

2001 SR-4 SECTION CONFERENCE



**SAND HILL SCOUT RESERVATION
APRIL 20 - 22, 2001**

HOSTED BY TIMUQUAN LODGE 340
WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA COUNCIL, B.S.A.

Conference Schedule

FRIDAY

Noon- Registration Opens

Trading Post Opens (The Trading Post and the Grill Will Be Open 24 hours a day)

King's Cup Display Setup

12:00- 9:30- Activity

9:30- Pre Show

10:00- Opening Show

11:00- Cracker-barrel

Special Event

Council of Chiefs

12:00- Quiet Time

SATURDAY

6:00- 5K Run

7:30- 8:30- Breakfast

Vigil Breakfast

9:00-12:00- Training

9:00- 4:00- Ceremonies, Ordeal Administration, Publications, Best All
Around, and Native American Competitions

12:00- 1:00- Lunch

Ordeal Luncheon

1:30- 4:00- Quest Events

Group Dance Competition

Singing Competition

4:00- King's Cup Taken Down

4:30- Adult Sinkathon

5:30- OA Trail Crew Reunion

5:30- 6:30- Dinner

7:00- 8:30- Festival of Feathers

9:30- Pre Show

10:00- Show

11:00- Cracker-barrel

Special Event

Council of Chiefs

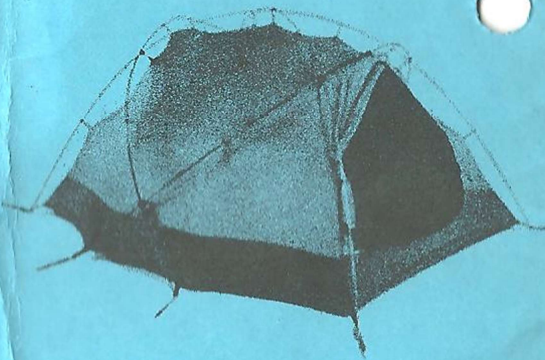
12:00- Quiet Time

SUNDAY

7:00- Breakfast served in
campsite

8:45- 9:00- Worship Service

9:15- Business Meeting



Campsite Assignments

AAL-PA-TAH LODGE 237



Campsite 5 - Possum Hollow

ALAPAHA LODGE 545



Campsite 2 - Lookout Point

ECHECONNIE LODGE 358



Campsite 8 - Quail Hollow

ECHOCKOTEE LODGE 200



Campsite 9 - Wild Cherry Run

IMMOKALEE LODGE 353



Campsite 11 - Ivy Grove

OSCEOLA LODGE 564



Campsite 6 - Raccoon Run

O-SHOT-CAW LODGE 267



Campsite 10 - Fox Squirrel Trail

PILTHLAKO LODGE 229



Campsite 2 - Lookout Point

SEMIALACHEE LODGE 239



Campsite 8 - Quail Hollow

SEMINOLE LODGE 85



Campsite 3 - Black Bear Ridge

TIPISA LODGE 326



Campsite 4 - Toad Hollow

TOMO CHI-CHI LODGE 119



Campsite 2 - Lookout Point

Section Chief's Welcome



Section Four

Southern Region - Order of the Arrow - B.S.A.

Seminole • Tomo-Chi-Chi • Echocottee • Pilthlako • Aal-Pa-Tah • Scmialachee
O-Shot-Caw • Tipisa • Timuquan • Inmokalee • Echeconnee • Alapaha • Osceola

My Brothers,

Welcome to the 2001 Section S-4 Conference and the Sand Hill Scout Reservation! This Conference promises to be one of the largest and best Conferences in the history of Section S-4. It also promises to offer you with many opportunities to have fun, while learning a lot about the Order of the Arrow!

Devin Kay, John Barron, David Haertel, George Romagnoli, Scott Payne, Paul Pentilla, and the rest of the members of the Timuquan Lodge have put countless hours into preparing Sand Hill Scout Reservation and other aspects of the Section Conference, and they deserve our sincerest gratitude.

I would also like to thank Mackie Zewalk, Stephen Brown, Tim Faughnan, and each of the Lodge Chiefs for their help in preparing this weekend's program. Mackie organized the training sessions for this weekend, and Mackie, Stephen, and Tim organized the Ordeal Administration, Publications, and King's Cup Competitions respectively. This Conference is the culmination of more than a year's preparation and planning by our Council of Chiefs, and we owe each of our Lodge Chiefs a profound amount of appreciation for their dedicated service to our Conference, our Section, and our Order!

Thanks are also in order for Mr. Don Haertel. Mr. Haertel is an outstanding Arrowman, and he stands as one the great Section Advisors in our Section's history. He has invested countless hours in the preparation for this conference.

