



September 2019 LEC Minutes

Presiding: Tyler Davis

Old Business

Fall Fellowship Report

- 51 Attended
- Almost all projects were completed
- The bridge will still need tending too when next able
- A taskmaster would have significantly helped
- The ceremonies circle has been completely rehabbed and is in working condition again

Barlows Work Project Report

- Massive thank you to all who were able to help
- Good turn out from Tyler's troop
- New trail made to avoid flooding in the future
- Now usable for the Winter
- The ground was leveled and mowed thanks to Ranger and Dave
- In the future/Spring a chemical should be used to clean off the mold without sacrificing the shingles
- Tree could stand to be removed
- Possible new lodge sign and could stand to be painted again

Finance Report

- ~\$2,150 Usable for general Lodge Activities, ~\$10,000 for Camp Improvement.

New Business

NOAC 2020 – Is at Michigan State University

- Registration has opened
- Tyler would like a rough headcount by Banquet, with promotions at Banquet as well
- Average cost will be around \$500
- Please Submit Patch Designs ASAP (Please make it Eye-Catching and Business unaffiliated)

- NOAC theme will be announced at Banquet, following the National Planning Meeting decision
- Will be discussing fundraising opportunities in future LEC meetings

Officers Needed – ASAP

- Current Positions that have been filled:

Lodge Chief – Tyler Davis

Lodge Vice Chief – Jeffrey Hannam

Lodge Vice Chief – Daniel Grabowski

Lodge Historian/Banquet Chair – Johnathan Totten

Lodge Ordealmaster – Trevor Cole

Lodge Ceremonies Chariman – Gabe Bucknam

- Vacancies:

Lodge CVC

Lodge Secretary

Taskmaster

Lodge Treasurer

Online Presence

- New lodge website is completed!Has:
 - Calendar
 - Contact Info
 - Social Media Links
 - Newsletters
 - These Minutes and more
- Social Media will be updated this upcoming year, with an emphasis on Instagram and Facebook (Once Instagram is officially approved)Lodgemaster/Lodge Communications
- Trevor Cole had a great idea to allow virtual participation at LEC for those unable to participate, will have to look into in the Spring
- New way to reach lodge officers
 - Ex:

lodgechief339@gmail.com

lodgevicechief339@gmail.com

- YPT Rules for online communication still apply, so be aware and CC in an adult or youth when necessary

By-Laws Revisions

- A LOT of Revisions are necessary to fill holes and national program changes
- Chief Tyler wants a completed and revised version by the Lodge Banquet

Ceremonies

- Always looking for new members

Unit Elections

- Tyler is focusing on this area for his woodbadge ticket
- Possible Lodge Training at GCC Oct 26th during other training

Newsletter

- Tyler will have a newsletter drafted by the November LEC as he gets free and unlimited black and white printing at college
- A return to physical is advised as a means of capturing attention more than emails alone

Banquet

- January 4th, at the Batavia First United Methodist Church, 6-8pm
- Tyler must reach out to them before mid-November to secure spot will talk to Mr.Schmidt
- The Banquet will be themed around the 25th anniversary
- John Totten is serving as the Banquet Chairperson
- We will be investigating a pocket dangle for the upcoming year
- Decision on said dangle or flap must happen by November LEC
- 25th anniversary flap
- Anticipated cost around \$20

Service Projects

- Since Barlows was effective, something to send the people from Banquet to shortly thereafter would be good
- Possible redo of the trail to the Rifle Range at Dittmer
- Building maintenance at both camps
- Rifle at Dittmer needs new floor
- So too does Dining hall, we may get asked to fund
- Tyler proposes pavilion at Barlows with picnic tables for outdoor fun and skills training for troops

Taste of Scouting

- Program areas to be covered and by who:

- Archery - Dom
- BB Gun – Ray F.
- Crafts - John
- Nature – Mr.Hawley
- Kitchen – Kitchen Crew
- Show/fire – Ceremonies Team
- First Aid - ?
- Logistics - ?
- Tyler will not be there

Ham Radio Fest Help/Fundraiser

- Will be June 12th-14th at Camp Dittmer
- Lodge will help
- Ray Feness
- More details to come
- Motion passed to help participate and possibly earn money in the process

