

**Troop 307**  
**March 18, 2007**

## **PLC Minutes**

### **OPENING**

Meeting called to order at 2:11 PM – by SPL Ben

Record attendance – SPL – Ben A., PL – Aaron G., PL – Kenyon C., PL - Alex M., SM Bob

Review and approve minutes of last meeting.

Minutes were read by SPL Ben. Motion to accept with 3 minor corrections. M - Aaron G., 2<sup>nd</sup> – Alex M. Motion carried.

### **TROOP MEETING PLANNING**

Adjustments made to March 27<sup>th</sup> to cover events that were not completed due to schedule adjustment.

3/27 will include Backpacking food and Nutrition, Patrol Time – Plan trip with Webelos, Safety and a Game – probably 'dodge sock'

Plan agenda for weekly troop meetings for April 3, 10, 17 and 24 Topic: FISHING.

4/3 – Fishing equipment and knots – need sign up sheet for outings

4/10 – Casting, Fish habitat, and outing plans

4/17 – Fly fishing, flies and fishing techniques for 'survival' Patrol time PLC input

4/24 – Lure and fly making, PLC reports

#### April Activities

4/14 – Spaghetti Dinner

4/15 – Freshwater fishing trip with Webelos

4/22 – Ocean Fishing trip

4/22 – PLC meeting after the fishing outing or on another day.

4/28-29 POSSIBLE OVERNIGHT OUTING – needs discussion and adult participation.

Special Event – The freshwater fishing trip on April 15<sup>th</sup> will include Webelos Scouts. We are developing training sessions to go along with the event. and need scout instructor teams to Be Prepared to teach sessions including knots, LNT, Buddy system, Safe Hiking and basic First-aid.

### **OLD BUSINESS –**

Eagle Scout project books, this still needs to be completed. We still hope to get copies from Chris Peters and Daniel Smith. We are also investigating electronic copies on our website.

Patrol Notebooks – we will purchase new notebooks and start over for the 4 existing patrols. Crocs will complete a binder in preparation of passing it to a new patrol in June. We will include Patrol Rosters, Troop Calendar, a section for outing planners, a cover sheet with flag and yell information and a section for menus – to be collected in March.

Purchase of 5 new notebooks and dividers approved by PLC on 3/18.

Summer Camp update -9 scouts are registered. 2nd payment information due soon.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

PL reports:

Sharks have been completing plenty of service hours with Aaron W.'s Eagle Project.  
Eagles need a new spatula

No New Business to report.

Look Ahead May, Jun, Jul.

May – Hiking and Tracking – we need to find someone with tracking skills to support this activity. Aaron G. may have a contact, otherwise we will have to work from the BSA Field guide and troop resources.

June – Camping and Backpacking – Mrs. Clark has identified a great backpack outing and we will go forward with scheduling this event for June. We also have the opportunity to add another outing in the San Gabriel Mountains to continue work on our High Adventure patch. Scouts should be investigating the other outing listed for the patch and make suggestion at the PLC meeting.

July – Boating and canoeing, Summer camp 7/15-7/21. Hopefully, the Crew will be able to finish the kayaks for this outing. We will need to find a good location for camping and boating.

SM Leadership Minute – SM Bob suggested that we continue to seek input and make sure we are discussing events at the PLC with our fellow troop members. If we don't make the effort, participation will drop off and things will unravel. It is only going to be fun if we make it fun.

## **CLOSING**

Announce next meeting

Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> 2:00-4:00 PM – At the home of Aaron and Josh G.

Motion to adjourn – Aaron G., 2<sup>nd</sup> – Kenyon C.

Meeting adjourned at 3:07 PM

Refreshments were served.