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- Review agenda; changes, additions, or omissions.
- Review and approve minutes from 2008-09-25.
- Colony report.
- Pack report.
- Troop report.
- Venturer report.
- Group events
  - o Remembrance Day
  - o Banquet. Date?
  - Winter activity day with Snowflake festival Saturday February 21<sup>st</sup>
  - o Hobbies & Wheels? Date?
- Section photos for website. Cubs started this, now need the rest.
- Phoenix article submissions to Steve Catton.
- No water bottle resolution.
- Apple Day review
- Financial report.
  - o Review financial statement for 2007/2008.
  - o Transfer \$180 (12 \* \$15) to Beaver in-trust.
  - Cheque approvals:
    - \$xx to Allan Yates for Crazy Canuk (100 Tent Centenary Camp).
    - \$14.14 to Allan Yates for annual website domain renewal.
    - \$xx to Alex Beelich for 100 Tent Centenary Camp.
    - \$xx to Liz Collinson for 100 Tent Centenary Camp.
    - \$xx to Sheila Cornelisse for 100 Tent Centenary Camp (\$300 advance given).
    - \$672.35 to Deb Skelhorne for 100 Tent Centenary Camp crests
    - \$xx to Allan Yates for CIAF
    - \$xx to Diana Yates for CIAF marquee importing
    - \$5,044 to Scouts Canada for registration (41 youth, 1 leader).
    - \$795 to Village of Merrickville for community centre rental (53 Cubs/Scouts/Venturers @ \$15 each)
    - \$170 to Wendy Hudson (spring registration refund for Colin Eliott)
- Centenary Camp report & review.
- Plaque on cairn for block house park.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Merrickville Group Committee

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- Quartermaster report.
  - o New neckers?
  - o Canoe damage outstanding.
  - o Distribute Merrickville crests for new kids: Colony 5, Troop 2
  - o Replacement tarp purchased for area marquee, invoice sent to area (funds received).
  - o Geoff Watson still willing to make shelves for the cargo trailer.

## Training

 Boat Pro course & certification by the Brockville Power Squadron; three evenings in January/February in Merrickville. \$25/person + \$10/book (optional). Regular cost \$50. Aimed at Venturers & Leaders, but Scouts eligible too.

## Registration.

- o 12 Beavers, 31 Cubs, 13 Scouts, 9 Venturers.
- o 71% retention -> \$630 kickback.
- Website.
  - Need photographs...
  - o Schedules updated. Please keep Allan informed of any changes.
- Next group committee meeting.
  - o Thursday November 27<sup>th</sup> at ...

## **Financial Statement**

bank balance (includes in-trust funds)	\$	5,274	
minus short term commitments			
occupancy 08/09			
CIAF money to be spent	\$	3,125	
in-trust funds	\$	1,190	
CIAF project	\$	400	
equals current available amount	\$	559	
short term receivables			
canoe repair	\$	115	
future costs			
insurance	\$	500	

does not include fall registration money

includes the \$1600 donations we received

remainder of the \$2000 of our money to be spent

in-trust funds	
Venturer	\$ 322.51
Scout	\$ 847.61
Cub	\$ -
Beaver	\$ 15.00
100 Tent Event	\$ 5.00