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Pre-Pow-Wow Report on Tapping

This year, the tapping at summer camps was much improved. As has been experienced in previous years, help at Camp Minis Kuya greatly outnumbered help at Humboldt. As the reservation is becoming the main camp, steps will have to be taken to remedy the situation. As the ceremonies used at the reservation were not as satisfactory as had been hoped, a new single ceremony is now under development along with a circle away from the main camp. This will greatly improve the impressiveness of the ceremony which is the main desire. In the coming summers, we must leave an impression on the campers, not just a memory of fringe. The only method by which we will be able to correctly impress the campers, is to use a select team method which will come to the camp to perform the tapping. An attempt was made to do this this season but, however, was not wholly effective due to lack of cooperation. The old afternoon ceremony as such has been eliminated. Although this is different, the reason is that it interferes with their camp activities which is why they are there in the first place. The original story of Hiawatha as told in this, has now been incorporated into the new ceremony. This not only eliminates many problems, but will more effectively tell the story.

FALL POW-WOW will be
AUGUST 22-23-24-25

This fall the Order of the Arrow is going to hold its annual Fall Pow-Wow on August 22-25. We need your help to make this venture a success. We need you not only on Saturday, but on Thursday and Friday also.

The ceremonies will start on Thursday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. Each of the candidates will be set out to cook their meals. At 9:00 all those who did not receive the trail of the four fires ceremony at camp will be removed and will then receive it. The fasting and work details will be given Saturday. Saturday evening, the Ordeal ceremony will be given. On Sunday morning, all members are requested to be present at the Lodge meeting. A noon meal will be served. Tribal Council will meet at 8:00 Sunday morning to prepare for the meeting.

Jobs for the Pow-Wow are as follows:

- Firebuilders
- Sachems
- Runners
- Chiefs
- Guards
- Torchmen
- Cooks

If there are enough of those who are eligible, the Brotherhood ceremony will be given Saturday evening before the Ordeal ceremony.

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