

Committee Meeting July 3, 2006

A) Attendees

1. John Grawitch
2. Dianna Paterline
3. Jeremy Goen
4. Jennifer Goen
5. Jeff Davis
6. Debi Johnson
7. Christina Brown
8. Melinda Etling
9. Lynn Davis

B) Treasurer's Report

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION REMOVED
AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

C) Adopt-A-Block cleanup

1. Unscheduled cleanup requested by Main Street Mascoutah
2. Saturday, June 24
3. Attendees – 13 scouts, 13 parents, 7 siblings
4. Should be receiving ice cream coupons from Main Street Mascoutah for attendees

D) Summer Camping

1. All session organization will be coordinated by designated leader
 - a. Meeting time & place, health forms, etc.
2. Fun With Son
 - a. Session I - 24 Scouts, 26 parents
 - i) Actual Attendees – 22 scouts, 25 parents
 - ii) Feedback
 - Largest single unit at any Fun with Son
 - Great time
 - Best June camping weather we've had so far
 - b. Session II - 12 Scouts, 10 parents
 - i) Designated leader – Dave DiCenso
 - ii) Additional scout and parent (Corbin Turcotte) pending paperwork/fees
3. Day Camp
 - a. Session I - 3 Scouts, 3 parents
 - i) Actual Attendees – 3 scouts, 3 parents
 - ii) Feedback
 - Was a good time and very well organized
 - Much better crafts this year
 - Need to get list of achievements
 - b. Session II - 11 Scouts, 7 parents, 9 siblings

- i) Designated leader – Melinda Etling
 - ii) Additional scout and parent (Corbin Turcotte) pending paperwork/fees
 - 4. Wild West Adventure Resident Camp
 - a. Session I – 1 Scout, 1 parent
 - i) Designated leader – Dave Paterline
 - b. Session II – 1 Scout, 1 parent
 - i) Designated leader – Tony Mueth
 - c. Session III – 6 Scouts, 4 parents
 - i) Designated leader – Lynn Davis
- E) Summertime Activities
- 1. June
 - a. Pack Barbecue/Cookout
 - i) Attendance – 14 scouts, 18 parents, 9 siblings
 - ii) Feedback – Good turnout, great weather
 - b. Pack Hike & Picnic at Camp Vandeventer
 - i) Sunday June 25
 - ii) Attendance – 14 scouts, 15 parents & 6 siblings/friends
 - iii) Feedback
 - Biggest group for the hike so far
 - Good hiking weather
 - Ate at Rotary Pavilion instead of Harrisonville (thanks to Camp Director)
 - Still waiting for Council on patches from last year
 - 2. July
 - a. 4th of July Picnic
 - i) Providing games for kids
 - Sack races, Rocket launcher/Ball toss, Washer toss, bean bag toss, fishing game
 - City is buying little prizes for us to hand out
 - We will be running the straw hunt again
 - Games will be run from 2:00 to 6:00
 - Come by booth to work/List will be there to sign up
 - ii) Dunk Tank Fundraiser
 - Troop 40's dunk tank needed substantial repairs before being able to be used
 - Insufficient time to repair
 - Tony suggested asking Troop 40 if they were interested in getting rid of it for little or nothing as Tony knows someone that could help us to repair it
 - Need to make sure St. Johns wouldn't mind us keeping it in the garage or find a place to keep it out of the weather
 - b. Pack Swim Party (New Baden)
 - i) Saturday, July 22 8-10 pm
 - ii) Planning meeting for next year before swim party at 6:30 pm

iii) Tony spoke to some people with New Baden and they know nothing about a tractor pull

3. August

a. Homecoming Parade

i) August 5th & 6th

ii) Parade time 5:00pm each day

iii) Meet at Leu Civic Center at 4:30 to 4:45

iv) Need to get candy for throwing

v) John still has containers/buckets from last year

vi) Need to get Join Scouting Night Flyers from Scout Shop

- John will take care of

vii) Need wagons for pulling buckets

viii) Need second flag harness for American Flag – **Committee approved purchase**

ix) Discussion about a float but too short a notice for this year

x) Cleanup on Saturday and Sunday morning will be at 6:00am at request of MIA due to church service

b. Scout Night at Grizzlies

i) Friday August 11, 2006

ii) Game time is 7:05 pm need to be there by 5:30 pm

iii) Reservation for 50 tickets has been made

iv) Get quantity of tickets needed/check made out to Pack 43 (\$7/ea.) to Dianna Paterline by July 22 (pool party)

F) Miscellaneous

1. Planters on Main Street

a. Flowers are doing pretty good

b. Need to remember to check on them periodically

2. Pack Campout & Raingutter Regatta

a. September – 15 & 16th

b. Camp Vandeventer

c. Status of gutters from last year?

i) Tony heard from Kenda and she has them in storage

ii) Discussion held on potential for making the existing ones longer, but probably easier to just get new ones

iii) Jim Bunn asked what we needed. He will keep his eye open for 4 gutters 10 feet in length

d. Bring own food, camping gear, etc.

e. Need to decide on campsites, pavilion, showers, etc.

i) Bear camp site and the one next to it

ii) Harrisonville Pavilion for derby

iii) Showers for in the morning

3. St. Louis American Indian Consortium Pow Wow

- a. Not many parents interested due to the distance so we will not be doing this as a Pack function
- 4. Project for St. Johns
 - a. Would like help painting the garage
 - b. Pending approval by Building & Grounds Committee
 - c. St. Johns will buy the paint
 - d. Would like Pack 43 to paint the building
 - e. Timeframe will be some time in July
 - f. Painting over the course of several evenings for a few hours each night or over a couple of weekends

- G) Join Scouting Night
 - 1. Thursday August 31 6:30pm
 - 2. Depot in Scheve Park
 - a. John needs to contact Harold Knoth for availability
 - 3. Setup – 6:00
 - 4. Update Pack Scrapbook and video – Pictures to Jeff/John as soon as possible
 - 5. Leaders welcome to bring posters, derby cars, den crafts, etc. for display

- H) Fall Popcorn sales
 - 1. Unit Kernel
 - a. Mindy will be able to help with paperwork but will not be able to pick up popcorn
 - b. Jeff Davis volunteered to be responsible since he has to track all of the money anyway
 - c. Suggestion to check with Tony on using his trailer to pick up popcorn but don't know about holding the popcorn on while traveling – does it have side that can be put on? Tarps to cover it and tie it down?
 - d. A neighbor of Jeff and John's has a small trailer with sides on it
 - 2. Council Popcorn Kick-off 2006
 - a. Tuesday August 1, 2006 7:00pm
 - b. Centerfield on Old Collinsville Road
 - c. Scouts in uniform will receive a free round of mini-golf
 - d. Pizza and soda for everyone
 - e. Attendance prizes given out throughout the evening
 - f. First introduction to prizes for next year
 - 3. Popcorn University Dates
 - a. August 23 & 24 at 7:00pm
 - b. Review of program/awards/forms for year
 - c. First Presbyterian Church (same location as Roundtable)
 - 4. Pack kickoff
 - a. We will still have our own kickoff at the park
 - b. Suggested borrowing big prize board from Council – John will check on this

- I) New leaders for next fall
 - 1. Discussion held on leaders for next year

2. Both the Cubmaster and Treasurer have son's who will be crossing in February
3. Need a new leader for Wolf Den 3 as well as an assistant
4. Den leaders are still getting assistants for some of the other dens
5. Need to speak to some parents and get more involvement as we have 50 scouts, if we had one parent from each family that would be 50 leaders!

J) Committee decisions

- a. Purchase second flag harness for carrying both the American Flag and Pack Flag in parades