

November Lodge Meeting Minutes

❖ Review Of Past Events

➤ Ordeal Weekend

- 28 Inducted
- Looking to do more ordeals

➤ Fall pow Wow

- All events ran well
- Black Powder was a big hit

➤ Smilin' Pumpkin

- 178 cub scouts
- Strong Representation from OA

❖ Holiday Party

➤ Bring Small Gifts

➤ Dec 2, 2007

➤ AT Provina in Champaign

➤ Starts at 5:00PM IL

❖ Next Lodge Meetings

➤ January 27, 2008

➤ February 10, 2008 at Provina

- Motion by Nate Lee, 2nd by Andrew K.

❖ Winter Banquet

➤ Need speaker

➤ **January 5, 2008**

➤ **Chapter tables?**

❖ **Camp Promotions**

➤ **Looking for someone to be chairman!!!**

➤ **Green Bar Guide meeting is December 8, 2007**

❖ **Lodge Plan Book**

➤ **Ideas**

▪ **Add Future Calendar for troops and Chapters**

➤ **Deadline is 21st to get it to the printers**

▪ **Motion by Nate Lee, 2nd by Andrew K.**

❖ **Communications**

➤ **Needs improvement**

➤ **Adjust mailing time for people out of state**

➤ **What works the best?**

▪ **Round tables?**

▪ **Mass emails?**

▪ **Training events?**

▪ **Merit Badge Seminars?**

▪ **Booths at events?**

▪ **Troop Representative?**

• **Needs to be stepped up by the chapters**

• **Send a card to the troops asking who it is for their troop**

• **A list or flyer to tell who each troops rep is at events**

- **Put a Letter with a pre stamped post card attached to mail back who the troop rep is**
- **Web Site Promotion**
 - **We want to make a new web site**
 - **Need to have an up to date web page**
- ❖ **Lodge Leadership Development**
 - **It is an ongoing process**
 - **We could take 10 minutes every Lodge Meeting to discuss one topic**
 - **The next Lodge Leadership Development will be half way though the year**
- ❖ **Section conclave**
 - **August 22, 2008**
 - **It has an “Under The Sea” theme**
 - **If you are interested please contact Brandon, we need youth and adults**
- ❖ **Section Meeting**
 - **Council Of Chiefs**
 - **November 18, 2007**
 - **In Bloomington, IL**
 - **We will meet at council office at 12:00PM, bring money to eat on the way**
- ❖ **Awassogamme**
 - **Back Wall in needed badly**
 - **May need guttering**
 - **Raised \$250 from patch auction**

- **We are looking for ways for it to be accomplished**

❖ **Other Business**

- **November 19, 2007**

- **Camp committee meeting**

- **Fabulous prize giveaways By Dustin Boyer and John Marquart**

- **Need Popcorn help for distribution in Champaign**

- **Okaw Chapter Meeting**

- **On December 16, 2007**

- **At Monicals**

- **A 5:30**

- **Bring \$6**