



The Monthly G4-Cast

Welcome Arrowmen to the first-ever issue of the G4-Cast! These newsletters will provide insight into upcoming events and trainings for all Arrowmen residing in the Order of the Arrow's Gateway Region Section G4.

The *G4-Cast* (G-forecast... get it?) will be published bi-monthly to give you the latest news from the Section.

Section Calendar

Event	Location	Date	Link
G4 Conclave	Kerr Scout Ranch, Tishomingo, OK	May 3-5, 2024	Conclave 2024
National Leadership Seminar (NLS)	<i>Varies by event</i>	<i>Varies by event</i>	NLS Training
National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC)	University of Colorado Boulder	July 29-August 3, 2024	NOAC 2024
OA Trail Crew	Philmont Scout Ranch	June 8 to July 27	Trail Crew Treks

Our Section Communications Committee (SCC) is working hard to bring you the news from around the section and keep you updated on fun activities. Look out for posts on Instagram and check out the section website at sectiong4.org

If you would like to join the committee, reach out to SCC Chairman Jake Stalb by email at comms@SectionG4.org. We would love to have your input on planning, post ideas, social media, interviews, the G4-Cast, and graphic design!

The Events in Depth:

- **Section Conclave** — Conclave is a action-packed event which brings together all the Order of the Arrow Lodges from across Oklahoma and Arkansas in warm fellowship. Throughout the weekend there will be opportunities to compete in games to win the coveted Golden Arrow. Featuring shows, games, training, fellowship, and so much more, Conclave is the highlight of the year for our Section. Registration and more information can be found at

<https://section4.oa-bsa.org/conclave/>



- **National Leadership Seminar** — The National Leadership Seminar (NLS) is a weekend conference that focuses on the skills and attributes of leadership. The program enhances the leadership skills of the Order of the Arrow's key youth and adult members as they seek to improve their service to the Boy Scouts of America and the greater community. The weekend format complements the National Youth Leadership Training (for youth) and Wood Badge (for adults). Course participants make a promise to themselves to apply the skills learned on projects in their lodge, council, and community. NLS prepares Arrowmen to become better leaders both within and outside the Scouting program.



- **National Order of the Arrow Conference** — The National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) is the flagship national Order of the Arrow event. It is held every two years at a major university campus and is attended by as many as 8,000 Arrowmen from all 50 states. It is second only to the BSA National Jamboree in size and scope.



Our largest conference was in 2015, attended by more than 15,000 Arrowmen to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Order of the Arrow.

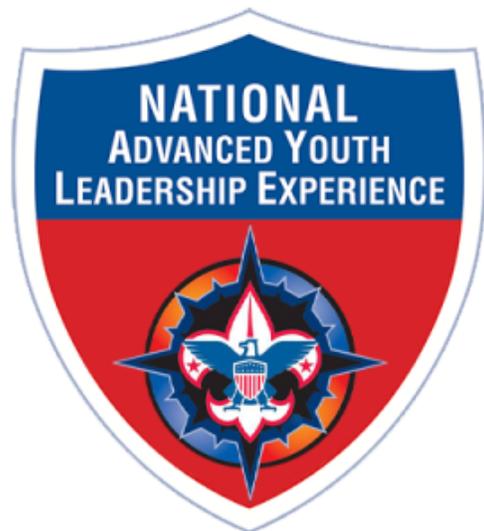
- **Order of the Arrow Trail Crew** — The Order of the Arrow is offering you an opportunity to join other Arrowmen in cheerful service and the formation of lasting brotherhood on the trails of Philmont Scout Ranch. Under the direction of the Philmont Conservation Department, experienced Philmont staff members with strong Order of the Arrow backgrounds will lead participants on a two-week trail



crew and trek. The first week focuses on trail construction and maintenance under the guidance of Philmont trail crew foremen. The second week is a seven-day backpacking trek that is designed by the participants. The program is not simply building trails and hiking as it is ultimately a journey that challenges Scouts mentally, physically, and spiritually.



- **National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)** — NAYLE is an expansion to NYLT’s ethical decision-making and team building skills. This program holds up the ideals of selfless service and is held at the four high adventure camps. NAYLE will help guide your journey to become a true servant leader, able to develop the members of any team you lead. Scouts attending must be 14 but not yet 20 years old, hold a unit leadership position, and have completed NYLT. [Learn more here](#)



The Order of the Arrow is known by its distinct three principles: Brotherhood, Cheerful, Service. Many of its members pursue a life outside of the common day-to-day experiences. To temper their thirst, the OA has five high adventure opportunities revolving around serving and fun:

- Wilderness Voyage
- Canadian Odyssey
- Summit Experience
- Trail Crew
- Ocean Adventure



The website you can find [Here](#) explains everything you need to know about these. To quickly sum up the details, OA members sign up individually and are then grouped up with fellow arrowmen. These experiences function differently from each other, so check out the options between the five.

BREAKING NEWS

Section Officer Berkley Wasson Leaks Shocking Information On Surprise Guest Speaker!

Checkout what Berkley and the other Section officers have to say in our recent interviews on Instagram. You can find those at [sectiong4](#).

That's all from us at the *G4-cast* crew. See you at Conclave!

Special thanks to our editors and communications committee chairmen.

