Capitol Volkssport Club Meeting Minutes

November 10, 2022

Olympia-Lacey Church of God Family Center

Vice President Cheryl Bush Presiding

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 5:15 by Vice President Cheryl Bush. She announced the names of our newest members: Linda Hardy, Lyndy Slyker, and Mary Thygesen
- 2. The Minutes of the October meeting were approved as published on the website.
- 3. The treasurer's report for October was approved as sent by email. Pam Greig-Davis had also included the latest walking event report in this email.
- 4. Pam Greig-Davis asked for approval of the July 22, 2023 special event at the Vance Creek Railriders by advance registration. It was moved, seconded and passed to sponsor this special event with Pam in charge. We are already sponsoring this activity as a seasonal bicycle event.
- 5. At this point of the meeting, Bob and Sheila Morrison presented a program with slides of their recent trip to the Baltic States. Thank you for sharing your experiences.
- 6. We were reminded of the Christmas party to be held December 8th at the Jacob Smith house. Sign up sheet was sent around for participants planned food item to bring for the potluck dinner. Participants are also being asked to contribute snacks and school supplies for children attending a Title 1 school, Garfield Elementary. Bonnie Tucker distributed flyers of needed items.
- 7. A sign up sheet was passed around for volunteer positions for the annual Christmas walk in downtown Olympia on December 10th. Christmas cookies are needed for this event. If you cannot be at the Christmas walk, please bring cookies to the Christmas party on the 8th.
- 8. Mert Turner will have information in the December newsletter for the Aberdeen Christmas walk on December 17th.
- 9. Barb Malone reported that 78 participated at the Salmon Run special event October 15th with most walking with the group guides rather than independently.
- **10.** Pam Greig-Davis reported that a shortened version of the Pathfinder is available online at:

http://www.esva.online/pathfinder-volkssport-club-of-thenorthwest/

- 11. Nancy Wittenberg volunteered a speaker for the Womens Club meeting on January 11, 2023 to present a program on volkssport walking clubs. Joy Adams volunteered to be the speaker.
- 12. Perki and Peter Sweet have made arrangements to continue our meetings at the church family center for the year 2023. Thank you.
- **13.** Deadline for the December newsletter is November 27th.
- 14. Meeting was adjourned. Submitted by Ginny Miller, Secretary

Addendum to the minutes of November 10, 2022

Prior to the membership meeting the board officers met with the following decisions made:

The CVC board has decided to not give a years' Pathfinder subscription to new members. New members can find a shortened version online at <u>http://www.esva.online/pathfinder-volkssport-club-of-the-northwest/</u>

The CVC board has decided to not have a special table at the San Antonio convention because we have no significant events coming up in 2023. The table is supposed to be manned for four hours a day during the event. No one wants to put in the time at the table or organize others to be there.

Other information discussed at the meeting not on the agenda:

People going on Thursday walks need to be at the start point of the walk from around 9:45 to 10 am to sign up. If there is a remote start, leave time to get to the remote start. Please don't leave early because we don't want to miss someone new. Sometimes registration is out of the back of a car and sometimes it is in a physical start point (like Bayview Thriftway Deli). If you registered on the OSB, please go to the physical start point as well.