

Meet Your Officers...

...by Dylan Schwarzenbach, Publications Chairman

This is the first in a two-part series of interviews done by your Sundial Staff so you can learn a little bit about your Lodge Officers. Look for part two in the Summer edition.

Ben Fitzwater - Lodge Chief



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Ben Fitzwater is currently serving as the Lodge Chief for the Golden Sun Lodge. Ben started Scouting in 1995 as a 1st year Webelos Scout. He earned his Eagle Scout in 1999. Ben was called out and inducted into the OA in 1998 and became a Vigil Honor member in 2001.

Ben has held many positions within his troop, including Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Chaplain, Chaplains Aide, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Junior Assistant Scout Master. Ben has also been active in Venturing, including serving as Venturing Crew President.

Ben has served as Chapter Chief and Lodge Vice-Chief for the Golden Sun Lodge. Ben attended the National Order of the Arrow Conference in 2002 and will attend the 2004 NOAC. Ben was one of the first members of the Lodge Dance team and continues to dance when time allows.

Ben's hobbies include hunting, camping, working on cars, and 4 wheeling. Ben enjoys country and classic rock music, and his favorite place to eat is the bar in DuBois after Scout events at Camp Cornhusker.

"Let it be remembered that the Order of the Arrow was created to help the Troop—to help it set before its membership a better idea of the inner qualities of the good Scout Camper"

...E. Urner Goodman

Need to Contact an Officer?
Contact information for the Lodge and Chapter Officers and Advisers is available on the Golden Sun Lodge website and on the last page of this newsletter.

Seth Bingham - Lodge Treasurer



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Seth Bingham first joined scouts in the second grade, starting as a wolf in 1994. In 2000 he was inducted into the OA. He has been in the Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts for 10 years.

Seth has held every position in his troop except for the Librarian and Scribe.

In the OA he has held the position of Lodge Treasurer for a year and a half. Seth works at the Council Trading Post, and also worked at trading post at the C-6B Section Conclave.

Seth's hobbies include Boy Scouts, working for the Boy Scouts, and some computer games. His favorite music isn't really defined, so he just listens to what ever is on. Seth says his favorite place to eat would probably be the Olive Garden, but then again, "I'll eat anything".

Seth is a junior at Waverly High school. He is in Troop 76 and likes to help with unit elections. This summer he will be on staff at Camp Cornhusker, working as the Nature Director. Seth says one of his major accomplishments is having a workable budget this year for the OA.

Unit Elections Under Way

OA Unit Elections are in full swing. If your unit has not had an election and you have Scouts eligible, don't hesitate. All elections must be completed by May 31. To schedule an election contact your Chapter Unit Elections Representative. More information about unit elections and eligibility requirements is available on the lodge website.