



Section C-3B

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# 2022 Section Conclave Guidebook

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The 2022 Section C-3B Conclave will be held at Rhodes France Scout Reservation near Pana, Illinois from October 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022. A map of the camp is included in this packet.

### Camp Information

The Greater St. Louis Area Council prides itself in operating Rhodes France Scout Reservation. Rhodes France opened for long-term summer camp in 1980. It consists of 640 acres near Pana, Illinois. Heavily wooded old growth forest, ravines, and two lakes offer a variety of experiences for Scouts and Scouters alike. The reservation also sports outstanding pool and lakefront areas, a recently expanded shooting sports area, and many other program areas to meet the needs of its campers. There are 13 campsites, all of which are adopted by troops in the council. These troops take care of the campsites and keep them looking great.

Rhodes France Scout Reservation is located approximately 40 miles south of Decatur, Illinois, 45 miles west of Mattoon, Illinois, and 50 miles southeast of Springfield, Illinois. The camp is located 4 miles south of the intersection of Route 51 and Route 16.

### Conclave Fee

The Conclave fee is set by the Council of Chiefs and covers; Meals - Friday cracker barrel, Saturday Breakfast, lunch, dinner, and cracker barrel, and Sunday breakfast, Conclave Patch, program materials, training materials, recognition items, and the Conclave Show.

### Meals

All meals will be prepared onsite by a Woapink Lodge cook crew. Meals will be served in the activity building as well as a dining tent to accommodate any overflow.



## Travel Arrangements

Each lodge is responsible for transportation to and from Rhodes France Scout Reservation.

## Camping

Each person is responsible for bringing his or her own tentage. Arrowmen will camp together by lodge. Each lodge will be assigned a campsite. If needed, some sites may be combined to ensure that all members of a lodge are together. The host lodge will ensure that there are picnic tables at each site.

Electrical hookups for RV's, vans, campers, etc.. will not be available. All vehicles must remain in the parking lot. Transportation of gear will be available for items that are not able to be carried to the campsites.

Campsite Assignments (Subject to change):

|            |                                   |              |              |
|------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Anpetu-We  | Lonesome Ridge                    | Illini       | Spinner      |
| Black Hawk | Timberhitch                       | Illinek      | Eagle's Rest |
| Shawnee    | Rustling Pines/Orion/Heavens View | Nisha Kittan | Anamet       |
| Woapink    | Ambucs                            |              |              |

## Equipment

Each arrowmen is responsible for his or her own camping gear. The field uniform (Class A) and OA sash are the official uniform for the weekend. Activity uniforms may be worn for the afternoon sports competitions and other activities.

## Theme

The Conclave theme is "Brotherhood of the Round Table"

## Training

Training will be conducted during the morning hours on Saturday. A detailed list of trainings will be provided to each participant in their participant guide.

## Program

A wide variety of activities will take place over the weekend. Lawn games, inflatable jousting, Ceremonies competitions, patch trading, sports competitions, and much more will be offered.



## **Trading Post**

Woapink Lodge in cooperation with the Section Staff Adviser will operate a trading post during the weekend. Conclave merchandise and snacks will be available for purchase. Pre-order of section merchandise will be available online on the registration website. These items will be available in limited quantities at the conclave as well. Lodges may bring up to 3 items to sell on consignment in the Trading Post as well. There is a 20% consignment fee for any lodge merchandise sold.

## **Check-in**

Check-in will begin at 6:00pm on Friday. Registration will be located just off the parking lot. Each lodge will receive a packet containing Conclave patches, participant guides, meal tickets, and other materials. Each individual will check in at registration, but the contingent packet will only be given to the contingent leader when they check in. Each vehicle entering camp will park in the parking lot and be assigned a guide who will assist them with gear if needed and help them find the appropriate campsite.

