

1<sup>st</sup> Gilwell Troop – Mississauga Patrol  
Minutes of January 23, 2005  
Erindale Presbyterian Church  
1560 Dundas St. W.  
(Opposite the Girl Guide Shop)

*Gilwell Mission:*

The purpose of the 1st Gilwell Troop, Mississauga Patrol is to promote and support the Scouting movement locally, nationally and internationally. We can do this by:

- Participating in the annual Gilwell Reunion
- Organizing the Christmas Campfire
- Attending international and other provincial reunions
- Encouraging offers of service for CJs and WJs
- Volunteering at council and local Scouting events

*In Attendance:* Derek Saunders, Wilma Lamey, Dolly McIntosh, Larry Van Goozen, Fred Giles, Phil Frost, Jacquie Houston, Peter Hodgkinson, Ken Doyle, Joe Grittani, Mark Merryweather, Chris Gregoris, Bruce Wannamaker, Lorraine Treanor, Steve Leitch, Spud Ramsay, Gord Williams, John Fortier, Marie Widdis

*Regrets:* Ruth Charles

Opening: meeting started at 7:40 pm.

Welcome-Peter Hodgkinson; Thought for the Day – Phil Frost

Note: Paul Tordy passed away last June. A moment of silence will be held at the Reunion this coming year.

Mike Neely's mom passed away recently. John Sciarrillo's mom just passed away.

*REPORTS*

SECRETARY: Marie Widdis

No report.

TREASURER: Spud Ramsay

Balance in the bank is \$1557.55. We have \$300.00 left over from Reunion. Dolly moved that the report be accepted as read. Steve seconded the motion.

QUARTERMASTER: Derek Saunders

No activity from the last meeting.

PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATIVE: Dave Gagen

Absent

REGISTRAR: Steve Leitch

Total of 72 registrants. Follow up on name tags-They will be added to the registration form. We have 50 tags left before we need to order new artwork. It was decided that we will use up our stock. Your name on one line will cost \$5.75 or with an additional line the cost will be \$6.90. Payment is expected when the order is placed. Note that the price per name tag will increase when the new artwork is purchased.

REUNION COORDINATOR: Lorraine Treanor

We are waiting on the Reunion Theme. It has been agreed that Dolly will look after food.

**SOCIAL EVENTS:**

Albert Arnott supplied many suggestions for a winter event such as Theatre, and outdoor events. Others were suggested such as bowling, Mohawk or Woodbine Raceway or another Murder Mystery. After some discussion it was decided that it will be a Murder Mystery.

Marie, Lorraine and Peter will look after the details.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1) Tsunami Relief – The 1<sup>st</sup> Mississauga Patrol will send \$200.00 to Scouts Canada to forward on to the Red Cross for this appeal. That works out to approximately \$3.00 per member. Marie will mail this cheque to Ottawa.

2) Vests-The date has been changed for the Sewing Bee. It will now be February 6, 2005. Ruth, Wilma, Laura and Marie will make up vests. There is room for a couple more. We will start at 9 or 10 am and make a day of it ordering lunch and wrapping up sometime in the afternoon.

3) Bruce Wannamaker brought catalogues to the meeting.

An agreement on Mississauga Blue (Royal Blue) was confirmed. It was decided that a variety of apparel will be made available and you may choose **any or all** of what is offered. Steve Leitch will work with Spud Ramsay on shirt orders and the handling of monies.

Pricing is approximate as follows:

Golf shirt - \$23-\$26

T-shirt - \$10

Long-sleeved t-shirt - \$11-\$12

Navy outer jacket lined in Taffeta - \$50

Bruce must have a limit of 18 items prior to the first order.

There was some discussion on the crest and the “Log ‘n Beads” artwork will be bought by the 1<sup>st</sup> Mississauga Patrol.

4) Heritage Mississauga wants the pin board for display. Peter and Phil will make these arrangements.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:**

Next meeting is Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm. The location is Two Guys from Italy in Streetsville. (It’s the Murder Mystery Night!)

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm.