

AREA SIX-E CONFERENCE W

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Camp Tanah-Keeta

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BOYPOWER

Dear Brothers:

It is a pleasure to have you in our camp
and spend a few days with you in Scouting
fellowship.

We are hopeful that this 6E Area Conference
will help us to reach new highs in learning
to be of service to others.

Our local Lodge has worked very hard to get
everything in readiness. If we can be of
service to you we will be happy to oblige.

Yours in Brotherhood,

John M. Vantrease
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Scout Executive

AAL-PA-TAH LODGE 237

GULF STREAM COUNCIL No. 85
501 - 53RD STREET
WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA 33407

April 21, 1972

Dear Brothers:

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 28th Annual Area 6-E Conference. Together we have come a long way since last year at this time, and I hope that you will find that this is the best Area Conference ever.

Over the past year, Aal-Pa-Tah has worked very hard to make your weekend very enjoyable with as little work for you as possible. If, during your stay, you find anything that is not satisfactory, please don't hesitate to mention it to me or one of the host corps members and we will try to correct it.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Wesley B. Haas
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Area 6-E Chief

GENERAL INFORMATION

YOUR FEE

Your \$7:00 Registration fee covers the cost of the following: Outstanding Meals, Housing, Packet of Literature, Daily Newsletter, and one conference pocket patch.

FIRST AID

The Health Lodge is attended 24 hours a day. Please report any and all accidents to our Lodge Medicine Man. Foot covering must be worn at all times.

CONFERENCE HEADQUARTERS

The Conference Headquarters and Communications Center will be in the Program Cabin immediately inside the main gate. All important information should be obtained there.

PHONE CALLS

All phone calls will be made at the Program Cabin. The approval of your lodge lay advisor and of the proper authorities on duty at the Program Cabin are necessary.

TRADING POST

Besides selling all forms of refreshments during the Conference, the Trading Post will also sell extra patches, mugs, neckerchiefs (with certificate), saucers, bolo ties, neckerchief slides, and National Order of the Arrow supplies. The time list on when the Trading Post will be open will be in your Friday newsletter.

MEALS

All meals will be in the Dining Hall except Saturday's and Sunday's lunch. The Menu will be listed in your Friday newsletter.

PATCH TRADING

All patch trading will take place during the free periods. The Dining Hall and the Handicraft Shelter will be lit up and open for this reason. Please remember to observe common courtesy after taps.

CHURCH SERVICE

Church Service will be held on Sunday morning at 7:30 A.M. Individual locations will be announced in the Saturday paper.

CHECK OUT

All campsites must be inspected by the host lodge, Aal-Pa-Tah, before departure on Sunday.



RULES AND REGULATIONS

BEHAVIOR

The Arrowman observes the Scout Oath or Promise and Laws, the Explorer Code, and the Order of the Arrow Obligation.

VEHICLES

All vehicles are to be parked in the parking lot and in the Camp road. No vehicles will be allowed in Camp or outside of the designated parking areas.

LIABILITY

All Lodges will be responsible financially and accordingly for any property or physical damage done to the camp or another Lodge by its delegates.

LEAVING CAMP

No one is to leave Camp after registration without the approval of your Lodge Lay Advisor and the Camp Ranger, Mr. Beaver.

GENERAL CAMP RULES

The Arrowmen will respect the state laws and Camp regulations prohibiting the possession or use of drugs and alcoholic beverages in any form on the camp property and those covering the use of fireworks, firearms, and gambling. Anyone violating these regulations will be turned over to the local authorities.

LITTERING

Camp Tanah Keeta has a standing Council rule for littering which will be put into effect during the Area Meet:

Anyone who drops litter on the ground and is tagged by another Arrowman, must purchase for that Arrowman a 10¢ drink at the Trading Post or something of equivalent value, and must also clean up the refuse that he dropped.

This rule applies to young men as well as adults and will be strictly enforced by the host lodge and the Camp Ranger. We at Aal-Pa-Tah take great pride in keeping our camp clean and beautiful. We hope that you will extend this same pride during your stay at the conference.

