

**Philmont 2008 Contingent Committee**  
**May 24, 2007**  
**Morganville Service Center**

Attendees: Karen Bentivenga, Jim Brown, Pat Dwyer, Jay Edgar, Kenneth Eng, John Erickson, Joanne Herman, Allen Jones, Bruce Kaplan, Philip Limeri, Timothy Makin, Tim Neher, Michael Rauchwerk, Brian Wilson, Maurice Zagha

Maurice Zagha opened the meeting.

He advised that John Kiduff is the MCBSA Philmont Advisor.

Notes from April 19th meeting were discussed.

Attendees were asked to sign and update the list at the table. Maurice stated that the preference of the committed thus far was Thursdays and Mondays for meetings. At the June meeting will have tentative meeting schedule (July 2007 through June 2008).

Conditioning and weight restrictions were discussed.

Youth Protection, First Aid, & CPR mandatory certifications were discussed. You can take youth protection on the internet.

(Added by MZ - as per the jersey coast red cross site)..... [www.jerseycoast-redcross.org](http://www.jerseycoast-redcross.org) CPR/AED-Adult and Child plus Infant CPR certification is good for 1 year. Standard First Aid certification is good for 3 years.

Philmont Data sheet was discussed; we will not discuss the data sheet again, only future changes.

Volunteer or be volunteered.

Adult Shakedown Hike June 30<sup>th</sup> was discussed by Jim Brown along with adult backpacking Course (September 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, & October 7/8<sup>th</sup>).

Fall Shakedown set for October 19-21 (our own food) but spring (Philmont food) date not set yet. Each will need two breakfast, one Lunch, and One Dinner. Mike R. will take care of Philmont food.

Kickoff August 23rd was discussed at Morganville Service Center. Mike ? or Brian W. volunteered to produce CD's. Notaries are set. Class A uniforms with shorts. Need speakers for each section. Need Scouts who have attended to come and show packs. Need maps and example treks. Philmont notes for reference.

Brian Wilson reported on the Open House in Rumson. Date not set yet, will know in June/July. September 27 is first choice & September 19<sup>th</sup> is second.

Next meeting will be Monday, June 25 at the service center.