February 5, 2023 Minutes

The Committee members reviewed January's minutes and made a few changes to the notes/calendar.

Topics discussed:

- 1. Sommerfest June 15-17, 2023
 - a. In January's notes, Jessica Church said she would inquire about borrowing the nacho warmer from the baseball concessions.
 - i. Committee agreed we shouldn't borrow anything from another group so they won't want to borrow stuff from us. This is a good way for things to get broken/misplaced.
 - b. Laura and Nic are looking into getting permission to sell dip 'n dots BEFORE the parade on the parade route.
- 2. 2023 Calendar of Events (additions and changes are marked in blue)
 - a. February 11 USI Merit Badge University
 - February 12 see if Boy Scouts can come to Scout Sunday at 10:00 am
 Mass at Sts. P&P to support our Cub Scouts who are participating
 - c. February 23 Outdoors Putt-Putt at Walther's in Evansville
 - d. February 26 Webelos 2 ceremony
 - e. March 11 Jasper Merit Badge University
 - f. March 18 Roller Skating (Turkey Run was moved to July 22/23)
 - g. April 1 or 15 No activities these weekends
 - h. April 22 Cubs Scouts have invited Boy Scouts to participate in their spring campout at Camp Carson
 - i. April 16 and 23 at meetings work on a Merit Badge together
 - j. May 7 Pancake Breakfast (8am-12pm) (Escape Room moved to Nov 18)
 - i. Pancakes, Sausage AND Fruit \$10
 - k. May 20 or 21 Scales Lake Campout AND Court of Honor at Scales
 - I. June 3 Town Wide Yard Sale AND Rummage Sale (Fundraiser)
 - Breakfast Burrito vs Biscuits & Gravy-TBD
 - m. June 15-17 Sommerfest Booth and cleanup (Fundraisers)
 - n. June 18 Summer Camp
 - o. July 22 & 23 Turkey Run Campout and Canoeing
 - p. August 5 Cave Crawl and Campout (St Louis Museum moved to Sept)
 - q. September 9 or 16 Haubstadt Dump Day (Services Hours)
 - r. September 30 St Louis Museum (\$25)

- s. October Cub Scout Campout at Lincoln State Park
- t. November 5 & 12 2 weekends to work on "Woodworking Project" for nursing home gifts for Christmas
- u. November 18 Escape Room (maybe parents vs boys?)
- v. December 2 Christmas Project delivery to Nursing Home

Recharter

a. Committee (Brent) reviewed the roster of who we need removed from our Troop list before we pay recharter fees.

4. Haubstadt Chamber

- a. Asked for us to try to buy local in support of those businesses
 - i. Eric Meny will give us what items he has in the store at cost
 - ii. Committee approved that the rest will be purchased on Amazon
 - iii. Nic Weaver will ask if we can get a deal on propane with Eric

5. First Aid Kit

a. Will be ordered soon

6. Scout Shop Account

a. Money has been deposited into the Troop account

7. Flat Fee Idea for Troop Activities

- a. Committee approved the flat fee will be \$15 for most events
- b. If we go somewhere with extra activities, of course there will be extra costs.
- c. A scout must be signed up AND have paid their fees 2 weeks b4 the event. This allows the scout in charge of purchasing food to know how many will be attending and have the money to purchase supplies.
- d. If a scout cancels after the due date, the fee will not be refunded.

8. VFW Flag Retiring (Burning)

- a. VFW in Ft Branch would like our troop to take over all future flag retiring events. The scouts will lead the ceremony and the VFW members will bring the flags and assist.
- b. VFW will donate money to our troop after each event.
- c. Possible dates with times determined later:
 - i. Wednesday evening, May 24
 - ii. Sunday, August 20 (will qualify as a troop meeting)
 - iii. Sunday, October 8 (will qualify as a troop meeting)

9. Next Meetings

- a. Troop Meeting (Boys) Sunday, February 19 @ 4:00 pm at the old library
- b. Committee Meeting Sunday, March 5 @ 3:00 pm at the old library