



## Section E5 Lodge Chief Zoom Call (LCZC)

Monday June 1st, 2026, 7pm ET

[Zoom Link](#)

### Attendance:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section Chief      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oseeola           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section Vice Chief | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O-Shot-Gaw        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section Secretary  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Semialachee       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aal-Pa-Tah         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tipisa            |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Echoekotee         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Uh-To-Yeh-Hut-Tee |

### 1. Welcome Address & Roll Call

### 2. New Business

#### a. Spotlight Arrowman System

- i. Section Secretary Austin R explains the new monthly system. Each post will be on the first Friday of each month, spotlighting a single arrowman from one lodge. Last month was Oseeola, and this month is Al-Pa-Tah. Austin added that this wouldn't remove spotlights in Sounds of Section, but would allow more spotlights and more in-depth spotlights throughout the year.
- ii. Austin also explains that the website committee application page is under work. Need to hear back on a national ticket to make page creation seamless. Once the page is ready, social media posts will go out. Austin asks all lodge chiefs to promote this within their lodges.

#### b. 2026 SLS Planbook Presentation and Voting

- i. Benton Forrester from Tipisa presents the SLS planbook. First, explaining the change in the SLS chair from Alex Hepperman, who will now be leading the SIE portion solely. Scrolling through the planbook, Benton points out the America 250 theme, general weekend information, and the leadership page. Benton went over the schedule, highlighting the COC meeting time change to Saturday. This allows COC members completing the SIE to attend. Benton went over seminars briefly, explaining they would change with communication between the Section Chief and Vice Chief. Then went in to explain the budget. Benton first thanked the chiefs for the pressure, which allowed Tipisa to work with the council and camp. Explaining Tipisa will cover camp cost in a deal to lower camp fee, and Tipisa will cover admin, program, and training cost, excluding SIE materials. Further explaining, Tipisa shifted meal choices around to lower



the cost even further. Finally, Benton showed the two different budgets in the appendix for differing participant counts.

- ii. Peyton asked if, in the SYT information section, chapters were meant to be lodges. In which Benton agreed, saying the switch had been forgotten since the text was taken from a lodge planbook.
- iii. Walter then puts the planbook up for a vote, and it passes unanimously.

#### **c. SIE Overview and Voting**

- i. Benton explains how SIE and materials pricing will work. Going over the national minimum of 10 arrowmen from each lodge (5 ceremonialists, 3 luminaries, 2 advisers), explaining all items needed in the old versus the new induction. Old, including flap, sash, handbook, and dues. Versus the new, including the old materials as well as the guidebook, promise card, journal with pen, bag, and optional admonition coin.
- ii. Benton explained that the cost with a sling backpack and admonition coin, as done at NIE, would be \$1,945 or \$277.86 per lodge.
- iii. Andrew Beckham from O-Shot-Caw suggests the Section should cover this fee. Austin's responses explain that the section is run on a net-zero budget and does not have a \$2000 cash flow in order to cover this expense. Michael Todd added on for an advisor check, explaining the Section has enough money for scholarship and sending section officers to events. Andrew then suggested we put last year's surplus from SLS, a little over \$1000 dollars, towards this fee. Katie McConnell steps in, explaining she would hope the SLS money be given back to lodges. Then Alex Harris explains, as Section Conference 2027 chair, the proportional Echokotee cut was already put into the budget.
- iv. Andrew Beckham makes a motion to use last year's SLS surplus to cover a part of the SIE material cost. Marc Cabamsag seconds the motion. The motion fails with 4 yays and 7 nays.
- v. Ethan Stable asks if admonition coins could be sold separately by Section. Michael Todd responds, explaining that the section would have to be looked over, so as to take consideration out of voting.
- vi. Walter opens up the floor to vote on the drawstring versus the sling bag, 11 votes for the drawstring, 0 votes for the sling bag, the drawstring passes. After no further discussion, Walter opens up the floor to vote on admonition coins. 6 yays and 5 nays, the admonition coin passes.

#### **3. Advisor Minute**

- i. Michael shouted out Tipisa for taking feedback from the Section Conference and working to lower their cost. Michael then thanked all of the youth on the call for recognizing and acting that the cost should be given another look for the arrowmen they were representing. Pointing out that they were the reason Central Florida Council became flexible with their cost. Finally, shouting out Echokotee and Uh-To-Yeh-Hut-Tee for putting up their camps for consideration, and being willing to lend a hand.