VISITING OTHER LODGES

A Lodge's campsite is their home. Be an invited guest before entering and act accordingly.

TRAINING FLIGHTS

Delegates are expected to attend all planned training sessions and general discussions.



UNIFORMING

It is recommended that all delegates remain in proper uniform throughout the conference as this will be a consideration toward the trophy for the best all-around lodge.

OFF LIMITS

The following areas are off limits to all delegates attending the Conference:

Dining Hall Kitchen
Dining Hall Shower
Ranger's House
Camp Director's Cabin
Waterfront (Except during the Quest)
Quartermaster Building
All Unassigned Cabins
Health Lodge (Except for reason)
Boat House
Jonathan Dickenson State Park
Girl Scout Camp

CAMPSITE ASSIGNMENTS

ECKALE-YAKANEN

TEQUESTA

OSCEOLA

CABINS 1,2,3,4,5,6

O-SHOT-CAW

MOHAWK

SEMINOLE

TIMUQUA

TIMUQUAN

CREEK

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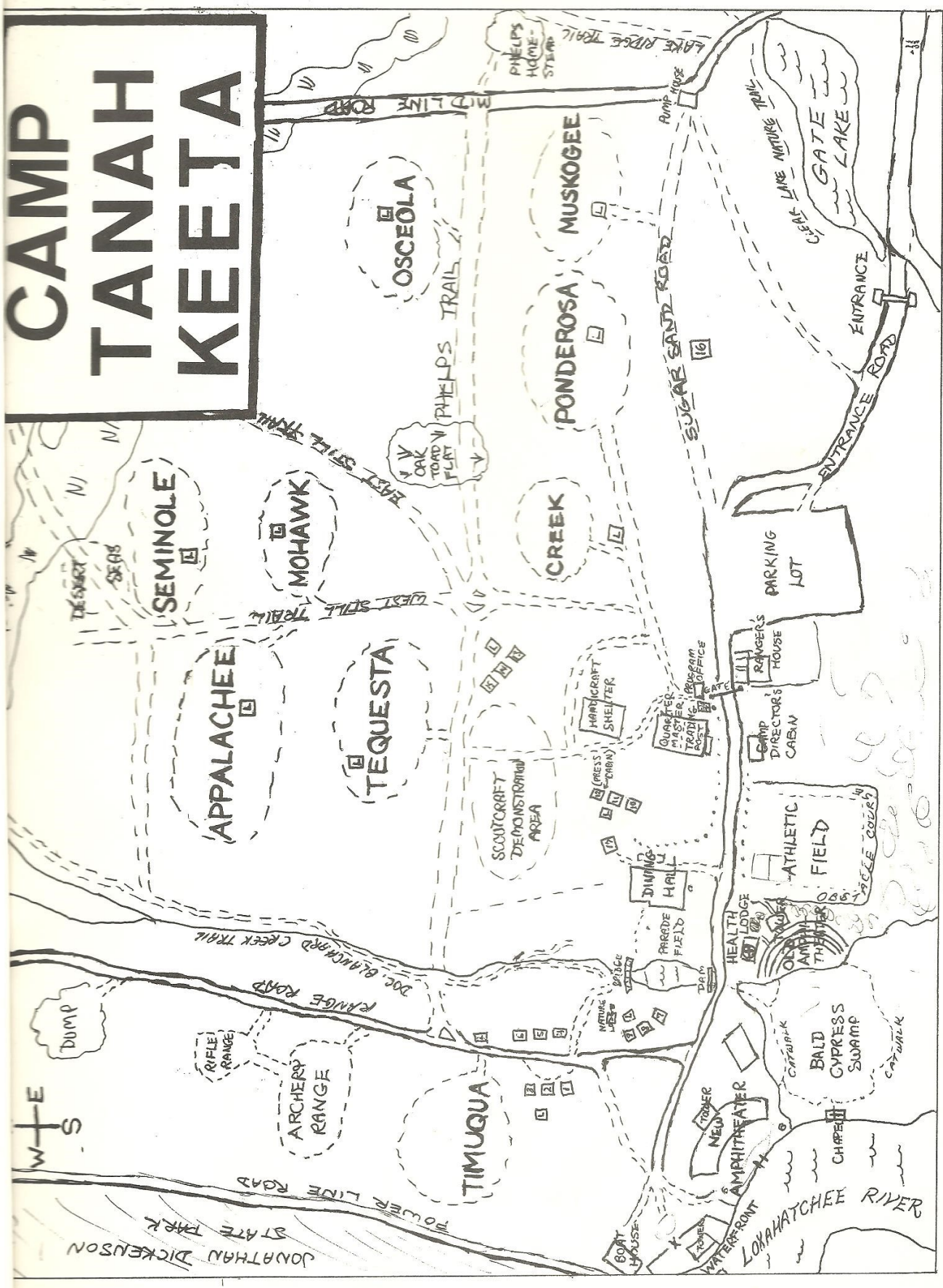
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CAMP TANAH KEETA



