

ICE AGE TRAIL COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MINUTES
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2022
6:00 PM
MEETING ROOM, HARTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY, 110 E. PARK AVENUE

Present: Jim Muenzenberger, Mark Miner, Jeff Romagna, Christina Callies & Jake Zuehl.
Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Jim Muenzenberger.

- 1. Consideration of a motion to approve the minutes for the meeting of 10-04-2022-**
Motion (Callies/Miner) to approve 10-04-22 minutes. Carried (4-0).

- 2. Discussion and consideration of the budget report balance.**
Update on balance was given, and Zuehl spent \$10 for apple cider packets. Discussion on purchasing more pins.
overlapping discussion
Motion (Callies/Zuehl) to purchase another set of pins. Carried (5-0). Muenzenberger will make arrangements considering the budget.

- 3. Discussion and consideration of:**
 - a. Standing hikes and events updates-
Moonlight Hike had 107 hikers. It was suggested that next year go one way on the loop. Muenzenberger said he thought it went well. It is good to have it as part of the Mammoth Challenge. Muenzenberger clarified that walkers get a pin if they complete the Hartland segment and if they found all 12 boards for the Mammoth Challenge. Next year promote find 12 on the trail better. Romagna has a hike coming up December 7th. It was also suggested in future have glow sticks for kids on night hike.

 - b. Future co-promotional events-
Romagna's upcoming hikes include:
Jan 11 – Delafield fish hatchery
Feb 8 – Hartland library
March 8 – Stony Ridge
April 12 – Lapham meet at Evergreen parking lot.
May 10 – Hartland Marsh

Wee Walkers upcoming hikes:
Jan. 7 – Centennial to Hartbrook
Feb 4 – Hartbrook to Nixon
Mar 4 – Nixon to the Wayside
Apr 15 – Maple Wayside to Cottonwood Wayside
May 13 – Cottonwood wayside to North Shore Drive
Callies said she will advertise if anyone completes the trail with them, they will get a pin.

Discussion on planning next year plan and winter hike at September meeting so it can get in the Rec guide. Callies said it is nice to have a full page in the Rec guide because it draws people attention to it.

Discussion a Winter Hike for Feb. 4th starting at 6:30. Hike will start at warming shed, hot chocolate will be provided, and go south on trail.

c. Marketing of events

i. Website, Apps-

Discussion on when planning events, make sure it is done in time to get it into program guide.

ii. Social Media, other-

Update events on Facebook page.

4. Discussion and consideration of:

a. Trail maintenance and enhancement.

Muenzenberger said Kiwanis planted 9 trees/shrubs along the trail by the library.

b. Kiosk signage –

Georgson does the kiosk. Contact her as needed.

c. Ecos –

A lot of work was done on Japanese Knotweed.

5. Other items for follow up as needed:

a. Educational opportunities-

Brief discussion if IATC will possibly be teaming up with the earth

b. Connection with schools, library, and community-

Zuehl spoke with HLSD about summer school opportunities, and they would love to collaborate. Discussion on making connection at Arrowhead as well. They start putting their curriculum together in December.

Muenzenberger suggested adding filling in the open spot on the IATC. Brief discussion on if anyone knows anyone that would be interested in joining the IATC and that they don't need to be from the Village of Hartland.

6. Announcements -

Thanks to Xavier Fallon, the Arrowhead student who volunteered to dress up as Monty at the Moonlight Hike.

Zuehl suggested purchasing glow sticks for the kids for the Moonlight hike.

7. Future meeting topics and meeting schedule –

Next meeting is December 6th at 6pm. Brief discussion on future meetings, website representation through the Village and who oversees updating it.

8. Adjourn -

Motion (Zuehl/Romagna) to adjourn. Carried (5-0). Meeting adjourned at 6:47 pm.

Respectfully submitted By Recording Secretary,

Deidre Bushey