

Troop 301 Committee Meeting

August 10, 2004 Meeting Minutes

Presiding: Tammy Smith

Attendance: Brian Turner, Jeff Parmley, Karen Hernandez, Steve Henry, Linda Corredor

Financial Report. – Ms. Hallaway is on vacation. A \$250 love offering is being sent to St. Thomas Aquinas.

Advancements

- The next BOR is on August 16; call before August 12. Discussed having a special BOR for boys who have not had 4 months in a leadership position. Discussed using Summer Camp as an intro to some of the first requirements and then ensure that the boys have a thorough knowledge before signing off on the achievement.
- Merit Badge partials – Thursday, August 19, 7:30 p.m. at Mr. Turner's house.
- Eagle projects – John Sealy – almost complete; Tremon McGrath – building a volleyball court at his church, he is working on writing up the project; and Austin Shaffer – putting a roof on a house built by Habitat for Humanity.

Fundraising

- Ms. Hernandez - Entertainment books are available; turn in on October 1
- Austin Shaffer – planning an Eagle project car wash

Service Hours

- Eagle Project – John Sealy
- Eagle Project – Tremon McGrath
- Eagle Project – Austin Shaffer

Activities

- Calendar Planning and Lock-in – Friday, August 13 – 8pm to Saturday, August 14 - 8am at St. Thomas Aquinas. Planning will be from 8pm to 10pm. Boys to bring ideas for winter camp and summer camp, as well as weekend camping ideas. Weekend camping should be kept within 3 hours driving distance. For winter and summer camps, boys should bring distance, prices, any special features. Discussed keeping summer camp close to reduce costs and save for a possible international trip.
- LDS Merit Badge Day, September 11 – 9am – 1pm at LDS Church on Lexington and Settlers Way
- OA Banquet – August 14 at 6:30 pm – United Methodist Church. Dinner is \$10. At least 1 OA member from each Troop should attend.

Camping

- August 27- 29 – Double Lake Campout (near Cold Spring); inviting Webelos.
- September 24-26 – Lutheran Camporee @ Camp Brosig
- October – Webelos Woods (in place of Fall Camporee)

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Issues/New Business

- The MUD building still being considered for a community building. More stuff is being stored in the building.
- Discussed changing the weekend camping procedures to have the boys who are camping bring their gear to the Monday Troop meeting preceding the campout. Chow boxes and cooler would be available on Monday night as well. This will reduce packing time on the night of the campout.
- Missing in Action: Coolers and Indian regalia.
- Joshua Lueders has joined the Troop.

Scoutmaster Minute

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.