Boy Scout Troop 442 Union, Missouri March 4, 2013 PLC Meeting

Call to Order

Patrol Roll Call
Positions that need to be filled
PLC composition

WILLING and ABLE for both POR and PLC is required

- Troop meeting planning: We need to have plans and arrangements made before the next several meetings. March 11, 18(Montauk), 25th(no school) and April 1(no school), 8(TC), 15, 22(camporee), 29<sup>th</sup>.
  I have some ideas for these meetings such as; a red card training session, a tent setup take down demonstration, a knot-tying race, a mouse trap car race, a fire building relay race, and a lashing race. I need input and help to get these done. It would be great if each Patrol took charge of one activity every couple of weeks, that way no ONE Patrol is responsible for everything. What can you guys do with this stuff(or your own ideas) for the scheduled meetings for the next 6-7 weeks?
- Troop training/PLCCC:
  - We need a place to set up camp. I have some ideas for places we can maybe hike to. We also need to set a date I think the best date would be March 15-16-17<sup>th</sup> weekend. There's nothing else on the Troop calendar. Do we want to do a lock-in for part of the training? If we can get dates and a location set, my dad has some checklists we need to go over to get ready for these events.
- Court of Honor planning: EXECUTIVE PLC ONLY(no newbies! You'll get your chance for this next time)

## • Announcements:

- Cahokia Mounds for March 9(See the Archaeology MB below). Montauk trip scheduled for March 22-24. The regular meetings before these activities are mandatory attendance if you're planning to go on the activity.
- O Merit Badge University opportunities. Washington University is having their MBU on March 23. Archaeology and Stamp Collecting(both on Mar 23). These are all during our Montauk trip, so if you're not going fishing, take a look at <a href="www.stlbsa.org/Scouts/merit-badges/">www.stlbsa.org/Scouts/merit-badges/</a> to get the info. There's a Citizenship in the Nation MB skill center in St. Louis at the old Court House on July 2. I have flyers for these. Just ask and I'll let you see what I have. The Archaeology MB is held at Cahokia Mounds on the 23<sup>rd</sup>, but there is another part of it that has to be scheduled in May. That's an actual dig of some sort that you have to participate in to complete the MB. Details on the sheet. Mrs. Moore has some info on this with the Cahokia Mounds planning for this weekend.
- o March 25<sup>th</sup> is a no school day so we are not having a meeting then, but April 1<sup>st</sup> (also no school)we will do our Court of Honor. I have some ideas for our COH.

## Scoutmaster Minute:

• Closing Ceremony – Motto, Slogan, Scout Oath

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