

Troop 32 – Committee Meeting – April 5, 2016

Attending

S. Tucker (Chair), K. Pennett, W. Ruta, R. Stefanovic, G. Varnerin (Recorder), and J. Stiles

Find this, and all Committee Meeting minutes at: <http://watchungtroop32.com/committee.html>

Next Meeting

The next Committee Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 3, 7:30pm at Wilson Memorial Church.

Advancement

None

Eagle Status

- Logan Stiles – Project proposal is to build a safe and inspirational trail behind Wilson Memorial Church for children to use. Application reviewed by board.
- Josh Schmidt – His project has been approved by WM District. He will begin work in mid-April.
- John George – His proposal was approved by WM District; he has an April 21 deadline for completion of all Eagle requirements.
- Nick George – Project is in the works
- Greg Carroll – No update

Scoutmaster's Report (*J. Stiles*)

- Four scouts attended the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island trip and were able to get access to the pedestal and have an audio tour.
- Planning for town picnic is in process.
- Summer camp (Camp Somers) site #11 has been reserved for the week of July 10-16. Jay to send a letter to troop and get sign-ups by end of April. Rate will be \$390 with a late fee of \$50 if submitted after the deadline.
- Operation clean-up had a good number of scouts attend despite rain delay.
- Backpacking trip on April 23-24 likely near Bear Mountain or Harriman State Park.
- Wendy volunteered to call Council to reserve an outing to Camp Somers on May 20-22 for shooting and ATV.
- Day trip (possibly overnight) planned for June at Lakota Wolf Preserve.

Treasurer's Report (*W. Ruta*)

- Recent activity has been around the "West" Endowment in Dick Wellbrock's honor, Eagle Dinner, Scout Sunday and Etiquette Dinner expenses, and summer camp registration.
- Checking - \$8,928.28 (as of 3/31/16)
- T Rowe Price - \$17,127.10 (as of 4/4/16)

General Business

- April 22 - possibly setup/cleanup (next day) tables and chairs for community event going on at Exempt Fireman's Hall on Friday (4/22) night.
- May 21 - Town Picnic. The troop will setup and staff the Monkey Bridge again this year.

- June 5 – Bob Beckert Memorial 5K. Maybe have a scout team compete in the event as well as staff the water station?
- Troop to provide material for welcome wagon packages
- Latest merit badge counselor list shows only Richard Pease, Suz Stiles, Sue Tucker and Martin Carroll. Need more counselors.

Calendar:

See <http://watchungtroop32.com/events.html> for the latest (printable) troop calendar.