

# MASTODON MONTHLY



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## Meet a Vice Chief

Hello everyone, my name is Andrew Check and I am your Lodge Chief. I work to ensure that the Lodge runs smoothly. I am an Eagle Scout from Troop 40 in Hopewell Junction, NY. I am also have the Venturing Award in Venturing Crews 2097, 2609 and 1758. I have served on Summer Camp Staff at Camp Nooteeming (MEN OF THE WOODS!) and Camp Bullowa (RAH, RAH BULLOWA!) as well as on NYLT Staff. In the OA, I am a brotherhood member. I love to hike, geocache, take pictures, go cycling and learn about past events. I hope to see you all at our various Lodge and Chapter events and to see you all getting involved in YOUR Lodge and Chapters.



Still need to pay your 2023 Dues?

Do it Here:  
[2023 Dues](#)

## Summer Sizzler



[REGISTER HERE](#)

Our next big event after our long summer break is the Summer Sizzler!

This will be an excellent opportunity to both catch up with arrowmen you already know, and to meet ones you don't. The theme is Christmas in August so be prepared with holiday cheer.

The Summer Sizzler is TOMORROW from 1-4PM at the [Hughsonville Firehouse](#) Registration is 15 Dollars

I look forward to seeing many of you there!

Upcoming Lodge Events

[Summer Sizzler](#)  
[August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023](#)  
Hughsonville Fire House

[Durland Induction Weekend](#)  
September 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Upcoming Chapter Meetings

Dutchess Chapter  
September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Shukël Chapter  
September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023



## OA Rep Program



Looking to strengthen relationships between the Lodge and our Units, we are focused on having OA representatives in every Unit. OA reps are the link between the Lodge and the Units. They talk to members of the OA in there Unit and work to help seal their Brotherhood in our Order. This is also a leadership position in your Units that counts towards rank. If you have any questions or if you are interested in helping us out, please feel free to reach out to [Conorcat44@gmail.com](mailto:Conorcat44@gmail.com)



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## Durland Induction Weekend

September 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>  
**REGISTRATION ENDS  
SEPTEMBER 4<sup>th</sup>**

**REGISTER  
HERE!**

### Meet Another Vice Chief

Hello, I'm Johnny Llewellyn an Eagle Scout and SPL of Troop 1071 Milford PA, and I'm the Chief of the Shukel Chapter. This means I'm in charge of making sure the chapter is running smoothly, conducting elections, and holding events at the chapter level. I am also on staff at NYLT. I am a brotherhood member and enjoy reading comic books, camping, and geocaching. I hope to see you all out there!



Sign up for the  
Durland  
Induction

Weekend!

This is a great  
opportunity to  
meet new  
arrowmen and to  
spend time with  
old friends with  
the added benefit  
of providing  
cheerful service  
to Durland Scout  
Reservation!

### Arrows for Eagles

Arrows for Eagles is a program created to help Arrowmen who are working on their Eagle Project who need some help with manpower in completing their project. If you need help with your project or if you want to help out fellow Brothers with their projects email

[twirly007@gmail.com](mailto:twirly007@gmail.com)

to be put on the  
mailing list.



### We Need Your Help!

We need your help to be an Elangomat at the upcoming ordeal weekend. Elangomats are those who lead others to the purpose and realization of the order and what we do. The Elangomat is a guide for those who wish to seek brotherhood in the order. An Elangomat's job is to get people through their ordeal and encourage them to stay active within the brotherhood. A requirement for brotherhood is to serve as an Elangomat or another position at an ordeal. So an Elangomat helps the ordeal candidates in the same way they had before. Please consider being an Elangomat for the Durland Ordeal Weekend. If you have any questions please feel free to reach out to: [agostinialex@hotmail.com](mailto:agostinialex@hotmail.com)