It has been a great privilege to serve as your Section Chief for the past two years! It has been an amazing experience and has taught me a lot about life, humility, our Order, and the depths and powers of the human spirit! I will never forget the opportunities and experiences it has offered, and I thank you sincerely for this tremendous opportunity! I look forward to future opportunities to serve each of you, the Order of the Arrow, and the new Section S-4S!

If there is anything that I can do for you throughout the weekend, please don't hesitate to let me know!

Yours in Brotherhood,

Devin Cooper
1999-2001 Section S-4 Chief

Section Officers
2000 - 2001

Chief
DEVLIN COOPER

Vice Chief
MACKIE ZEVALK

Secretary
STEPHEN BROWN

Historian
TIM FAUGHNAN

Section Adviser
DON HAERTEL

Associate
Section Adviser
RICHARD TORE



2000 Section Gathering - October 20 - 22, 2000, Fla. FIA Leadership Training Center, Haines City, FL
2000 Section Seminars, November 3 - 5, 2000, Camp Tannah-Keeta, Tequesta, FL
2001 Section Conference, April 20-22, 2001, Sand Hill SR, Brooksville, FL

Lodge Chief's Welcome

Fellow Brothers,

On behalf of Timuquan Lodge 340 and the Council of Chiefs, I would like to welcome you to the 2001 Section S-4 Conference. As the first conference of the new millennium it is our goal that this event will be remembered for years to come as one of the best Section Conferences in the history of the Section. Together, with the Council of Chiefs, Timuquan has worked long and hard to make this Conference such an event, and we hope that you will love every minute of your experience here at the beautiful Sand Hill Scout Reservation.

This year's Conference offers many of the same of events as Conferences past, but it also offers some new ones. I encourage you to scan through the list of events found in this guidebook, and I challenge you to participate in as many as possible. Remember, this Conference is only what you make of it. So, take that initiative and get involved. Participate with your lodge, go to the training, and experience the majestic ceremonies and the lively Native American events offered here at the Conference. All of these things constitute the true conference experience, and I hope that you will be able to participate in all of them. Have a great weekend, and if you need anything, please, let us know!

Yours in WWW,

David Haertel

Timuquan Lodge Chief

Section Conference Chairmen's Welcome

Welcome to the last Section Conference of S4. We have been working hard over the past couple of months so we can provide you with the best conference ever. I urge you to attend training and have as much fun as you possibly can. Have a fun and safe weekend!! If there is any thing I can do for you, feel free to ask. Kindly all that is within you.

Yours in WWW,

John Barron & Devin Kay

2001 Conference Co-Chairmen

Council Of Chiefs

AAL-PA-TAH Lodge #237
Chief - Bradley Ellis

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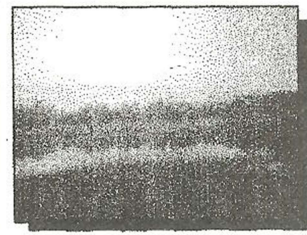
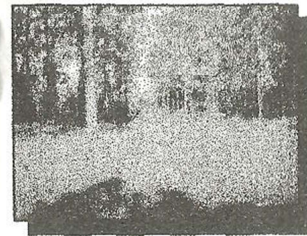
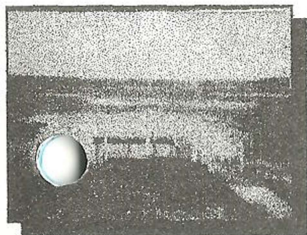
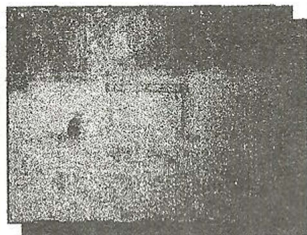
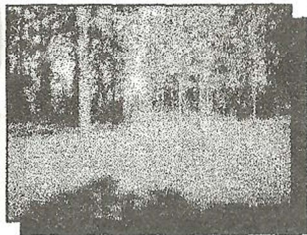
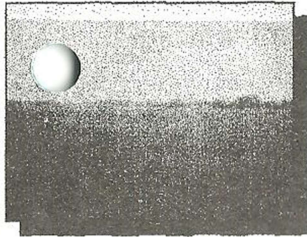
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Chief - Nick DiGirolamo

