

Troop Committee Meeting Minutes 5/14/12

1. Call to Order
 - a. Present: Adrienne Choate, Lori Patchett, Michelle Fossum
2. Reports
 - a. Scoutmaster's Report – Gary Hutchens
 1. Completed Camporee last month. Troop did well. Golden Spoon award, which is awarded based on cooking and working as a patrol, was awarded to the New Scout patrol after a very tight competition.
 2. Campout this upcoming weekend at Twin Lakes. Remote site with a real lake and a great bluff overlooking one of the lakes. Troop will drive in and work on fire starting skills in the hope of earning their broken match.
 3. Family campout is June 30-July 1.
 4. Started training for the high adventure 50 mile hike. Several adults are committed to going, and 5 Scouts so far. Will be in the Olympic National Park if it is available, or Eagle Cap in NE Oregon as a second choice.
 5. Gary has signed off on several Eagle Service projects, including Derek Helm and Tyler Durall.
 6. Court of Honor – May consider moving to a appetizers/dessert for the COH after Mays meeting. Gary will talk to the PLC about that concept.
 - b. Outdoor/Activities – Adrienne Choate
 1. 25 Scouts signed up for summer camp
 2. Getting medical forms in, would like to have then all by June 30th if possible.
 - c. Advancement – Lori Patchett
 1. One rank advancement to Life
 2. 10 merit badges
 3. Some Scouts already have requested Boards of Review for June.
 - d. Membership – Michelle Fossum
 1. T-shirt orders completed, order to be placed for 38 shirts plus a couple extras.
3. Eagle Service Project Presentation – Derek Helm
 - a. Derek presented his proposal to make a modification to the Eastern Washington Veteran's Cemetery. Derek will remove an area of sod and replace it with concrete for additional parking capability.
4. Court of Honor – Garett Major and Garrett Ferguson, Chairs
 - a. Court of Honor is Monday, May 21.
 - b. Theme is Asian Food. Committee requested to bring paper products (Adrienne will purchase any additional products needed at Costco) and orange chicken (Lori will coordinate for 60 people through Safeway).

5. New Business
 - a. Logan Wolkey and Cameron Blegin going to NYLT. Committee should vote on whether Troop should contribute some or all of the \$225 cost at the next meeting.
6. Next Meeting: Committee – 6/18/12; Boards of Review – 6/4/12