



February 20, 2025

CARDINAL DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETING



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Call to order 7:07 PM by Courtney

Courtney

Courtney will work with leaders to fill committee positions and make sure they know their role and how to use the tools.

Patrick

Updates to Commissioner Tools released. Bugs are still being worked out.

New process to build connections rather than just taking metrics.

New views to show metrics district breakdowns. By program, or by Unit

Six metrics: Training, Size, Growth, Advancement, Outdoor/Super Activity

Each Unit will have their own view to see how many metrics they hit

No Commissioner Service Goals this month since they weren't recording. We will look at them again next month.

Dist. Executive updates by Alicia

1. Reaching out to new potential locations for having scouting events.

Doing a few school talks for Middle School.

2. Award - New Dist. Executive Laura. Vale La Pena.

3. Reaching out to units for investment in character presentation on the books. Looking for volunteers to come with to help ask for donations and chat with parents.

Area Updates - 7:28 PM

Advancements (Tom Allen) - Cubs 59 AOLS, Scouts 65 ranks, 12 Eagles; Venturing 3 ranks

Updating Guide to Eagle; 6 Eagle candidates ready for March;

(Gantt) Need to Update Merit badge expiration dates in system. No need to renew yet, hold tight.

Membership and Growth (Ben Freeman) - slightly behind of goal, but normal this time. 78 total , 28 cub, 3 troops, 1 venture crews. We all need to help recruit new members.

Fundraising ideas. Ask Grandparents, Alumni

Finance and Fundraising (Alicia) - Going to Blue and Golds to talk to parents. Need Courts of Honor dates from units to go to and present. Also looking for volunteers to go out and present and help. Goal of \$100,000 and currently almost \$10K so far.

Camp Cards - Tyler - Planned to have them in hand by April 1st. Update at leaders meeting. More discounts this year. Excited. Need more Wake County deals, so if anyone has suggestions, please send them to Tyler.

Program Updates (Chris H) - Pinewood Derby March 1st. Conflict with make up day then. Keeping same time instead of pushing. Might have to race the scouts car without them. Communication will go out with this information. Still need volunteers

Camporee April 4th at Camp Durant; Space Theme; Fundamental of Training/Trainer's Edge course on Sat. April 5th. Next Staff meeting is Sun. Feb 23, 8PM

Commissioner Service () - No more updates.

Marketing Updates (Rich) - Facebook updates; Getting Instagram updates going next. Follow Cardinal pages as well. Working on getting things documented and standardized. Going to use Google drive to store documents so they can be passed on; Updating store front, making better connections with units, working with program chairs to get ideas.

Training (Larry) - Fundamentals of Training / Trainers EDGE April 5th; IOLS April 11 - 12

To Patrick - Will Council/National fix the training report because some leaders are showing not trained when they took it?

OA Update - Brian

Well into Election Season. Leaders will need to schedule elections if they haven't.

Scouts elected last year and not completed Ordeal have until May to do before they need to be elected again.

Spring Pow Wow

Conclave


Spring Inductions

Upcoming Events (see calendar)

Trainings such as Range Master or climbing instructor are also happening. Encourage leaders/parents to help out by getting certified.

Upcoming Events

<u>Program</u>	<u>Training</u>
FEB 28 Cardinal PWD Check in	FEB 21-23 Range/Target Training
MAR 1 Cardinal PWD Race Cub Open Program (Durant) 14-16 Spring Pow wow 21-23 SH Camporee	MAR 8 Commissioners College 14-16 Wilderness First Aid Training 20 First Aid/CPR/AED Training 21-23 Tower 1 Training 29 NRA Safety Officer 30 Rangemaster
APR 4-6 Cardinal Camporee 11-13 Conclave 25-27 Cuboree	APR 11-13 IOLS (cardinal) LNT 26 Paddle Craft Safety

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Old Business - 8:08

Talked about several volunteers about being renewed or filling positions.

New Business - 8:13

No new business

Open Forum - 8:13

Nothing reported

Next Meeting March 20, 2025

Closed Meeting - 8:15 PM

Roundtable for February was mostly the awards presentation. It was packed with volunteers receiving or cheering on those who got one that night. It was a fun night and even if you didn't get an award, your hard work doesn't go unnoticed. Your work in Scouts is vital to the success of the program. Thank you for all that you do.