



**BOY SCOUTS
OF AMERICA**



**Committee Meeting Minutes
4/22/2016**

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Attendees

Name
Kevin Barber
Russ Blakeslee
Brian Maggi
Robert McGuire
Lynne Piscitelli
Steven Schmidt
Noelle Schmidt
Mike Yevich
John Zaleski

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm by Mike Yevich.

Troop Treasurer

- Treasurers report.
- The Checking account has a balance of \$1447.83. I will be depositing \$900.50 which represents a number of checks collected at the end of the end of the scout year to close out 2015 debts.
- The balance tomorrow will be \$2347.83 minus any Credit Card charges Frank may have had in April.

Upcoming Troop and Council events

- Pancake Breakfast fundraiser – See below
- Camporee – May 13 – 15, Camp Strang
- Pack 27 will have Family Camping June.3rd & 4th. Would we like to have Scouts from Troop 27 attend one day/night.
- We discussed possible June/Summer trips. Possibly Housatonic Meadows, Bozrah campgrounds, Block Island. The consensus was to narrow down the possibilities to three choices and let the boys vote.

Pancake Breakfast fundraiser

- Settled on April 24th for the pancake breakfast. Kevin and Rob W agreed to do the signs. Rob McGuire will contact the White Hills Fire Dept to ask about borrowing chairs for the event. Lynne P will do the tickets and paperwork. Noelle will do the shopping. We will setup Saturday night.
- Flowers will be delivered Sunday morning.

Possible Troop Meeting idea

- John Zaleski mentioned a trip to the White Hills Eagles RC club to watch them fly model planes. We could plan this in late spring. Bring up to the boys to vote on this activity. Three dates are 5/20, with a rain date of 6/10. We need to meet at 5pm. Scoutmaster Turechek will send details and a permission slip.

Troop Equipment

- We should look at some new equipment. Our tents are in bad shape. We need to look at how many we need. We may also need new camp stoves. We'll look at the price for 7 tents and 3 of the single burner camp stoves. Mike Y. will get prices and we will need to inventory the trailer before we purchase anything. We talked about having a troop meeting at Bob McGuire's barn where the trailer is stored and cleaning and inventorying the trailer during a regular Friday night meeting. The barn has lights. We will hold this event on April 29th. Scoutmaster Turechek will send details and a permission slip.

Summer Camp

- We will be going week #1 this year.

Boards of Review

- Steven Schmidt – Eagle
- Jack Piscitelli – Bronze Palm

FUTURE ITEMS

Philmont Trip

- Troop 19 is planning a Philmont Trip for 2016.
- Frank Turechek is the crew advisor.
- There are two Youth Positions available. There is a waiting list for adults.

Seabase Trip

- The Committee discussed the possibility of a Seabase trip in 2017 or 2018. Mike Y. will check the Troop roster for Scout ages to determine the best year. It looks like 2018 would include more Scouts.

New Business

- The Troop needs a new Advancement Chair to take over from Lynne Piscitelli. Please le Mike Y. or Scoutmaster Turechek if you are interested.

A motion to adjourn was made at 7:46 by Brian Maggi, seconded by Kevin Barber. The Committee voted 8 in favor to adjourn the meeting.

Gary Johnson abstains in absentia!

If there are any questions, comments, additions or changes, please notify Mike Yevich (myevich@yahoo.com).