Troop 393- Committee meeting 30 June 2015 7:00pm Troop web site: troop393pa.com

Next meeting is 1 Sept 2015

Attendance

Tina Keeler (notes), Jenn Wiley, Karen Blevins, Mike Prouse, Gail Lanas, Wayne Beiler, Liza Kuhn, Ken Wirtz, Karen Becker

I. Treasury Report

• Budget update

Checkbook balance	\$7,186.48
Scout accounts	3,317.62
Campership fund	1,066.15
Veteran's memorial fund	677.29
Total Troop Fund	\$2,125.42

II. Old Business

- Scout accounts are updated for Hersheypark, 3rd quarter dues, and Black Rock. Discussion that for future trips it would be easier to take money out of scout accounts rather than collecting cash and checks. Then parents would be responsible for putting money in the accounts if needed. It was suggested that if there is a negative balance, a personal email would be sent to the parent to inform them.
- T-shirts are ordered and will be here before summer camp. Each scout gets a free T-shirt.

III. New Business

- Scouts will be doing surveys of their top 5 activities for planning purposes for the next year.
- Parents please help your scouts get their prerequisites done and must turn in medical forms by July 1st. If medical forms are not turned in before camp, they may not go to camp.
- Check in is 1:00 for summer camp, so scouts will meet at church at 9:30 on Sunday 7/12 to be on the road by 10:00. Scouts need to pack a lunch because dinner is the first meal provided. Should be something that does not need to be refrigerated, but may be a cooler to put it in for the trip. May want to bring a hanger to hang up Scout shirt. Class A Uniform should be worn for the ride to camp. Boys will participate in flag ceremony at the camp site. Estimated return time is 12-1:00pm on Saturday 7/18. There is a store so they can bring a small amount of spending money for slushies, etc (maybe \$20). May stop at a rest stop on the trip. It is encouraged that they do not bring electronics (phones).

Will be sleeping on cots in tents, but may want to bring a pad. There are picnic tables at the site, so a chair may not be necessary unless they want to carry it. Good idea to bring a foot locker instead of a duffel bag to protect items from rain.

• If scouts are going on Caving trip on Aug 15th, they need to attend the meeting on July 21st. Once Mike sees what boys are going on trip, he will ask if they want it to be a day trip or overnight camping.

IV. Upcoming Events

- July 12-18 Resica Falls summer camp
- July 21 Caving Meeting
- July 28 Possible disc golf or mini golf
- August 4 and 11 Rocket making
- August 15 Caving in Shippensburg for age 14 and older
- August 18 Pool party at Beiler's
- August 25 NO MEETING night before school starts
- September 1 Next Parent Committee Meeting
- September 15 Court of Honor
- November 13-15 Navy Football Game and Camping Trip
- November 14 Scouting for Food –Bag Distribution (any scouts not attending Navy trip)
- November 21 Scouting for Food Food Pick Up

V. Scoutmaster's Report (Neal Kuhn)

- New Senior Patrol Leader, Jake Wiley, and Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Brandon Prouse, were elected tonight. Want to get the boys involved in planning the meetings. Boys are doing a survey tonight to pick top 5 activities and camping trips. Using a lesson plan for meetings.
- Wayne Beiler has volunteered to have a pool party at his house on August 18th
- Need to get sign-ups for Navy game in to secure spot. Friday evening snack, Saturday morning breakfast, tour, tailgating, game, dinner, and Sunday breakfast and cleanup. If you commit to going, the tickets will be purchased and you will be responsible for the cost if you decide not to go. Need to make reservations within next week. There is a sign up online. Please go on this week and indicate whether or not you are going. Would like to see a response either way for every boy.