

Troop 680 Committee August 20, 2017

ATTENDING:

Lorge
Theunissen
Squire
Mirvish, John
Mirvish, Paula
Nako
Garmer

Reminder that per the March meeting, Committee Meetings will be during a troop meeting before the PLC. This will provide scout leaders the information they need before they meet.

SCHEDULE:

- August 27 – PLC Meeting at 5:30 PM
- August 25-27 – Assateague Beach Trip – signup is now closed
- September 3 – Labor Day Weekend (no Troop meeting)
- September 10 – Regular Troop Meeting at 5:30 PM in McClunn (Need adult to run the meeting)
- September 15-17 – Fishing Trip (Need adult/scout to plan. John will check with Leanne Murrell)
- September 17 – Regular Scout Meeting and Committee Meeting
- September 24 – Court of Honor
- October 1 – PLC
- October 8 – Parent meeting during troop meeting
- October 13-15 – Project Appleseed Shoot (John Mirvish is adult. Charlie Murphy are lead.)
- October 20-22 – Camporee STEM and Rocketry (Squire will be the adult, need scout to lead)
- November – Caving (have scout lead, may split into 2 groups since BSA requires scouts be 14 to rappel in a cave)

SCOUTMASTER COMMENTS:

Evan Bednarek is webmaster and can upload items to the Troop website.
Will run an announcement in St. Louis Bulletin to promote participation in the Troop. (Mrs. Lorge to coordinate)

FINANCES:

Dollar figures rounded to nearest \$100.

\$ 6,200	Starting balance
\$32,400	Deposits
\$29,500	Expenditures
\$ 9,100	End balance
\$ 500	Outstanding expenses (approximate)
\$ 2,900	Surplus (approximate)

Activity:

\$ 4,600	Dues collected
\$ 3,000	Wreath sales net gain
\$10,100	Wreath sales
\$ 7,100	Wreath expenses
\$ 400	Summer Camp (adults) fee in excess of scouts
\$ 6,900	Fees collected from scouts
\$ 7,300	Expenses
\$ 1,900	Klondike Derby
\$ 1,600	Rechartering
\$ 1,200	Awards and patches
\$ 2,300	Miscellaneous items

Need fundraising to keep troop on solid footing.

Shredding raised \$700 for Philmont last year; still have boxes left over to sell. No Philmont this year, Troop going to Summit this year.

Carwash raised \$300.

Could sell coupon books for profit of \$2.50 each.

SOLAR ECLIPSE PATCH:

John will send requirements flier to scouts.

BOARD OF REVIEW

Future BORs will be the first and third weekend of the month.

EQUIPMENT

Need awnings. Will use Kelty during beach trip; if it works troop will buy.

RELIGIOUS EMBLEMS

Starting up. (Mr. Nichols)

SERVICE PROJECTS

Service projects and camping days being documented for District on-line.

CYBER CHIP

Troop will continue to limit use of electronics.

Mrs. Lorge will look to form a group of adults to help determine policy going forward.

Scouts favor limited use for Scouts who earn cyber chip with penalties for not following rules. (Clip corners of chip card and when corners cut, privileges revoked until chip is re-earned.)