Greetings Arrowmen,

Thank you for registering for the E10 Section Conclave May 16-18 at Camp Saffran, Broad Creek Scout Reservation, 1929 Susquehanna Hall Rd. I hope each of you are just as excited as me and the entire Conclave planning team for a phenomenal weekend of fun and fellowship!

As we inch closer and closer to Conclave, there are some logistical reminders and announcements the planning time wanted to share with everyone to ensure a fun weekend for everyone...

Check-In

Check-in will be open from 1:00-9:00 on Friday at Reservation Headquarters (RHQ) Please arrive with a <u>copy</u> of Parts A, B1 and B2 of your BSA Medical Forms with the dates of your vaccinations entered on sheet B2 and not a separate sheet, and your registration confirmation email with your registration QR code.

	Great Attitude!
	BSA Medical Forms - Parts A, B1 and B2
	Shooting Sports Waiver Form (Printed & Signed)
	Patches – for trading or to donate to the Patch Auction
	BSA Field Uniform (Class A)
	OA Sash
	Required Medications (EpiPen and/or inhaler, if prescribed by doctor)
	Pen and Notebook/Notepaper for taking notes during trainings.
	Appropriate Clothing (For Recreation)
	Appropriate Footwear
	Rain Gear
	Camp Chair (if desired)
	Personal Tent and ground cloth – There will be a limited number of Summer Camp tents
	available for use, but we can guarantee a tent for everyone.
	Sleeping Bag and pad
	Toiletries Kit
	Towel
	Water Bottle
	Bug Spray
	Sunscreen and hat
	Headlamp/Flashlight with fresh batteries
	Sunglasses
	Bringing money for the Trading Post and Kona Ice
П	Charging battery for your cell phone

<u>Medicals</u>: Please bring a copy of your completed medical form, parts A, B1 and B2. Please make sure it is completely filled out with latest vaccination dates filled in (no extra sheets). If a doctor has prescribed either an Epipen or Inhaler, please make sure you bring it. We don't want to send you home to get it.

<u>Tie-Dye Station</u>: If you would like to make a tie-dye t-shirt, please bring a white/light color t-shirt to tie-dye. Bring a cotton t-shirt best results.

<u>Patch Auction</u>: Patch donations can be dropped off at check in. The Patch Auction will be happening Saturday night after the show. Proceeds from the auction help us reduce the cost of conclave and finance next years Section Scholarships.

Bring Own Camp Chair: for trainings Saturday AM

Conclave Mobile Application

The section is rolling out a brand-new mobile app at Conclave this year. The app will provide easy access to camp maps, schedules, and notifications about key events – an electronic program guide. Plus it can be updated live during the event, so you'll always be sure to have up to date info. We recommend you download the app prior to the event.

- For iOS users it can be downloaded from the AppStore search for "Scan E10"
- For Android users it hasn't been cleared for wide release on the Google Play Store
 yet. Instead, you will receive the full app as a "Beta Tester" To do so we will need to register
 the email account you use on your phone/tablet, which will get you the link to opt into the test
 program and download the app. Please send an email to e10scan810@gmail.com with the
 email to register, and we'll handle registration.

In addition, Broad Creek Scout Reservation has a fully offline navigation system you can use during the event.

- 1. Scan the QR code with a mobile device
- 2. Install the Avenza app when prompted
- 3. Click the "free" button to download the map
- 4. Open the map and hit the trail!

https://link.avenza.com/ynpU



Costume Contest

We're hosting a costume contest with a space/astronaut theme!

Participants are challenged to design their best astronaut costume using a \$30 budget limit—creativity and resourcefulness are key!

The contest will take place Saturday evening at Conclave, so be sure to come prepared and ready to show off your stellar designs.

Shooting Sports Waiver

Attached to this email are two Hold Harmless forms. One is for youth and one for adults (18 and over). You MUST turn in a signed form when you check-in to be able to participate in Archery and

Rifle Shooting. For youth the form must be signed by an adult and initialed for each activity the youth can participate in.

Special Events Spotlight

Venture Among the Stars with Section E10!

We are beyond excited to welcome you to a weekend that promises inspiration, connection, and adventure — all under this year's theme: "Venture Among the Stars."

This year, we've worked hard to create **a Conclave like no other**, with unforgettable moments that celebrate our brotherhood, highlight the spirit of Scouting, and literally reach for the stars. Here's a preview of what you'll experience — and a few things to bring with you to make the most of it.

Friday Night Show — An Astronaut's Message from the Stars

We'll begin our weekend with a **special prerecorded address from NASA astronaut and Maryland native Reid Wiseman**, whose journey from our home state to outer space shows what's possible when we aim high. His message will inspire us to think boldly and lead with purpose, right here at Conclave.

🦘 Saturday Astronomy Presentation — Explore the Universe

Saturday evening's show features a **live, interactive astronomy experience** that brings the cosmos to life with visuals, stories, and Scout-centered insights. Whether you're a space buff or just curious, this is a highlight you won't want to miss.

Stargazing & Solar Viewing — Look Up and Dream Big

Join us day and night for **safe solar viewing and telescope stargazing**, guided by local astronomy partners. See sunspots, planets, and deep-space wonders with your own eyes — and imagine your own next frontier.

- 👉 Optional: Bring binoculars, a blanket, or a red-light flashlight if you have one.
- ★ Saturday Midway Complete the Challenge, Win the Prize!

The **Midway Expo Booth**, running Saturday from 1:00–5:00 PM, features interactive booths from STEM groups, service orgs, Scout partners, and more. Visit them all, complete your **Midway Passport**, and earn a **special commemorative prize** for your efforts.

- f Bring a pen or Sharpie to keep track of your visits.
- Religious Services Reflect and Recenter

Join fellow Arrowmen in **interfaith services** offered throughout the weekend. These quiet moments are a chance to reflect, renew your spirit, and ground yourself in our shared values of reverence and respect.

Rededication Ceremonies — Rekindling the Flame

Conclude your Conclave experience by participating in one of our **moving rededication ceremonies**, a powerful reminder of the ideals that unite us as brothers in cheerful service.

Fuel your weekend with the "**Venture Among the Stars**" **Spotify playlist**, filled with energizing tracks and cosmic vibes. Whether you're traveling to camp or chilling at night, this playlist will keep the spirit of Conclave alive.

Listen here

As you explore, lead, and connect throughout the weekend, I hope these experiences inspire you — not only to enjoy Conclave, but to step up and lead within your lodge, your unit, and your community. Thank you for being part of this incredible journey. I can't wait to see you at the Midway, under the stars, and on the path forward.

Dietary Needs

If you have any allergies or other dietary needs we have not already been made aware of, please email secretary@sectione10.oa-bsa.org.

Stay on the lookout for other updates in the days ahead, but in the meantime, please reach out to secretary@sectione10.oa-bsa.org with any questions you may have.

On behalf of the entire Conclave team, we can't wait to see you on May 16th for a fun-filled, action-packed adventure!

WWW,

Section E10 Officers and Conclave Team

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