

**ICE AGE TRAIL COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**TUESDAY, AUG 3, 2021**  
**6:00 PM**  
**MEETING ROOM, HARTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY, 110 E. PARK AVENUE**

Present: Jim Muenzenberger, Jeff Romagna, Jean Georgson, Kelli Yogerst, Ashley Widowski  
Christina Callies and Jake Zuehl.

Absent: Dave Van De Ven.

Meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm by Kelli Yogerst.

Motion (Callies/Georgson) to appoint Muenzenberger as interim Chairman for the Aug 3, IATC.

**1. Consideration of a motion to approve the Minutes for the meeting of May 4, 2021.**

Motion (Georgson/Zuehl) to approve the minutes of the IATC meeting of May 4, 2021. With corrections of Muenzenberger not being present, adding the word launch and correction of the word nettles. Carried (6-0).

**2. Discussion and consideration of:**

**a. Any events for 2021 –**

Georgson said IAT Waukesha is slowly coming back. There was brief discussion on night hike. Georgson said she would be promoting the mammoth hike at the National Night out event. Discussion on the Mammoth Hike and if the IATC wanted to piggyback on this event since there aren't a lot of events this year. Georgson talked about the Mammoth tracks Ice age trail app. Discussion on the Strive on app and brief discussion the Hartland Ice Age Trail on different sites. Yogerst said she had in her program guide several things including an updated trail guide, the Mammoth hike, and Scavenger Hunt.

National Trails Day - Discussion on the Strive on app.

Movie in the Beer Garden in October – Hike will take place before the Movie.

Potential for trivia/scavenger hunt trail outing.

Yogerst commented she could put some things in the next program guide for the scavenger hunt. She also commented that it could be done within a certain time frame.

Canoe or Kayak River along trail

Muenzenberger said Kiwanis did the Bark River Bash which was successful. The plan is that they would like to do that again so that will be an event taken up again by them. Muenzenberger said the Village didn't want any of the launches marked, they should be intuitive.

Moonlight or night hikes – not much being done yet.

**b. Plans for trail or river clearing in 2021-**

Muenzenberger said Kiwanis mainly took care of this. He said some of this coming out of the ECOS meeting, they did pitch to staff at the last meeting, maybe adopt a highway approach with certain groups adopting certain sections so it does not get back to where it was 5 years ago.

**c. Potential for Penbrook loop addition to IAT-**

Muenzenberger said the Penbrook loop addition is considered more of the ECOS area, and the trail was cut down several months ago. He said there were plans to get it cut and shaped in the fall and getting some heavier chips down. He said they were looking at getting some volunteers to help. Muenzenberger said it is about a 1.6-mile trail. Brief discussion on chips on the trail.

**d. Library backpack for trail use-**

Georgson backpacks are at participating libraries. Backpacks include things such as binoculars, tree identification guide, wildlife guide to wildlife birds etc. Brief discussion on if more backpacks should be purchased for this area.

**3. Future meeting topics or announcements –**

Discussion on if quarterly meetings are adequate. Discussion on October and December meetings to start talking about summer. Also, suggestion to put as an agenda item on each agenda – next meeting date.

Motion (Zuehl/Georgson) for next meeting date to be October 5<sup>th</sup> and then also December 7<sup>th</sup>. Carried (6-0).

**4. Adjourn – Motion (Romagna/Georgson) to adjourn. Carried (6-0).**

Adjourned at 7: 15 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Recording secretary  
Deidre Bushey

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