

Area Meeting September 24th 2014

1. Meeting Opened at 7:15pm
2. A moment of Silence
3. Tonight we invested Jim in the role of Area of Training. At the same time we also invested Naomi as DAC of Venturers
4. We would like to thanks all of the volunteer that came out to the Cub Camp and cleaned up. The winner of the pizza party goes to Bryce Sward of 4th Mission.
5. WWB 2 yag to all that came out in July
6. Thomas – Talked about the Group Commission / Group Youth Commissioner Conference that was help September 20th/2014
7. Terry talked about the National Goals
 1. Membership – Terry put out a goal to all groups to get 2 more memberships than what you had at the end of last year for all sections
 2. Safety
 3. Quality Awards – 75%completed
 4. Each Group and Section will get 3 support visits over the year (National sent out a survey did you receive your support)
 5. Three dedicated Scouters at group meetings (someone who is not a group committee member and is a part of a section.

Membership Stats:

August 2013 was 435 youth

August 2014 was 426 youth (lost 9 youth, 2% decrease)

35 more volunteers than in previous years

We would like to see for this year a 4.7% increase

8. No Treasurers Report, Vera was away

9. Bruce from Guild reported

Blair Rice is the new head of Guild

Guild will help youth with camp funds up to \$50 if they are unable to go for whatever reason.

Winter Fest is on December 5 at the Legion, there will be a silent auction and a snow ball toss

Upcoming events

1. Scout kick off camp October 3rd weekend

Three Rivers Area is in charge of the first year scouts program.

2. October 18th and 25th are Skills Days, no more WWB 1

Oct 18th will be held at Camp Mclean 9-3

Oct 25th will be held at Whonnock Lodge 9-3

Email Amanda if you would like to go.

3. JOTA October 18th Pitt Meadows Heritage Hall

Christi will get more information

4. Thank You

Doug - Thank You from Darian (Yennadon)

Jim - Thank You from Colin Evens WWB2

Simon received his 10 year pin (Yennadon)

Bruce received his 40 year pin

8:00pm broke off in to groups