

**Nicomekl Area
Scouter's Club
November 15, 2012**

Called to order: 8:17

Scouter's Silence:

- Kathy to asks everyone to remember Tim Collins of 10th White Rock who has passed away

Presentations:

- Kathy presented Andrew Mundreon with is woggle

Reports:

Area/Council-Kathy

- Salmon Run at Harrison Lake, 2 prices ranges cubs and up, Kathy will attach a copy of the information to the minutes
- Great Escape is offering fundraising opportunities for groups. Kathy will attach a copy of the information to the minutes
- New National Assistant Youth Commissioner for the West is Melvin Chan
- UK Scout Group wants to come to Vancouver in 2014 looking for a Scout/Venturer group to link with. Information is in Bits and Bytes. This would be great if someone from this Area could be part of this

Youth Report-Andrew

- GYC training November 28th, Andrew hopes all GYC can attend
- Santa Breakfast has already over 500 registered, should be a great event

Recognition-Andrew M for Cheryl/Andrew

- Too many Certificate of Commendations to hand out, Service Team will bring to your meetings and personally hand them out there.

Registration- Kathy for Edward

- Tried to set up training for Myscouts, couldn't get it to work, Edward is willing to do one on one with anyone who wishes it. Please contact Edward

Program Lesley

- Nothing really to report
- Rainbucket this weekend
- Chief Scout plans need to be submitted by this Friday for Approval

Training-Greg

- WB1 training coming up, may be cancelled due to not enough participants.
- WB1 needed before the end of the year for returning Leaders to the same positions. New leaders have until the end of the Scouting year.
- E-training not as good as in person courses
- too many woggles to had out for e-learning WB1 therefore someone from each group to see him to receive for their group during the break
- Not everyone wants certificates, if you do send Greg an e mail and he will make sure you get one

Special Projects-Reg

- No report

Website-Earl

- Earl is still looking for photos of Neckers He will contact Kathy about what groups are outstanding and she will get them

- Council Wide Focus Training Dec 1 at Camp McLean for Cubs
- National AGM to be Broadcast on line this weekend

Crew-Julian

- Rover Moot at Camp McLean was a great success

Group Commissioners Section:

Treasurer Report-Pam

- Thank you to all groups who have handed in their financials. We are at 50%!!!
- November 30th is the deadline. Please get them to Pam asap
- E-mail is fine, make sure to copy Pam
- \$2228.67 Balance

Compliance:

- We are at approx 74% for the Area. 88 pending 24% goal is 5%
- Service Scouters coming to visit in next month

Back Check

- available to existing Scouters at group expense. Still can not do new Leaders

Remembrance Day Crests

- Coho Area created a crest and is has extended it to the other areas. Cost is \$2.75
- Kathy to send information to Group Commissioners
- Need numbers in asap
- Vimy Ridge Monument on crest, Maybe next year can be a different monument

Donations and Tax receipts

- Groups should be sending into the office and they will send it back when the cheque has cleared.. See Bits and Bytes for more details

Help Desk

- Has complaints about some groups giving out negative responses. Reminding us to stay positive when replying

Science Lab

- Christmas science experiments for groups. Kathy will put information into the minutes

Popcorn

- High expense concerns, Hard sell, full cases and participation
- Suggested if groups have these concerns, that they should send them to Ladia so that she can pass them on

GC Social night

- Kathy and Andrew want to do a social night with the GC on Dec 14th. Please RSVP to Kathy if you can make it.

Ken Vallevand

- New DCC Compliance is Nick Stebbing. He will be working with Myscouts to get all in compliant.
- He will be visiting groups

Adjournment: 9:30pm

**Nest meeting
December 20, 2012
8:15pm**