

Troop/Crew 1203 Cmte Mtg 06/22/10

Called to order c. 6:35. Viking Park.

Previous minutes approved without change.

Troop 1203

4th of July Parade:

Planning Meeting: Maureen asked help in covering a 4th of July Parade planning meeting scheduled for tomorrow (Wed). There were no takers, but a suggestion that we contact the other Units to see if someone would be available there.

Regarding the Parade itself, there was discussion of how we'd like to carry flags at both the Scripps and Mira Mesa parades (like last year). This event should be planned as a "both parades" event. Jim pointed out that few of the Scripps troops came and marched in the Mira Mesa parade. Jim suggested that we ask all the Troops to bring their Troop flags for the adults in the back to carry -- to show we are multiple Troops cooperating on the event.

Phone Call Hours/Restrictions

There was some concern that Scouts are making calls too late at night. There was some discussion that 9pm is a good guideline, but that individuals should let the calling Scout know what their limits are.

Treasurer (Lee T): No Treasurer report.

Summer Camp (Dom):

Dom almost has all the payments (one shy). Merit Badge forms are in. Whitewater rafting is open, and individuals should sign up separately (there is an additional cost). When we see how many we have going, we can arrange transportation as needed. Shakedown is coming up. Scouts usually handle this pretty well. There was a short discussion about getting the rest of the paperwork in. Dom said he'll send out emails to those who owe him. The biggest item seems to be getting copies of the insurance cards!

There was a short discussion of transportation. Jim requested a list of the adults who are going so he can see what vehicles are at our disposal from that group. Likely it won't be a problem. There was also talk of an appropriate reimbursement amount for the drivers, and calculating that. We agreed that the calculation isn't hard, but didn't do it in real time.

Advancement (Chris F): We should advance!

NYLT discussion:

The NYLT fundraiser, spearheaded by David Friend, brought in \$140. We

discussed if this should be applied to the camperships for this event, or handled differently. Previously, we had a proposal to allocate funds to cover half the cost of two attendees (nominally the SPL and ASPL), but this was changed to campership-as-needed/requested funding (much like Summer Camp camperships). That was before the specific fundraiser for the event, though. The cmte decided that these specifically-raised funds should be applied evenly to NYLT fees for all Scout attendees, and that additional camperships will be considered as needed/requested.

Scoutmaster (Mr. Ellison):

- NYLT is two weeks out. Austin, Tyler, and Alex are attending. Mike will be providing transportation both ways. He has briefed them on the event, and talked to them about Troop goals so they have an idea of good projects [NYLT gives the students "take away" projects as part of their program. -K]
- From the CoH, forgot to award the SPL Service Award. Look for that next time, though.
- Mike suggested that the next CoH be at Family Camp. The Sept date is good because it is right after Summer Camp, and having it at Family Camp would hopefully yield a bigger turnout. Family involvement is the key.
- The Ellisons will be on vacation 3-16Aug, and Mike will miss a couple of meetings. The 8/3 meeting would be a PLC, and he'll do that at Summer Camp (the previous week). The 8/10 meeting needs a stand-in SM, and Keith volunteered.
- 4th of July Parade permission slips are here tonight.
- The Beach Campout date is 8/20. This was faxed in. Some discussion of re-requesting for tent city (where we've stayed before). John C will re-fax with this request.
- We are still looking for an official date for Family Camp at the sub-base. Mike mentioned that Oak Oasis was a close second with the Scouts for this event.

Meeting adjourned: 7:05

Next meeting planned for: 8/17/10

Crew 1203

No meeting.

[Direct comments on these notes to the Secretary, Keith Trahan (ktrahan@ieee.org)]