

Committee Meeting September 11, 2006

A) Attendees

1. John Grawitch
2. Dave Paterline
3. Amy Klein
4. Jennifer Goen
5. Jeff Davis
6. Chris Johnston
7. Christina Brown
8. Melinda Etling
9. Lynn Davis
10. Dave DiCenso
11. Giovanni Estrada
12. Tony Mueth
13. Melinda Etling

B) Treasurer's Report

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION REMOVED
AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

C) Program Plan for 2006/2007

1. Change to October Pack Meeting
 - a. Suggested having at Henry Browder's campground
 - b. Will allow us to put together a fire ring
 - c. Require adults to assist with coordinating parking on the gravel road
 - d. Trying to get our teepee poles this week in order to order material so we can assemble it for display
 - e. He would be our guest speaker
 - i) Speak on Indian traditions, crafts, etc.
 - ii) Full ceremonial headdress
 - iii) Bringing out a totem
 - iv) Tomahawk demonstration
 - v) Bullwhip demonstration

D) Summer Camping

1. Fun With Son
 - a. Attendance both sessions - 32 scouts, 31 parents
2. Day Camp
 - a. Attendance both sessions - Session I - 16 scouts, 11 parents, 7 siblings
3. Wild West Adventure Resident Camp
 - a. Attendance both sessions - 8 Scouts, 7 parents

E) Summertime Activities

1. June
 - a. Pack Barbecue/Cookout

- i) Attendance – 14 scouts, 18 parents, 9 siblings
 - b. Pack Hike & Picnic at Camp Vandeventer
 - i) Attendance – 14 scouts, 15 parents & 6 siblings/friends
- 2. July
 - a. 4th of July Picnic
 - i) Worker summary – 12 scout families
 - b. Pack Swim Party (New Baden)
 - i) Swimming attendees – 25 scouts, 27 parents & 22 siblings
- 3. August
 - a. Homecoming
 - i) Cleanup August 5th
 - Attendees – 8 Scouts, 10 parents & 3 siblings
 - ii) Parade August 5th
 - Attendees - 12 scouts, 7 parents, 2 siblings
 - iii) Cleanup August 6th
 - Attendees - 7 scouts, 6 parents, 2 siblings
 - iv) Parade August 6th
 - Attendees - 16 scouts, 8 parents, 3 siblings
 - b. Scout Night at Grizzlies
 - i) Attendees – 14 scouts, 29 parents/adults, 16 siblings
- 4. Summertime Award Summary
 - a. Scouts – 23
 - b. Dens - 6

F) Join Scouting Night

1. Good turnout
2. 15 scouts/families attended
3. 12 additional packets mailed/dropped off to people that could not attend the meeting
4. 1 Additional transfer from New Baden approached at the Playground Dedication
5. 1 Additional transfer approached from the base emailed John
6. 3 additional phone calls regarding interest
7. 12 completed registrations (including 2 transfers)
 - a. Tiger Cubs - 5
 - b. Wolf - 4
 - c. Bear - 1
 - d. Webelos I – 2

G) Parents Meeting

1. Monday September 18 at 5:30pm (Before Pack Meeting)
2. Need leaders to occupy children while parents meet

H) September Pack Meeting

1. Theme – Zoo Adventures
2. Monday September 18 at 5:30pm (Before Pack Meeting)

3. Opening – Webelos Scouts from Resident Camp
 4. Closing – Den 1
- I) Fall Popcorn sales
1. Unit Kernel
 - a. Jeff Davis volunteered to be Unit Kernel since he has to track all of the money anyway
 - b. A neighbor of Jeff and John’s has a small trailer with sides on it
 - c. Tony said we might be able to get a truck for pickup
 2. Pack kickoff
 - a. Friday September 29 at 6:30pm
 - b. John will pick up the prize display they used at the Council Kick-Off
 - c. Harold Knoth offered to provide brats and soda for us because of our hard work cleaning up the park at the homecoming
 - d. Saturday September 30 – Blitz Day
 - i) Popcorn Boot Camp run by the Popcorn “Kernel”
 - ii) Jeff will provide all the Dens with a list of items needed (soda, chips, bread, etc)
- J) Pack Campout & Raingutter Regatta
1. September – 15 & 16^h
 2. Meet at St. John’s at 5:00pm
 3. Camp Vandeventer
 4. Status of gutters from last year
 - a. Tony is getting from Kenda
 5. Bring own food, camping gear, etc.
 6. Bear campsite, pavilion, showers have been booked
 7. Need count of kids making boats, i.e. scouts, siblings, parents
 - a. Head count will be provided later – so far 14 boats
- K) Miscellaneous
1. Tiger Cub Zoo Day
 - a. Saturday September 16
 - b. 9am-12pm
 2. Indoor Leader Training – 23 Sep 06
 - a. Change in location
 - b. Lindenwood University (Old Belleville West Campus - on Main Street)
 - c. Registration 7:30 am
 - d. \$5.00 for pizza if you don’t want to bring your lunch
 3. Planters on Main Street
 - a. Seems the flower ladies are watering them
 - b. Need to remember to check on them periodically
 4. Project for St. Johns
 - a. Need to find new project for St. Johns as they painted the garage themselves

- b. Closet construction proposed and agreed upon – construction w/in next 2 weeks
 - 5. Fall Camp-Ins at Science Center
 - a. Sept 8 – Planetarium
 - b. Sept 22 – Boys only (Cancelled)
 - c. Oct 13 – Planetarium – Boys only
 - d. Oct 20 – Boys only
 - e. Nov 3 – Coed
 - f. Nov 17 – Boys only
 - g. Dec 26-29 – Coed (Holidazed Camp)
 - h. Reservations/info 314-289-4424
 - i. Cost per person for Main Building Camp-Ins: \$38 Non-members (Discounts available to members)
 - j. Cost per person for Planetarium Camp-Ins: \$43 Non-members (Discounts available to members)
 - 6. Eckert's Scout Weekend
 - a. Millstadt Farm
 - b. Saturday/Sunday Sept 30/Oct 1
 - c. 9 am to 6 pm
 - d. Scouts in uniform get free admission to the Fun Farm
 - 7. Recharter fees for 2007 will be paid by the family of Gary Harter in his memory
 - 8. Pack TeePee
 - a. Linda Juenger has the poles
 - b. No idea where the material is
 - c. Need to relocate the poles
 - d. Harold Knoth will let us store them in the Pole Barn at Scheve park as long as we label them as belonging to Pack 43, St. John UCC
 - e. John is making arrangements to get them moved
- L) Committee decisions
- a. Looking into dedicating a park bench at the new playground in honor of Gary Harter.