

## Notes for Parent Committee Meeting

**Troop 393- Committee meeting 02 Feb 2016 7:00pm**

**Troop web site: troop393pa.com**

**Next meeting is 23 Feb 2016**

### **Attendance**

Tina Keeler (notes), Jean Garrett, Karen Blevins, Mike Prouse, Wayne Beiler, Liza Kuhn, Kathleen Massar, Steve Becker, Faith Hollern, Gail Lanas, Teke Drummond

### **I. Treasury Report**

- Budget update

Checkbook balance	\$8,304.12
Scout accounts	4,155.55
Campership fund	1,066.15
Veteran's memorial fund	451.03
 Total Troop Fund	 \$2,631.39

### **II. Old Business**

- Good Klondike campout. Sled didn't make it 5 ft before it broke. Finished 4<sup>th</sup> out of 26 (missed 3<sup>rd</sup> by one point) – was a great achievement for the young group of scouts that attended.

### **III. New Business**

- Jean Garrett said things are moving along for chicken BBQ. Needed to pay for extra insurance for the property (\$75) for the day of the sale. Turkey Hill no longer gives donations, must buy at cost. Must pick up at TH Experience. Have not heard back from Pepperidge Farm and usually hear back by now, so not promising for a donation this year. Also did not hear back from Restaurant Store – they donated \$75 in past to buy containers. Discussion that for future, maybe we make it all dinners with just a ½ chicken and baked potato to make it easier? Do we continue to do the sale if less profits because of losing donations? Need to sell at least 600-700 chickens to make it worthwhile. However, there are some good lessons for the boys in being responsible for the tickets and money and interacting with customers. Will discuss a decision for next year at the next parent committee meeting on 2/23, as we always confirm our date with Charlie for the following year on the day of the BBQ. There also was a question about changing the date so it is not in March when the weather might not cooperate and impact sales. The reason we do it in March is because that is when Charlie is available (he is booked the rest of the season a year in advance), and we like to be the first chicken BBQ of the season.

- Next Court of Honor on March 15<sup>th</sup> – Jenn Wiley will chair
- Kent Bruster requested that any scouts not skiing please attend Scout Sunday this week on 2/7. Be at the church in full uniform at 10:30am for the 10:45am Service. They will greet, serve as ushers, serve snacks after (please bring snacks to share at Fellowship). Will end around noon.
- Karen discussed recharter. Forms were distributed and are being collected. Scouts should turn them into Karen ASAP. Liza Kuhn will be the committee member to replace Rick Carlson. Volunteers need their clearances.

#### **IV. Upcoming Events**

- February 5-7 – Ski Trip at Blue Knob
- February 7 – Scout Sunday (any scouts not on ski trip please attend)
- February 9 – Flint Knife Making Demonstration
- February 16 – Skyzone 6:45 – 8:00 (scouts may bring a friend – please signup)
- February 23 – Parent Committee Meeting
- February 27 – Pack 286 Blue and Gold Banquet (new scouts crossing over)
- March 15 – Court of Honor
- March 18 – Chicken BBQ Prep
- March 19 – Chicken BBQ Sale

#### **V. Scoutmaster's Report (Neal Kuhn)**

- Next week's meeting there is a guest speaker, and Webelos from Pack 286 and Pack 156 will be visiting. There will be a Flint Knife Making Demonstration and light refreshments. It would be nice to recruit some new scouts. Three siblings from Pack 286 will cross over at the end of February.
- Skyzone will be on 2/16. There is a handout with information. Scouts are welcome to bring a friend to meet a requirement to bring someone to a meeting. Scouts can wear whatever they want that night. Please sign up to indicate if you are going or not by next week 2/9.
- Request for scouts to attend Scout Sunday if they are not skiing.
- Leaders are starting to attend the Round Table meetings every month.
- Need all clearances in for leaders and volunteers.