



## **NICOMEKL AREA SCOUTER'S CLUB – April 15, 2010**

### **MINUTES**

- I. Scout Silence
- II. Deputy Area Commissioner
  1. It was announced that Ken Ward has been appointed the new Deputy Area Commissioner for Nicomekl Area
- III. Volunteer Appreciation Week
  1. April 18<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> – please be sure to recognize the volunteer Leaders and parents in your Group during this week
  2. Steve thanked all Leaders, Group Committee Members and Service Team Members for their work in Nicomekl Area
- IV. Fraser Valley Council Annual General Meeting
  1. June 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. in Erickson
  2. New Council Commissioner will be installed after being sourced through the local media
- V. Popcorn Sales
  1. There is still popcorn available for those who want to sell some more
- VI. Fraser Valley Quality Section Award
  1. Available for all Sections and is very easy to attain for all those following the Scouts Canada guidelines for Program
  2. Criteria is available on the Fraser Valley Website and completed applications are to be sent to Terry Campbell
- VII. Succession Plans
  1. Do Groups have a succession plan in place to replace leaders that may be leaving? Newly elected Group Commissioners – let Steve know who they are
- VIII. Minutes and Reports
  1. Group Committee meeting minutes are to be sent to Steve on a monthly basis
  2. Group Financial Report is to be sent to Pam on a monthly basis
- IX. Awards
  1. Deadline for Chief Scout Award applications is April 16<sup>th</sup> and they are to be submitted to Lesley Knox

2. Chief Scout Award – to date there are 15 recipients from Nicomekl Area
3. Queen's Venturer Award – to date there are 5 recipients from Nicomekl Area

X. Challenge Camp

1. This year there were 19 Patrols participating in the camp which is the largest camp we have had in many years.

XI. LDS Open House

1. Continues from now until April 25<sup>th</sup>
2. Tours are approximately one hour in length
3. If you would like to attend with a Section or your entire Group please let them know ahead of time so that they have enough tour guides available

XII. Prospective List

1. There are still names pending on the list – please check MMS to ensure that your Group is up to date

XIII. Nicomekl Website

1. Please update Ed Martens with your Group's contact information. Some Groups have outdated information and their Leaders are not receiving messages via the blasters

XIV. Scouter's Club

1. Steve asked if there was anything we can do to improve the format for Scouter's Club next year. Guest speakers, relevant topics, change in start time, any other ideas???

The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:30 p.m.

**Next Scouter's Club:** Thursday, May 20, 2010 at 8:15 p.m.

