

April Minutes for Boy Scout troop 1048

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Date: April 19th, 2009

Present: Scott Keller, Pam Couturier, Mike Couturier, Dawn Bates, Ellen Potter, Joel O'Connell, Ty Hansen, M. Simulbauer, E. Simulbauer, Ben Potter, Jeff Ketchum, Linda Peters, Bob Packman, Louis Lorence, Paul Christiansen, Scott Perry, Joel Best, Deb Hoeker, Doug Ogden, Margaret Amstulz

1. Welcome and call to order-Ty
2. Review of March minutes-Dawn
3. Scout Master Report (Mike)
 - a. May campout-Looking at camping/canoeing in Hesperia. Mike to finalize details. First year scouts and those scouts who have not passed the swimming at camp will not be allowed to canoe, there will be other activities planned for them. All scouts are welcome to camp. There is a signup sheet at the scout house. There will also be patrol cooking.
*Adult volunteers are needed-see Mike
4. Treasurer Report (Ellen): March financial report reviewed
5. Advancement Coordinator (Ty and Paul): Two rank advancements in March.
6. Equipment Coordinator(JB):
 - a. Three tents arrived
 - b. The white giant extension-Bob is getting prices
7. Training Coordinator (Jeff):
 - a. New leaders essentials: April 24th
 - b. Council website has all training and locations posted
 - c. 7 adult leaders completed CPR training on Saturday
 - d. Youth protection training moved to May
 - e. Kim Hall has agreed to assist Jeff with tracking training
 - f. Mike encourages all new leaders to take Scout Master training.
8. Activities Coordinator (Pam): There are still opportunities for adult leaders to volunteer as an event coordinator.
 - a. May campout –Mike Couturier
 - b. Operation Care- Scott Keller
 - c. Relay for Life-Bruce
 - d. OA-Spring Conclave
9. Old Business

- a. First Aid kits-Dawn and Joel to update
- b. District Dinner reported to be a nice evening
- c. Mike and Pam both received awards (Congratulations)
- d. Scouting for Food-collected over 1000 items
- e. 100 year shirts-Louis to design, hope to have shirts before Christmas

10. New Business

- a. Bob Wood retired from Scouting
- b. Cub Olympics:
 - i. Discuss with Bob Packman first, looking at the date of September 13th
 - ii. Invite the Girl scouts to participate
- c. Scott Perry: Cook box update
- d. Media Volunteer: The troop would like an older scout or an adult leader to volunteer to be the Media volunteer. This person would place articles, stories, pictures in the paper to increase the visibility of the scouts. With the 100 year celebration coming soon, we would like to highlight White Lake Scouting.
- e. Religious Emblem Training (for adults): April 25th, three hour session in Ada. Also has Chaplains Aid traing. If interested see Ty.
- f. Operation Care: Letter to go home with scouts to remind them to bring two bags of store bought cookies. Encouraged to begin bringing ASAP.
- g. Flower bulb sale, remind people that everything is 100% guaranteed.
- h. Board of Review-Suggested to be on the same day as the committee meetings. A sign-up sheet will be in the Scout house.
- i. Send committee agenda items to Ty.
- j. Sail boat-Discussion on whether the troop should purchase a 17 ft sail boat, voted no
- k. Spring cleaning at the Scout House will be May 17.
- l. Quarter Master to work with each patrol to keep cook boxes stocked.
- m. Jamboree fundraising-an email will go out soon with a fundraiser planning date
- n. MASH summer camp idea's-See Pam with your ideas.
- o. Tables for camp
 - i. Discussion and vote on how many tables to make. Unanimously agreed on three.
 - ii. Free weekend at camp if we agree to spend time at camp helping repair tables-discussion 'tabled' for later.

Calendar

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| 1. May 1-3 | Camp/Canoe trip | Mike/Fred |
| 2. May 14 | Roundtable leader Dutch oven cook off | 7 pm Riverside Park |
| 3. May 15-17 | Spring Conclave-OA | Mike |

Next meeting May 17th (will also be Board of Review)