

**Pack 211 Business Meeting  
January 7, 2010**

**Attendance:** Mark Hensel, Donna Hensel, Denise Thompson, Sean Nedd, Curtis Lowe, Stephanie Popko, Samantha Thompson, Angie Reyes, Derek Wilson, Rob Shandik, John Thompson, Dorene Willoughby, Peggy Clarke-Treasure, Anna Thompson

**Opening Prayer and Welcome**

Ms. Donna opened the meeting with prayer at 7:00 P.M.

**Chartered Representative**

Starting next month, the pack business meeting will be held in the conference room at the First United Methodist Church. Mr. Mark will open and close the church for the meeting.

**Treasurer**

- Ms. Samantha gave the Treasurer's report.
- On Dec. 2, the checking account had \$10,338.01. After the following activities, the account balance is \$3344.32: Deposit into the unit account (\$350), Purchase at Joann Fabric for the Christmas Parade (\$31.45), popcorn deposit (\$440), Scout Shop return (\$14.28), popcorn payment (\$6,390.15), Reimbursement to Ms. Donna for Wal-Mart Gift cards (\$15), Recharter payment (\$506), Reimbursement to Ms. Dorene for the Christmas Parade (\$95.37), Deposit into the unit account (\$60).
- The balance in the Unit Account is \$22.60.
- Ms. Stephanie made the motion to accept the treasurer's report.
- Ms. Denise seconded the motion.

**Advancements**

- Ms. Dorene reported that money is needed in the unit account for upcoming advancements. Ms. Donna proposed depositing \$250. Mr. Derek made the motion. Mr. Curtis seconded the motion.
- Ms. Dorene also reported that the New Academy Belt Loops and manual will be coming out soon.
- The deadline for turning in scout achievements to Ms. Dorene is January 18th. Leaders MUST meet this deadline for scouts to be recognized for their accomplishments at the next Pack Meeting.
- Mr. Derek asked who was responsible for paying for the 100 year ribbon and patch. Ms. Dorene explained that the pack will pay for the ribbons for the 100 year patch. Parents will buy the 100 year patch.

**Cub master Report**

- Mr. Mark reported that we have a new name for our district. We are Apopka Shores, District #9.
- January 21<sup>st</sup> is the date of the next Round Table.
- **Important:** If a scout shows up to any event without a parent, the parent **MUST** submit a permission slip. For example, parents who are not planning to attend the upcoming Science Center field trip with their scouts must submit a permission slip.
- Although a permission slip isn't needed when a parent drops a scout off to the den meetings, Mr. Mark stressed that the parent **MUST PHYSICALLY PICK UP THE SCOUT FROM THE DEN MEETING**. Leaders were asked to communicate this information to their parents.

### Den Leaders' Reports

- Tiger Den
  - Ms. Denise reported that three boys will be ready for their Tiger Badge in January. At least 12 boys will be ready by February.
  - Boys will also be ready for the Art Belt Loop.
- Wolf Den
  - Mr. Derek and Mr. Curtis gave the report.
  - Most, if not all, the boys will be ready for the Wolf Badge by February.
  - Boys are working on the 4<sup>th</sup> bead, and they will be ready by the January Pack Meeting.
- Bear Den
  - Ms. Stephanie reported that the boys learnt how to grill at the last den meeting.
  - The boys also earned the Whittling Chip Award.
- Webelos
  - Mr. Rob reported that the boys are working on the weather belt loop and they will be ready by the January Pack Meeting.
  - Webelos Woods is scheduled for January 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>. They will be covering the requirements for the Outdoorsman Activity Pin.

### Upcoming Events

- Pinewood Derby and Workshops
  - Ms. Dorene gave the report.
  - The Pinewood Derby will be held on January 30, 2010 at the First United Methodist Church, 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM.
  - The derby is for scouts and siblings.
  - The Derby Workshop is scheduled for January 16, 2010 at FUMC, 9:00 AM-1:00 PM.

- At the Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup> den meeting, leaders will get a count for the number of boys who will need the workshop. If there isn't a need, the workshop will be cancelled.
  - Ms. Dorene will need a \$75 check for awards.
  - First, second, and third place winners from each den will receive medals.
  - First, second, and third place sibling winners will receive medals.
  - A trophy will be awarded to the overall winner.
  - The boys will vote for their favorite car, and the winner will receive "Best of Show" ribbon.
  - Ms. Donna and Ms. Stephanie are in charge of the food.
  - Hot dogs, chips, and water will be sold.
  - Leaders will inform parents about the hot dog meal at Monday (1/11) den meeting. They will get a count for the number of parents planning to purchase meals.
  - All boys will receive a participation certificate for participation in the derby.
  - The Pinewood Derby Committee is meeting on Sunday, January, 10<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM to assemble the track.
- Native American Day
    - Ms. Donna reminded everyone that there will be Native American Day at Camp La No Che on Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010.
    - The deadline for registering for this event is January 22<sup>nd</sup>.
    - Ms. Donna has forwarded an email with detailed information about the event to everyone.
- Orlando Science Center
    - The Orlando Science Center Trip will be Saturday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM.
    - The cost of the trip is \$15 for scouts/siblings and \$15 for chaperones/parents.
    - Tigers, Wolves, and Bears will earn the weather belt loop/pin.
    - Webelos will earn the Scientist Activity Pin.
    - Ms. Donna has made the \$50 deposit.
    - The deadline for signing up and making payment for this trip is January 25<sup>th</sup> at the Pack Meeting.
    - Scouts may bring a bag lunch or purchase lunch at the Science Center.
    - Ms. Donna noted that the cost of the trip includes the scout activity, a show at the Cinedome, and access to the exhibits.
    - There is a charge for parking.
- Blue and Gold Banquet
    - The banquet will be held on February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2010.
    - Rosalind Lamphere has agreed to be the chairman of this event.
    - The theme is "100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Scouts".
    - Scouts will need to make invitations for their families and centerpieces and placemats related to the themes. (Four per den.)

- Volunteers are needed to help on the Blue and Gold Committee.
- Event Feedback Forms
  - Ms. Donna proposed completing feedback forms after each activity/event to assess its success and/or areas needing improvement.
  - Leaders agreed to consider it, and discuss the possibility at another date.
- Other Business
  - Mr. Curtis presented a fundraising possibility with Pizza Hut, Apopka.
  - Mr. Curtis and Mr. Derek will work on flyers to disseminate more information to the pack.

The Pack Business Meeting adjourned at 8:34 PM.

Minutes submitted by

Peggy Clarke-Treasure

Secretary