting. These reflections will hopefully broaden his experiences, and reaffirming his love for Scouting. During the Ordeal experience, a candidate is required to:

- Maintain silence
- Receive small amounts of food
- Work on Camp improvement projects
- Sleep alone and apart from other campers

The entire experience is designed to teach significant values.

Ordeal weekends are filled with many activities, all of which are safe and fully supervised in accordance with BSA Policies. There are hundreds of thousands of OA members, all of whom have participated

in an Ordeal. The Ordeal experience is one that no scout will ever forget because of the honor that has been given by being inducted into the Order of the Arrow.

## **Registration**

Your next step is to choose an Ordeal Weekend and pre-register for the weekend by filling out a registration form and submitting the form with payment to the Council Office. Register early, as space for the September and October weekends is limited to the first 150 candidates. Registration forms are available at the Council Office, or they can be downloaded from the Lodge Website: <http://www.lodge70.org> A medical form is also required for each candidate that does not require a doctor's visit and signature. The cost for the Ordeal Weekend is \$45, and includes: Meals, Ordeal Sash, OA Dues (for current year only), OA Handbook, Lodge Pocket Patch, and a Weekend Event Patch (if available).

## **Check In Information**

Please plan to arrive to the Ordeal Weekend Location no later than 7:00 p.m. on Friday evening. Proceed immediately to the registration table where you will be given instructions and a schedule for the weekend's activities. Please arrive on time, as tardiness will delay the progress of the weekend.

## **Departure Information**

The Ordeal weekend will conclude on Sunday at 9:30 am. All parents are invited to a brief meeting in the dining hall prior to departure.



## What to Bring

- **THIS BOOKLET**
- **MEDICAL FORM (if you did not pre-register)**
- **\$45.00 REGISTRATION FEE (if you did not pre-register)**
- **Work Clothes – Wear to Camp on Friday night**
- **Work Boots or appropriate footwear to work in**
- **Work Gloves**
- **Sleeping Bag**
- **Ground Cloth**
- **Personal Tent**
- **Water Bottle**
- **\* Full Class A Uniform**
- **\* Shower Supplies**
- **\* Extra Clothing**
- **\* Backpack**
- **\* Flashlight**
- **Raingear**
- **Money for Trading Post & Snack Bar**

Pack your items in a backpack. It is important that all items fit inside your backpack. Also, since we do not know what kind of weather Mother Nature has in store for us, bring clothes for any type of weather. Items marked with an \* will not be available for your use until Saturday night.

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## Purpose of the Order

To recognize those campers - Scouts, and Scouters - who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives and by such

recognition cause other campers to conduct themselves in such a manner as to warrant recognition.

- To develop and maintain camping traditions and spirit.
- To promote Scout camping, which reaches its greatest effectiveness as a part of the unit's camping program, both year-around and in the summer camp, as directed by the camping committee of the council.
- To crystallize the Scout habit of helpfulness into a life purpose of leadership in cheerful service to others.

## Mission of the Lodge

The mission of the Lodge is to achieve the purpose of the Order of the Arrow as an integral part of the Boy Scouts of America in the Old North State Council, through positive youth leadership under the guidance of selected capable adults.



## Contact Information

Lodge Website: <http://www.lodge70.org>

Council Office: PO Box 29046  
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(336) 378-9166  
(800) 367-9166  
<http://www.bsaonsc.org>

National Order of the Arrow website:  
<http://www.oa-bsa.org>

National Boy Scout Website:  
<http://www.bsa.scouting.org>

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#### OLD NORTH STATE COUNCIL REFUND POLICY

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Please be advised refunds on Council, District, or OA Events and Activities will be made only if an adult calls 5 days before the event to the Council Office to cancel that registration. The only exception to the policy will be the case of illness, accident and/or death in the family and that cancellation must be called in the day before the event. Refunds cannot be transferred to future events or functions. The exception being High Adventure Activities. Refer to the High Adventure payment schedule.

