Committee Chair Report - Nancy Ozawa
The meeting was called to order. It was announced that Mike Brown will be stepping down as Scoutmaster and that Tom Azzopardi will be our new scoutmaster. The transition period will be until the end of the year. If your scout needs to e-mail the scoutmaster, please send it to Mike and cc to Tom at azzo@pacbell.net.
A new parent handbook will be available soon on our yahoo site. Also we are working on producing a Troop Handbook, a draft will be available by the end of November.

Adult Training –
Youth Protection Training – Jeannie Ornowski/Annette Silva Check the file on our yahoo account that shows if YPT has been completed. For questions, please contact Jeannie at Ornowskifam@gmail.com

Outdoor Leadership Training for Adults will be held on October 27 & 28, please contact Mike Brown.

Hospitality Committee – Liz Bias/Deanne DePonceau
Thank you to the committee of two who coordinated this delicious event. The committee noted that the families were very generous with the food and it was fun for all. They are in the process of pulling together ideas for the troop’s 25th anniversary which will occur next year.

Community Events – Allison Larking
Looking for suggestions for community service projects, please e-mail Allison at allisonlarking@comcast.net. The ideas will be given to the PLC and the boys will make a decisions on volunteering at upcoming projects.
The Food Bank in Concord is asking for help on Oct. 20 from 2:30pm– 4 p.m. There will be a tour along with sorting out food. Registration is required. Contact Allison to attend. Save the date: Scouting for Food will be on November 10 with collecting food on the following Saturday, Nov. 17.

Membership Report – Sonny Patel
There will be several Webelos activities for our scouts to lend a hand. Let’s make the new families and scouts feel welcomed during Water Rockets on Oct. 23, and a pancake toss on Nov. 27. We are looking for scouts to attend the Oct. pack meetings: Montevideo 842 on Oct. 18 and Walt Disney 841 on Oct. 19. We will also be inviting the Webelos to our flag retirement ceremony on Oct. 30. If you can attend an event, please contact Sonny at sonnyipatel@gmail.com

Short Term Outdoor Activities – Steve Rettig
Still have available spots to attend the Lake Chabot camping outing on Oct 27-28. If you have a kayak, canoes, life jackets, or paddles, please contact Steve familia.rettig@sbcglobal.net

Day Camping Cookout is scheduled for Nov 3. Scouts will be able to work on their rank advancements by working on their cooking requirements. More info will be available soon.
The Pt. Reyes backpacking adventure has been canceled. The Committee is looking at a late Nov/early Dec. backpacking camp hike. Will announce as soon as details are available.

Hikes – Sam Habib
Long-Term Outdoor Activities – A. Lee, KTatum, S. Perkins
Advance Chair Comm – A. Rettig, A. Calderon, T. Medlin
Advanced Camp was a huge success. The boys had a great time and worked on a numerous selection of merit badges. Thank you Tom and Anna Calderon for coordinating this outing.

Troop Equipment – Jeff Pelz
Troop Roster – Maureen Brooks brooks238@comcast.net
Uniform – Contact Sai Mohan for blue t-shirts at ashvinmohan@hotmail.com

Fundraising
The Troop is now offering a scout fundraiser for scouts to generate credit to use toward the cost of Troop camping trips. Andreas Metzger has available discount cards that the scouts can sell. The cards are for sale for $5.00 and scout gets to keep ½ the amount in credit. They will have 2 weeks to sell. The cards expire at the end of the year and are good for a $5.00 discount at Safeway as long as discounts at local places in the area. It is a great opportunity for a scout to help pay for troop adventures. If your scout is interested, please contact Andreas at Metzgeras@yahoo.com, they can start earning credit today.

Mistletoe Sales are right around the corner. We are looking for a few parents to help cut mistletoe during the day on Nov 30. We will be bagging at the Lee’s garage that evening and selling on the weekends of Dec.1&2 and Dec.8& 9. Save those dates.

Webmaster – Umesh Apte
Merit Badges - Sean Schluntz sean@schluntz.com
First Aid (Poitras/Lee) – On-going, Eagle-required.
Personal Fitness (Bias/Brown) - Eagle-required

Key Dates for Upcoming Events (www.troop84bsa.org)
Always check the web site for updates
Oct 13 District Marksmanship Day
Oct 20 Food Bank (2:30 pm-4:00 pm)
Oct 27-28 Lake Chabot camping
Nov 3 Day Long Camping Cooking
Nov 10 & Nov 17 Scouting for food
Nov 30 Mistletoe bagging
Dec 1&2 and Dec. 8&9 Mistletoe Sales
Dec 18 Court of Honor