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Boy Scout Troop 110
Committee Meeting Minutes
January 11, 2009
Attendance:

X	<i>R. Michaud</i>	X	<i>R. Ramin</i>	X	<i>M.J. Vachon</i>
X	<i>D. Pruitt</i>				<i>J. Plante</i>
X	<i>D. Bouffard</i>	X	<i>D. Devoe</i>		
	<i>R. Plante</i>		<i>D Vachon</i>		

New members and elections

- None

Old Business

- Calendar update:
 - Klondike Derby - Jan. 29 & 30 at Mt. Abram. Troop is not planning on spending the night. Will start at 8 AM Saturday
 - Bomazeen - Feb. 26 - 28. Camping with Webelos. Dan to ensure that cabin is available.
 - Cross-over ceremony with Cub Scouts. Currently scheduled for Feb. 28, but Bob is looking to push it back to March 7.
 - March - Merit Badge College - every Wednesday night at Auburn Middle School. Stay tuned for details

Officer Reports

Committee Chair - R. Michaud. Will work on holding more regular committee meetings.

Treasurer - D. Devoe - \$2,097.87 in checking, \$50.74 in savings. This includes popcorn revenues and costs.

Advancement Chair - voting: J. Plante - N/A

Leader Reports

Scoutmaster - D. Bouffard - Looking to step down at the end of this year.

Asst. Scoutmasters - R. Plante & D. Pruitt - Nothing to report

New Business

- Discussed changing meeting night to make meetings more accessible for Scouts with busy schedules. Decided on Monday nights, provided we can meet at Wales Central School or other location (Legion is now reported to be unavailable for our use on Monday, Wednesday or Friday due to scheduled dances). Need to check with Janice Plante to see if the school is available.
- Discussed looking into another chartering organization due to the lackluster support from the Legion. Bob to talk with Our Lady of the Rosary to see if they are interested.
- Began discussing the expected Eagle Courts of Honor for Markus and Ian. These will likely take place in April. Dan Pruitt has ideas he would like to use for Markus'. He would also like to have separate Courts of Honor for each Scout. Will also look into using the Maxwell - Gill hall at Our Lady of the Rosary for this function.
- Discussed several new activities to help Scouts earn advancement requirements, including additional camping trips (Gustin, Acadia, elsewhere), hiking (locally, Acadia, Bradbury Mtn, etc.) and swimming for the swim test. Dan to work with the Boy Scouts to begin planning these dates.
- Discussed the swim day at the YWCA. Bob to check into availability. Shooting for February, but March might be smarter as the newly crossed over Boy Scouts would get credit for their 'safe swim' requirement.
- Need to make sure that advancement reports submitted to Council have full dates assigned.