

Troop 10: Meeting Highlights Dec 7th 2006

For those of you who missed tonight's meeting or need a reminder here are the highlights from December 7th
Meeting called to order at 7:15pm with the pledge of allegiance and scout oath. Webloes joined us.

Opening Scoutmaster Announcements:

1. **Welcome** to Den 5 from Pack 108 who are joining us to earn their engineering badge.
2. **Nominations** were held for the next SPL. This goes into effect on January 1, 2007. All of the following were nominated and seconded. Voting is next meeting.
 - A. Andrew Rullo
 - B. James Kaminski
 - C. Christopher Hurley
 - D. Shaun Pande
 - E. Hayden Germano

Other announcements--none

Nights Activity--Troop 10 Scouts worked 6 stations teaching engineering skills to the 6 webloes so they could earn their badge. Following was a snack.

End of Meeting Announcements-

1. Next week's meeting is a **BOR** please contact Patti M. if you need a BOR but make sure your SMC is completed first.
2. For those Scouts who need the **Heimlich** for advancement will have a certified instructor for next weeks meeting on the 14th.
3. Monday, Dec 11th is the **Leaders meeting** and the SPL meeting at 7:30 at Miller Memorial Church. All parents welcome your input is important.
4. **Troop Shirts**--We have 6 small, 4 medium and 2 large red troop shirts. The cost is \$17.20. If you are a new scout and need a red

troop shirt (class B uniform) please see Bob R or Christine W at meetings to purchase one.

5. Chris H reminded all that **Pack 98** has invited us to come to their next Pack meeting. This will be on Friday night December 15th at Crossroads North in this room. The SPL will be teaching them how to pack a pack and about backpacking. This is very important for us in the hopes that we can get some scouts to come to our Troop.

6. Chris H also said **Pack 107** is having their pack meeting/holiday party Dec 15th at Brooks Crossing Den Cheifs need to attend.

7. Mr. Steve K also reminded boys who need to finish or begin the citizen **merit badges**, personal mgt, and Personal Fitness he is available.

8. Karen W stated their is a **Venture meeting** at Xrds South Friday night someone needs to attend.

9. **Holiday party** was discussed and was decided will do outdoor laser tag in the spring at Combat sports.

10. Arnold H will coordinate **summer camp** and sign ups will be in January so think about if you want to go away to Henson July 15-21 this summer and sign up next month.

11. Arnold H was present and the **troop acknowledged** his service since 2000. For those of you that do not know him he is an Eagle scout, his son Andrew is recent Eagle scout and he has served the troop wonderfully for 6 years. He has been ill and not be around and the troop presented him with a fruit basket to express there appreciation and wishing him well.

Past Reminders--(that are still important to know)

1. Full class A **uniforms** are required for all those in 1st class rank or above. Shirts are to be tucked in, scout socks, no sneakers. Uniform inspections are being conducted at meetings. Plus this counts to the incentive program.

2. **Calendar** is posted on the website so please review that for upcoming events. These highlights are also available under the

Leaders tab. www.njtroop10.com Also Paul G will be working on developing the on line registration for fundraisers now.

3. Tom Mc. has signed up as the troops **music merit badge** councilor so if interested in this badge can contact him.

4. All scouts when sitting for Board of Review, First Class and above, scout **must be** in Full Uniform, this includes scout socks, scout belt, neckerchief, dress shoes or boots(no sneakers). If not First Class, only shirts, neckerchief required.

5. **Parent Leaders Meetings**-The scoutmaster addressed the importance of the scout leaders to attend the Leaders meetings. Just as important the parents need to attend. At these meetings discussions and decisions are made that effect the troop. It is better to have these discussions, especially financial ones, with more representation than so few people. We value all the parent input and these meetings are held at 7:30pm the second Monday of each month at Miller Memorial Church on Ridge Road. Christine sends email reminders. Please try to attend to share your thoughts on issues discussed.

Scoutmaster Minute: Sorry none tonight.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45pm.

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Yours in Scouting,

Christine,
Troop 10 Secretary

Troop 10: Meeting Highlights Dec 21st

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Meeting called to order at 7:15pm with the pledge of allegiance and scout oath.

Opening Scoutmaster Announcements:

1. There will be **no meeting** next week as school is closed.
2. The following week **Jan 4th** meetings resume but the school is using the cafeteria so please enter the front main door and go to the **Auxillary smaller Gym**.
3. **Holiday Party**-scouts discussed laser tag but that is not endorsed by BSA so can go as a group on own with parents but can not go as a Troop event and will not be covered under scout insurance.
4. **Thank you** to Tim, Chris, Brendan and Shri for attendign the Pack 107 meeting. And thanks to Chris H, Andrew, Mike, James, Josh, Eric, Danny for attending pack 98.
5. **SPL**--Reminder Mike W has completed his time as SPL and as of Jan 1st Andrew R will be the SPL.

Other announcements--

1. Please take a **SEMEOS merit badge fair** packet off the table if interested for Feb 10th and 11th. Registration now open. Ot can print it from the following website. <http://www.cnjbsa.org/SemeosDistrict.shtml>
2. Please take a list of merit **badge councilors**.
3. **Klondike** is Feb 10th. Paul G. had sign up sheet please let him know if interested. Only have 6 signed up and need more.
4. Chris H. acknowledged the Falcons **patrol flag** and said the other patrols need to have theirs at the next meeting.

5. James K thanked all who helped Sunday with his **Eagle Project**. he needs one more day with older scouts to rake the trail and he will be done.

6. Paul G has signed on as Photography and Swimming **merit badge councilor** should anyone want to work on those.

Nights Activity--Advancement night where scouts worked on rank advancements, merit badges, and scout master conferences. Also the parents demonstrated their singing and dancing abilities with their involvement in "Do you know the muffin man?" and soem of the SPL taught the troop the Frog song.

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Have a great holiday and enjoy the school break and remember no meeting next week.

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6. Please take a flyer and tell your parents the **parent meetings** are now the 3rd Thursday of every month at Crossroads rather than Miller Memorial Church the 2nd Monday

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Meeting adjourned at 9:00pm.

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