

IDAHO ALPINE CLUB P.O. BOX 2883 IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO 83403-2883

IAC Council Meeting Minutes Meeting Date: April 15, 2010

<u>Invitees</u>: <u>Sam Pole</u>, Al Jantz, <u>Mark Whitham</u>, <u>Donna Whitham</u>, <u>Jeff Coward</u>, <u>Susan McKinley</u>, <u>Colleen Bohan</u>, and Matt Sweetser. (Attendees are underlined.)

Note Taker: Susan McKinley

1) Meeting call to order: 7:30 pm

2) Reading of previous month meeting minutes: approved

3) Treasurer's Report - (2/28/2010 through 3/31/2010)

Bank Balance as of 3/31/2010: \$5,396.41 Rafting Fund Balance: \$-3,933.11

General Fund: \$1,463.30

Members to Date: 84 as of 3/31/10 Treasurer's Report approved by vote.

4) Old Business:

IAC 50th Anniversary Party

Barbara Brown indicated she will provide slides of early Alpine Club events at the summer IAC picnic. Council members will be asking other long term members for slides to show.

IAC 50th Anniversary news article

Sam Pole is working on a newspaper article in the Post Register to highlight 50 years of IAC activities. He will provide a list of club members for possible interviews in the article.

IAC post office retrieval

Donna Whitham will pursue getting at least one alternative name on the Alpine Club post office box to pick up the club's mail when Jeff Coward or Donna Whitham are unable to.

5) New Business:

Representing the Access Fund Organization

Sam Pole has been contacted by Bruce Anderson requesting that the IAC support the American Alpine Club in their protest of the climbing ban at Castle Rocks. Apparently, Native American Indians claim that climbers damage their sacred spots. Sam Pole agreed to email Bruce for a copy of the AAC letter of protest. The council members agreed to review the letter written by AAC before sending our own letter of support.

New Business cont.

Text Link for Climbing Gear Inc.

Sam Pole was also contacted by Darron Robbins of Climbing Gear Inc., ph. 800-592-9172. Mr. Robbins offered wholesale prices on their climbing gear in return for a text link on the IAC webpage. Council members voted unanimously to have George Cole check this company out for mal ware.

Reorder IAC tri-folds

Donna Whitham stated that we are totally out of tri-folds advertising the IAC. The Council members unanimously agreed to order another 100 to distribute to the Chamber of Commerce and Idaho Mountain Trading.

6) Administrative Business:

May 5 general meeting: club/council/members – Colleen Bohan agreed to bring snacks.

May 13 Council meeting at: Susan McKinley's 425 Pevero Dr. May 13, 2010, 7:30 p.m.

7) Meeting adjourned: 8:30 pm