

Hello Troop 1631,

Hope your summer is going well so far. Please find below the minutes from the May Committee/Parents Meeting.

Best regards,

Nancy Egeler
Secretary

TROOP 1631 COMMITTEE/PARENT MEETING – MAY 27, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 7:46 pm.

IN ATTENDANCE: Denise Dagnall, Pamela Walker, Cindy Lucas, Andy Ralph, Bill Penczak, Nik Patel, Kevin McGonagle & Nancy Egeler

Thank you all for attending.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES TO GET INVOLVED:

		Scout/Adult in Charge
SUMMER TROOP MEETING SCHEDULE		
June 9 – Tuesday	Memorial Park, 7 pm (Equipment Check for Summer Camp)	Simon / Mr. Ralph
Week of June 15th	No troop meeting	
June 23 – Tuesday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
June 29 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
Week of July 6th	No troop meeting	
Week of July 13th	No troop meeting	
July 20 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
July 27 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
August 3 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
August 10 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm - Troop elections	
August 15 – Saturday	IOLS	
August 31 – Monday	Memorial Park, 7 pm	
OTHER EVENTS:		Scout/Adult in Charge
June 8, 15, 22 and July 8	Service Opportunity at Lk Olympia Swim meet concession stand	Justin Whitley
August 8 – Saturday	Thunderwolf District Merit Badge Day	TBD
Sept 18 – 20	Campout – Tellepsen	TBD
LONG TERM CAMPS	Event	Adult in Charge
Jun 14 – 20	Summer Camp - Buffalo Trails Scout Ranch	Tim McMahon
Jul 3 – 12	Chilkoot Scout Ranch, Alaska	Bill Penczak

Volunteers are greatly appreciated! Thanks to all for their efforts to make this a great learning experience for our sons. Without involved parents none of this would be possible; your time, effort and dedication to the troop make a difference!

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING: June 24, 2015

NEXT COURT OF HONOR: September 13th

SCOUTMASTER REPORT:

- Last COH went well.
- New summer meeting schedule: all meetings to be held at Memorial Park, 7 pm. Alternate location in case of bad weather is the University Houston, -Sugar Land Library.
- Casual summer camp out at Brazos Bend being planned – tentatively being planned for July 25 or August 1
- Transition from Troopmaster to Troopwebpost will begin shortly. On June 24 we will have a training meeting for us to become familiar with Troopwebpost. The new system will allow the scouts and parents full access to your personal, scout financial and advancement information, troop calendar, event invitations, e-mail communications, newsletters, forums, and more.
- No committee meeting in July, will have one in August
- Thunderwolf District Merit Badge Day will be Saturday, August 8th; need an adult in charge

OUTDOOR/ACTIVITIES/SERVICE:

- Planning is near complete on the Alaska trip, need to finalize the necessary forms.
- Planning is in the final stages for the Buffalo Trails campout; campers will need to have a physical and complete the medical forms which were sent out by Tim McMahon.
- An Evite sign up has gone out for the swim meet concession stand; will need two adults to assist with the stand as well. This is a great opportunity for scouts to earn money for their accounts.

TREASURER:

Denise reported on the troop's finances; when we transition to the new Troopwebpost system, scouts will be able to access their own accounts to see the balance, etc.. The new system should have much more functionality than the present.

OTHER BUSINESS:

- 18-20th Sept campout - Tellepsen
- Next PLC is in August
- Efforts to upgrade our trailer used on camping trips continue, motion to appropriate \$4000 to purchase a new trailer approved. Goal is to have it available for the September campout.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:41 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Egeler
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