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Chief - David Haertel

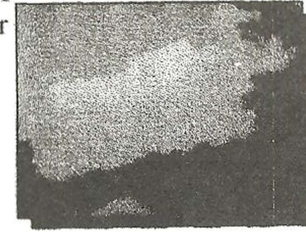
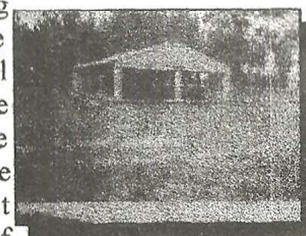
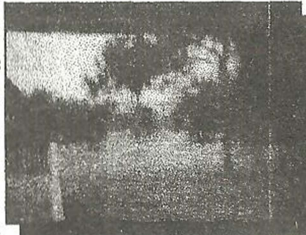
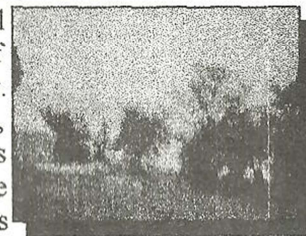
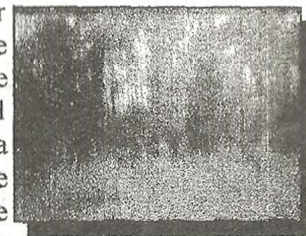
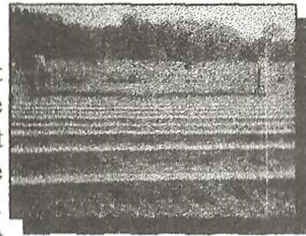
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Chief - Chris Crowley

TOMO CHI-CHI Lodge #119
Chief - Corey Ullman

About Sand Hill Scout Reservation



During the 1400 – 1500's the first true scouts inhabited the area we know of today as Sand Hill Scout Reservation. The Timucua were organized into several clans that lived independently throughout the west central region of Florida. For centuries these mostly peaceful people lived by farming and hunting. In the early 1600's disease and other tribes had driven the Timucua from their lands. By the 1700's the Timucua no longer existed. The ownership of the lands changed hands several times for many years until finally a cattle rancher by the name of Larry Die Polder owned the land. Mr. Die Polder supported the Boy Scouts, and allowed them to camp on his property frequently. In 1976, Mr. Die Polder decided to donate 1200 acres of land to the scouts whom he was so fond of, thus giving ownership to the West Central Florida Council and the Gulf Ridge Council. In 1988, WCFC held summer camp at Sand Hill Scout Reservation for the first time using field cooking and primitive campsites. By 1995 the pool and pool house, the dining hall, the health lodge, trading post, and 6 campsites were developed. By 1997 an additional three campsites and a new rifle range were developed. In 2000 the climbing and rappelling towers were completed. Today, Sand Hill Scout Reservation sits as the pinnacle of scout camping, and the outdoor program.



The Grill

The 2001 Section Conference grill is located in the trailer on the east side of the health lodge. It is open twenty-four hours a day during the entire section conference.

The Conference Trading Post



The 2001 Section Conference Trading Post will be located in the camp trading post. It will feature all of the conference merchandise along with items from the host lodge box.



Conference Pre-Order Pickup

To pick up your ordered items, visit the pre-order pick up station located within the Trading Post. The pick up station will be open Friday evening from 7:00 PM until midnight. It will open again Saturday morning during breakfast and close at 1:00 in the afternoon. Please try to come by and get your orders picked up by 1:00 Saturday afternoon. After that, the trading post staff will attempt to deliver orders to your Lodge Adviser. Thank you for your cooperation and your support.

Conference Medical Information

First Aid Station will be located in the Health Lodge near the Council Ring. It will be open from Friday evening until Sunday morning for any medical problems. In the event of a minor emergency (if time permits), the Arrowman should get his Health Form from his Lodge Adviser and bring it with him to the Health Lodge.



In addition to the First Aid Station, the Medical Explorers from Largo Medical Center and All Children's Hospital will provide roving First Aid assistance during the day on Saturday.



Major illness or trauma will be transported to Oak Hill Memorial Hospital directly to the north of Sand Hill Scout Reservation.

In the event of a camp wide emergency you will be alerted by constant sounding of the camp siren and constant honking of camp vehicles. Return to your campsite. Lodge Chiefs/Advisers, take roll and send a runner to the conference headquarters, located in the dining hall, for instructions.



All Arrowmen should remember to drink plenty of water, wear sunscreen, and use insect repellents as needed to protect them from the elements.