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY
APRIL 21

4:00 P.M. Registration
8:30 P.M. Opening Assembly (at Waterfront Amphitheater)
9:15 P.M. Festival of Feathers (Pow-Wow and Individual
Dance and Costume Competition)
10:45 P.M. Cracker Barrel (Dining Hall)
11:15 P.M. Area Executive Board Meeting
11:30 P.M. Taps (Quiet until Reveille)

SATURDAY
APRIL 22

7:00 A.M. Reveille
7:30 A.M. Flag Raising (at Parade Field)
7:45 A.M. Breakfast
9:00 A.M. Training Flight #1
9:30 A.M. Training Flight #2
10:00 A.M. Training Flight #3
10:30 A.M. Training Flight #4
11:00 A.M. Free Time
11:45 A.M. Lunch
1:00 P.M. Mock Ordeal Competition (Old Amphitheater)
2:00 P.M. Quest for the Golden Arrow
(at Archery Range and Waterfront)
4:30 P.M. Free Time
5:30 P.M. Retreat (at Parade Field)
5:45 P.M. Dinner
7:00 P.M. Public Ceremony (at Waterfront Amphitheater)
8:00 P.M. Festival of Feathers (Chanting and Group
Dance Competition)
10:30 P.M. Cracker Barrel (Dining Hall)
11:00 P.M. Area Executive Board Meeting
11:30 P.M. Taps

SUNDAY
APRIL 23

7:00 A.M. Reveille
7:30 A.M. Religious Services
8:30 A.M. Breakfast
10:00 A.M. Area 6-E General Business Meeting
(at Waterfront Amphitheater / Presen-
tation of Awards, Election of New
Officers)
12:00 A.M. Break Camp and Checkout

We of Aal-Pa-Tah wish you a safe trip home.
Please travel with care!



FESTIVAL OF FEATHERS

The Festival of Feathers will take place on Friday and Saturday night. But, what is the Festival of Feathers? To some it is old stuff, but to new comers it will prove to be an enlightening experience.

Friday night's Festival of Feathers Program will be on the individual scale. There will be both Novice and Professional competition in both the Old Time and Fancy Dance categories. Should there be sufficient request, we will also hold Grass Dance and Straight Dance competition on an individual basis. Costume judging will also take place on Friday night.

Saturday night's Festival of Feathers Program will take place immediately after the public ceremony. At this time we will hold chanting and group dance competition.

To answer the original question, a Festival of Feathers is a time when Arrowmen can display their costumes and dancing skills and compete for recognition and prestige. For those who are experienced Indian hobbieists, there is bound to be some very formidable competition and some invigorating pow-wows. For those who are just beginning in Costuming and Dancing, observing the Festival will be a very profitable experience. But whether you are an observer or a competitor, the Festival of Feathers is always fun.



