

SR6 Conclave University

January 29, 2011

Overview

SR6 OA University, consists of “colleges” which focus on specific interest areas involving the Scouting and/or OA program, such as Lodge Administration and Leadership, American Indian Activities, Induction and Ceremonial Events, and General Studies.

SR6 OA University is divided into four different colleges. Each college offers a Bachelor’s and Master’s degree.

At Conclave 2010, our inaugural year for SR6 Conclave University, there were over 355 arrowmen who earned a Bachelor's degree. The 2011 Conclave will add a Master's degree in each College, and in 2012, the plan is to add a PhD degree in each College.

Classes are held on the Saturday morning of Conclave. There are 3 class sessions:

8:30 AM – 9:15 AM

9:30 AM – 10:15 AM

10:30 AM – 11:15 AM

Block Schedule is from 8:30 AM – 11:15 AM

Master's Program is from 8:30 AM – 11:15 AM

When an arrowman completes a degree, they will receive a patch from the College. Participants who earned their Bachelor's degree last year are eligible to earn their Master's degree this year, and if they return for the following or subsequent years, they can earn a PhD degree.

2011 Deans and Advisors:

SR6 Conclave University

Chancellor: Matt Brown

Advisor: Rob Guisinger

College of Kichkinet

Dean: JD Lawsen

College of Allowat Sakima

Dean: Johnny Tracey

College of Nutiket

Dean: Zachary Rice

College of Meteu

Dean: Michael Dozier

College of Kichkinet

—suggested for **first year Conclave Arrowmen**. This will explain what a Conclave is and what the OA has to offer in a fun way. **Will earn a Bachelor's Degree from the College of Kichkinet.**

Bachelor's Degree:

Pick 3 classes from the College of Kichkinet

1. What is Conclave? – This class will give Arrowmen a full understanding of what a Conclave is and will include a brief tour of this years Conclave and where everything is located at.
2. OA Function – learn the basic idea of how the Order of the Arrow operates and what there is to do in the OA.
3. Frisbee Golf - who said we couldn't have fun? Learn how to play Frisbee golf while learning different ideas about the OA.
4. The OA and your troop – This session discusses the benefits to the individual, troop, district, and council as a result of the Order of the Arrow's influence in your troop
5. Geocaching – This session will teach you the basic fundamentals of geocaching and how discusses the benefits to the individual, troop, district, and council as a result of the Order of the Arrow's influence in your troop

Masters Degree:

6. Master's, College of Kichkinet – This session will prepare you to master the skills in order to lead and teach the basics offered in the College of Kichkinet

College of Allowat Sakima

This college will offer classes that will help current or future lodge/chapter officers. **Will earn a Bachelor's Degree from the College of Allowat Sakima.**

Bachelor's Degree:

Pick 3 classes from the College of Allowat Sakima

7. Elangomats – this session will go over how to be a successful Elangomat, what an Elangomat does during and after the Ordeal, and what to expect as an Elangomat.
8. Teamwork – this session will give you ideas on how to develop a well functional team. The session will include team building activities and a short discussion and sharing of ideas on how a team should work. **Youth only class**
9. Motivating Youth – this session will give adults ideas and ways to get their youth more active in the OA and get them to do something with it. Be sure to bring ideas, there will be a lot of discussion. **Adult Only class**
10. Event Planning – this more advance class will let future or current lodge/chapter officers learn about how to plan a successful event.
11. Mentoring - This session will address various mentoring models and ways to be a mentor to Scouts and Scouter's.
12. How to make a Fall Fellowship, a FALL FELLOWSHIP! – this class will involve the instructor discussing how to make your spring or fall fellowships a lot of fun. There will also be a discussion part of the class to share ideas.

Master's Degree:

13. Master's, College of Allowat Sakima – This session will prepare you to master the skills in order to lead and teach the basics offered in the College of Allowat Sakima

College of Nutiket

– This college will offer all there is to know about Indian Lore. If you are interested in OA ceremonies, dancing, drumming, or Native American artwork, this is the college for you. **Will earn a Bachelor's Degree from the College of Nutiket.**

Bachelor's Degree:

Pick 3 classes from the College of Nutiket

Ceremonies

14. Introduction into Ceremonies – if you are new to ceremonies, this class will help you get your foot in the door for more advance classes and opportunities for a spot on your lodge ceremony team.

15. Cub Scout Crossover – ever wanted to do an OA cub scout crossover? Learn how!

16. How to do a unit election

17. Ceremony Advisers Training

18. Becoming your Character (Allowat Sakima)

19. Becoming your Character (Meteu)

20. Becoming your Character (Nutiket)

21. Becoming your Character (Kitchkinet)

College of Nutiket

AIA

Session 1

- 22. Grass Dancing & Regalia (8:30 AM – 9:20 AM)
- 23. (Tee-Pee) Life (8:30 AM – 9:20 AM)
- 24. How to start a Dance Team (8:30 AM – 9:20 AM)
- 25. Old Style Dancing & Regalia (8:30 AM – 9:20 AM)

Session 2

- 26. Fancy Dancing & Regalia (9:30 AM – 10:20 AM)
- 27. Southern Women's Clothing (9:30 AM – 10:20 AM)
- 28. Southern Singing (9:30 AM – 10:20 AM)
- 29. Pow-wow Etiquette (9:30 AM – 10:20 AM)

