



IT'S REUNION TIME AT OLD KIA KIMA!

COME ONE - COME ALL

Do you remember how much fun you and your friends had at The Mid-South Fair and the Cotton Carnival, as you walked around the midway and the hucksters would try to get you into their sideshows with the invitation “*Come one – Come All*” ?

Now OKKPA is inviting you to even more fun at our 2005 Annual Reunion. “*Come One – Come All*” is a perfect invitation for this event. We would like every one of you to not only come but to bring all of your old camp buddies.



As in years past, this reunion promises to be loaded with fun and nostalgia. Those “Kia Kima’s Men” who only experienced KKSJR are especially encouraged to attend with your friends. Even though you never went to Old Kia Kima it still remains a great part of your heritage.

You girls from Miramechee and Kiwani are also encouraged to attend with your friends. This is a perfect time and place to renew old friendships and to make new friends. Those of you who spent your summers at either of the girl’s camps are certainly part of the heritage of the camps on the Southfork and we would love to have you become part of OKKPA.

Meeting and talking to some of us “Old Codgers” will not only be fun for you but educational for us. You can talk to members of your board of directors and tell them what you like about OKKPA’s plans and also make recommendations for new ideas and improvements. You’ll have an opportunity to suggest ways to promote our Core Values and suggest ways to maintain Old Kia Kima in perpetuity for the youth of tomorrow. Most importantly you will be able to offer your help for any projects that are on going. Camp ranger, the web site, “The Smoke Signal”, reunion planning and operation, funding, and membership enrollment are just a few of the ongoing tasks that can always use assistance.

Each of you KKSJR guys, Kiwani girls and Miramechee girls can be of tremendous help in furthering the goals and mission of OKKPA.

As always at the reunion there will be many activities for you, your friends, wives and children. Cookouts, an old time adventure trail, canoe trips, a sing along and a camp fire are just some of the planned activities. There will also be ample free time for you to meet new friends and to reminisce about “the good ol’ days”.

So, may I play the role of the midway huckster by inviting you to “*Come one – Come All*” ?

**See you at the Old Kia Kima Reunion
September 23rd – 25th.**

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Where are they now ?

By : Rick Schmid

Below is a list of those former Kia Kima Scout Reservation staff members that have not been located. We need to get them involved in OKKPA. Do you know any of these guys? Do you know how to find their address, phone and email?

Send any information you have to both Neal Talley (neal@oldkiakima.org) and Rick Schmid (rick.schmid@oldkiakima.org). We will make sure that they receive these monthly Smoke Signal email newsletters and want to invite them to the next reunion, September 22-25.

Read about the Alumni Breakfast in Memphis on August 6th

FIND ONE LOST MEMBER AND BRING HIM WITH YOU TO THE REUNION

Found

Dennis Cain
Steven Cheeseman
Paul Henley
Sid Hurt
Gary Edge
Steve Stephens
Rick Schmid
John McGuire
Ricky Bendall
Darr LaFon
Jim Bottrell
Terry Young

Mark Follis
Jimmy Fly
Don Naro
Gary Wagoner
Chip Benson
George Clarke
Steve Whitney
John Fletcher
Bill Bendall
Bill Moser
Bill McSwain
Larry Young

Matt Cain
Jimmy Henley
Mike Hurt
Mike Kinkade
John McCaskill
Richard Buehler
Richard Stevens
Dan McGuire
Jimmy Hayslip
Mike Bowman
Bobby Morgan

Cary Guenther
Bill Penny
Ron Naro
Calvin Minner
Bill Graves
Scott McKitrick
David Shettles
Frank Mund
Wes Roberts
Jerry Burke
Dave Robinson

LOST

James Lux
Richard Thackston
John Lauderdale
David Campbell
Steve Magdefrau
Ross Hester
Gary Greenfield
Wick Morgan
Jim Jenkins
Steve Pendleton
David Pendleton
Tom Bentley
Jim Ulmer
Alan Gilmer
Buzz Young
Andy Wilson

