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Well, gang, if we are lucky, we will make it through the day and evening before it starts to rain. After all the work and preparation that have been put into the O/A weekend, it would really be a shame to have it spoiled - so, everybody think good thoughts, maybe not sun, but at least no rain. Or maybe if we all look up and exhale at the same time, we can blow away all the clouds. Oh, well, hope for the best.

WEST CAMP NEWS-Scoutmasters: Skill awards are available from "Swannie" for 35¢. Also, the \$1.00 High Adventure Patch, which is for those who have participated in one of the high adventure activities.

Colonel Davis and Rosy are open every morning to serve you at the QM/TP. No candy in the AM, but handicraft items and Scout reading materials are for sale.

Colonel Davis, Handicraft Director, is in the furniture business. All new Scouts, check on Basketweaving Merit Badge.

Reminder: O/A DAY Meet at the flag pole for retreat at 5:45-full uniform All Arrowmen are to wear their sashes.

This evening, West Camp will meet at the flag pole at 8:30 PM, to begin the procession to the O/A Bowl. All non-arrowmen will need to bear their left shoulder. Be sure to wear clothing based on weather conditions.

The Monkey Bridge is almost up. Come and gasp!! It's big!!! It spans the Mockus-Ogg Gorge.

One for the record-West Camp set the record this year, as Greg Mork Troop 160, was the first one to swim the Killian Triangle. He completed the mile early Wednesday. Another West Camp First.

T.P.-Come on down and visit--with a 75¢ purchase, get a free clue to the secret code. Guess the secret word and get a free neckerchief.

ECO-CON-Lumber and nails are in, for bird and mammal projects. Environmental Science people-please sign up at Eco-Con lodge for requirement #5. All Scouts not completed with any requirements, please come in today!

Eco-Quote: "Like those animals which succeed in the wild, we must be resilient, adaptable, and forever searching outward in our environment for that which can benefit us."
Durward L. Allen

(Are you hooked? Then string along)

NEW NEWS FROM THE NEW FISHING OUTPOST-Congratulations to Mike Chamberlin, Ed Kim and Mike McHugh, who, yesterday caught 55 fish!!! If you think that you can beat that record, come to the Fishing Outpost and try your luck. You can borrow a pole, buy worms, tackle and other things. Classes are from 10:00-10:30. We are located just north of the Chapel, on the Killian Trail. Take the trail where the orange car is parked.

FLASH-FLASH!!!! Now available in limited quantities-the 1979-50th Anniversary Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan commemorative patch-in gorgeous living color-a full 4"x8" in size-on sale now at the miniscule price of only \$4.00 each. Supplies are very limited, so check with the T.P.'s and the Country Store, and get your 50th Anniversary patch. When present supplies are gone, there will be no more patches ordered--be a part of the Golden Anniversary of Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan. Get your patch now!!!!

Chuck Rohrer-Your Dad called yesterday to wish you a Happy Birthday!! You didn't tell us about that-shame on you.



Seeing as East Camp is NOT here yet with their news, we will go ahead with the FAMILY CAMP, which is always on time.

FAMILY CAMP-Happy Anniversary to Carl and Dorothy Zitzvitz who celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary yesterday. Sorry we didn't know about it sooner. Hope you had a Happy Day!!

O/A Orientation will be presented in Family Camp at 8 pm tonight. Please be there by the store at that time and we'll walk to the bowl from there.

EAST CAMP NEWS-(It's about time) Delaware Village has shower cleanup today.

Congratulations to all the patrols in East Camp for competing in yesterday's Lumberjack competition, and especially to Cheyenne #2 for their remarkable high score. I'm sure everybody had a super time.

There will be a formal retreat tonight at 5:45. Troops are to assemble in the Dust Bowl in full uniform.

Tonight is the Order of the Arrow Call-out ceremony. All villages are to assemble in the Dust Bowl at 8:45 PM. All non-members of O/A are to leave their left shoulder bare. All O/A members should wear their sashes.

That's about it for this time. Everybody have a super day, and please remember to think sun and good weather. We DO NOT need rain tonight.

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DO NOT ACCEPT.

