

**Scout Troop 121**  
**Committee Meeting Agenda**  
**October 4, 2021 6:00 PM**

**1. Council & Other News**

- Roundtable Schedule??
- WPI Merit Badge University. Event 11/6 & 11/20 9AM-4:30PM
- Diocesan Catholic Scouting Retreat at La Salette Shrine in Attleboro 10/30 8 AM – 5 PM
- Cub Scout Spook-O-Ree at TV 10/30 10AM – 2 PM
- Letter from local council on impact of National BSA bankruptcy.
- COVID-19: Trending is towards wearing mask while indoors.

**2. September Hiking & Camping Trip – Recap**

- Thoughts on future Savoy Mountain State Forest Camping and Hiking?

**3. October White Water Rafting and Camping Trip – Recap**

- Country Aire Campground Cost for the weekend \$160 paid in full by KS not including Wood + Cinnamon Buns :0). Troop to reimburse KS \$160 for camping cost.
- Rafting Cost for the weekend \$749.68 Zoar + \$50 guide tips works out to about \$800 or \$80 per person which was the published cost of the trip. I have received \$240 from the Lyods and \$80 from Bob Bishop, I owe the Troop \$160 and I believe the monies for the other 4 scouts was paid by check to the Troop last month. As such Troop to reimburse KS \$320 for 4 scouts which paid Troop (\$800.00 - \$240 - \$80 - \$160 = \$320). I will reimburse Mrs. Lyod for the tip she pair to her rafting guide.
- Cost for food \$10/person (total 9 attended).
- General Comments

**4. November Camping at Treasure Valley 11-7 to 11-9:**

- Outdoor Camping is encouraged however Mr. Gonyea has rented the Venture Lodge
- Great trip to work on scout skills both indoors and outdoors.
- PLC to advise on planned games and activities.
- Cost of Trip \$10 per person + Food Cost
- Patrol Cooking (2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner)
- Possible opportunity for Webelos 2 to visit for their Troop event attendance requirement?

**5. Activities Report:**

- November – Turkey Shoot at TV 11/20 8 AM to 3 PM (details pending)
- December – Troop Elections
- December – Day Hike & Possible Lock-In
- January Trip – Ice Fishing at camp Moses 1/28 – 1/30
- February Trip – Lazer Gate Overnight - Must call for dates, times and details. To get numbers up we should join with other Troops and/or friends. Note: This is a non-scouting event.
- March Trip – Review with PLC (Camp School at June Norcross?)
- April – Possible NY Intrepid Trip or other
- May – Bike Trip Nickerson State Forest (4 months in advance booking window)

**6. Treasurer Report (Maureen N.)**

**7. Troop Trailer Needs & Fundraising**

- ❑ Troop trailer frame is rusting badly and if not repairable should be replaced.
- ❑ Replacing existing trailer for exact size and type would be approximately \$4,700. Larger trailers with multi-axles can run upwards of \$6,800+.
- ❑ Trailer is also due for re-registering within the next several months and most likely Maine registration will need to be replaced with MA registration.
- ❑ Would church allow current trailer to be fixed on site as a storage shed which would possible allow us not to need a larger trailer.
- ❑ Fundraising ideas:
  - Christmas Wreathes. Does this conflict with any other Troop?
  - Would a raffle ticket sale be possible? Something like selling 100 tickets for \$100 each with 1<sup>st</sup> prize \$3,000, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize \$1,000, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize \$500 yielding \$5,500. Maybe 125 tickets or more tickets at a lower cost?
  - Other ideas??

**8. Scoutmaster Comments (Mike D.)**

**9. Other.....**

**Next Troop Committee Meeting – November 1 at NAM**

**-End of Agenda-**