

WPC Board Mtg. Agenda – April 16th, 2025, 12:15, The source

Attendance: Chairperson – Will Maupin, President, Jana Piering, Theresa Aubin Ahrens, DeeDee Ryen, Mark Whitson, Jane Clark, Rolland Perry, Gary Floring, Chris Meyer, Bonnie Stormer

Approve March 15th, 2025, mtg minutes –Motion to approve, Mark, Second, by Gary Floring, passed.

Treasurer Report – Gary North

Bank Balance: \$64717.74

Tax Filing: completed

Gary not diving into QuickBooks yet but board agrees we need to continue down the road using Quickbooks.

Motion to get rid of Venmo by Mark, second by Jana. Discussion: Jana's personal number is intertwined with Venmo. Table the motion until we work out a secondary option.

Gary is consolidating passwords and creating a calendar for important events.

Planning for Play next fall/winter: at

Marvin Williams Center (MWC) – Chuck, Mark and Rolland reported. Chuck has worked through some options for charging. Use Playtime Scheduler to reserve a spot for a session. We are thinking \$4 per person, per session. \$40 per punch card. Play at Marvin Williams should be similar in price to Sheridan, but not cheaper.

Play at Sheridan – Mark – Working with Tim Barker on some options for scheduling and discounts for members.

Merchandise Update - Hat/shirt inventory and future sales – Jana reported we have WPC shirts, and have saturated the market. Will purchase a limited amount of Blackberry Blast shirts. Hats- we have about 369 remaining. Charge \$20 per hat. Visors \$20, have 69 remaining. Proposal to give hats to sponsors. Give to brand new members. Need to sell hats at BBB.

Website Proposal – Motion to have a budget of \$2000 for website updates and subscriptions, Chris seconded. Vote, passed. Unanimous.

Membership for Next Year – Gary Floring reported- We are changing the membership to June. Early renewal is \$30 through the end of June. Gary concerned about members who miss the June deadline. Motion: Increase the annual membership fee to \$50, by Chris, seconded by multiple board members. Vote: passed, `

Lions Park Open Play/Negotiation w/Parks Dept – Mark - Notify Tim that we will be encouraging people to join, possibly asking for a donation. Need a sign we can put up to announce open pay, membership, (done)

Armed Forces Day Parade May 17 – Theresa reported, application is complete. It was put on Playtime Scheduler announce on Facebook and via email.

Bremerton Blackberry Blast – Theresa reported. See Attached report
Still need security, (now done). Will have a silent auction.

Community Outreach – Jana

MLP pickleball – Some clubs are starting MLP type teams. Some discussion of shall we make a team of 2 men, 2 women to compete with other clubs. Costs may include uniforms, fees for courts. We will mention it through the newsletter.

Symposium of local pickleball clubs – South Sound uses Wild Apricot for web management. \$147 per month. Suggestion to have occasional meetings with other clubs for updates on how to make things work.

Training - Barney

Bangor – had more volunteers than players. It was sunny, and Pickleball Kingdome opening. One scheduled for July.

Last training in gym tomorrow – no more for the indoor season. Will have some clinics at Lion's

End of Season Party April 22 – Sally Hass

Special guests? Thank the gym committee, Chuck volunteers (Chuck), explain options for play Mark, Lions Park (Chuck), explain membership dues change of dates (Will). Theresa Recruit for Armed Forces Parade. Blackberry Blast. Ireland will do some center pieces. 5:30 is when we talk.

New Business – Ladder league – Motion: WPC will cover the cost of rental for a summer ladder league by Theresa, seconded by Mark. Passed.

Next meeting: May 21st. Same place, same time.