# Olympia Branch Council, The Mountaineers Minutes

# 09 JANUARY 2019 / 1800 / Olympia Center Room 200

# ATTENDEES

- Officers: Doug H., Bob K., Siana W. Kim P.
- Guests: Julie Dasso, Eric Swan, Jennifer Fortin

Meeting called to order at 1803

1803 Introductions/Welcome Guests

#### 1804 – Approval of DECEMBER minutes – All

• Kim P. Showed up a little late so we didn't vote

#### 1804 – Follow-up on Action Items – All

- Bob will contact Becca and make sure we have permitting for Frenchman's Coulee.
  It was already on the website it is covered for permits.
- Siana will write a blog concerning shutting down the old website.
  - Will do that by next week.

# 1829 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Camp Leavenworth
  - o Had another meeting, they are finally having meeting.

# 1824 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Branch Officers' meeting with Tom Vogel
  - o March 19th 2019

#### 1815– MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

• Branch Activity Policy updates- Marko will cover several in Feb

# 1825 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Siana

- Transfer complete from old website to Club site.
  - o Done, siana will write a blog.
  - o See action items.

# 1826 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Program Center proposal for Branch Soft Skills Training- dates, Subjects and facility
  - o Branch training from the program center or a series for leaders.
    - o Talk about this again in February.

#### 1813 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Open House-notes from Dee Ann
  - o Signed up 10 new members
  - o 4 more used the discount code the following day
  - o 32 members in attendance
  - o 76 non-members came through the door
    - 42 Friends and Family
    - 6 from a Flyer
    - 6 from BANFF
    - 6 from FB
    - 3 from Speaker Series
    - 2 paper or radio
    - 1 from meetup

#### 1820 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Banff 2018
  - o Sold it out both nights!
  - o Mike R. will present results next month

# 1817 – MEETING AGENDA TOPIC - Bob K.

- Current Course enrollments 20 courses
  - o 161 students enrolled.
  - o 29 for basic climbing
  - o 14 Scrambling
  - o 15 Cross country ski
  - o 19 Snowshoeing
  - o 1 Intermediate
  - o 4 Leadership
  - o 1 Kyak
  - o 25 Wilderness Skills
  - o AIARE 1 and 2 full
  - o 8 MOFA Spring
  - o Self Rescue I and Self Rescue II and a Anchors Class

1841– Officer's Reports – All

- Siana nothing
- Bob K. nothing
- Julie Dasso nothing

# 1806 – Guest Reports – All

- Julie Dasso
  - o Jeremiah Wedding will be posting trail runs down here.
  - o Julie has been helping him with that.
- Eric Swan Where to go snowshoeing. A new member just wanted to know how to join and do things. Siana said she would send him a couple links and some information.
- Jennifer Fortin Stewardship and Conservation

- o Jim French is back and cross cut sawing class is March 2nd 2018 Saturday 0830 class fills. Jim will receive the Club Wide Service Award, 1/26/2018 at the Seattle Program Center.
  - A Sawyer Renew every year
  - B Sawyer Don't have to renew each year.
- o Hard hats and shirt are coming for incentives to conservation.
- o Stewardship Challenge will happen again this year.

1842 – Meeting Adjourned

# **ACTION ITEMS**

- Marko will create a policy or application process to vet the Leadership Dev Fund applications that come through Olympia Marko Absent tonight will address later.
- Branch Leadership Fund- Marko will propose guidance in Feb
- Siana needs to write a blog post
- Reminds the activity chairs to take Olympia Branch to make sure that it will show up on the calendar. Bob K we need to do it at the activity summit.