



# NAUMS News

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**Editor's note:**

Our Ministry of Scouting and the NAUMS Board of Directors lost a god friend and a wonderful leader when Mildred Keeney passed away in July. Mildred was the Scouting Coordinator for the Missouri Annual Conference.

Mildred was very vocal about the Board's use of lingo and about equal emphasis for the Girl Scout program. She may be the only person to wear a Girl Scout uniform to the national BSA Annual Meeting.

Mildred will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

NAUMS will be involved in many activities in 2005 and I hope to see many of you at the UMM Gathering at Purdue and at the national BSA Jamboree.

During this season of Thanksgiving, I'm grateful for the efforts of the directors of NAUMS. They have all put in many hours over the past year and a half. I'm also grateful for Ed Hammitt and his work with our website and the e-mail list. Thanks to all of you for what you do for our ministry.

Bob Chase  
President, Editor

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## Meeting Reports

During the Annual Meeting in September, four At-large Directors were elected to four-year terms and two to three-year terms. The class of 2008 consists of Gene Winland-SEJ, Chuck Jones-SEJ, Robert Peel-NEJ and Rev. Arthur Collins-NCJ. The new members of the class of 2007 are Hank Voegtle-SCJ and Larry Taylor-WJ.

The board accepted the President's report on corporate records and the recommendations defining responsibility for maintenance. The board spent a considerable amount of time reviewing the draft of new bylaws presented by Hank Voegtle's committee.

The board reviewed the draft of the new Organization Guidelines and Administrative Procedures, which should be completed by our March 2005 Board meeting.

The Budget for 2005 was developed and approved. It is shown on Page 2. After a lengthy discussion on dues, the board approved an across-the-board increase to be effective on January 1, 2005.

Regular member dues will be \$30, Life member dues will be \$400 and Chapter fees will be \$40. The board also created new categories for Spouse Life member (\$200), Sustaining Regular member (\$50/year) and Sustaining Life member (Life dues plus \$50/year.)

The Annual Meeting in 2005 will be held during the UMMen's 9th National Gathering at Purdue University on July 16, 2005. We will have a booth at the UMM Ministry Fair and will lead a Scouting Coordinator training on Friday, July 15th, from 8 to 11:30AM.

NAUMS and the Office of Civic Youth Serving Agencies/Scouting will jointly staff a United Methodist Scouting Ministry booth at the National BSA Jamboree in the Religious Relationships Display area. If you go to the Jamboree, come on by.

We will be distributing a special copy of the 'Strength for Service' devotional at the Jamboree worship service. If you would like to contribute to this effort, send a check to 'UMM Foundation' PO Box 340006, Nashville TN 37203-0006.

## New Officers

The Board has elected the following officers to serve until after the Annual Meeting in 2008:

President—Bob Chase, Keyesport, Illinois. Vice President—Gene Winland, St. Petersburg, Florida. Secretary—Hank Voegtle, Dallas, Texas. Treasurer—Rev. Dr. Arthur W. Collins, Lawrenceburg, Indiana.

Bob sells manufactured housing and is a long time Boy Scout leader. He is the local church Scouting Coordinator and on the Finance Committee. His hobbies include music (choral and trumpet) and woodcarving.

Gene is a retired Air Force Colonel and

is the Local Church, Conference and Jurisdiction Scouting Coordinator in addition to chairing the Board of Trustees at his church. His hobby is traveling around this great and scenic country.

Hank is an Attorney and a member of Highland Park UMC. He is a Cubmaster and is also involved in Sons of the American Revolution and his local AF&AM Chapter.

Art is the senior pastor at Tanner Valley UMC. He is a Venture Crew Advisor and has helped led a youth mission trip to Africa. His hobbies include writing, music, backpacking and cooking.

