**Troop 130 Committee Meeting**

**May 5, 2022**

Crissy Mitchell Paul Boothroyd Patty Crossland Doug Cloutier

John Sullivan John Newey David Schwind Dan Pierce

Colleen Strahs Prabakaran Subramanian

**Treasurer’s Report: Mike Holm not present**

**Advancement: Ken Demars**

Advancements:

* 2 scouts advanced to Life, 1 to Star and 1 to Second Class.
* Citizenship in Society - 4 Completed, 2 with partials. Those taking the class thought the best ages would be 16 and up since it's mostly based in discussion.
* We’ll be starting a Communication MB Class soon and have identified who will be in the class. Other older Scouts will continue to work on advancing other scouts toward First Class.

Eagles:

* Patrick: Project completed and needs to finish partial in Communications and have an SM Conference by June 5th.
* Luke: Project has been approved. Inventory of Conservation trails to include signage, invasive species and general conditions. Has partials in Cit. Society, Communications, Family Life & Personal Management. Still needs to start Cit. Nation and finish everything by July 26th.
* Charlie: For his project, he is working with May Dog to make improvements to the park. He needs to finish partials in Sustainability, Communications, Personal Fitness and Personal Management. He has until August 23rd to finish everything.
* James is in the process of getting his project approved. He's working with Justin DeMarco to do work along the Rail Trail

Summer Camp:

* 18 Scouts are registered and need to finalize merit badges for the 4 new Scouts. We will have them take Swimming and Cooking with the camp staff and Chris Thorp may do a First Aid MB class on Wednesday, Thursday & Friday mornings.
* 7 Scouts have been registered for NYLT.

40th Anniversary:

* We had to adjust the menu to change from the pavilion to indoors.
* Sign-ups have begun and we're expecting Yiao-Tee Hsia along with the Troop's first 6 Eagle Scouts.
* The new 40th numerals are here, and all registered scouts and adults will receive one. Since Yiao-Tee will be in attendance, we will present his Fred Hunter Honor Scouter Award.

**Past Activities / Events: Crissy Mitchell**

* Apr 8 -10 Nobscot cabin trip - 10 scouts and 8 adults participated. Activities included 6 mile hike to Tippling Rock and Ford’s Folly. Stayed in the new cabin with 3 rooms and pond view. Entire troop had a lot of fun on this trip.
* Apr 23 - Eagle project canoe launch clean-up, Ice House Landing, Maynard - 10 scouts and 5 adults participated and it included 3 from troop 65. It is a successful project with the trail cleaned up very well.
* Apr 26 - Ice cream social recruiting event - Good group of people turned up for the event and all played and interacted well with each other. 1 boy came to know about the troop.
* May 3 Mulch spreading activity at the Community School - 13 scouts and 10 adults turned up. Program director appreciated great work done by the troop.

**Upcoming Events/Trips: Crissy Mitchell / John Newey**

* May 07 - Bottle drive - 2 drivers signed up to pick up stuff. 150 bags required. Cones will be placed to regulate the traffic. Patty to get snacks, water bottles and granola bars.
* May 13-15 - Crowe Island tent trip, Maynard - Troop to decide what to do during the trip. Activities can include canoe, play tag and frisbee. Propane refill is required. 8 scouts and 5 adults will attend. Scouts will share troop tents and no personal tents for scouts.
* May 17 - Flag replacement in the cemetery and rain date is May 24
* May 22 - is the Troop 130 40th anniversary at Rod and Gun Club.
* Jun 3-4 - Relay for life is still on plan. Scouts will tent overnight and get service time for work hours. During non-work hours, scouts can do what they want.
* Jun 17-19 - Osceola Vista camping trip - Need drivers for this trip. If there are not enough drivers, then some scouts need to stay behind.
* Jun 26 - Eagle court of honor for Nick Kells and Finn Bouley
* Jul 17- 23 - Summer camp -18 registered to attend. Paul, John, Artie, and Patty will attend.
* Aug 14 - 19 - NYLT - 7 scouts confirmed. Full uniform is required to attend this program.
* Sep 9-11 - Camp Collier trip

**Quartermaster Update: Doug Cloutier**

* Trailer to include 6-foot stainless steel rack that can hold stuff for 3 patrols and food. It will be ready for June trip. 4 tables are not mounted to the wall. Labeling of the shelving to be completed. 2 jacks to be taken whenever the trailer is used and put back after return from the trip and the trailer is parked. 4 patrols worth of equipment to be staged at all times.

**Miscellaneous Business**

* None.

Next Troop Committee meeting June 2