Fellow Tribesmen,

What an honor and privilege it has been to serve as the chieftain of our tribe. Being in the tribe these past years and working with young tribesmen as they work their way up through the ranks has always been a rewarding experience for me. The values the tribe teaches, in God, country, family and others, builds solid foundations in these boys’ lives like none other. Giving them the opportunity to think deep within themselves and put into words their thoughts and feelings about each of these four hearts resolutions, makes them stop to evaluate where they’re at in this stage of their lives. We all need to do that from time to time.

I appreciate everything you each do for young scouts, the tribe and Camp Hansen. It takes all of us working together to make scouting, Golden Eagle and Camp Hansen great. We are blessed with so many good people.

God bless you, I hope you’re having a great year, and I hope to see you all at Camp Hansen Potlatch in the spring.

Yours in scouting,

Chieftain Painted Water

Potlatch Schedule

8:00 - 9:00 Registration
9:00 - 11:45 work projects
10:00 Chieftain Meeting @ Apartment
10:30 Manhawka Meeting @ HQ
12:00 - 12:45 Lunch in Dining Hall
1:00 - 5:30 Silent Auction
1:30 - 5:00 Camp Staff Orientation
1:30 - 4:00 Regalia Class for tribesmen
2:45 tribal Council Meeting @ HQ
3:45 Camp Stewards meeting @ DC
4:15 Aquatics Committee @ DC
4:30 Camp Commissioners @ DC
5:00 - COPE meeting @HQ
5:30 Super in Dining Hall
6:45 - Ceremonial Gather at Council ring

Manhawka Council following Chieftains Ceremony at Headquarters
# Congratulations to Golden Eagle Tribesman with New Responsibilities in 2018

## New Chief
- Guiding Horned frog: Kyle Smith
- Painted Water: Patty Lowe
- Iron Water: Donald Lowe
- Laughing Eagle: Doran Schurr
- Strong Oak: Danial Johnson
- Deer Hunter: Willie Collins
- Bright Patient Eagle: Cord Gross
- Big Chattering Archer: Mark Bell
- Big Gathering Pins: Tim McFee

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## New Medicine Man
- New Tom: Jackie Schurr
- Charging Black Buffalo: Andrew Apodaca
- Clever Raptor: Tony Smith
- Sky Walker: Steven Johnson

## New Sagamores
- Piping Snowy Bobcat: Kate Johnson
- Painting Beaver: Edward Johnson
- Burning Metal: Linda Johnson
- New Medicine Man: Andrew Apodaca

## New Keepers of the Wampum
- Little Cheerful Bluebird: Alicia Bean
- Talking Strings: Brian Smith
- Thoughtful Sprit: Phillip Wolf
- Burning Metal: Peter Paras
- Painting Beaver: Rick Kinion
- Guiding Snowy Bobcat: Kim Whetzel

## New Sachems
- Red Buzzard: Charley Harmon
- Spirit Scouter: Trevor Donahey
- Radiant Patient Eagle: Hailee Gross
- Big Straight Oak: Bill Shipley
- Big Feathered Lobster: Randy Arnold
- Mystic Painter: Josh Babson
- Big Cheerful Otter: D'Ann Gardner
- Giving Merchant: Leland Wentworth

## New Shaman
- Gathering Pins: Joey McFee
- Little Fire Hunting Eagle: Ischar Swofford
- Spirit Water: Emily Lowe

## New Keepers of the Sacred Bundle
- Twisting Hawk: Herman Griese
- Proud Laughing Eagle: Denton Schurr
- Climbing Monkey: Aaron Nesting
- Smiling Polar Bear: Fernando Rivera
- Giggling Thunder: Morgan
- Pritchard: Noah Peak
- Tuning Duck: Devon Horinek
- Pouncing Lion: Devion Horinek

## New Runners
- Sky Walker: Jared Benton
- Drummer Running: Mia Bolton
- Snowy Bobcat: Caden Whetzel
- Clever Raptor: Victor Leerock
- Charging Black Buffalo: Matthew Cole Jr