Del Tate
Steve Upshaw
Tommy Taylor
Fred Deaton
Tom Lapworth
Mark Godwin
Charlie Collier
Kent Haytock
George Payne
Gene Osbahr
Jim Strickland
Tim Strong
Whit Denman
John Gilmer
Tom Wilson
Jim Seale

Travis Tate
Donnie Woodlee
Johnny Aiken
Bill Gilmer
Mike Julius
James Matthews
Bob Roecler
Tom North
Vince Magdefrau
Dusty Rhodes
Terry Reilly
Allen Cook
Otis Warr IV
John Gilmer
Richard Wilson

There many more to add to this list. Send us their names.

REUNION FEES

Registration Fee	\$20
Dues	\$50 - \$100 or \$200
(Dues are now due on July 1)	
Cabin Upkeep Donation	\$50
(waived for members paying dues of \$100 or more)	

THURSDAY

Golf Tournament	\$35 (approx.) \$50 with Cart (approx.)
Dinner	\$12
Ice Cream Social	\$5

FRIDAY

Lunch (at OKK)	\$5
Banquet	\$15

SATURDAY

Canoe Trip	\$15 / person
Lunch (at OKK)	\$5
Ladies Lunch	\$10
B-B-Q (at OKK)	\$10

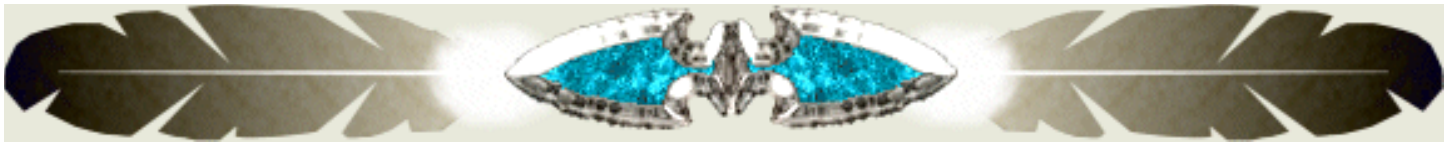
Check our WebSite for any Schedule or Fee Updates

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2005 Reunion Schedule for September 22, 23, 24 & 25

Thursday, September 22rd

9:00 a.m. Registration at Old Kia Kima (camp office)
1:00 p.m. Golf Tournament at Cherokee Village South Golf Course
Noon - Lunch on your own
6:30 p.m. Dinner— Clyde's Chuck Wagon Restaurant, Ash Flat
8:00 p.m. Vespers at Old Kia Kima Chapel
8:30 p.m. Ice Cream at the Old Kia Kima Dining Pavilion

Friday, September 23rd

Breakfast on your own
9:00 a.m. For late arrivals Registration/activities continue at Old Kia Kima.
10:00 a.m. Free Time (Coffee and fellowship at the pavilion)
Noon Cold Cut Luncheon at Old Kia Kima Dining Pavilion
1:00 p.m. Games and Fellowship - Old Time Adventure Trail
6:30 p.m. Social Hour at the Cherokee Village Omaha Center
7:00 p.m. OKKPA Banquet at the Cherokee Village Omaha Center

Saturday, September 24th

Breakfast on your own
8:00 a.m. Depart for canoe trip
9:00 a.m. For late arrivals, registration at Old Kia Kima continues (Camp Office)
10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship at the pavilion
11:45 a.m. Ladies Luncheon (location to be announced)
Noon Return from the canoe trip
Noon Cook Out at The Old Kia Kima Dining Pavilion
1:00 p.m. Tour, history and slideshow of OKK with Ranger training for new rangers
3:30 p.m. Cabin Dedications
4:00 p.m. OKKPA Business Meeting at The Old Kia Kima Pavilion
6:00 p.m. BBQ at The Old Kia Kima Dining Pavilion
8:30 p.m. Campfire at The Old Kia Kima Campfire Amphitheater

