

Grand County Wilderness Group  
August 1, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Board Members in attendance:

Monica Sandstrom  
Dana Kober  
Andy Borek  
Kayley Borek  
Holly Whitten  
Gary Piper

Topics:

1. The board voted to send two people to the Wilderness training at the Science Center in Keystone on October 12-13.  
The cost is \$120 per person for dorm room, \$80 for camping, \$50 for just meeting and \$30 excluding meals. Monica Sandstrom volunteered to attend.  
  
Starts Saturday at noon with Ralph Swain presenting in the afternoon, lunch and dinner and breakfast on Sunday
2. Treasurers Report - Dana has set up a new checking account with two credit cards. The deposit was \$6,901.71 less \$15 for checks. There is an outstanding commitment for signs not to exceed \$1800.
3. Trail maintenance. Katie requested information on some trails. Our trail is clear. Andy will check and e-mail information if other trail assessments are needed.
4. We need to nominate two new board members. We need two by the end of September.  
Note: in subsequent e-mail correspondence, Jeff Russell was nominated and approved.
5. Trail Ambassadors will continue to report their hours to Mike Braddy.
6. We need a solution to get information out if AI is not available. Kaylee needs the passwords. Gary is to try to get them. Need passwords to Google, Facebook and GCWG.org. Need to fix access to the entire Google Drive.
7. There are bear concerns along cascade creek at Crater Lake.  
Note: subsequent requests were sent to the group to hike the trail and inform visitors.
8. Picnic Planning - Currently there are 61 people who signed up. Because of the fire ban, Ron can BBQ, but will take care of it at home and bring meat to the barn. Monica will purchase extra potato salad. We need to start promptly at 5 PM with Ralph Swain, our speaker.

Andy, Kaylee and I will arrive early – at 4:30 to start setups.

9. Meetin adjourned.