

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**

August 15, 2016

Location and time: Wills Residence 6 PM

Present: BWills, PPearce, SEcclestone, SPearce, EAriano, SClarke, GM THudson

By phone: RMadden, BSandilands

Regrets: SPommier

1. Call to order 6.05p. Meeting chaired by B Wills, acting Chair. DGellar tendered his resignation from the Board of Directors on August 11th.

- 2. Approval of Agenda
- 3. MOTION: to approve Minutes of the June 27, 2016 Board meeting SEcclestone. Carried.
- 4. Financial Report Sandra.
  - Year end financials of fiscal year ending May31 2016 are almost completed.
  - We have been approved for a loan from Vantage One of \$71,000 for the purchase of the groomer/tiller
  - MOTION: that the total amount of the term deposit of approximately \$43,000 be reallocated to the Capital Fund account upon maturity on August 28, 2016. SEcclestone. Carried
  - The Finance Committee has been working on the budget for 2017. Circulated, and presented in detail by the GM.
  - We have received \$23,100 from the BC Gaming Grant.
- 5. AGM will be held Tues Oct 19, 2016 at the Schubert Centre at 7pm. It will be preceded by an Open House from 5-7pm

The Nomination Committee is being set up, with two members confirmed to date: Hugh Hamilton, Olaf Plummer

Call for elections is 30 days prior to meeting.

Nominations close 10 days prior to AGM, October 9<sup>th</sup>.

Open House planning: Purpose is to update membership on committee work that has been done in the past year. Ie) updates on Groomer, Lodge, Programs Committee, new Website.

Other options: Fashion show, fundraiser by Program kids, refreshments

- 6. GM Report highlights- Troy.
  - Registration Fees are being finalized for memberships and for programs
  - The new website is planned to be up on Sept 1<sup>st</sup>.
  - The new groomer, a Piston Bully, is being assembled.

## 7. Committee Reports

Programs: Liz Ariano

- The new committee is being set up and will be meeting monthly beginning August 17<sup>th.</sup> The Chair will be elected at this meeting.
- The Programs Coordinator position is being advertised

Volunteers: A Volunteer Coordinator is needed. Contact: Troy

Sponsorship and Marketing: this committee is looking for volunteer members, preferably someone with Marketing experience.

Communications: Next communication with members is being planned for September and will include work party dates, registration information, AGM notice, and the above noted committee member needs.

Meeting adjourned 7.20 pm

Next meeting: Monday Sept 27, 2016 6pm. Location Ecclestone residence