## New Tom-Tom Buffalos
- Wading Buffalo: Cauy Meier
- Bright Oak Bluebird: Elijah Fontanez
- Gazing Sequoia: Zach Hayes
- Shadow Fur: William Bannister
- Arcing Fox: Harrison Colgan
- Diving Dog: Henry Kastens
- Nature Guardian: Shane Wescott

## New Firebuilders
- Crimson Tortoise: Dillon Kirk
- Swimming Honey Badger: Chance Eck
- Feathered Lobster: Sam Arnold
- Swimming Hawk: Nash Dunker
- Weaving Snake: Jon Garner
- Faithful Watchman: Andrew Prine
- Climbing Hunter: Manten Crow
- Whistling Monkey: Reese Nesting
- Tackling Duck: Wendell Mong
- Strait Oak: Isaac Shipley
- Long Distant Flier: Eathan Voss
- Colorful Guardian: Ryan Westcott
- Spiritual Painter: Toby Korte
- Playful Split Oak: Darrin Hardison
- Lively Blazing Lion: Spencer Smith
- Soaring Hornet: Jacob Reitmeyer
- Majestic Cloud: August Bridges
- Swift Lizard: Keegan Holderman

## New Warriors
- Scaling Giraffe: Trevor Linn
- Striking Cheetah: Levi Johnson
- Standing Ox: Jakob Ochsner
- Designing Raven: Ethan Kirkwood
- Healing Raven: Nathan Kirkwood
- Sleeping Panther: Oliver Pickney
- Shooting Snake: Colter Allemang
- Red Giraffe: Cyril Dow
- Young Battling Warrior: Trenton Hill
- Swift Hyena: Jailyn Tyler
- Raging Bear: Colton Ashmore
- Hunting Hawk: Kaden Shellito
- Blue Diamond: Zach Griffin
- Determined Shooter: Joseph Meyers
- Exploring Archer: Braden Gromley
- Quiet Hunter: Drew Altstatt
- Little Guiding Frog: Gabriel Dewitt
- Growing Tiger: Graysen Smith
- Climbing Panda: Austin Moore
- Swimming Cheetah: Cayden Bauer
- Musical Turtle: Nathan Callahan
- Hunting Raptor: Trevor Johnson
- Grey Ghost: Sabian Mills
- Scorched Pheasant: Bailey Runnion
- Singing Wind: Jose Arrieta
- Thoughtful Stargazer: Kyle Helzer
- Happy Hound: Thad Peck
- Kicking Kanaro: Landon Budek
- Guiding Canoe: Marshall Perryman
- Shooting Fox: Samuel Pyle

## New Honored Warriors
- Friendly Walking Bear: Linda Ward
- Friendly Growing Tiger: Amy Smith
- Big Friendly Turtle: Brian Smith
- Big Dulling Ram: Travis Darnell
- Big Steady Wind: George McKay
- Big Faithful Seeker: Robert Acridge
- Big Swimming Panther: Larry Prewitt
- Big Whistling Bear: Craig Ralston
- Helpful Raccoon: Barb Clark
- Kicking Kiwi: Emerald McGlath
- Braided Strings: Abby Spickler