Locations

Registration - Rifle Range
Parking - Rifle Range
Radio Station - South Part of Health Lodge
First Aid - Health Lodge
Food Tents - South of Parade Field
Vigil Breakfast - Dining Hall
Ordeal Luncheon - Dining Hall
Trading Post - Trading Post
Grill - Side Of Health Lodge
Pre order Pick Up - Scoutmaster's Lounge
Conference Headquarters - Dining Hall
Security Headquarters - Sertoma House

Quest Events And Locations

Volleyball - the volleyball courts next to health lodge

Ultimate Frisbee - by the volleyball courts

Water Polo - the swimming pool

OA Jeopardy - the dining hall porch

Banana Relay - the parade field by the
flag poles

5k run - starts at the Hagerty shelter



Competitions

Kings Cup - Hagerty Shelter



Ceremonies - OA Ceremony rings one and two

Training Sessions

Leave No Trace Camping:

- An informative and interesting group discussion regarding Leave No Trace Camping. Participants will learn in depth leave no trace camping techniques, above and beyond regulations.

Living the Full OA Experience:

- An exciting session about the opportunities in the OA on a National Level. Participants will be given information and resources about the fantastic opportunities at OA Trail Crew, OA Voyage, and other great programs.

The How To's of Clothing and Regalia:

- To provide basic knowledge and skills to Arrowmen in the creation and importance of clothing as an enhancement to ceremonies appearance.

The Nuts & Bolts of Your Ceremony Team:

- To educate participants with everything they need to know to recruit, start, train, coach, and advise a ceremony team.

Powwow Protocol and Dance Styles:

- A description of basic rules and procedures for Native Gatherings. Grand Entry Protocol will be discussed. Proper uses of hide dresses, traditional cloth, jingle, and fancy shawl will be covered. Protocol for Southern and Northern dance, drum and song protocol will be discussed. Round dance steps will be discussed, as will an illustration of the difference between powwow round dance and "49" round dance. Cover what the honor beats are and how to recognize them, and what to do at their sounding for both traditional dancers and jingle dancers. Gourd dance protocol will be briefly covered.

Patch Design Workshop

- A workshop in approaching the problems of a successful patch design. This will be an in-depth forum on designing patches to fulfill the needs of your lodge. The balance of "catchy" design and purpose being conveyed will be outlined thoroughly.

Patch Trading 101

- Learn the basics of patch trading including all of the do's and don'ts.

Other Special Events

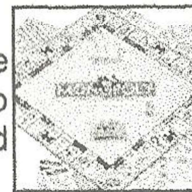
Tug of War - The classic game of lodge strength. Located in front of the dining hall.

Advisers Tug of War - The tug of war for advisers. Located in front of the dining hall.

Advisers Sink-A-Thon - Advisers will try to sink each other's canoe while trying to stay afloat in theirs. Located at the waterfront.

Hidden Arrow - This is the yearly contest for lodge members to try to find the hidden arrow. Clues will be given in *The Eagle Talon* newsletter.

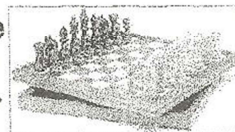
Monopoly Tournament - A tournament for all of the conference attendees to play Monopoly. Located under the dining tent.



Risk Tournament - A tournament for all of the conference attendees to play Risk. Located under the dining tent.



Chess Tournament - A tournament for all of the conference attendees to play chess. Located under the dining tent.



Lodge Spirit Award - An award based on your lodge spirit during the section conference weekend.

Best Trained Award - An award based on your lodge's training.

Kings Cup Display

The Kings Cup displays are each of the lodges' way to show their history. Each lodge will have their Kings Cup display set up at the Hagerty Shelter. Please take a moment out of your busy weekend schedule to come by and look at each one. There will be a lot of interesting facts and pictures from all of the lodges in our section including yours. Hey, you might learn something you didn't know about your lodge, and there is much to learn about other lodges.

The 2001 Section Conference Radio Station

Hopefully you brought an FM radio with you. If you did, be sure to tune in to WCFC, S-4 radio. This year's conference will see the first ever 24 hour radio station so we can play the hits around the clock. Listen to all of your favorite dj's doing their wacky stuff, your favorite bands, and hear the interviews from the Section and National officers. Roving reporters throughout the day will find out what you think about the conference and put YOU on the radio! There will be a battle of the bands where the winner will be played for 60 minutes continuously. The world famous arena shows, Festival of Feathers, and Section Business Meeting will be broadcast live! Come by the studio and watch through the glass as we make SR-4 history with the biggest and the best radio station for any section conference. It will be the first conference radio station of this millennium and the last of Section 4. For more information on WCFC S-4 radio, look in your weekend editions of *The Eagle Talon*.

The Quest For The Golden Arrow

The Quest events are a series of events in which all lodges are welcome to compete. They are physical and mental challenges that include Volleyball, Ultimate Frisbee, water polo, OA Jeopardy, Banana Relay, and the 5-K Run. Each event will follow a scoring system in which the first place lodge will get 1 point, second place lodge gets 2 points, and so on. The lodge with the lowest score wins the Quest for the Golden Arrow. Watch for more information on the Quest events in your section conference editions of *The Eagle Talon* newsletter.