## NAUMS Budget for 2005

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Approved by the Board of Directors September 18, 2004

<b>Income</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>Expenses</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>
Annual Dues	\$5,000.00	\$3,500.00	Administrative	\$150.00	\$150.00
Chapter			Bank Charges	\$60.00	\$60.00
Dues	\$250.00	\$250.00	Licenses/Fees	\$50.00	\$50.00
Member Dues	\$750.00	\$500.00	Professional Services	\$500.00	\$100.00
Grants	\$100.00	\$0.00	Postage	\$250.00	\$150.00
Contributions	\$145.00	\$100.00	Printing	\$800.00	\$250.00
Sales			Newsletter	\$1,200.00	\$1,000.00
Wyatt	\$500.00	\$500.00	Board Meeting	\$100.00	\$100.00
Patches	\$100.00	\$100.00	President's Travel	\$750.00	\$250.00
Shirts	\$50.00	\$200.00	Directors' Travel	\$1,300.00	\$1,000.00
Name Tags	\$50.00	\$0.00	Annual Meeting	\$100.00	\$500.00
Shipping	\$50.00	\$50.00	Shipping	\$50.00	\$50.00
Interest	\$10.00	\$0.00	Program	\$500.00	\$500.00
Misc	\$0.00	\$100.00	Debt Recovery	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Reimbursement	\$0.00	\$0.00	Contingent Funds	\$0.00	\$140.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,860.00</b>	<b>\$5,300.00</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,860.00</b>	<b>\$5,300.00</b>

## Ministry Opportunities

### Philmont Training Center

Plan a great family vacation and enjoy the United Methodist Scouter's Workshop at the Philmont Training Center near Cimarron, New Mexico, during the week of August 7-13, 2005. It will be a great week and a wonderful chance to get that training you always wanted. Contact your local BSA Council for registration information.

The week's program will cover all aspects of our Ministry but will still allow considerable time to enjoy the New Mexico environment. There are programs for all ages.

If you have any questions, please contact Gene Winland, Course Director, at: gmwinland@aol.com.

### National Good Turn for America

The BSA National Good Turn for America program is a great way to bring attention to the ministry aspects of Scouting. Make sure your BSA units plan on events and activities that focus on ministry as they consider the three primary aspects of the program—food, shelter and health.

While the primary organizations are The Salvation Army, Habitat for Humanity and the American Red Cross, any project with any group is welcome. Go to the Society of Saint Andrew website: [www.endhunger.org](http://www.endhunger.org) for their schedule of events. This is a great opportunity for UMMen

Fellowships to work directly with your Scouts. Although it is a BSA program, make it a ministry effort and involve all your youth.

NAUMS Web Site:

<http://www.naums.org>

## Upcoming Meetings And Events

- Board of Directors – 3/6-7/05 – Nashville TN
- BSA National Mtg—5/26-28/05—Grapevine TX
- 9th National Gathering of UMMen—7/15-17/05—Purdue University, W Lafayette IN
- NAUMS Annual Meeting—7/16/05—W Lafayette IN
- Philmont Training Program – 8/7-13/05 – NM
- BSA Nat Jamboree—7/25/05-8/3/05—Ft AP Hill VA
- GSUSA National Meeting—10/7-9/05—Atlanta GA

## New Chapter Information

New Chapters are forming in:

- Richmond Virginia area—

Contact Bill Chaffin at:  
bcumbsa@juno.com

- Puget Sound area Washington area—Contact Joe Garrett at:  
[j.garrett@verizon.net](mailto:j.garrett@verizon.net)

If you are thinking about forming

a chapter or have a chapter that could use a little help, contact Shirley Lundy at: (316) 684-4914 or by e-mail at: [bsamom@wichitusa.com](mailto:bsamom@wichitusa.com).



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of the United Methodist Church by  
Utilizing the Programs of the  
Boy Scouts of America,  
Camp Fire USA, 4-H Clubs and  
Girl Scouts of the USA.

# Beat The Dues Increase

The application on page 3 shows the new dues amounts but if you join or renew before the end of March you can still use the old amounts of \$25 for Regular Members and \$250 for Life Members. Chapters can also claim the old Chapter fee of \$35 if they renew before April 2005.

Note that Chapter members must all renew with the Chapter. The Chapter is responsible for collecting the dues and sending a list of members along

with the chapter fees (including 1/2 of the Regular Member dues) to NAUMS. Please refer to the bottom of page 3 for details.

Your continued membership represents our primary source of operational funding. Please renew and encourage others to join.

If you are interested in forming a Chapter in your area, send a note to the editor and we'll get information in the next newsletter.