

Shawnigan Parks and Recreation Commission

April 15, 2010

Attendees: Margaret Symon, Betty Lord, Bill Savage, Lori Treloar, Catherine Whittome, Al Brunet

Scribe: Bill Savage

Guests:

Minutes from the March 18<sup>th</sup> 2010 approved

Parks and Trails Master Plan:

The commission agreed that the priority numbers be removed. Other than that, we approved the final draft.

**Old Business:**

Shawnigan Hills Athletic Park – waiting for proposal from Ryan Dias regarding changes to park.

Bob-o-link Trail

A motion was submitted that the commission would like to see a trail along the boundary of the proposed development that would connect to Baden-Powell. A reasonable corridor is requested with an appropriate ramp or stairway for the elevation.

Subaru Triathlon

Catherine still needs volunteers. Margaret advised that there would be a fireworks tribute to Gavin Ritchie on Saturday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at the West Provincial Park.

Halliday Walsh proposal.

We thanked Halliday for her proposal but we did not think it was an appropriate issue for the commission to deal with.

**New Business:**

Picnic table: Bill has offered to donate a picnic table for a raffle with the proceeds going to the commission for boater safety.

South Cowichan Parks Commission update

CVRD park chairs update:

Two new positions have been created

Norbury Road

Lori suggested that we check into creating a trail along the Norbury Road right of way that connects Heald to Shawnigan Lake Road. The area has been dug out for a water line and it would be easy to make it a proper trail.

Area Directors report:

Absent

Other items:

Margaret mentioned the Brian Johnson workshop

Next meeting: May 20, 2010