# WSDGA Board of Directors Meeting Minutes January 8th, 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
Deane Phillips, Member at Large
Allegra Archer, Member at Large
Prescott Mabbutt, Member at Large

#### Members

Cathy Cohoon
John Cohoon
Kevin Phillips
Taylor Sharpes
Gregg Kelsay
Landon Mclaughlin
Brian Johnson

#### **President's Remarks**

Thank you to Cathy Cohoon for putting together our annual newsletter. It looks great and will be posted to social media when the final editing is complete.

UDisc.com has published a list of the top disc golf cities in the United States and Bremerton is 33rd on the list. Go West Sound!

# **Comments from the Community**

Lisa Nienhuser read an email from Bob Sismour wishing the WSDGA Board a Happy New Year and expressing how proud he was with how West Sound has grown. Mr. Sismour is one of the founding members of the WSDGA.

Eric Schaser proposed that he would like to do a disc golf course improvement for his Eagle Scout project. A few ideas of interest included benches, tee signs, and/or erosion control at the Kitsap Fairgrounds DGC. Mr. Schaser will present a formal plan of action at the February Board meeting.

#### **Course Discussions**

#### N.A.D. Park DGC

A few trees are down from the recent Winter storms. Paul Wright will contact the City of Bremerton and see when they can get it cleaned up. He will also look into getting extra gate keys made so the Board has a multiple sets for course stewards. Some discussion about the basket rotation plan for the year. The Board agrees to keep with historical movements. The next basket move to the B locations will be mid-January.

#### **DISCovery DGC**

Course conditions are good. Dan Glynn is working with 360 Disc Golf to make signs for the footboards at each tee sign.

### Kitsap Fairgrounds DGC

A tree is down between hole 16 and hole 10. Mr. Wright will assess and call the County, if needed. Greg Kelsay trimmed up the holly bush on hole 18 that was in need of returning back to the original hole design per the approval of the WSDGA Board.

#### Bud Pell at Ross Farm DGC

Recent Winter storm resulted in a large quantity of branches down throughout the park. They can easy be cleared by people as they play the course. Lisa Nienhuser will go out and undecorate the Christmas tree. Gold teepads are getting good responses and the benches are in process. The Board motioned to reimburse Paul Wright for the bench materials. Motion Passed.

#### Van Zee Park

The course is still closed due to construction in the park. Kiosk needs work when the park reopens. The park is scheduled to open to the public late February..

#### 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 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.

#### Battle Point Park DGC, Bainbridge Island

Paul Wright is attending a meeting regarding concrete teepads. The club will loan the forms for teepads that were built for Bud pell golds. Tony Beckett will assist in finishing the concrete.

## 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.

#### **BKAT**

John Brown TV is up and running great.

#### 2019 Horseshoe Lake Basket Loan Policy

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

#### **New Business**

#### Ice Bowl

Prescott Mabbutt and Deane Phillips volunteered to run the WSDGA Membership booth. Lisa Nienhuser will be assisting Cathy Cohoon with morning sign ups.

## **Emailing New Members**

Lisa Nienhuser will include the PDGA discount code in the welcome email.

#### New Website Design

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

#### **West Sound Events**

#### 2019 Tournaments

- West Sound Invitational February 16 (Horseshoe Lake) (PDGA C-Tier)
- 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

## Putting league

• Marksman Putting League at Western Red Brewery - Wednesdays at 6:30pm

# **Membership Report**

Current West Sound Membership = 238

# **Treasurer's Report**

Bank Account: \$8,818.88

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

Donations - Membership Dues (\$1,490.00)

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

Tuesday, March 12th at 5:30pm, Subway Restaurant, 3850 Kitsap Way, Bremerton, WA

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