

North Waterloo Gilwell Troop
Meeting - April 18, 2013

Attending: Bob Thorn, Ken Arnett, Chuck Myers, Ted Claxton, Wayne Radtke, Phil Lacasse, Bill Yurkiw, Lloyd Nyland and Mary Ann Millar

Welcome - to all

January 22, 2013 Minutes. Approved by Lloyd Nyland, Seconded by Wayne Radtke. Approved.

Treasurer's Report – \$1,646.04 in the bank. No outstanding cheques or deposits. How to pay registration for the reunion? Moved by Ted & Phil that we do one complete payment. Moved that we rent same size tent as last term. Book it Scotto!

Do we need to increase our fees for registration. Are we charging enough to cover our costs? \$20 North Waterloo Annual Fee. Do we need an additional Marquee fee as well? Scott are you able to provide a Fee structure for our June meeting? Do you recommend status quo or fee increase. Group present approved by consensus.

Provincial Report- Sana's email

Some housekeeping reminders:

- 1) No smoking on field - only in designated areas*
- 2) Pack it in/Pack it out policy at Blue Springs*

I would like to see the draft of the Campfire for our June Meeting if we could please. I would encourage the Campfire committee to be creative but remember to continue with some of the Gilwell traditions as well as Scouting traditions at a campfire. If we are planning on doing some new (or old that we haven't sung in awhile) songs maybe we can have them printed in the Log N Beads or have song sheets at the marquee to encourage others to learn the songs so they can participate at campfire.

I will ensure we have the permits and the program printed.

Harry Niezen was asked to be our Campfire Chief. Campfire Committee – Harry, Ted, Phil, Ken A. & Shelley.

Fire Chief – Chuck “Smokey The Bear” Myers. Everyone is on this team for the weekend for inspections and safety checks.

With the “2 Scouter Rule” be aware as there could be new Gilwellians between 16-18 years old at the reunion. The Gilwell Committee will make a Statement in the “Two Bearer”.

We need the Job Description Binders to make plans for the Reunion.

Theme – Bring a Friend

Friday Night – Sing Song at the Marquee

Saturday Afternoon – Fire Sale – Fire Starters (egg carton, corrugated cardboard & dryer lint) Bunny Burners (tuna cans etc) Hobo Stove Start collecting. Philippe Bertrand suggested doing a Scout Craft course so this fits well.

Saturday Night – “Rekindle Old Friends” – Co-Ordinator – Sarah.

Marquee Lighting: Ken Coyle has an idea. He will enlighten us.

Bill – We have a happy trailer; stored for the weekend.

Food: Bill - Go Wild!

Breakfasts - we enjoyed bacon & egg breakfasts.

Taste Test for Gilwell BBQ; sorry to the people who missed the meeting – more for us!
Ned served. Favourite #2, #1, #3.

Vests: Anyone interested?

New Business: Congratulations to Lloyd Nyland receiving his 75th Year Pin!!

Next Meeting: June 19th at 7pm. Social Committee in Charge. Location TBA.

Ken A. & Ken C. moved meeting adjourned

Sarah Arrived to say Good Bye.