**Troop 130 Committee Meeting**

**November 8, 2018**

Ken Demars David Jones Crissy Mitchell Julie Roith

Bob Hill Yuhsia Boothroyd John Sullivan Deirdre Kells

Mark Brennan Kristen Reyzer Patty Crossland Sergio Moreno

Treasurer’s Report: Gary Thorburn

* Checking account balance of $70,832, with $42,938 of it committed to Philmont. $12, 547 in unrestricted assets.
* Philmont money is coming in. Bob Hill expressed concern that the roster is short the amount of adults necessary and suggested that a request be made for scholarship funds to cover the cost of another adult to join the trip.
* Justine St. John is up to date with trip reconciliations for past trips.
* Electronics/bottle & can recycling event produced a net of $2,451 for electronics and $585 for bottles, resulting in our lowest results ever. Driving rain on the day of the event was likely the cause.

Advancement: Ken Demars

* Three scouts will have their court of honor in January. Soren to be next Eagle, with Zack expected next.

Past Trips and Activities:

* Lean-to Trip Nov. 2-4 – Downpour waited until after setup. Day spent hiking for a group of scouts, with others finding things to do around camp and manning the fire. Dinner was a cooking competition.
* Halloween Party Oct. 30 – All went well.
* Electronics Recycling Oct. 27 – Downpour produced less business than usual, but boys and adult volunteers stepped up and worked hard. 30 scouts and 18 parents helped at the event.

Upcoming Trips and Activities:

* Veterans Day parade will be Sunday this year instead of Monday. Meet at 10:30 am at the rear of town hall.
* Webelos Overnight, November moved to December 14-16, weekend after the WAVM telethon weekend. Crissy Mitchell will be leading this for continuity with new scout recruits.
* Nov 30 - Dec 2 Buck Hill (Cub World Castle) – Permission slips will be due 11/20. Bob’s last trip as scoutmaster.
* Dec 8 Maynard Christmas Parade – Scouts will not be participating.
* Dec 18 – Troop holiday party.
* Jan 12-13, Freeze-out, Rod & Gun Club – Freeze out is being moved to the Rod & Gun Club this year.
* Jan 27 - Regis swim date is booked. While other locations have closed, Papa Gino’s in Sudbury is open and will be where we go for pizza.
* Feb. 3 – Troop Banquet at Rod & Gun Club. Kristen will reach out to Caroline to notify her of the date so she can start planning and booking the caterer.
* Feb 8-10 - Cabin Camping Trip, Camp Woronoak, Russell.
* Mar 8-10 – Cabin Camping Trip has moved to Nobscot.
* April 5-7 Camp Sayre – considering possibility of booking cabin instead of lean-tos. Price is too steep for the lean-tos as they are in poor shape.

Quartermaster: John Sullivan

* Refillable propane cannisters have been used on a couple of trips and seem to be working well.
* Equipment and supplies have been moved around at the Rod & Gun Club to better organize things and make sure storage is fire safe.

Scoutbook: No updates. Suggestion was made that we put procedure in place to have scouts write recaps of past trips to post to the website. Development of a webmaster role.

Philmont Planning:

* Philmont Planning committee to meet after Troop Committee meeting.

Next meeting December 6