Committee Chair Report - 
Mistletoe selling season will be here soon. The mistletoe will be cut on Friday, Dec 6. Bagging will begin after school at Puranik's house at 511 Burns Circle which is off of Ascot Drive in San Ramon. Sign Up Genius has been sent for all scouts and one parent to sign up for 2 ½ hours shifts selling the mistletoe on Dec 7 & 8 and Dec 14 & 15. We will be trying new locations, Whole Foods and Has Beans as well as selling it to Moore's Xmas tree farm on the corner of San Ramon Valley and Pine Valley. We are also doing a trial and selling hot chocolate at certain locations to earn more funds. Please know this is our big fund raiser and we are counting on these donations for our troop.

The City of San Ramon has not made a decision on the troop's shed. We are waiting on their decision of when to vacate and if we can keep the existing shed.

The request for Troop 84 dues will be sent soon. The dues will be $110 plus the $30 one time assessment and due by the end of the year. If the scout is planning to use his scout account, the $30 has been extended to the end of March.

Scoutmaster Corner - Tom Azzopardi
Tom wants the scouts to follow the Scout Oath and Law. He will be concentrating on leadership, service, being reverent and safety. He also is following up with the scouts on outings on the feedback on what worked and what didn't. There will be more high adventure outings for the older scouts. He is starting Trailhead Tuesdays occurring once a month which will allow the younger scouts to work with the older scouts on rank advancements. In order to be a more scout lead troop, the scouts who will be attending and leading the scouting outings will start 6 weeks prior to the event to help with the planning process that goes into that outing. Great opportunity for them to learn what is entailed.

Community Events -
Scouting for Food was a big success as there were lots of scouts and food donated. Thank you for helping us with this annual program.

Fundraising. Andreas Metzger metzgeras@yahoo.com
We are looking into an opportunity for See's candy where the scout can earn 20%-40% of the selling profit. More details have been e-mailed.

Short Term Outdoor Activities  Steve Rettig
For future outings when you offer to drive, when asked about how many seat belts can you accommodate, please include the front seat passenger belt. Thank you.

Hikes  Sam Habib

Long-Term Outdoor Activities  A.Lee, P. Rettig, S.Perkins
Troop 84 has reservations for Camp Wente for July 13 – 19 at Camp Wente. The cost to attend camp is $403 with the first deposit of $200 due by December 17. Final payment of $203 due on March 4. Contact: Paul Rettig

Membership – Sonny Patel
If anyone is interested in being a new scout in Troop 84, please contact Sonny at sonnypatel@gmail.com as we will be capping registration to 18 scouts. Siblings will have priority, in that case please let Sonny know by December. Thank you.

AdvanceChair Comm– A. Rettig, A.Calderon, T.Medlin
The committee will be holding Board of Reviews on November 19 & December 10 for rank advancements. The Court of Honor will be held on December 17.

Troop Equipment – Jeff Pelz jeffpelz@hotmail.com
We were very fortunate as a local neighbor, Patty Armstrong has donated several camping equipment from her garage. Thank you!

Troop Roster – Maureen Brooks brooks238@comcast.net
If you are interested in purchasing a hi-tek shirt with the 25th anniversary logo, the cost is $12 per shirt. Contact Sai.

Treasurer’s Report (as of Oct 31 2013) - Deanna DePonceau
Beginning balance $ 5,909.40
Deposits --0--
Less: Withdrawals $ 711.41
Ending balance $ 5,197.99
Junko Savage at junkosavage@hotmail.com collects deposits for the Troop.

Webmaster – Sushil Panthari
Merit Badges – Angie Rettig familja.rettig@sbcglobal.net
Any scout interested in certain merit badges, contact Angie.

Personal Management (Chemparathy/Panthari) – Ongoing
Citizenship in the World – September/October
Cycling – (J.Reith)
Cooking (Chemparthy/Panthari)
Emergency Preparedness -(Azzopardi)
Surveying (Mohan)

Key Dates for Upcoming Events (www.troop84bsa.org)
Always check the web site for updates
Nov 23-25 Backpacking trip – T. Azzopardi
Dec 6 Mistletoe bagging
Dec 7 & 8 Selling mistletoe
Dec 14 & 15 Selling mistletoe
Dec 17 Court of Honor
Jan 31 – Feb 2 Camp Hemrs
July 13 – 19 Camp Wente