

Troop Committee Meeting Notes

Meeting Date: 5/15/11

Present: Mechelle Coppock, Julie Custer, Ash Johnston, Michael Keays, Kathleen Norman, Kathy Pala, Colleen Parker, Chris Roussey, Millie Sjoberg, Tony Ulses

1. Presentation by Kurt Johnson, District Representative –
Journey 2 Excellence (J2E) (replacing Centennial Quality Unit Award - CQUA).
How District measures a Unit, and a framework for planning for the Unit.
Method to evaluate the troop, and highlight early warning for problem areas.
Bronze, Silver and Gold rankings.
Assessment based on: advancement, camping, service projects (min 4 per year),
training, membership, retention, leadership and budget.
2. Treasurer's Report – Mechelle
Current balance is \$4,075. Have fully outfitted new patrol.
3. Summer Camp – Michael & Tony
Training for Lenhok'sin is finished.
Will try to cycle new opportunities so younger scouts have opportunities. For High
Adventure, scouts must be 14 years old.
4. Roll Call –
To tie into Scout Bucks. Include wearing uniform at meetings?
5. Community Service – Millie
Treasures in the Attic was very successful.
Memorial Day:
 - National Cemetery – 8am – noon. Participate?
 - Community Center ceremony – morning chair set-up
 - FCC Parade – afternoon – need Color Guard for American Legion,
VPIS volunteers to distribute leaflets
6. Purchase of New Equipment – Julie for Jim
List of things purchased distributed. Also list of things still to buy, to discuss with Tony.
7. Scoutmaster Report – Tony
Considering trip for June 2012 (first week after school) – paddling down the James
River.
This month's campout is Bicycling Trip down C&O Canal. Younger scouts drive to
campsite, work on First Class requirements, bike back. Older scouts bike both ways.
8. Eagle Scout Project Proposal – Preston Custer
New proposal – database of volunteer projects. Committee voted to approve concept,
subject to discussions with the City.