

Chair: **Ken Kirton**

Secretary: **David Martineau**

Present:.

Next Red Arrow Nov 26, 2017

**Area Commissioner: Ersin Kutluoglu**

- Review Scouts Canada 5 priorities. Group commissioners would have received an email concerning this.
  - Safety – Police record Check, hours of training, Respect in Sports, code of conduct
  - Respect in Sports in the new training requirement. IF you got nothing from it then this is good, because it means that you are already up to speed on it. However, it is a good module and it does have good content and when there is a gap it fills that gap with good knowledge

**DAC – Training: Hans Uhr**

- Safety- people should have each other's back when it comes to ensuring that safety is being followed. Review situations, even if they are minor, because many minor incidents can be an indication that a change should occur to make an event safer
- We have about 50 volunteers registered, we need to get others to complete Respect in Sports
- 6 months ago, had a call to support a group from UK called explorers and ventures. A small number of people, Hans, Cheryl, helped these people, by driving them around and showing them sights
- Training: technically his term is over, but will stay on
- Winter skills course for adults and senior youth but aimed towards scouters, First Sat in Dec (Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>), \$20 includes pizza lunch, St Andrews Presbyterian Church, 13190 Keele St King City
  - Winter Lune-Ice-Y Camp January 20<sup>th</sup> -21<sup>st</sup> provides for practical application
- Recent WBI course was offered, a little bit of feed back from participants was that the residential course provides networking and contacts and more practical application
- WBII is done through a mentor program. Contact Hans for more information.

**DAC – Programming: Shirly Blair**

- Beaver/Cub winterfest will be hosted by Bradford
- Kub Kar will be hosted by Mount Albert
- Great round of applause to Mannon for the hammock camp. Along with Niki, Mark, Rick, Shirley
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**DAC – Beaver-scouts: Shirly Blair**

- Will have Break out session next meeting in November

**DAC – Group Support: Tom Smith**

- <http://www.slsareascouts.org> send events to Tom, and after the event send pictures. Tom, is member of most area's facebook sites, and if he sees something that is interesting he'll post it on our site as well. Reports that visits to the site is up at 300-400 unique visits per week

### **DAC – Marketing: [Bob Pearson](#)**

- Apple Day provide lots of visibility
- Also handed out over 1000 bags of popcorn
- Need signs, door knockers, etc, let Bob know. You can also custom make them at a cheap cost of \$30 or so.

### **Honour and Awards:**

- Medal of Good Service
  - Eva Peschke
- Commendations Presented to
  - Rick
  - Hans
  - Bob Cole
  - Sheri
  - Bob Pearson
  - Tom Smith
  - And others who will be presented via group commissioners
- Make sure to thank people, by using the thank you button

### **[Bob Cole](#)**

- [Fall Fort George Camp](#) is Sept 21-23 2018, details about registration will be announced in January
- Winter Campaign is held Jan 12-14, Feb 9-11 March 2-4. This camp is separate from the summer campaign. So registration is held differently, but the web site is the same. Bob can be contacted on this.

Trevor, from Aurora presents: Someone from 3<sup>rd</sup> Aurora who wanted to remain anonymous was provided \$750 check to Bob Pearson for the cost of the apples.

Remembrance day in Newmarket parade is Sat this year rather than Sunday  
Nov 18<sup>th</sup> is Newmarket Santa Clause parade

Nicky, is asking that if anybody needs to be on the Gilwell email list then let her know. Next meeting in Nov 12 7pm at 55 Forhan Drive Newmarket  
Gilwell is a group of scouters who have done their WBII

<http://www.retiredscouter.com> has been mostly converted to a mobile version, except for much information about BP himself. The site does feature lots of programming ideas.