

Winter Camp Final Planning Meeting Minutes

Friday, November 29, 2024

- I. Welcome
 - A. Introductions were made and meeting plans discussed.

- II. Participation/Promotion
 - A. Current registration is 20, 6 are youth. None of the youth at the meeting were registered yet.
 - B. Discussion centered around inviting all your Order of the Arrow member friends to camp
 - C. Suggestion was made that we should do more with socials as youth don't open emails.
 - D. Most youth did not remember receiving our physical mail.
 - E. We should develop a way to text as youth pay more attention to that.
 - 1. Remind used to be our tool but it is mostly dead.
 - 2. Steve to investigate sending texts as emails.
 - F. We should do a video
 - 1. Victoria has the skills, we need to figure out how to harness them.
 - 2. Bristol will shoot deliberate video and pictures at Winter Camp with promotion in mind.
 - 3. Aome talk about making our videos look old by using VHS

- III. Activity Discussion (1 hour)
 - A. A lengthy discussion resulted in a list of activities to be added to the schedule, some of which came from the dead list and some of which were new either at this meeting or earlier planning meetings..

- IV. Meal Discussion (1/2 hour)
 - A. A lengthy discussion resulted in a list of meals to be added to the schedule, some of which came from the dead list and some of which were new either at this meeting or earlier planning meetings.

- V. Other items – free time, trading post, etc.
 - A. Free time is the space between activities and meals.
 - B. Trading post will sell pop and candy. Candy will be fun-sized but multiple pieces as full-size are now more than a dollar.
 - 1. Candy sales may feature a random element with a task to get more candy or just a coupon for more.
 - C. Alan will bring the geocaching boxes and a haunted typewrite.

- VI. Create complete schedule and meal plan
 - A. The Schedule and meals are published online.
 - B. Aome activities need further development, notes below.

C. Meals also require development, notes below.

VII. Confirm assignments. See the list below. Youth should be recruited to help before and during camp.

Meals needing development

Mexitalian Meal, Tik Tok Lunch, Ghost Breakfast, Is it Soup Yet?, Fountain Dinner	Sam B, Doug W with assistance from Steve D and Andrew F
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Activities needing development

Late Show Equipment	Alan W
The Haunting/Kangaroo Court	Connor J, Michael B, Matt G
Black Box Ghost Hunt	Alan W
Uncle Ethan's Craft Hour	Ethan R
Escape Room	Matt G
Scout's Own	TBD
Scout Skill Competition	Jeff R
Ethical Dilemma	Jeff R
Mythbusters	Connor J