

THE HOWL

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Pennacook Lodge's Award Winning Newsletter

Ordeal Staff Needed! Join Us! September 29-October 1 at TL Storer The Most Important Work We Can Do

Please join your fellow
Arrowmembers in
Pennacook Lodge by
helping induct over 50
new members to the OA
by staffing the upcoming
Fall Ordeal Weekend.
Your Lodge needs your
Scouting spirit and cheerful

service. Staffing an Ordeal is some of the most important work we can do as Arrowmembers to help ensure a quality, inspiring experience to those elected to the OA.



The Date and Location:

• Friday, September 29 – Sunday, October 1 at TL Storer Scout Reservation

The Need:

 Elangomats, Ceremonialists, Food Service, 15 Blazes, Service Teams, support staff

What to do:

- Please register for the Ordeal by logging on to the Lodge website, Event Registration
- If you'd like to volunteer for a particular staff position, please email Inductions Sachem Matt Richard or Vice Chief Adam Yalcin at inductions@oapennacook.org





On the Road Again for NOAC '24?

Ready for a great Rocky Mountain and National OA Adventure? Pennacook Lodge will take to the air and the road in 2024 for NOAC! Don't Miss Out!

Mark your calendars for July 28 – August 10!

The 2024 National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) is being held at the **University of Colorado, Boulder** campus, on the week of July 29

– August 3. Pennacook will be flying from Boston to Denver on Sunday, July 28, attending the national conference for one week and returning home by renting vans and touring national parks, camping at scout camps, enjoying some top-rated amusements museums, and attractions along the way. We will land back home on Saturday, August 10.

How about helping plan the trip? With so many options, scout camps and great national sites between Colorado and Massachusetts, Pennacook is looking for youth members to join the NOAC Planning Committee and map it all out! Questions, ideas or to sign up, email noac@oapennacook.org.

NOAC Planning Committee Meeting Sunday, September 17, 4-6pm Council Office, 2 Tower Office Park, Woburn Everyone is Welcome!

Pennacook NOAC Announcement! Sunday, October 29 at 7pm via Zoom More Info, plus Zoom link, to follow



Pennacook Lodge is joining with all six OA Lodges from across Massachusetts to serve our fellow scouts at the 2023 MassJam Camporee on October 6-9 on Cape Cod. All OA volunteers will be staff members of a camporeewide OA Service Corps and help with event logistics, registration, parking, sub-camp assignments, MassJam shows and more!

Interested Pennacook Members must register with the MassJam '23 website directly, pay the event staff fee, and choose your meal plan. Registration is available through the lodge



website's registration page at www.oapennacook.org/registration.

Pennacook will be offering a round trip ride to MassJam leaving the Woburn Scout Office at 6:30pm on Friday, October 6 and returning mid-afternoon on Monday, October 9. We are asking each rider for \$20 to help offset the cost of gas.

If you have any questions or to sign up for the MassJam OA staff, please email our Contingent Leader Cyrus Rich at service@oapennacook.org.



Dues are paid once per calendar year and cost \$25.00 per member.

Please visit the lodge website to pay your 2023 dues.

E V E N T S

Lodge Executive Committee (LEC)

Join the LEC and help make your Lodge a better Scouting organization! Sunday, Sept 17 2pm – 5pm, Council Office, Woburn

Fall Ordeal Induction - Staff Needed!

Friday - Sunday, Sept 29-Oct 1 at TL Storer

Last Elangomat Training for 2023

Sunday, Sept 24 at 3:00pm Council Office, 2 Tower Office Park, Woburn

MASSJAM '23

OA Service Corps Staff Needed!

Weekend of October 6 - 9 Cape Cod Fairgrounds, Falmouth, MA

Pumpkin Fest & Haunted Camp

Weekend of October 27 - 29, NEBC

Cheerful Service Wknd, Brotherhood Induction & Fall Lodge Meeting

Weekend of November 18 – 19, TL Storer

Lodge Leadership Development Wknd

Weekend of December 8 – 10, NEBC

