Blue Ridge Ski and Outing Club Minutes

Meeting Date- Monday, November 18th 2024

Attendees- Patsy, David, Fran, Tonya, Brandon, Winston, Rachel and Mitch

Fran (**President**) Fran opened the meeting.... Discussion for DJ- Leslie Allen for Saturday. DJ did not work out, however DJ did not charge for cancellation. Fran will send welcome letter to new member (Wildon Adkins)

Meet and Greet- Club Outing- Third Thursday- of each month @ Tequila's!

Patsy (Secretary)/Membership-Minutes approved- David approved Winston second.

The Social Director will outline social events, plan, budget and discuss if it will be a lotski event.

Winston- (**Treasurer**)-**Socials**). -Budget as of 11-18-24 Patsy motion to accept and Rachel second. -(*Accepted as presented*)

- Checking \$54,672.30 Savings \$2,083.46 Total Bank Account- \$56,755.76
- Lotski- Total \$65.00
- Lotski Inflows- Total \$130..00 Lotski Outflows- Total \$65.00- (Lotski will not run through financial reports.)
- Corporate dues \$25.00

Credit Card possessions as of 8-8-22 (10k limit on total cards)

Tonya -	9505	\$0.00
David -	0495 (Long Trips)	\$0.00
Dennis -	2432	\$0.00
lan-	1319 (Outings)	\$0.00
Brandon -	0769	\$ <mark>-110.00</mark>
Winston-Active	6330	\$0.00
Total		\$- <mark>110.00</mark>

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David- (Local and LD Trip Leader) Present - This will be a social event and lotski. Remaining budget amount for outings will be split for camping and Christmas Party.

David asking for a 2026 trip to plan out for Aspen or Big Sky and Steamboat. The question as to move forward now or wait. Need to finalize with Doug for numbers/cost.

Camping and Local Trips -2025

Local Trips 2025

Snowshoe - (\$1000.00 Deposit) pricing for Jan. 10-11

Timberline -January 23-26

- No-bedroom available (full)
- Floor Spots available

2nd Timberline Trip-February 21st. (Potential)

Long Distance Trip 2025

- February 1-8, 2025-CLOSED
 - Telluride, CO Epic \$2580- 36 PPL going as of 8-13.

***David will work on a few more camping spots to book for 2026 Big Sky is ridiculous, \$2800. May want to entertain Whisler? Europe? We had a lot of hands for Europe trip.

Terry- (Vice President)- Absent-

Brandon (**Outings**)- Present - Appetizers order at bowling event, since DJ was canceled \$100.00 was allotted for appetizers. Good turn out at the bowling outing. There will not be an event for December!! Discussion about a potential Horse Race in March! Looking into a location for a Horse Race event. David will help with this event for a good fundraiser. Looking into a Golf tournament for a Spring event mid April or first of May. (Charge \$35 to pay instead of \$25.) to help with prizes and give-a-ways.

Tonya- (Director-at-Large) Present-

Rachel- (Newsletter) - Present- Will help with the Spring Golf Tournament.

Patsy- (**Membership**)- Present- Updated membership as of 11-17-2024. Discuss gym bags found to give out as gift prizes for new members and at events as well as koozies!

Dennis- (PR Director) - Absent.- Brought box of Koozies to give away as prize winnings!

Marti- Absent (Director-at-Large) Christmas Party December 7th.@ Marty's place 6:00-11:00 Bring dish. Theme will be PJ's.

Marti has an extra role of 50/50 tickets. Christmas Party budget \$350.00

Mitch- Present (Web) Mitch is working on the structure for Web Site. In need of Epic pictures to place on web site to finish.

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Old Business- None

New Business-

Next meeting - No December trip- January 13th 5:30 at Chop Stix

DON'T PURSUE HAPPINESS CREATE IT!!! Quote from Samuel!!!