



COWIKEE LODGE 224

Alabama - Florida Council, BSA, 6801 West Main Street, Dothan, Alabama 36305



Scout's Name: _____

To whom it may concern:

The above Scout has been selected to represent the Cowikee Lodge of the *Order of the Arrow*, Alabama - Florida Council at this year's conference (called a "conclave") covering a tri-state area. This year's conclave will be held at a Boy Scout Camp near DeFuniak Springs, Florida, located near *I-10* westward toward Pensacola. Check-in will begin at 3:00 pm Friday, and due to the travel distance, our contingent will be leaving Friday morning, April 17th, 2009.

As a delegate at the conclave, this scout will be involved in many training and leadership development activities, and I'm sure he will benefit greatly as a result this experience.

I would appreciate your consideration to excuse his absence from school for Friday, April 17th, in order to travel with the contingent to attend this conference.

The *Order of the Arrow* is Scouting's National Honor Society and is the world's largest youth-led service organization.

If you need any further information, please feel free to contact me, or Becky Fowler at the Boy Scout Council Service Center at (334) 793-7882.

Sincerely,

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