## New Brave
- Curious Cat: Brandon Johnson
- Running Iron Man: Cutter Rhudolf
- Loyal Climbing Hunter: Jarek Crow
- Blue Panther: Nickolas Judy
- Red Walking Bear: Conner Ward
- Striped Horse: Anthony Halbergwachs
- Soaring Runner: Jonathan Spacheck
- Ivory Fox: Jason Houser
- Sparking Winter Fox: Eathan Bokoskie
- Planning Bluejay: Caleb Miller
- Clever Cat: Connor Cosands
- Wooden Bobcat: Jacob Barry
- Rylan Basart: Cheerful Otter
- Young Mystic Painter: Andrew Babson
- Silent Shark: Josh Timson
- Scaling Snake: Lian Corl
- Silent Panther: Nathan Vollvricht
- Leaping Lama: Alan Apodaca
- Scarlet Falcon: Gabriel Garcia
- Purple Falcon: Jeezus Garcia
- Chattering War: David Christensen
- Guiding Snowy Bobcat: Tom Bigge
- Ivory Wildcat: Regan Bales
- Friendly Terrier: Derek Kirchhoff
- Young Quiet Blue: Jacob Black
- Dueling Ram: Gunner Darnell
- Mystic Flame: Saxon Rose
- Trekking Wolf: Crede Johnson
- Striking Whitetail: Levi Lennemann
- Enduring Owl: Tyler Engstrom
- Young Giving Merchant: Spencer Wentworth
- Bright Shooting Musket: Ryan Ludowese
- Spritual Wolf: David Wrench
- Black Mamba: Luke Hoover
- Sparking Stick: Devin Johnson
- Hungry Snow Leopard: Ben Manookin
- Howling Tomahawk: Preston Beckman
- Whitting Bear: Isaac Ralston
- Swimming Panther: Jonathon Prewitt
- Distance Sail: Isaac White
- Striking Hound: Payton Tarver
- Kicking Hound: Jesse Tarver
- Silent Lama: Nathan McConnel

## 2018 Keeper of the Plains
- Sachem Sprit Scouter: Trevor Donahey
- Medicine Man Big Blue Rabbit: Greg Rasmussen

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**Image:** [Image of a Congratulatory Message]
Greetings Fellow Tribesmen,

Several seasons have passed since we last met together. I look forward to our time together at Potlatch as we prepare our reservation for another summer. I look forward to celebrating the lives of our fellow tribesmen who have passed on to be with the Great Creator. I am even more excited to see who our next Chieftain will be.

Hopefully each of you have worked hard to keep your four heart resolutions since you last left the council ring. Hopefully all of your fellow Scouts have seen you provide an example of how to live in the spirit of the Scout Oath and Law. Remember the first lesson you learned along the trail of becoming a Golden Eagle, you must view others with a spirit of “Friendship and Warmth”.

Lastly, I challenge you to continue to encourage your fellow Scouts to spend a week on our reservation as a camper with their troop or the entire season as a member of our staff. We will welcome our 3,000 member to the Tribe as well. Let’s make this our best summer season!

Yours in Scouting

Chief Guiding Horned Frog
Kyle Smith

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**Scouts & Leaders**

If for some reason you are not able to attend camp with your unit or your troop is not coming to Hansen this year but you would like to, we can help you out. We have units each week that are willing to add you and/or your scout to their troop for a week of camp. We want you to be able to get the experience of summer camp regardless of your schedule. Contact Mike Gross at Camp Hansen for more information on how you can attend summer camp.

Mike Gross
1955 2725 Ave.
Chapman, KS 67431
785-210-5079

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**Camping Committee Information:**

The council camping committee has set new fees for both camp Hansen and camp Brown. In these fees they have established that anyone staying inside a staff building at Camp Hansen will be charged $10.00 per bed for each night. Each room has four beds in it so a room would be $40.00 per night. As in the past anyone requesting a bed will do so by contacting Rex Lowe in advance of the event.

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**Potlatch Silent Auction**

It is time once again to give you the opportunity to help others be recycling some our your Scout stuff and other regalia items. The money raise at the Golden Eagle Potlatch Silent Auction will go to special project for Camp Hansen. Bring anything and everything you would like to donate to the auction to John Rhudolph at registration on Saturday morning in the Dining Hall.
Rick Kinion to serve as Golden Eagle Coordinator

Keeper of the Wampum Painting Beaver will serve as Golden Eagle Coordinator again this summer. Questions regarding nominations and/or if you would like to help with ceremonies, please contact Rick Kinion at jp.shop@yahoo.com

Calling All Braves and Warriors

(And all other Golden Eagle members)

Please bring your regalia to Potlatch for the Chieftain ceremony

There will be a costuming/regalia building class during the afternoon of Potlatch.

