

# Winter Camp XLIV Planning Meeting Minutes

## August 11, 2020

### Attendance

**Youth:** Matt Grimble, Chris Adams, Michael Bristol, Tim Pfeiffer, Jacob Ferns

**Adults:** Mark Bollman, Jeff Rand, Adam Haubenstricker, Ethan Rein, Gabe Church, Doug Wilson, Alan Wilson, K2, Steve Donohue

#### 1. Review of Action Items from May Meeting

- a. Matt will schedule another meeting using Zoom in about a month  
A little late, but we're here.
- b. Michael Bristol & Steve Donohue will put together a family friendly recipe guide and shopping list for the packet.  
Some notes on the potential for meals in the At Home kit.  
Bakery Snack -- mostly we'd focus on baking bread. I don't think we'd ask them to do pretzels or churn butter.  
Casino Snack -- we could throw in a few dice so they could play craps or chuck-a-luck No real recipe, but buy snacks.  
Jackpot Grits -- we could just include a blank chart, maybe a few things to get them started.  
Sloppy Joes -- maybe as part of a home Hot Potato meal?  
White Chili -- not everyone has had it and while we do ours in the roaster, they could do a crock pot.  
Maybe we could add a pie recipe somewhere for a dessert.  
I don't think caveman would work; I just don't see families eating with their hands.

**Discussion** - maybe we could do Mexican instead of white chili

- c. Tim Pfeiffer & Ethan Rein will work on rules and equipment lists for planned activities  
They hadn't connected but they will. (tpfeiffer1@outlook.com)
- d. Steve Donohue will make sure key parts of the Winter Camp Manual are printed for the packet.  
Manual has been collected, collated, and reviewed with some updates. We're ready to print when we need to. Probably need to identify which pages and games we'll use.  
Winter Camp site has been updated with significant amounts of activity data, but the work continues. We should probably consider an online schedule for Winter Camp at Home.
- e. Steve Donohue will investigate likely costs for Winter Camp themed puzzles and Golf Balls.  
Any sort of puzzle with a picture will be cost-prohibitive. Reviewing costs came up with about \$25 minimum for anything substantial. For golf balls, we can't include pictures as the cost and minimums will be too high. We could get a line of text for about \$18 a dozen.

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- f. Steve Donohue will create grit kits (may not be part of packet due to cost)  
Working on finding a good container for the grit kit. The previous ones were surplus and are no longer available. I've ordered some samples to see how well they'll work.
- g. Steve will provide necessary updates to [www.wintercamp.com](http://www.wintercamp.com) including possible interactive items for remote campers.  
Significant updates have happened already.
- h. Michael Bristol & Gabe Church will investigate Minecraft options. Michaela King and Chris Adams may be helpful resources.  
There is a link to the map on the WinterCamp XLIV page. This otherwise remains open
- i. Chris Adams & Keith King will look into customizing Winter Camp discord.  
Hasn't happened yet. Deadline extended.
- j. Steve Donohue will consult the Hunt brothers for Tailgating tips.  
Chapters aren't allowed to meet yet, but the Hunts are ready to help us.
- k. Steve Donohue & Matt Grimble to prepare a "Keep in Touch" letter for last year's campers.  
Deadline extended.

2. **At-Home Winter Camp Plans**

- Packets.
- Recipe guide.
- Discord.

    Packet delivery - could we drop them off and save some cash?

    Scavenger Hunt via QR and website. Online at website. A variety of options.

    Casino kit - dice, cards, chips and instructions. Could we do something online for cards/dice?

3. **Open Discussion**

- a. Do we think we'll still be closed for Covid? Maybe. Packet now is maybe a bigger deal.
- b. What should the At Home engagement level be?  
Probably some events are scheduled and others are open.  
Should encourage social aspect. Could we have a panel? Troop activities, camping ideas, sharing experiences. Future events. Feedback.

4. **Action items: (all items should be completed by Sept 7)**

- a. Doug will try making a loaf of bread without a bread pan.
- b. Tim and Ethan will work in the next month on at home activities and schedule for at home.
- c. Matt to work on letter. Steve to do permissions slip. Target August 31.
- d. Find a card room and use it.  
Matt
- e. Prepare online scavenger hunt  
Steve & Michael. Consider having to find things on the page and enter them.
- f. Consider Remote control as an activity for at home vs. in camp. Ethan and Tim
- g. Online service projects Steve to research
- h. Matt to set a meeting up by Sept 7 to happen in September