

Osceola Oracle



Spring Fellowship 2026

Osceola Overview

During this wet weekend we had our newly elected candidates go through their ordeal. I am excited to announce after this weekend we have 81 new brothers apart of our lodge. I am anticipating a big year for Osceola. I would like to thank our Ceremonies team, Elangomats, and Unit Elections team because without them, bringing these new members into our lodge isn't possible. There was a lot of service to be done around Camp Flying Eagle and thanks to our Arrowmen and candidates the camp looked a lot better than how we found it. With many projects like clearing paths, maintenance of our OA ring, painting cabins and new lights, we have made major improvements to CFE. Overall, this weekend was a huge success for our lodge and I can't wait for where the future will take us!

YIS, Will M
Lodge Secretary





Lodge Chief's Corner



Lola S



Osceola Lodge Chief

This past weekend's Ordeal was a great success, and honestly, I couldn't be more proud of everyone who made it happen. Friday definitely tested us a bit with the rain, but no one let it slow things down. If anything, it brought out the best in our team. Everyone stayed positive, pushed through, and kept things moving, which really set the tone for the rest of the weekend. By Saturday, things cleared up, and everything came together really well. We had 81 new candidates complete their Ordeal, which is awesome to see, and 14 members sealed their membership as Brotherhood. Seeing that kind of growth and commitment in our lodge is something special. Overall, it was just an amazing weekend. Great turnout, great energy, and a lot to be proud of. I'm really thankful for everyone who put in the time and effort to make it happen, and especially proud of the LEC for sticking with it and delivering such a strong event.

Lola S.

Vice Chief of Administration

Douglas M



I am thrilled to report on an incredibly successful and energetic weekend for our lodge. We ran two ceremony teams this weekend, which means we had a new team doing the ordeal and brotherhood ceremonies so a huge congrats to those teams. The Ordeal went exceptionally well. We are proud to announce the induction of 81 new Ordeal members into our fellowship. Following them, we saw 14 Elangomats and 3 Nimats expertly guide our candidates through the process. Furthermore, we witnessed the next step in the Scout journey as we had 16 members seal their membership in our brotherhood. Seeing the enthusiasm of our new members and the dedication of our veteran Arrowmen fills me with excitement. I cannot wait to see where the rest of the year takes us. With this momentum, the future of our lodge and the vision of the LEC are incredibly bright. Finally, a huge and well-deserved congratulations to William M. on his election as the next Vice Chief of Administration. I look forward to the energy and leadership he will continue to bring to the LEC.

Vice Chief of Program



Peyton W

To start, I want to thank each and every one of you that came to Ordeal. I also want to congratulate the new Ordeal candidates that went through. Just a couple reminders, sign up for Section Conference, it will be a lot of fun. Thank you for the service projects that got done this past weekend and I look forward to seeing you all at Section Conference.



Chapter Community

Tukosee Mathla



I would like to start off by mentioning the great amount of brothers that just went through Ordeal and have been welcomed to Tukosee Mathla! We had a great show out at Ordeal weekend and can't wait to see everyone at our upcoming chapter meeting which will be April 9th, at the Council office! At this meeting we will be having our chapter elections. Please be on the lookout for any emails regarding chapter elections, Section Conference, and Summer fellowship. Hope to see you all soon!

Joanna F.

Hvlpatah Tastanagi



First and foremost, Hvlpatah Tastanagi is proud to welcome our newest brothers to the chapter! In other news, the beach cleanup in February went very well and proved to be a worthy and fun bit of service. We look forward to a very successful chapter leadership election cycle, which will take place on April 19th at the North Collier Fire Station, details in emails to come. We have begun to push Section Conference attendance within the chapter. Other than that, we can't wait for Summer Fellowship and what's to come in the remainder of the Scouting year!

Lola E.

Yaha Hajo



The Yaha Hajo chapter has been having a great time with the lodge and our new members. We have recently had a meeting with our new members, we went bowling and had a great time there. We are all very excited and looking forward to section conference. Our next meeting on the 26th of April will be a beach cleanup at the North Jetty beach, it will include a barbacue after
James S.

Oscen Tustenuggee

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OSCEN TUSTENUGGEE



We had 3 youth come with 9 or so new Arrowmen, some of the kids seem really eager to help within the chapter, during our meeting we discussed allowing the new Arrowmen to design our new chapter shirts and finally we started getting every one to join the band app for communication I am hoping to bring plenty of Oscen Tustenuggee memebtrs to section conference

Evan R

Adviser's Minute



Sean Hauser Osceola Lodge Advisor

Ordeal on Friday night was truly an Ordeal. Mother Nature decided that was the perfect evening for some much needed rain. These are the moments that help our Lodge's youth leaders to really grow. The rain forced them to pivot everything at the last minute on Friday. With a little bit of effort, delegation and problem solving they were able to pull it off. Despite the damp start on Friday night, the rest of the weekend was beautiful. We welcomed 81 new members to our Lodge! 81! We also had 14 members seal their ties in Brotherhood. This weekend had the most people at a Sunday breakfast in a very long time. I hope you all continue this trend! My predecessor always said that you can judge the success of an event by smiles on faces. By that metric, this was a VERY successful Ordeal weekend. By all other metrics it was also successful, including hundreds of man hours of service to our beloved Camp Flying Eagle. Congratulations to our upcoming Lodge Executives on their elections at the Annual Business Meeting; Peyton, William, Joanna, Josh, Nathaniel, Gavin and Maggie! I hope to see many of you at 2026 Section Conference in April and ALL of you at Summer Fellowship in May.

Yours in Brotherhood
Sean Hauser

Upcoming Events

A peak into Osceola's future events

(Registration for all Lodge Events are on our website)

Section Conference 2026 April 10-12 @Tanah Keeta Scout Reservation

Section Conference is one of the most unique events that is offered. It is jam-packed with activities! Aal-Pah-Tah has a show lined up for us. Arrowmen from all around Florida and parts of Georgia will be there so don't miss out on the chance to meet people from all over our Section

Lodge Leadership Development May 1-3, 2026 @Camp Miles

LLD is required for all future and past LEC members but it is open to all. This event will plan our future motives for our lodge so if you have a vision you want to see come true then let your voice be heard by attending LLD!

Summer Fellowship May 8-10, 2026 @Camp Miles

Summer Fellowship this year will be a blast and we want all arrowmen to attend. This fellowship is not like the rest, it is filled with fun events and no service! In the past we have had bounce houses and water slides. This event is also our makeup ordeal so we will be needing elangomats for our make-up ordeal! Don't forget to register for the most exciting event we have to offer!

Fall Fellowship September 11-13, 2026 @Camp Flying Eagle

This weekend will be filled with service and important events. For all Arrowmen who just went through ordeal, you have the chance to seal your membership as you will be eligible for your brotherhood ceremony. This event will also kickoff our 2026-2027 calendar year!



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