

Troop 32 – Committee Meeting – December 3, 2013

Attending: G. Varnerin (recorder/chair), J. Stiles, K. Pennett, J. Pennett, L. Celeste, F. Hayeck, A. Hayeck, I. Dicken and S. Tucker.

Next Meeting

The Next Committee Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 7, 2013, 7:30pm at Wilson Memorial Church.

Eagle Project Proposal

Justin Scalera – Presented his draft proposal to create a Watchung Photo History Display (and accompanying book) for the Texier House Museum. Mrs. Tucker is his project coach. A number of verbal and written comments were provided. Justin also must reformat his proposal using the official “PDF Form” template file of the “Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook” currently endorsed by council, found at:

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/boyscouts/advancementandawards/eagleworkbookprocedures.aspx>

Justin does not need to appear before the committee again before submitting his proposal to council, as long as Mrs. Tucker agrees it is ready. Justin still needs to complete four required merit badges before earning his Eagle rank.

Eagles – Status

Brian Beckert – Brian has completed his badges for Life. He does not need to appear before the committee for this rank to be awarded, as he was previously reviewed. The approval line in his handbook will need to re-signed with the new date.

Pramath Kalelkar – He is looking for an Eagle Project coach, and has approached Sue. Sue is not in a position to take on another project. Greg will follow up with Pramath and his family.

Wreath Sales

The remaining Large wreaths will be sold at the price of Medium wreaths. The troop settled up with Sue Tucker for presales check swaps (and miscount of one item), with a check to Sue in the amount of \$371.

Troop Recharter Application

The only unresolved issue is the status of Robbie Tucker. He has chosen to remain as a “College Scouter”, and has paid the appropriate dues. Greg will send out information about the BSA course, “WS10 - Troop Committee Challenge” to the committee. This is a required, online course for all committee members.

Treasurer’s Report – Lucina

The checking balance is \$10,021 T. Rowe account is at \$17,200.

Funds were authorized to pay for a congratulatory ad for Susan Tucker in the commemorative journal of the "2013 Warren/Watchung Good Scout Award Dinner".

General Business

Calendar

- Tree of Lights – 12/7 (5:00PM). The scouts will hold a flag ceremony, and will setup a table with a sample of the Holiday Greens for sale.
- Webelos to attend Troop Meeting – 12/11.
- "U R What U Eat" – 12/14-15. At this point 14 people have signed up. Troop 33 is allowing a flexible policy toward additional attendees.
- Holiday Party – Wednesday, December 18 (6:30pm). We will follow the same arrangement used last year. It will be catered at Wilson Memorial Church. The troop will buy dessert cake and drinks.
- Scout Sunday – February 2nd. Sue Tucker will lead the planning of the breakfast service. Need to schedule with Wilson Memorial Church.
- Scout Dinner – February 5th church hall availability has been confirmed by Karen. Karen and Paula Delfs are actively involved in planning and preparation.
- Ice Fishing and Camping – Target the weekend of February 22. Freddie Hayeck and Roger Tucker will run this event. More details at the next meeting.