

OPENING

Steven (ASPL) called the meeting to order at 2:05 PM
For the opening we recited the pledge of Allegiance - the right way.

Attendance:

Present: Steven P. ASPL, , Josh G. – JASM, Sean B. – PL, Aaron G. – PL, Shane C. – PL
Alex M. – PL, Willian W. – QM
Not Present: Daniel S. – SPL/PL, Casey D. – Hist, Aaron W. – Guide, Jake P. – Instr.,
JJ W. – Instr.,

Review and approve minutes of last meeting.

Steven reviewed the minutes, skipping over plans for past meetings, but including the need to prepare for Tuesday, 3/28. Motion to approve (Aaron) and 2nd (Josh), minutes approved as read.

TROOP MEETING PLANNING

Review meeting plans for March 28th and April - Backpacking

For March 28th we are still completing Water activities. Steven will speak to Equipment and josh will address Trek planning from the Canoeing MB pamphlet.

Meetings for April:

4th Backpacking equipment
LNT principles

11th Packing and Weight Economy
What to Bring, What not to Bring

18th Good Menus
Maps and Symbols
Finding your way day or night

25th Patrol Time
Lessons Learned from Backpacking

Outings and Activities:

8th Spaghetti Dinner
11th Troop Leader Nominations
18th Troop Elections
22-23 Little Jimmy Backpack and Mount Baden-Powell

Quarterly Review

May – Aquatics, Hiking, Canoe outing
June – Rock Climbing – Joshua Tree outing

OLD BUSINESS

We will move forward with the canoe project. Project will start with 8 boats, second batch will have 4 boats plus any personal craft that scouts want to build.

NEW BUSINESS

There was nothing to report from the Patrol Leaders.

Venture Patrol – Mr. Peters again reminded everyone about the Venture Patrol plans. He has not received any questions from any of the candidates about progress or membership. Mr. Coste added that High Adventure outings were the best part of his scouting experience and encouraged scouts to take control of their activities.

Summer Camp – Mr. Peters reviewed Summer Camp update. We have 11 boys registered and 4 more interested in going. The second payment is now due. Scouts will be advised of the account balances on Tuesday, April 4 to help off set payments.

Mr. Peters reminded scouts that the new leadership team would participate in Junior Leader Training. He asked scouts for input concerning the format – one session or two, week nights versus weekends, and the possibility of an over night training session.

SM Leadership Minute – Mr. Peters reminded Scouts that the leadership team was responsible for moving the troop forward. That as a team we work together and help each other. He also reminded leaders that they all have assistants to help out.

CLOSING

Next Meeting: Sunday, April 30, 2006 2:00-4:00 PM
Josh – motion, Sean 2nd, Meeting adjourned at 3:22 PM

Refreshments were served.