

1st BRADFORD GROUP COMMITTEE
November 4,2008 MINUTES

ATTENDEES: Earle Belfry-Group Commissioner Simon Soffe-Company Advisor
 Alex Sim-Treasurer Emily Phillips-Secretary
 Joanne Guay-Colony A Rick Jones-Quartermaster

Meeting came to order at 7:40pm.

Motion made by Rick to accept minutes of October 7,2008. Seconded by Simon. All in favour. Motion passed.

Group Commissioner report- The Honours/Awards banquet is scheduled for February 20th.2009 at a cost of \$32.50 p.p. at the Roman Palace. A consensus of the number of leaders needs to be taken as 50% of the cost may be covered. A motion to table this discussion until the December meeting was made.

Treasurer Report- Given by Alex. Alex made a motion to accept the report as read, seconded by Rick.

Total Income	\$4601.96	\$22,573.14
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Total expenses	\$10617.36	\$11955.78
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Outstanding cheques	\$7.05	\$11,962.83
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Quartermaster Report- submitted by Rick. Sledge hammer was found during community cleanup, thus is now in Sea Can for use. A Naphtha stove was donated by a community member. A propane cage has been installed at the Sea Can and locked up; keys will be distributed to each group. There is a need for a 2 step, step ladder for the Sea Can and Joanne may be able to acquire one. There is also a need for a lawn mower deck (21 inch). The issue of dumping at the 13th line site needs to be addressed as inappropriate materials are being dumped i.e. Pressure treated wood.

Colony A- submitted by Joanne, attached to minutes. There was discussion re. Ontario Badge and Group agreeable that the Ontario badge is appropriate as a uniform crest. Training needs were also addressed.

Pack- submitted by Joanne. Attached to minutes.

Troop- submitted by Joanne. Attached to minutes.

Venturer report- submitted by Simon.

NEW BUSINESS: It was brought to Group's attention by Earle, that anyone wanting to do fundraising needs prior approval by Group Committee as it takes away from the groups efforts.

WINTERFEST: The town has given Joanne the go ahead to do whatever activity we wish and the Town welcomes all efforts by 1st Bradford.

Popcorn sale reports indicate sales went well. The delivery date is November 22, 2008 and a Beaver parent is donating the use of a transport truck to pick up the popcorn orders for delivery to Bradford. Joanne suggested gift cards be given in appreciation of the use of the truck and parade float trucks (2) as well.

Food Bank collection and donations for the Adopt a Family for Christmas discussed and food bank donations will be collected at the Holiday Campfire as the preferred option to help with the community's needs.

The Remembrance Day Parade is set for Sunday November 9, 2008 and all members are to meet at 1pm at Canada Trust.

Simon made note of a presentation of "Aladdin" in Alliston from December 10-14. Edna is the contact for the tickets and it would be nice for any participants to attend. Simon will ask Edna to send out a further e-mail regarding information for "Aladdin".

SANTA CLAUS PARADE- there are to be 2 floats, one to have a camp set up on it and the other to have Scouting activities on it. Not everyone needs to be in uniform, but dressed for their specific activity. The parade is Saturday November 15th and Leaders will send information to parents.

The Leader Bonding weekend is set for November 29th on the 13th line. Joanne will send out an e-mail re. menu, attendance etc.

A motion was made by Joanne to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Emily. Meeting adjourned at 9:00pm.