The Scout Law

Throughout this weekend much will be expected of you as a Boy Scout and more so as an Order of the Arrow member. As the events move on, remind yourself of the scout law. A Scout is Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, and Reverent. The host lodge would like to ask you to be Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, and Obedient dealing with the two way radio at camp. If you brought them with you, by all means use them and have fun. Please do not interfere with the host lodge radio agenda by using family radio channels one, two, and three. That will leave eleven channels free for all members of the conference to use. If you are going to be using any business band radios, please keep the color DOT channels clear. Thank you all in advance, and have a great time!

Yours in Brotherhood,
D.J. Pollock
Communications Chairman

Publication's Competition

The 2001 Publication's Competition will focus its attention on the quality of content as well as the growth and development of the newsletters and other publications of Section S-4 lodges. All lodges competing must bring thirteen copies of each lodge newsletter and any other publications they wish to present for review. Newsletters will be the main focus of judging. Lodges who wish to have a website reviewed must bring an outline of the contents of the website as well as thirteen printed copies of the main page. A representative will need to accompany the submissions to answer any questions that the judges may have. The period of time from which publications can be used in the competition is April '00 – April '01. All lodges are encouraged to participate and the entire criteria need not be met to compete.

American Indian Competition Categories

- **Crafts:** Gives Arrowmen an opportunity to view each other's handiwork and share knowledge of Native American crafts.
- **Clothing:** Allows Arrowmen the opportunity to have their clothing critiqued. This allows the judges and Arrowmen to consult in a casual setting to make it a learning experience for all.
- **Individual Dance:** Recognizes individuals for their skills in the various styles of dance common to Native American Pow-Wows.
- **Skilled Solo:** Includes the specialized individual dances such as the eagle dance and the hoop dance.
- **Singing:** Encourages lodges to incorporate Native American music into their Indian Events program.
- **Group Dance:** Lodges may present a team performing a group dance. The lodge will be judged on the effectiveness of its

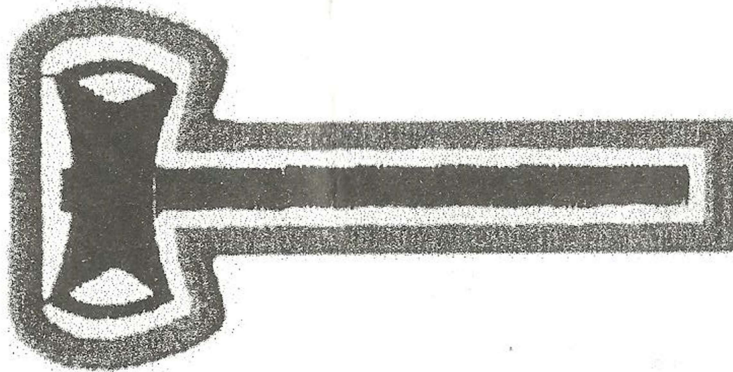
research, narration, musical performance, and dance execution.



Section Conference Code Of Conduct

As a member of the Order of the Arrow, I will:

- Observe the Scout Oath, the Scout Law, and the Obligation of the Order of the Arrow.
- Wear my Official Boy Scout uniform throughout the 2001 Section Conference. Unofficial hats, patches, and other decorations are not part of the official uniform.
- Attend all planned, general, and special sessions and events.
- Confine trading and swapping to free periods and designated areas.
- Be personally responsible for breakage, damage, or loss of property.
- Observe quiet hours and lights out in campsites from 12:30 am-6:00 am.
- Keep my quarters clean and dispose of trash properly.
- Not change my assigned campsite without permission from the conference headquarters (in case of an emergency).
- Understand that purchase, possession, or consumption of alcoholic beverages or illicit drugs by any youth or adult at the conference will not be permitted and will result in immediate dismissal from the conference.
- Respect the state laws, and West Central Florida Council rules regarding the use of fireworks, firearms, and gambling. Infraction of these rules will result in immediate dismissal.
- Not be authorized to sell items at the 2001 S-4 Conference. I understand that the official trading posts and vendors are the only source for purchasing items.

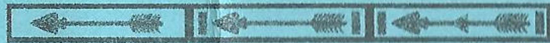


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TIMUQUAN LODGE #340



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Grill: Chairman- Doug Renker Adviser- John Trapp

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Lodge Adviser- Scott Payne

Staff Adviser- Paul Penttila

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Vice Chief- Mackie Zewalk

Historian - Tim Faughnan

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