

MAY 2023 ECM MINUTES

Executive Committee Report

- Each callout at Camporees went well.
- We are on a budget as of right now.
- If we get 7 more members for the Spring Weekend, we will be up since last year. Please try your best to sign up!

Chapter Reports

- Amangi Wulit
 - ◆ Attendance was well, increased as meeting went on, 7 youth
 - ◆ Next meeting will be at the chapter barbeque
- Iroquois
 - ◆ At the last meeting, we played game night. We are looking forward to spring weekend and conclave.
- Matinecock
 - ◆ We planned our program for the Shelter Rock Camporee, built a monkey bridge, and conducted a Dan Beard program for younger scouts.
 - ◆ We are planning on having our chapter BBQ sometime after June weekend.
- Wulihan
 - ◆ At the last meeting, we did the second half of the scouting heritage merit badge. We are also in the early stages of planning our chapter BBQ.

Committee Reports

- 75th Anniversary
 - ◆ We had two winners for the patches. They were shown to everyone who came to the ECM and will be available soon.
- Banquet
 - ◆ Nothing new to add as of right now. We do want to get a location so we can start promoting the banquet.
- Ceremonial
 - ◆ We had practice last Thursday and are in a good spot for spring weekend.
- Culinary

- ◆ Status quo, nothing new to report.
- Events
 - ◆ We are preparing for spring weekend.
- Inductions
 - ◆ We are preparing for spring weekend.
- Media
 - ◆ Currently working with Andrew on conclave promotions.
- NOAC
 - ◆ We are hoping to get a meeting of people with an interest form soon next month. The meeting will be to figure out what to do for pre and post trips.
- Services
 - ◆ We are working on trying to find out projects. It will be a little different this weekend because of limited access from Cuboree happening that same weekend.
 - ◆ We have a total of 133 signed up and 58 candidates.
- Training
 - ◆ LLD has been postponed for the fall because of scheduling conflicts.
- Trunk
 - ◆ The availability of change was low and the amount of interesting stock was not too much this past April weekend. In the future, we should take out everything for each and every weekend.
 - ◆ The order for Elangomat t-shirts was made and will be coming in soon.
- Unit Elections
 - ◆ It was a good year for elections. If anyone is interested in running, please see Mike Cataldi or Sam Feiner.
 - ◆ We elected 201 people this year.
- Unit Relations
 - ◆ Nothing new to report.
- Vigil
 - ◆ Going well, there could be a total of 13 candidates this year.
 - ◆ As of right now, not many have signed up for callouts. If you can, please sign up!

Business

- Conclave

- ◆ Conclave this year is from June 9-11 out at SCHIFF. All of the lodges in the section will meet for fellowship, training, and competitions, make sure to be there.
 - ◆ Right now, 22 members of buckskin are signed up, so we are about a quarter of the way to our goal. SIGN UP!!!
 - ◆ The sign up price went up on the 23rd. The total registration is at 87 people.
- 2023-24 Lodge Officer Nominations
- ◆ The motion to suspend Article 3 Sections C 02 of Bylaws – the requirement to complete NYLT, LLD, or NLS in order to run for an officer position – was passed. Liv motioned, Josh seconded, all were in favor.
 - ◆ Ethan nominated Liv to run for Vice Chief of Admin. Chris seconded the motion.
 - ◆ Chris nominated Sam Sult to run for Vice Chief of Program. Liv seconded the motion.
 - ◆ As of right now, anyone else will have to get a petition with 10 youth signatures.
- Lodge Restructuring
- ◆ The council is looking to restructure to change districts. Knowing this, it's a good time for the lodge to evaluate in order to be more effective for the future. This will be a topic of conversation for the planning meeting in June.

