

WSDGA Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

February 19th, 2018

Location & Time

Subway Restaurant, 3850 Kitsap Way, Bremerton, WA at 5:30pm

Attendance

Board Members:

Paul Wright, President
Tony Beckett, Vice President
Lisa Nienhuser, Secretary
Sam Huff, Treasurer
Prescott Mabbutt, Member at Large
Allegra Archer, Member at Large

Members

Cathy Cohoon
John Cohoon
Greg Kelsay
Dan Glynn
Kevin Phillips
Jeff Montgomery

President's Remarks

Thank you to Cathy Cohoon for running the 2019 Ice Bowl again and Sam Huff for a successful West Sound Invitational.

Comments from the Community

John Cohoon made contact with the county guy "Starland" about the Coulter Creek property. John asked to be considered for the Advisory Board and is waiting to hear back. Jack Lorber working on some future course improvement ideas for the Kitsap Fairgrounds DGC.

Course Discussions

N.A.D. Park DGC

The City of Bremerton is taking care of the tree blocking the entrance. Paul Wright messaged Steve about trees and keys. Trees are down on holes 1,2,4,17, and 11.

DISCOVERY DGC

Course conditions are good. Dan Glynn is working with 360 Disc Golf to make signs for the footboards at each tee sign. Dan brought the decals that the signs will be made out of and they look great.

Kitsap Fairgrounds DGC

A walker mentioned horse droppings and tracks throughout the park and asked the WSDGA Board if they could get involved to notify the Kitsap County Parks department. John Cohoon will talk to a park's contact and see what the standard is.

Bud Pell at Ross Farm DGC

Paul Wright and Jeff Montgomery will go out tomorrow and assess the storm damage and remove the tree that fell on hole 11. Lisa Nienhuser and Allegra Archer will take the used tee pad forms out to Battle Point Park on Friday. Tee signs are a work in progress.

Van Zee Park

Course is now open for play. Kiosk needs work from recent Winter storm.

Horseshoe Lake Golf Course

Sam Huff is adding OB on the left side of hole 9 to add more risk to the "shortcut". A second "West Sound" course is in the planning phases. The first opportunity to play the new course will be at the Wild West Shootout tournament on March 16.

Old Business

East Bremerton DGC

Paul Wright has drafted a disc golf course design to submit to the Bremerton School Board for approval. A multi-use path through the park is currently approved and we are certain the course design will accommodate the path throughout the disc golf course. Paul will display the map as soon as it is approved. The planning process is slow and the WSDGA should know more next Spring. Paul is really going to push to get it started. Pitch and putt? 9 holes?

Battle Point Park DGC, Bainbridge Island

Just waiting on delivery of tee pad forms and will then schedule a pour date. Tony Beckett help with the finish concrete work.

Tee Signs at Bud Pell DGC

Brian Johnson is working on a full course map for the kiosk and had questions about course size and map size. Tee signs for all three layouts are in final design stages and should be ready to install in the next couple of months.

Deaf Disc Golf Nationals

Paul Wright was asked to be an assistant TD for the tournament. The dates for the event is August 1-3, 2019. The courses to be used will be N.A.D. Park and Bud Pell DGC.

Insurance

Paul Wright stated that he will do more research and report back to the WSDGA Board.

2019 Horseshoe Lake Basket Loan Policy

Sam Huff is working on the agreement with HLGK for the loan of the club's baskets at Horseshoe Lake Golf Course. Mr. Huff will finalize the agreement with HLGK later this month. There are a few minor details to workout.

Bud Pell Bench Covers

Paul Wright is working on the bench covers. Install date will be this Spring.

Eagle Scout Project

The project proposal will be presented at the next Board meeting.

New Website Design

A committee was formed to refresh the website for the WSDGA. Lisa Nienhuser, Brian Johnson, Deane Phillips, Prescott Mabbutt, Cathy Cohoon, and Landon Mclaughlin will begin having meetings regarding the design.

Year in Review Newsletter

Lisa Nienhuser will share it on WSDGAs facebook page and email it to members.

New Business

Marketing

The West Sound area has been listed as the largest disc golf destination in Washington state by the Udisc organization. The Board had some discussion on how to advertise that to local business for sponsorship opportunities and the local Parks Departments for recreational promotion for the City of Bremerton and Kitsap County.

Winter at the Bud

Parking? Encourage players to carpool. Course is set and little work needing to be done. The event is set and ready.

Volunteer Appreciation Cards

Sam Huff received the 2019 batch and is ready to hand them out to the volunteers that have contributed to the community. Dan Glynn collected the appreciation cards for the NAD Park DGC course assistants and will hand them out to the monthly trash stewards.

Calendars

Sam Huff designed calendars for the players pack at the West Sound Invitational. The extra calendars are available and will be used for fundraising for the Kitsap Classic.

Disc Golf Communities Recent Fundraising

It's been heartwarming to see the community come together to support our player from the region. Fundraising efforts are very successful to help the families of Keith Lionetti (recent surgery) and Jeff Elliott (recent passing).

Udisc

How to increase exposure for the West Sound courses.

West Sound Events

2019 Tournaments

- Winter at the Bud - February 23 (Bud Pell at Ross Farm) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Wild West Shootout - March 16 (Horseshoe Lake) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Discing at the Depot - April 6 & 7 (NAD Park) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Roc vs. Buzzz - April 20 (NAD Park)
- Washington Team Invitational – April 27 & 28 (Horseshoe Lake)
- Women of the Woods - May 11 (NAD Park) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Kitsap Classic - May 18 & 19 (Horseshoe Lake) (PDGA A-Tier)
- King of the Jungle - June 15 (Kitsap Fairgrounds) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Salmon Spirit - July 13 & 14 (NAD, Fairgrounds, Bud Pell) (PDGA B-Tier)
- Throw Pink - September 14 (Bud Pell at Ross Farm) (PDGA C-Tier)
- Fall Fling - September 28 (NAD Park)
- NAD Putter Challenge - October 26 (NAD Park)

Weekly Random Draw Doubles

- N.A.D. Park - Saturday at 9:00am
- Battle Point Park - Sunday at 2:00pm

Membership Report

Current West Sound Membership = 274

Treasurer's Report

Bank Account: \$10,581.98

Purchase - Sanitation Rental at Bud Pell DGC (\$97.50)

Donations - Membership Dues (\$1,080.00)

Donation - West Sound Invitational (\$700)

Total Allocations: \$3227.00

Allocation - Tee Sign Materials (\$1,500.00)

Allocation - Bud Pell Benches (\$150.00)

Allocation - DISCOVERY Course Improvements (\$243.00)

Allocation - NAD Park Erosion Control (\$100.00)

Allocation - Kitsap Fairgrounds Erosion Control (\$134.00)

Allocation - Kitsap Fairgrounds Kiosk Improvements (\$100.00)

Allocation - Van Zee Park Safety Netting for Hole 8 (\$1,000.00)

Next Meeting

Tuesday, March 19th at 5:30pm,
Subway Restaurant, 3850 Kitsap Way, Bremerton, WA

Saturday, April 20th at 12:00pm,
NAD Park DGC, Bremerton, WA