

POA Recreation Joint Advisory Committee 2019

October 14, 2019

Pending

Gary Griffin called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM at the Country Club.

In attendance: Gary Griffin, Chris Stockman, Steve Bourke, Debbie Sorensen, Jan Dobbertin, Val Courter, Jackie Gain

POA employees: Joan Glubczynski, Jessica Anson, John Urquhart, Judy Griffin, Tammie Loyd

POA Liaisons: Jerry Hover, Steve McKee, Jim Abrahamson,

- Guests: Clay & Carolyn Merit

Minutes from prior meeting:

Minutes from August 2019 were approved via Internet and sent to Tammie Loyd.

Amenity Reports

- **Branchwood**- Survived tree damage from the storm. Held a Disc Golf tournament last weekend. Very successful.
- **Tiree Park** – Ken Fink not at meeting.
- **Lake Ann** – Had a lot of debris floating in the water. Jackie got the code to get into the RV Park to check on the facility. Everything looked good.
- **Riordan**- Mary Henning not at the meeting.
- **Loch Lomond Park** – Loch Lomond received extensive damage from all the rain. There was activity on the ball diamond Wednesday night. Scorers table is being worked on. Trash needs to be picked up. Restrooms were fine. Wiener Dog Race was a huge success.
- **Gun Range**- Pistol & rifle range is very busy on the weekends.
- **Blowing Springs RV Park** has been very busy. Flea In The Park, Bike Race last weekend & Craft Fairs this week. The RV Park has been full & most of the tent spaces were full last weekend. Bathrooms were clean.
- **London Park**- Gravel on access road. Debris on shoreline.
- **Metfield**- Clean bathrooms. Wood chips worn away in playground area. Gravel in parking lot.
- **Tanyard Creek**- Got hammered with the rain. The staff is doing a great job getting everything cleaned up by POA staff and volunteers. Steve visited with Randy about what the volunteers will be doing. The volunteer team will be meeting on Tuesday morning. Swinging bridge is tilted and needs work. Trees down that need to be cleaned up. Volunteers should not use chain saws.

- **Lake Avalon-** Got hit hard from all the rain. Is going to need some grooming. A big thank you goes out to POA employees for all their hard work on the clean up.

Gary Griffin will represent the committee at the September POA Board Meeting.

New Business:

- November 9 is the next Meet & Greet.
- Gary Griffin will make up a form for each member on the recreation committee to write a report covering your amenity.

Staff Reports

- **Tom Judson-** on vacation
- **Rick Echols-** on vacation
- **John Urquhart-** Class held on the gun range this last weekend. Numerous hunters sighting in their rifles for hunting season.
Stoneykirk received the most damage from the flooding. Fixed it Thursday and by Friday it was damaged again.
Loch Lomand Park had a 50-60 lb. Carp on the grass at the Dog Park.
Tiree & London Park boat ramps were shut down Thursday & Friday.
Tanyard Creek working on swinging bridge at Tanyard Creek. Some kayaks are still missing from owners on the lakes. All watercraft have been returned to owners. Call member service if you have lost an item or items you found that don't belong to you. Most of the Blue Catfish stayed in the lakes however a few escaped into the Little Sugar creek.
 Tonight will start the fall fish population surveys.
- **Judy Griffith** – Jose Mendoza having a Longest Day Tournament.
 2020 Plan making sure signs are staying out. Tim did an aerial video that is amazing. He did the majority of it at home.
 Working on the winter edition of Inside Bella Vista. Marketing is down one person, so they are all chipping in to get the job done.
- **Joan Glubczynski-Trey Anson** worked all summer running the marina on Loch Lomond. He has been transitioned to helping oversee the trail maintenance. Three storms in the last month have done a lot of damage to the trails. Blowing Springs was closed October 6 to let the water resend. It went down fairly quickly. There were twenty-six Airstream campers having a rally at Blowing Springs that weekend.
 Flea In The Park had forty-five vendors, car show and bands playing music.
 The city received another grant for trees. You can get trees on Saturday November 2 at 1:00 pm in the parking lot at Kingsdale/Riordan.
 Campground at Blowing Springs is sold out for October.

Jake came off a tennis tournament this past Friday and Saturday.

Trey Anson- This past weekend there was a mountain bike race that brought in 1,000 racers and another 1,000 family and friends to watch. With the flooding there were several 100 trees down that had to be cleaned up before the race. A lot of volunteers came out to get ready for the race. Trey is in charge of this new position and should save the POA a lot of money.

Marina at Loch Lomond- Spent time listening to what the members wanted at the marina. What are the benefits of the marina to the members? It will be open for two more weeks and then it will be closed for the winter. Trey performed many boat repairs himself and saved the POA a lot of money.

Jessica Anson- She has two less pools to run. Water guardians fund raiser just short of \$300. Jessica told the lifeguards if they raised enough money for one swimming lesson it was worth the effort.

Branchwood- is running smooth. They had a Disc Golf Tournament and 25 people were in the tournament. Jose Mendoza and volunteers helped with the tournament. The gentleman that won the armature had just had twin babies. A lot of people came and watched.

Walkers always come first on the Disc Golf Course. To build that course without the volunteers would have cost the POA a lot of money. The Branchwood course is very unique because it is in the woods.

Jerry Hover- Lakes committee will be having a meeting November 13 at 2:00 concerning the wake no wake on the lakes. The issue has gone on for two years.

The next regular committee meeting will be at 4 PM Monday, November 11th at the Country Club.

Submitted by Val Courter