

Coronado Council Camping Committee
August 18, 2009

Brian Dillner, Camping Committee Chairman – Presiding

Meeting Date: August 18, 2009

Time: 7:00pm

Location: Scout Service Center

Members Present: Tom Wesloski, Francis Bacani, Richard Kellogg, Gary Shoemaker, Virg Augustine, Jerry Collins, Tom Williams, Helen Ekosman, Brian Dillner-Chair

Members Via Teleconference: Rex Lowe, Bob Gibbens

Members Absent:

Next Meeting: September 22, 2009 @ 7:30pm

Minutes of Camping Committee:

Campmaster Program / Richard Kellogg:

There were new radios purchased for Camp Brown. The new weather radio purchased for Camp Brown this summer is missing. Camp Hansen has an extra weather radio, and will give it to Camp Brown.

The Campmaster calendar is not yet on the Council Website. This project hopefully will be moved into a higher priority.

The Camp Reservation forms will be revised. A draft copy will be presented to the committee's next meeting. The reservation forms will be camp specific, since there are some differences between our two camps. Anyone requesting a camp reservation form needs to identify which camp they are requesting to submit a reservation.

Camp prices were discussed but tabled until the next meeting. Research will be accomplished prior to the next meeting for committee members to review.

The storm left a great deal of damage to trees throughout the camp and park. The Council will not allow any units camping at Camp Brown until clean-up occurs.

Camp Brown Storm Damage Info:

Saturday, August 29 @ 9:00am, there will be a camp clean up day. Lunch will be provided. The contact person is Tom Williams @ tomanita@sbcglobal.net. Anyone wishing to bring and use chainsaws at the clean up event will need the required training. The chain saw training will take place at Fall Fellowship. Donald Lowe will be the instructor. There maybe one set of chain saw clothing at Camp Brown. Another set maybe purchased prior to the event.

Cub Scout Camping / Gary Shoemaker:

A report was presented to the committee on Cub Scout Summer Events 2009.

Boy Scout Resident Camp – Camp Hansen / Rex Lowe:

A report was presented to the committee on Boy Scout Resident Camp numbers. Youth campers were up approximately 50 youth.

Stacy Huff, Coronado Council Executive, appointed Rex Lowe as the 2010 BS Resident Camp Director.

Order of the Arrow – Tom Wesloski:

Fall Fellowship / As of 8-18-09 there were 120 members registered.

Members owing dues will be an issue for our lodge to attain Quality Lodge this year.

By-Laws changes at Fall Fellowship to align chapter with districts. This will take our lodge from 7 chapters to 5 chapters. The East chapter will be Konza and Triconda. The West chapters will be Buffalo Bill, Tomahawk, and Wheatland.

NOAC:

NOAC 2012 will be held at Michigan University.

Golden Eagle – Bob Gibbens:

A report was presented to the committee on Golden Eagle's numbers at Camp.

- a. New youth / 84
- b. New adults / 25
- c. Kit Fox / 83
- d. Golden Eagle total membership is 2327
- e. 28 youth / 5th year campers

Properties – Camp Hansen / Rex Lowe:

Work began on the shower house on July 17. Two outside walls are complete with brick. There are two inside walls completed. The shower house will not be completed by Fall Fellowship and possibly not for Section.

Shotgun Range:

There is no change to the shotgun range since summer camp.

Three shotguns and a portable thrower were stolen from Camp Brown this summer.

These items will need to be replaced.

Properties – Camp Brown / Gary Shoemaker:

The issue of the three shotguns stolen at Camp Brown was discussed. Members of the committee felt that Camp Brown needed to be re-keyed. A motion was made that the camping committee highly recommends to the property committee at Camp Brown to re-key all doors. The motion was seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Camp Stewards:

Camp Hansen

The purchases made from the Camp Stewards money was discussed. Also, a thank you may be sent to all donors.

2010 National Jamboree:

No report

Philmont Trek:

No report

High Adventure Committee:

They are looking for a new chairperson for this committee.

100th Anniversary Celebration:

All Coronado Area Council Districts are requested to not schedule any camping events in the fall of 2010.

- a. Date: October 8-9-10, 2010
- b. Location: Oakdale & Kenwood Parks & Bi-Center in Salina, Ks.
- c. Vice Chairs of each section was announced.

FYI:

Kanza Camporee

Oct. 9-11, 2009

Open to all districts

More info forthcoming

“Check out the Kanza District Website for more info as it becomes available”.

NEXT MEETING:

September 22 @ 7:30pm. at the Scout Service Center

Teleconference Info on the Council Website / Council Camping.

Submitted by:

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