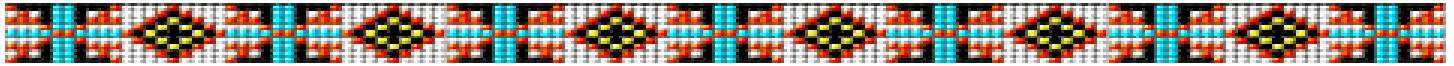
Sunday, September 25th

7:45 a.m. Vesper Services at The Old Kia Kima Chapel
9:00 a.m. Farewell Breakfast on your own at Timberline Café



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Don't Forget

The Old Kia Kima Chapel Dedication Sunday July 31st



Please Try to Attend

1 p.m. Devotional followed by a ceremony dedicating The Chapel to Ralph and Martha Jane Young

Refreshments to follow in the Dining Pavilion

“On Eagles Wings”

“And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand”



Official Notice

The Annual Membership Meeting of The Old Kia Kima Preservation Association, Inc. Will be held at 4PM September 24, 2005 at Old Kia Kima

WEB SITE NEWS

New Items on The Site :

1. New maps of the area showing high water routes made by Brooks Gooch in the “Frequently Asked Questions” section
2. An interesting article by Ron Tate about the early Old Kia Kima reunions found in the “Remember When” section.
3. Mike Bowman has a very interesting article about his experiences at KKSJR and how they shaped his life. *(note this is a long article but well worth the time it takes to read it.)* found on the “Remember When” section
4. Jim Moore’s article about last spring’s campfire and how it reflects our core values found on the “Remember When” section



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MEMPHIS ALUMNI BREAKFAST

When : Saturday August 6, 2005 9:00 AM

Where : Faith Christian Church

4965 Willow Road

Memphis, TN, 38117.

Please bring your spouse and pass the word to all your camp friends

ESPECIALLY Miramechee and Kiwani girls and Kia Kima Scout Reservation guys

Old Kia Kima Preservation Association, Inc.

Sept.22 - 25, 2005 Annual Reunion and Membership Meeting
Please fill out this form and mail it to register and / or pay dues.

Name _____ Nick Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
Home Phone (____) _____ - _____ Work Phone (____) _____ - _____
FAX (____) _____ - _____ Cell Phone (____) _____ - _____
E-Mail _____

Dues (Please circle the level you wish to pay) \$50 \$100 \$200 (*Dues year July 1 to June 30*)
Prepayment of dues required to participate in the one hour business meeting on Sept. 24th or to stay in the camp cabins.

Will you attend the reunion ? YES NO

Will you be staying in a cabin YES NO (If yes include \$50 cabin upkeep donation) *Members paying dues of \$100 or more exempt.*

Make Reservation for _____ & _____

Cabins are not restricted to male members and the availability is limited to 4 per cabin, 64 bunks total.

My preference is for cabin # _____ Requested cabin mates _____

(although we can't make guarantees we will try to honor all request)

Will your spouse be attending YES NO - Their first name _____

(*SPOUSE AND CHILDREN UNDER 18 DO NOT PAY A REGISTRATION FEE*)

Do you plan on playing in the Golf Tournament ? YES NO Your handicap _____

Will your spouse play ? YES NO Their handicap _____

Will you go on the Saturday canoe trip ? YES NO Will your spouse go ? YES NO .

Will you be attending the Friday night banquet ? YES NO

How many will attend with you ? _____

Registration fee \$20 _____ Canoe trip \$15 _____ Cabin Donation \$50 _____ (*Not required for members paying dues of \$100 or more*)

Dues \$50 \$100 \$200 _____ Golf tournament \$35 (\$50 with cart) per person _____

Friday Banquet \$15 _____

Thursday Dinner \$12 per person _____ Ice Cream Social \$5 per person _____

Ladies Luncheon \$10 _____ Friday lunch at OKK \$5 _____ Saturday Lunch at OKK \$5 _____

Saturday B-B-Q \$10 _____

TOTAL AMOUNT OWED \$ _____

Check # _____

PLEASE PRINT AND MAIL THIS FORM AND A CHECK TO :



BROOKS GOOCH
4709 ALOHA AVE.
MEMPHIS, TN 38118



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