

Country Pond Lake Association

Meeting via Zoom

Nov 24, 2020 7:00 pm

Board Meeting Minutes

Present: Susan, Jeannie, Bill, Jen, Greg, Linda, Jeff, Tobi

Review and accept minutes from last meeting: Jenn made a motion to accept, Linda 2nd, all in favor.

Treasurers report:

- Financial update and member renewals
 - We have \$4,409.39 in bank account, (includes \$1,500 insurance reserve). Spreadsheet is up to date. Final invoice of NH Lakes was paid, a couple of memberships and \$24.00 from Country Pond Calendar proceeds.

Committees:

- VLAP:
 - All 2020 Data in Spreadsheet. There was nothing unusual or surprising. Some parameters were better. No Cyanobacteria blooms. We are waiting on NH DES to issue annual report to distribute to membership and post on the website.
- Social Media:
 - Tobi posted summer wrap up message. Too Much P in Your Lake was not posted, will post this next.
- Weed Watchers: Tobi sent weed watchers list a thank you email.
- Lake Host:
 - End of season reports from NH LAKES. We achieved 164% of required grant match in volunteer hours.

Communications:

- Blasts done: Summer Wrap Up
- Thank you/receipt letters for membership donations almost up to date, 5 left.
 - Need to deliver membership “gifts” to Jody Brown, Brian Philpot, Bill Grimes and Kingston Conservation Commission.
- Lake Host support letter sent to NH Lakes, received a thank you from Krystal for sending the letter. The letter is needed for their grant application to State of NH.
- Email blast to do – notice about warrant article, membership renewal EOY
- Website updates
 - Board meeting minutes added to Docs page
 - Summer Wrap Up added to News page
 - Need to add Brian Philpott and Wests to webpage for Partner level contribution

Old Business:

- PO Box - Jeff will sign up for a PO box this week
- Warrant article 2021 – Linda will update and send to the board so we can all print off and collect signatures.

- CPLA Promotional Items - It was determined towels are cost prohibitive. We have the pens that Jeannie ordered, and will do a t shirt with the Koozie design. Jeannie will reach out to her contact who we can order our own sizes as needed. Possibly ladies t-shirts, long sleeve, and sweatshirts could all be options

To do list:

Raffle - Reach out early April to CPLA membership to get donations

Earth Day 2021

Raffle Event

Next Meeting Date and Place: Thursday December 17th 7pm

Adjourn: 8:17 pm

Respectfully Submitted by;

Sue Zipkin, CPLA Secretary