

Troop 171 Committee Meeting 9-9-04

Treasurer Report

- Jay Adzema to take over. Dues \$40.00 – due by November 30th. Popcorn can be applied. (Pay at one time.)
- Discussion on how scribes can be involved. (If scribes are not doing their job, no credit will be given for leadership position.) Each scribe will be responsible for 3 patrols. Will take attendance and collect money. Also they are to attend Patrol Leaders meeting and take notes. Beginning of meeting will be dedicated for scribes. Receipt books and spiral notebooks will be purchased for their use. Colored envelopes will be used to put money into before giving to Jay.
- Last correspondence showed \$2400+ in scout account. \$75.00 refund from Pittsburgh Council due to overpayment of summer camp.
- Some scouts still owe dues from last year. Jay and John Semanchik will handle.

Quartermaster

- Patrol boxes ready to go.
- Many items needed to be replaced after summer camp – scouts need to be more responsible.
- Large items will be marked with troop number.

Activities

- September 17-19 – District Camporee, theme is conservation; will be at Crooked Creek Lake Park
- October 22-24 – Moraine camping trip, possibly will include trip to haunted house
- Trips will be listed on calendar, with link for permission slips.

Popcorn Report

- Diane Kimbel is chairperson.
- Troop will receive additional 2% since Diane attended popcorn kickoff meeting, additional 2% for turning in commitment, also can earn additional 2% if pictures of kickoff are sent in. (Historian will handle.)
- Sale starts September 25th, forms are due back October 26th, pick-up is November 20th.
- More responsibility will be given to patrol leaders for skits, motivation, etc.
- Scouts will earn 10% for their account when sales \$200+. Top seller receives \$40 gift card, pizza party (max. cost \$50.00) for patrol with highest % of participation. (Participation = \$24.00) Pizza party (max. cost \$60.00) for all sellers over \$200.00

Committee Chair Report

- Attire of scouts at meetings – correct patches need to be worn, shirts tucked in, scout hats only, neckerchief optional. A few boys did not receive scout T-shirts. Scout t-shirts are to be worn when doing service projects.
- Summer camp behavior was very poor. Leadership broke down, patrol leaders need to take more command. Need to keep patrols in line, leadership position will be taken away if not doing job properly.

- Patrol leaders meeting will be on a night different from regular meeting. This way meetings can be planned in advance. Patrol leaders need to notify Jon Weis if they are not going to attend regular scout meeting.
- ASPL's to be assigned to particular patrols to help control. Tim will put together list of boys qualified for ASPL position based on attendance and participation.
- Need to move meetings out of church after November 1st due to construction. Main fellowship hall available Monday nights. Franklin Park Fire Hall available Tuesday nights. St. John Lutheran Church available Monday nights or 3 out 4 Tuesday nights. John Clunies will look into St. Brendans Church to see what is available.
- Ingomar Methodist will stay at sponsoring church and scouts will continue to help out as needed. (Luminaries on December 24th)

Attendance:

John Semanchik
 Amy Adzema
 George Nicklas
 Denise Michaels
 Rich Marcus
 Tim Hare
 Dick Hodgdon

Marty Scheerbaum
 Jay Adzema
 Kathy Nicklas
 Jon Weis
 Keith German
 Diane Kimbel