



FIVE FEATHERS

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER
FOR SECTION SR-5



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Please take a look at these Bios for each Section Office. Nominations close before Elections at the Campfire. Voting will happen tonight at the Campfire. Choose wisely! These candidates will lead your Section into our 100 Year Anniversary.

Section Chief Bios

Hunter Gable

My biggest goal is to make the 2015 Dixie Fellowship what you want it to be – THE BEST DIXIE EVER! I want to build upon the foundation our past Section Officers have helped build for us. I want to improve communications. We need to do our absolute best to keep people interested in the Order of the Arrow and to support all of our Packs and Troops by encouraging camping. I would like to see the SR-5 Section plan to attend the 2015 NOAC 100 year celebration in record numbers. As a Section Officer I plan on helping us achieve these goals and many more. If elected Chief of our Section, I will not accept a significant officer position in any of my College Clubs so that I may focus on my Chief responsibilities.

David Buchanan

Greetings fellow Arrowmen,
My name is David Buchanan. I am a Vigil Honor member of Atta Kulla Kulla Lodge. I have served as Lodge Chief of the Lodge; I am also serving as the Council President of the Venturing Officer Association in the Blue Ridge Council. I am an Eagle Scout, Venturing Sliver Award recipient, and a William T Hornaday conservation award recipient.

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Travis Broadhurst

Travis Broadhurst is a Vigil member of Tsali lodge and the current Lodge Chief for Tsali Lodge. He has been the Lodge Chief of Tsali Lodge for the past two years and is your current SR-5 Vice Chief. While serving as Section Vice Chief, he served on two NLS Staffs and attended Train the Trainer, which is the National OA Program that trains NLS Staff members. He attended the 2012 NOAC, served on staff at the 2013 Jamboree, and has participated in both the OA Trail Crew Program at Philmont and the OA Ocean Adventure Program at Sea Base. This summer, Travis plans to participate in OA Canadian Odyssey at Northern Tier.

Under Travis's leadership, Tsali Lodge has won the past two Lodge of the Year awards. He knows how to plan events, mobilize people, and deliver results. His greatest hope is that he can further develop these skills and apply them through his position as Section Chief.

He is an active member of his lodge's Indian Affairs program, which is nationally known for being Group Dance champions at the last three NOACs. Travis is also an Eagle Scout and has served in numerous positions through his Troop and Venture Crew. He is also very involved in the Beta Club, an academic service society.

Travis was raised in Weaverville, NC and has been awarded the Morehead-Cain Scholarship to attend the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill next fall. He plans to double major in Geophysics and Economics.



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(Buchanan, cont'd.) If elected Section Chief, I would strive to have more face to face Council of Chiefs, and to get the Lodge Chiefs together and let the Section's leadership and the elven Lodge's leadership get to know each other on a more personal basis. This would help keep the motivation high to communicate among the Section as a whole, and Lodge communication with other Lodges around them. There is so much each Lodge can learn from the other Lodges around them, and if we take what we can learn from the other Lodges and apply to our Lodges we can strengthen each one of them. To give an example, our Section has some of the best Ceremonies teams in the Nation. There is no reason why we can't help each other in Ceremonies.

The Order of the Arrow is approaching the great achievement of one hundred years of service, and with this milestone comes a celebration that dwarfs some of our Order's largest events. The Section Chief that we elect this weekend will have the responsibility to help plan the largest National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) yet. If elected Section Chief I would help make sure that the best NOAC for years to come will be in 2015.

Thank you for considering me for Section Chief of SR-5.

served as secretary for the Venturing Officer's Association and Vice Chapter Chief for Kiawah Chapter. While fulfilling the responsibilities of his offices, Ted nevertheless finds time to participate in other aspects of Scouting, such as staffing "Dixie" and Woodbadge, and baking a tray of fresh brownies to bring to every campout. Ted also assists as a regular volunteer at the Joint Base Charleston Libraries and Magnolia Gardens, and is a diligent student currently completing his senior year of high school.

As a veteran Scout of seven years, Theodore "Ted" Carrigan-Broda has extensive experience with secretarial duties and various leadership responsibilities on both the unit and council level. Ted's leadership experience began in Troop 94, where he served as patrol leader and quartermaster, coordinating the transportation and care of troop gear and the purchase of supplies and food. Additionally, Ted has served as crew Vice President of Administration and acting Secretary for Crew 1907, efficiently and carefully recording meeting minutes, sending timely crew communications, drafting the fundamentals of the crew bylaws, designing and distributing posters for crew events, recording crew advancements, creating spreadsheets, and presiding over crew meetings and events. Having completed the Crew Officer's Seminar, Ted is also a "trained" officer.

Douglas Taylor

Hello SR-5, my name is Douglas Taylor, and I am currently serving as Itibapishe Iti Hollo lodge chief. I am a Eagle Scout and vigil honor member and this is my fourth Dixie. I am currently a senior at the Cabarrus Early College and will be attend Catawba College in the fall. I am very excited for the 100 anniversary as I know many of you are as well. It is my goal to enable our section to make sure that Catawba continues the hype from this Dixie into the hundredth year. Also to increase the communication between the section and the lodges and the lodges to their neighbor lodge. I want to make sure that SR-5 continues to be united in a life of cheerful service for the next year.

Section Vice Chief Bios

Jake Ammons

I'm Jake Ammons, the Santee Lodge Chief and Section Training Coordinator. Our section has many great lodges with great events and great practices. In order to share the strengths of individual lodges with others, I'd like to initiate more inter-lodge activities and use the section as a tool to administrate and promote them. On top of these, more section events will allow both the leadership of the section and lodge members to connect, share ideas, and improve our amazing honor society. This centennial anniversary has the opportunity to be an amazing year for our Order, our section, and our lodges and we can't let it slip away. Let's make it a great year in Dixie.

Section Secretary Bios

Theodore Carrigan-Broda

Through leading his Eagle Scout project, Ted has accrued valuable experience in planning events, managing logistics, and effectuating prompt and clear communications. Moreover, Ted has also

Nate Flowers

Good Evening SR5! I hope you've had an awesome Dixie so far. I'm Nate Flowers, and I'm running for re-election as your Section Secretary. I served this year and I thoroughly enjoyed work with all of you. This year, I have built a brand new SR5 Website that is completely responsive - meaning it can be opened on your tablets and mobile phones! I also gave the Five Feathers a brand new look. Along with this, I've served as a communication outlet from the Host Lodge to the rest of Dixie via this newsletter and on Facebook. I would love to continue my legacy as Secretary and make our Centennial Celebration awesome.