College of Nutiket

Session 3

- 30. Straight Dance (10:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 31. Basic Dance Steps (10:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 32. Traditional Dancing & Regalia (10:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 33. Judging Conclave Competition (10:30 AM – 11:20 AM)

Workshops

- 34. Beading (hands on) (8:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 35. Choker Making (hands on) (8:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 36. Drum Making (hands on) (8:30 AM – 11:20 AM)
- 37. Finger weaving (hands on) (8:30 AM – 11:20 AM)

Master's Degree:

- 38. Master's, College of Nutiket – This session will prepare you to master the skills in order to lead and teach the basics offered in the College of Nutiket

College of Meteu

– new and old members of the Order of the Arrow are encouraged to attend this school to learn how to serve as an officer in the Order and the history of it. **Will earn you Bachelor's Degree from College of Meteu.**

Bachelor's Degree:

Pick 3 classes from the College of Meteu

39. SR-6 History – this class will go over how our section has grown over the past and fun facts about the section.

40. The Election Process – learn how to move your way up the ranks in the OA starting at the chapter level, and possibly ending at the national level.

41. Where are they now? – this research type class will give first hand examples of past section officers and where they are now in life.

42. What not to say – a key success in any leader is to be able to communicate. Learn what to do, and what not to do.

43. Meet the Chief – whoever our national/regional level guest is, this will be a class that they get to discuss the OA, what they do as an officer, and have a chance for the participants to ask questions. **Youth**

44. Advisers Forum – this session will be headed by the section adviser and is meant for any adult adviser. The class will offer how to be a good adviser, what an adviser does, and example issues of what might come up as an adviser. **Adult**

Master's Degree:

45. Master's, College of Meteu – This session will prepare you to master the skills in order to lead and teach the basics offered in the College of Meteu

Block Schedule

Participants will pick one subject, which will last all three sessions, and **will earn a Bachelor's degree from Allowat Sakima.**

46. Chainsaw Safety Course - For adults over the age of 21. This class will earn the participant BSA certification in chainsaw safety

47. CPR Certification - For mature Arrowmen who have an interest in learning the proper techniques for CPR

48. First Aid Certification - For mature Arrowmen who have an interest in learning the proper techniques in first aid

49. Wilderness First Aid - This class will let older Arrowmen learn the basics of wilderness first aid, but will **not** receive BSA certification (Introductory Class)

Master's Degree Requirements

- Class time runs from 8:30 AM to 11:15 AM.
- Requirements are the same for each Master's degree offered.
- The instructor will provide a general overview of all the different bachelor classes offered in the respected College.
- The class will then form small teams and write a brief essay on the curriculum offered and thoughts on any improvements that can be made.
- The team will then make a short presentation based on their written essay.
- The essays will include each members name and be turned into the instructor after their presentation.

Registration

Pre-registration data is important in the planning process prior to Conclave. The data can be used to ensure selected training sites are appropriate for the class size, and allow to eliminate or combine sessions in which no interest is shown. Conclave will run smoothly, and it will maximize the use of resources.

Arrowmen can register online using the SR6 website. Arrowmen will be able to simply click which degree or block schedule course they want and the classes they want to attend.

After the pre-registration deadline, a definite schedule can be determined and the final class counts for training will be put in place.

Benefits

SR6 OA University is an exciting program that can provide first class quality training while being able to have fun and share experiences with other SR6 arrowmen. This program provides innovative and hands on training that can improve the skills of any age arrowmen.

The benefits of this program are that,

- it establishes an introductory training track for first-time conclave delegates, while providing them some choices, based on their interests. It also offers incentive for them to return for future Conclaves to participate in more advanced training.
- by offering degrees in different colleges, it creates several years of options and incentives for seasoned conclave veterans to continue attending conclave training.
- requiring PhD degree candidates to teach bachelor's and master's level courses will provide a constant supply of trainers. For PhD degrees, outside requirements can also be created for each degree that involve some "outside work", such as being a trainer at their lodge's LLD during the coming year.

Budget:

- ❑ Patches – \$1000
 - ❑ Restock Bachelor's –
 - ❑ Master's –
 - ❑ Staff -
- ❑ Supplies – \$500
 - ❑ Markers –
 - ❑ Tape –
 - ❑ Signs –
 - ❑ Flip Charts –
 - ❑ Registration Cards -
- ❑ Frisbees - \$100

Deans and Advisors Recruiting Schedule:

- February 21
 - All trainers have been recruited
- March 31
 - All trainers are confirmed
 - Finalize class schedules and locations for trainers
 - Finalize supplies list
- April 8
 - Trainers check in with respective Dean
 - Dean's report to Chancellor
- April 9
 - Classes begin 8:30 AM

2012 Conclave Training Planning for PHD Program:

- outline of requirements for arrowmen qualified to pursue their doctorate at the 2012 Conclave
- 3 key requirements:
 - 1. a visit to another lodge's event and a short paper on what was learned
 - 2. a doctorate thesis from a list of topics selected by the training committee
 - 3. serving as a trainer for 2012 Conclave Training.

Questions and Comments?