

Ravensong Waterdancers

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Monthly Meeting Minutes

Monday January 17, 2022

via Zoom



Present: Adam, Erin, Jessica, Becky, Julie, Tammy, Lisa, Kris, Amanda . **Regrets:** Michelle, Carol

Call to Order: 7:02

MOVE to approve January 17th agenda (Jessica, second Juile)

MOVE to approve the November 29th, minutes as circulated (Jessica, second Lisa)

FINANCIAL REPORT

See TReportNOVandDEC2021.pdf

MOVE to accept the November-December 2021 Balance Sheet showing \$26,370.29 in General and \$1,550.68 in Gaming, and the Financial Report as presented (Becky, second Kris)

HEAD COACH REPORT

See Head Coach Report Jan 22.pdf

ACTION: Becky/Jessica to get an email out ASAP announcing the Feb 1st Swim-A-Thon with the sponsor sheet attached for pledges. Make a note that everyone should have a counter (who will need to show proof of double vaccination, and must wear a mask). Mention that if they don't have a counter, someone can probably cover for them, but they need to reach out to the club.

NOTE: Lisa mentioned that we may have an extra lane back on Thursdays at RAC.

FUNDRAISING REPORT

Still have dark chocolate left, milk chocolate not reordered.

West Coast Seeds coming in March.

Sold \$540.00 in Coffee with a \$180.00 profit to the club.

Panago - 4 coupons available (only good for the Parksville location). Jessica will check back in at the end of February to see if we can acquire more Panago coupons.

Cookie dough fundraiser, moving forward for Easter - **ACTION:** Amanda to proceed.

NOTE: Jessica to check on the status of Kris' sheets.

OLD BUSINESS

- a. **Bottle Drive:** Adam's contact gone, new guys Major & Vinder. Adam to reach out to Kris to possibly coordinate a bottle drive. **Suggest 2nd weekend in spring**

break - Saturday March 26th. Need to secure a location, thinking about the RAC parking lot? Or Oceanside place? Boys and Girls club? Really need to have as many volunteers as possible.

ACTION: Adam to look into a location (will check the RDN first). Adam will also reach out to Michael at the PQB News for an article.

- b. **Recruitment stickers:** table until later.

NEW BUSINESS

- a. **Bring a Friend:** Propose the last day of the season for Rec.

ACTION: Lisa to see how Carol feels, and set a date.

- b. **Summer Training Camps:** Weekly class with Rec level swimmers? Add Lcomp too? Weekend for more advanced swimmers? Good for team building. Mid August? Later summer? Pascha & Jessica are available to coach. Lisa can help but evenings only (Lisa gone 2 weeks in Aug). Would be good if we can work around it in order to have Lisa if possible to coach. **ACTION:** Jessica to reach out to RAC to ask about the possibility of a once-a-week training camp space and weekend availability and she will present options for the next meeting.

- c. **Plans for end of year:** If we can't do a water show, we need to do something. Can we put a video together? If we can get swimmers to do hair and makeup for all scheduled run throughs then we could film multiple times and put together a video that will look consistent. Maybe we can rent the whole pool for 1 hour in order to do the filming all at once (either RAC or dive tank at NAC). We should book a watershow in mid April, and then if restrictions prevent us from having the watershow we can use that day for filming. Filming will need to be done before the Mable Moran April 22-23-24.

Potentially outdoor social? Rathrevour? Parksville Park? (space across from baseball fields). We could set up an outdoor viewing party in the park possibly.

Might be good to pick a Saturday in May (or June). Jean Peters is June 4th, so video would have to be done before then. Renting a campsite is cheaper than

renting the covered picnic space at Rathrevor park in May or June on the

weekend. It could be booked as a non-profit/youth group for a reduced rate. We can keep it simple, maybe a pot luck or BBQ. Can come up with games. Erin

volunteered to help with socials etc. **ACTION:** Amanda to look into outdoor locations for about 40-50 people.

We have some extra Sunday's at NAC booked that will need to be revised.

ACTION: Jessica to look into bookings.

- d. **Uniforms for LComp:** Looks like all of LComp will need team shirts for the next meet Feb 18th. 6, ladies small t-shirts, scoop neck style. (T-shirt style not wicking).

ACTION: Becky to reach out to Bruce to find out if he has a standard order amount, and what his lead-time is. Will also need to reach out to the rest of the club to see if anyone else would like t-shirts. Will send an email out requesting if any Rec/Comp/Masters need a new shirt? Will provide a ballpark cost (no more than \$25) say around \$20.

Need to order more nose clips. **ACTION:** Jessica to give Lisa her lost&found stash.

- e. **TM3 Feb 18-19-20 (figures and routine):** One swimmer in Comp can't go, questioning if there is a benefit to sending Lcomp to TM3 to give them the experience (good for team building, good to have the girls get figure experience in front of the judges, ect) if we can afford it. If one Comp team decides to go as well then we'd need to keep it to one coach, so Lisa would have to take over coaching Comp. Lisa is judging, so her travel costs are covered. We just have to pay her coach fee (possibly meals, ferry). Families are responsible for hotel & travel. **ACTION:** Lisa to bring up TM3 meet with parents and ask if one parent will coordinate booking a block of rooms for a hotel near or around the South Surrey Leisure Center. Mention double up on hotel rooms to save money. Hotel on Langley bypass? Or closer to White Rock.

SIDE NOTE: MM April 22/3/4 (might be on the island either Victoria or Nanaimo).

SET DATE FOR NEXT MEETING Feb 28th

Meeting adjourned: 8:13