Did you advance or enter Golden Eagle last summer camp?

Would you like to get a head start on your regalia for this summer camp?

Are you advancing to Firebuilder and need your white coup bead?

Would you like to get your regalia scored to see if you qualify for a higher coup?

Would you like to see some examples of regalia and how easy it is to build?

Are you a Brave or Warrior that would like to win a prize for the best regalia?

There will be Tribesmen on hand to help with any of these.

There will be a contest for the best Brave or Warrior’s regalia with a prize.

For info please contact Keeper of the Wampum Whittling Fox (Monty Hole) 785.822.2385 or gizmo430@aol.com
CALLING ALL BRAVES, WARRIORS, FIREBUILDERS, TOM TOM BEATERS, RUNNERS, AND KEEPERS OF THE SACRED BUNDLE

YOU CAN ADVANCE IN RANK THIS SUMMER, EVEN IF YOUR TROOP DOES NOT ATTEND!
That's right, you can advance even if your troop is not in camp. You must attend for the full week. As a member of the Tribe of Golden Eagle, you are asked to provide service to your camp. You can provide this service several ways: 1) attend with your troop, work on merit badges and other camp programs and advance that week; 2) attend with another troop, work on merit badges and other camp programs and advance that week; or 3) attend as a Counselor-in-Training (you attend free) and work with the camp staff for a week and advance. If you choose to be a C-I-T, you can not earn merit badges, etc., but you can advance in Golden Eagle and be part of a great camp staff helping a lot of Scouts and leaders.

Each week there are troops attending camp that have taken Scouts from other troops to camp. There are three weeks of camp: June 2-8, June 9-15, and June 16-22. For more information on attending Camp Hansen with another troop or serving as a Counselor-In-Training, contact Mike Gross, Chieftain Patient Eagle at 785-210-5079 or michaelgross@usd475.org.

GOLDEN EAGLE 2019 LEADER GUIDEBOOKS
Leader Guidebooks are available online at the council website listed below. You can also download nomination forms on the Council website.

Please have your nominations completed and ready to turn in at camp

Camp Hansen Stewards

This spring the Camp Hansen Stewards association will be working to make improvements to Camp Hansen. You can join the Camp Stewards by donating $100 dollars to the association for the year. There is also an option of a lifetime membership to the Stewards for $2000. All money collected will be used for program equipment, supplies and other camp improvements. If you are interested in joining the Stewards please contact Chieftain Stinking Possum (Brad Corbett) at stinking possum@yahoo.com.

This is a great opportunity for individuals or Troops to take some ownership and pride in camp. It is very fulfilling for your Scout unit to know they helped make sure we are ready for camp and have equipment for a great summer session. For more information, call Rex or Brad. If you want to mail you contribution in please send it to:

Rex Lowe
PO Box 122
Kirwin, KS 67644

Memo your check:
Camp Hansen Stewards
**Items bought by the**

**Camp Hansen Stewards**

Trees, Tree protectors, RC cars, Extra RC car chargers,
Extra RC car batteries, Rifle ammo, Shotgun ammo,
Arrows, Archery targets, Carpet ball games, Cooking utensils, Computers, Copier ink, Golden Eagle program supplies, Banners, TV, Tech program supplies, 3D printer.

Starting in the summer of 2016 Camp Hansen Stewards will track all donations that are made. Over the years of donations you will be able to achieve different levels of giving with the Camp Hansen Stewards Association

**Dear Braves of Golden Eagle,**

The Heat Moon of summer is now a distant memory and the Snows have left their mark upon the land. Soon we will take to our lodges for the Long Nights Moon and add another totem to our winter count robes.