AREA 6-E HISTORY

The 1972 Area 6-E Conference serves to celebrate the 27th Anniversary of Area 6-E. The idea of holding an annual Area Conference was established in 1945 at Camp Echockotee near Orange Park, Florida. The original eight lodges which attended were Aal-Pa-Tah, Calusa, Echockotee, Kiondashama, O-Shot-Caw, Pilthlako, Semialachee, and Tipisa.

Since then, Area 6-E has gone through many changes. Calusa Lodge was dropped and later reorganized as Eckale-Yakanen. Both Pilthlako and Semialatchee were moved to Area 6-D. Timuquan and Chiriqui Lodges were formed in the very late 1940's. At one time O-Shot-Caw Lodge was dropped but was later reorganized in the mid 1950's under the same name. In 1968, Echockotee Lodge was transferred to Area 6-C, and Osceola Lodge was formed and added to the Area.

PAST AREA MEETS

1945	Camp Echockotee	November	Jacksonville
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1948	No Meeting		
1949	Camp Flying Eagle	March	Bradenton
1950	Camp Silver Lake	March 24-26	Tallahassee
1951	Camp Osborne	March 30-April 1	West Palm Beach
1952	Laura Walker State Park	April 18-20	Georgia
1953	Camp Echockotee	April 24-26	Jacksonville
1954	Camp Soule	April 2-4	Clearwater
1955	Camp La-No'-Che	April 22-24	Paisley
1956	Camp Owen Brorein	April 13-15	Tampa
1957	Camp Small	March 29-31	Jupiter
1958	Camp Echockotee	March 28-30	Jacksonville
1959	Camp Sebring	April 3-5	Sebring
1960	Camp La-No'-Che	April 1-3	Paisley
1961	Camp Soule	April 28-30	Clearwater
1962	Camp Tanah-Keeta	April 27-29	Tequesta



1963	Camp Sebring	April 19-21	Sebring
1964	Camp Echockotee	April 24-26	Jacksonville
1965	Camp La-No'-Che	April 23-25	Paisley
1966	Camp Flaming Arrow	April 22-24	Winter Haven
1967	Camp Flying Eagle	April 21-23	Bradenton
1968	Camp Soule	April 26-28	Clearwater
1969	No Meeting		
1970	Camp La-No'-Che	April 24-26	Paisley
1971	Camp Sebring	April 23-25	Sebring
1972	Camp Tanah-Keeta	April 21-23	Tequesta

PAST AREA CHIEFS

1949	Fielding Fry	1960	Jay Hickey
1950	Govan Ware	1961	Bruce Brown
1951	Tom Stewart	1962	Dave Williams
1952	Frank Pierce	1963	Tom Watts
1953	Jim McDonald	1964	Dick Leslie
1954	Walter Testrak	1965	Jim Frey
1955	Mike Testrak	1966	Pete Thompson
1956	John Harmes	1967	Andy Klien
1957	Richard Maychek	1968	Don Martin
1958	Jim Prosser	1970	Alan Champion
1959	Art Tate	1971	Jim Flatten

1972 Wesley Haas



AREA 6-E LODGES

<u>LODGE</u>	<u>DERIVATION</u>	<u>TOTEM</u>
AAL-PA-TAH #237 Gulf Stream Council West Palm Beach	Seminole meaning Alligator	Alligator
CHIRIQUI #391 Canal Zone Council Balboa, Panama	Name of a Panama- nian Indian Tribe	Spanish Gallion
ECKALE-YAKANEN #552 Sunnyland Council Sarasota	Calusa meaning Rising Sun	Rising Sun
O-SHOT-CAW #265 South Florida Council Miami	Seminole name for White Heron	White Heron
SEMINOLE #85 Gulf Ridge Council Tampa	Florida Indian Tribe	White Ibis
TIMUQUAN #340 Pinellas Area Council St. Petersburg	Early Florida Indian Tribe	Eagle
TIPISA #326 Central Florida Council Orlando	Souix for Red Tipi	Red Tipi
OSCEOLA #564 Southwest Florida Council Fort Meyers	Name of a Seminole Chief	Osceola



