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MISSION STATEMENT

The Revelstoke Paddlesport Association was formed to bring together the nomadic paddlers of our community. Our goals are to promote paddling in Revelstoke by providing programs and equipment, organizing events, promoting safe practices and developing and maintaining water access and infrastructure for the public. As paddlesport enthusiasts, we advocate to preserve and protect free flowing, clean, healthy waterways.

MINUTES

July 24th 2017, 5:30pm, Serkikr Gardens Common Room

ATTENDEES

Directors Present: Bill Pollock, Katrina Van Wijk, Clancy Boettger

Members Present: Diane Pollock, Jessica Nicol, Sam Bouchard, Ari Bruns, Freeman Wasdal

5:30 Welcome

5:35 Call to order

5:36 **David Thompson Paddlesport Classic: August 18-20th**

- » **Registrations:** 11 registered
- » **Sponsors:** over \$8000 total, Goal: \$10,000
- » **Prizes:** wooden medals (engraved)
- » **Marketing: Facebook , Posters**

6:30 **Jordan River Festival: August 10-13th**

- » **Schedule** (see attached): Film Night, Clinics, Races, Dinner, Party
- » **Food:** Saturday Night Dinner + Snacks
- » **Sponsors:** Wild Flight Farm, ZET Kayaks, Monashee Distillery, FSS, Selkirk Graphics, Valhalla Pure, Wild Blue Yonder, Flexpeditions, Tits Deep, Bierhaus, Tree Construction

» Insurance: CKBC, must have **everyone fill out a waiver w/ e-mail and pay**

» **Shuttles:** Wild Blue Yonder + Flexpeditions? [w/ trailer] *Jordan River and Illecillewaet River*

» **TO DO:** See next page.

6:45 No new business

* Moved by Katrina, seconded by Diane that the next meeting be on **August 7th, 5:30pm**, Selkirk Gardens Common Room. Carried.

There being no further business the President adjourned the meeting at 6:45 pm.

LETS GO PADDLING!

ARE YOU KEEN TO HELP?

Please contact the respective person to volunteer.

JORDAN RIVER FESTIVAL

AUGUST 11 – 13TH 2017

- » Venue (Brush, Toilet, Stage)
- » Food (Sponsors, Menu, Snacks)
- » Drinks (Beer, Pop, Liquor)
- » Sponsors
- » Race (Timing, Safety, Organizing)
- » Film Night (**WHO HAS A PROJECTOR?**)

* Contact: Koby Trinker (250) 550-5129


+ Katrina Van Wijk (613) 299-2819

DAVID THOMPSON PADDLESPORT CLASSIC

AUG 18–20TH 2017

- » Marketing: Posters, Share Facebook Event, Spread the word!
- » Days of race: safety, marshals, timers
- * Contact: Bill Pollock (250) 814-7473

WANT TO HEAD UP YOUR OWN INITIATIVE?

GO FOR IT, and let us know how we can help! 

IDEAS:

- » **No membership fee** for 1 year to attract as many people as we can. Create different branches in the future for whitewater, flatwater, etc.
- » **www.paddlerevelstoke.com** is a site for members to showcase their information or gather information. TO BECOME: a source of information on Revelstoke paddlesports (whitewater runs, access, local relevant business info- based on American Whitewater, Quebec Whitewater, Paddling ABC)
- » Create a paddlesports **community**, connecting people
- » Organize inclusive **events**
- » **River Access/Conservation:** awareness/education; maintaining and creating good connections with private land owners, muni and crown land; Columbia Shuswap Invasive Species Society **Milfoil @ Martha Creek
- » **Maintenance nights** (tangiers access road)
- » Member **equipment**
- » **Instruction/Skills** nights for members
- » **Pool Sessions**
- » **Safety:** education/instruction, drowning prevention