

Boy Scout Troop 197

Troop Committee Minutes

September 14, 2009

The meeting was held at St. Philip's at 7:30 PM. Attending: Lee McWilliams, Ken Groue, Gina Biekman, Mary Beckner, Jim Dinn, Howard Bruce, Bob Heilman, Wooty Sixel, Bob Heilman, Anne Swanson, and John Curry.

Gina Biekman reported that we had three scouts attend the swimming merit badge class and one the life saving merit badge class at Aquatics Day.

Pedernales Falls is coming up Sept. 26-28, Saturday through Monday, followed by Webelos Woods the following weekend.

The committee decided to seek reservations at Buffalo Trails Scout Ranch for the summer of 2010.

The Venturing Group has reserved an 18-20 person sailing ship at Sea Base for departure July 30 and returning August 6, 2010.

Our next Court of Honor will be Thursday, Oct. 8, 2009 here at St. Philip's. Wooty Sixel volunteered to chair the refreshments committee for that event.

The Scout Shed is in need of repairs. This is mostly carpentry work. In his absence, the committee unanimously appointed DAN SEMETKO to chair that project with Mr. Becker's assistance. We will pick a Saturday and probably get the work done in one day.

Marna Ibeabuchi has volunteered to be Popcorn Chair this year. Anne Swanson is assisting. District kick off is Tuesday evening, Sept. 15 at St. Mark's Episcopal.

We discussed fund raising and offered that we need to do a car wash quarterly. Everyone is asked to consider further fund raising projects and return with ideas next meeting.

Our next meeting will be Monday, Oct. 5, 2009.