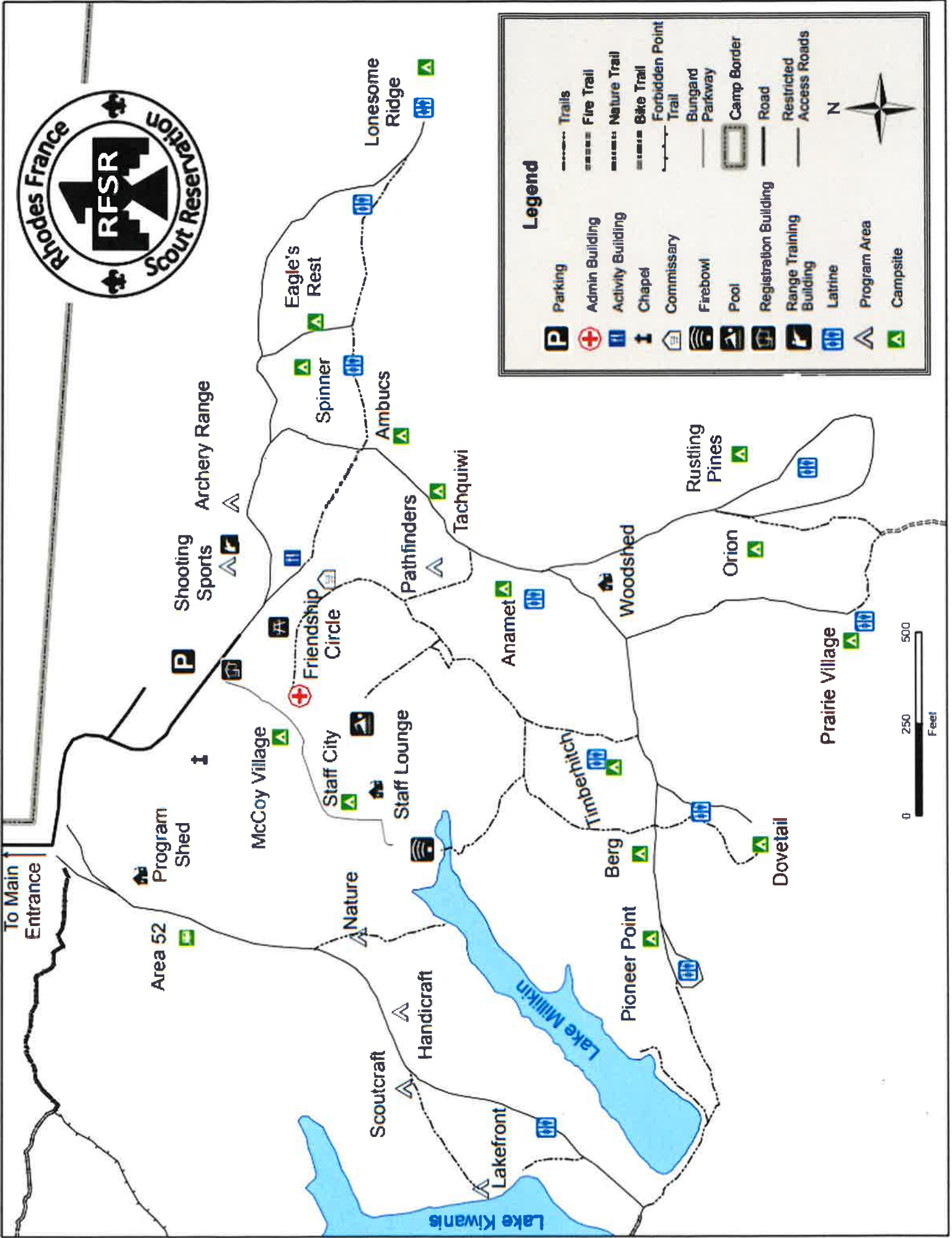


## **A Note from the Host Lodge CVC**

Woapink Lodge is looking forward to having all of Section C-3B come to Rhodes-France. As Host Lodge CVC I am looking forward to working with all of you to make next year's conclave a huge success. Rhodes-France is an excellent camp which I have attended for many summers now. There are many improvement projects currently underway at camp that will make your stay there even more enjoyable. Woapink Lodge last hosted a Section Conclave in 2015 and we look forward to doing so again. If you have any questions please contact me and I will reply as soon as possible.

Yours in Service,  
Logan Brown  
Woapink Lodge





### Legend

|  |                         |  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|
|  | Parking                 |  | Trails                  |
|  | Admin Building          |  | Fire Trail              |
|  | Activity Building       |  | Nature Trail            |
|  | Chapel                  |  | Bike Trail              |
|  | Commissary              |  | Forbidden Point Trail   |
|  | Firebowl                |  | Bungard Parkway         |
|  | Pool                    |  | Camp Border             |
|  | Registration Building   |  | Road                    |
|  | Range Training Building |  | Restricted Access Roads |
|  | Latrine                 |  | Program Area            |
|  | Program Area            |  | Campsite                |