**What will be your memories of this camping season?**

As a Brave of Golden Eagle, you made some important promises to yourself last summer. We hope you have been successful in your commitments to your family. Continue to try hard to grow in your resolve to God and your country. As a leader at Camp Hansen and in Scouting, we hope you have been faithful to your troop responsibilities. We hope you give special attention to those Scouts younger than yourself. Help them grow and learn. Be a friend and teacher. As new Scouts join your troop this spring, tell them of the adventure and fun that awaits them at Camp Hansen.

You should prepare yourself to accept a new challenge and responsibility this coming summer by becoming a Warrior in Golden Eagle. You can make that important achievement a reality by setting some goals for yourself.

1. Continue to advance toward the rank of Eagle by earning the Life rank. Don’t put this off but rather work diligently to show you have used your talents and developed your skills in merit badge subjects, service projects and your troop leadership responsibility.

2. Begin working on your Indian costume and start learning Indian Sign Language. Braves will be tested at camp and will receive additional Indian lore instructions while there. You can receive a head start on learning what is needed to advance by attending Paint Station training that will take place at Potlatch.

3. Plan on being a leader this summer at Camp Hansen. Remember there are young scouts who will need your help. You may wish to apply for the camp staff if you are qualified.

*May the Great Spirit guide your moccasins until you again stand before the ceremonial fire of Golden Eagle.*

*I have spoken,*

*Keeper of the Wampum Painting Beaver*
“...To the land where good hunting abounds forever.”

Are you aware of any deceased member of the Tribe of Golden Eagle who should be remembered during our Memorial Ceremony? This special ceremony will be held along with the ceremonies to install our new chief and winter count totem.

Contact Brian Dillner, Golden Eagle Chieftain Redwood if you know the names of members who have proceeded us to “that heavenly teepee.” His mailing address is:

Brian Dillner
901 N Pine
Beloit, Ks  67420
Home (785) 738-4153  Cell (785) 738-7173
E-mail Address: bdillner@nckcn.com

The Keeper of the Plains is the highest recognition honor that the Tribe of Golden Eagle can bestow on one of its members.

SELECTION
*Any tribesman of Golden Eagle in good standing is eligible to receive this award regardless of tenure, rank or paint status.
*The Keeper of the Plains recipients, at their discretion, may annually present this recognition to one adult member and one youth member of the Tribe of Golden Eagle.
*The Keeper of the Plains recipients determines the process for deciding who will receive this award.
*The committee should make their selection at the annual meeting of the Council of Keepers. Their decision is kept secret until the ceremony of presentation.
*While limited to two awards each year, the Keeper of the Plains recipients may decide not to present a Keeper of the Plains.
*Anyone may make a nomination for Keeper of the Plains by giving a nomination to a member of the award selection committee or the Directing Medicine Man. The Keeper of the Plains recipients may choose from nominated tribesmen or make their own nominations and selection.
*The award is presented in recognition of outstanding contributions to Golden Eagle, Camp Hansen, and in the promotion of Coronado Area Council summer camping opportunities.
*Holders of the “Keeper of the Plains” award will meet at a time and place determined by the Committee of Keeper’s to determine appropriateness of awarding the “Keeper” to a member of the Council of Chieftains. Chieftains selected do not count against the yearly quota. Presentation of the “Keeper” to a Chieftain may oc-
Keeper of the Plains
Nomination Form

Name of Nominee____________________________________________________

Tribal Rank and Name________________________________________________

Year inducted to Golden Eagle _________________________________________

Years camped at Camp Hansen _________________________________________

Years on staff at Camp Hansen _________________________________________

Noteworthy Service in Camp Promotion:
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Noteworthy Service to Camp Hansen:
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Noteworthy Service to Golden Eagle:
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Person making nomination:_________________________________________________________________________________________

Date of Nomination:______________________

GE - 4/20/96

Applications deadline 5/6/17

Applications need to be mailed to:
Rex Lowe
Chieftain Silent Water
Po Box 122
Kirwin KS, 67644
Applications can be emailed to Rex at Drlowe@ruraltel.net