



SHARED USE TRAILS AGENDA

Tuesday, April 9, 2019, 4:00 pm
Committee Room

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MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 12, 2019

4:00 pm

City Hall Committee Room

Present:	C. Patrie, Member/Councillor M. Reckahn, Penokean Hills Field Naturalists, Chair R. Seguin, ATV C. King, Snowmobile Club G. Robitaille, Snowmobile Club VP M. Turner, Coureurs de Bois
Resources:	D. Brandow, Recording Secretary Teresa Dunlop, Director Recreation & Culture T. Elliott, Penokean Hills Field Naturalist A. Ewald, Resource, Denison Environmental B. Ralph, Resource R. Rye, ATV B. Parsons, Get Trekking Coordinator J. Schuknecht, Coureurs de Bois
Regrets:	D. Hewitt, Rio Algom R. Tellier, Coureurs de Bois M. Dean, Cross Country Ski Club J. Johnston, Resource
Guests:	K. Meeking, EL Mountain Bike Club D. Meeking, EL Mountain Bike Club T. Turner, Councillor

1. ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4pm.

2. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

NONE

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS**3.1 8 January 2019**

Res#: 3/19

Moved By: J. Schuknecht

Seconded By: R.Rye

That the minutes be accepted as read

Carried

4. PUBLIC PRESENTATION**5. INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF CORPORATE REPORTS****5.1 Director of Recreation & Culture Report**

Recreation & Culture 2018 Statistics Report

Progress Report for Recreation & Culture

6. PRESENTATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS**7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS****7.1 Trail Planning Proposal Checklist Update**

Reminder to groups to provide D. Gagnon (CAO) with your financial requests "wish list" for consideration in the City's 2019 budget

Long term plans (2020, 2021) will be considered at a later date

Snowbirds expressed concern on how funds could be received by the club with all the stipulations from the Federation & ASPA

8. NEW BUSINESS**8.1 Group Members Reports****ATV CLUB**

January was a busy month for the ATV Club. The trail planning committee from the ATV Club met 4 times. Our committee members are, Rolly Séguin, Ron Rye, Debbie Rye, and Carolyn Séguin. Two of our members, Rolly Séguin and Ron Rye met with our CAO Dan Gagnon to present our 2019 Trail Repair Proposal. We have also applied

for a permit with the MNR to create a new loop on #4 trail leading to Rosemere Road. We have also started our 2020 and 2021 Trail Repair Proposal. The executive of the ATV Club will hold their first meeting for 2019 season in early March. We will also hold our first meeting for club members in March to get an early start on business.

Rolly

**PENOKEAN HILLS FIELD NATURALISTS
REPORT FOR SHARED USE TRAILS MEETING
February 12, 2019**

Our Saturday walks continue. Some of the winter weather we have had has curtailed our Saturday walks at times but some very hardy souls went out even in the -30 degree weather. Jim Johnston did a talk on tracking at our January meeting. It is fascinating to see the tracks in the snow, especially now that the snow has covered the ground. Jim is able to tell you the identity of the animal who made the tracks and at some times even a story behind the tracks such as if a predator has caught the animal. It was very interesting.

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Marg

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**COUREUR DES BOIS
Shared use Trail Report
February 7, 2019**

We continue to offer four hikes per week dependent upon the temperature and weather conditions. At our regular general meeting held on January 15, 2019 a new President Martin Turner was elected to serve a one year term. Although Trail clearing has been suspended for the season we plan on clearing the trail from the ski hill to Horne Lake for the annual Winterfest Family snowshoe hike.

At our General Meeting it was decided that our club would join the Shared Use Trail Alliance that is being formed. We will elect a Member to this body when it is formed.

Our club will be in receipt of two VTA Trail Head signs in the near future to replace the existing ones at Westview Park and at Spine beach. I will arrange with the appropriate people to have these installed in the spring.

At the start of spring we will begin our clearing efforts with the Trails located in Mississauga park to prepare for its next season.

Cleared red & yellow trails at Sherriff Creek

Winterfest Family snowshoe at Horne Lake attracted 75 participants

ELLIOT LAKE SNOWBIRDS SNOWMOBILE CLUB

High priority is to realign Stanrock Lake loop due to the dangerous conditions it presents

Will work with the ATV Club

10 March held a memorial run for Derek Rees

24 sleds & riders

28 members & volunteers attended the pot luck dinner

Presented Kathleen with a wood carving by a local artisan in memory of Derek

City groomer has been repaired

Other groomer is now operational after 3 days of breakdowns

Tire repairs made on the trail very quickly

Lost power in deep woods

Plate came loose

Fun Run was very successful

68 participants – local, Sudbury, Espanola, North shore

Fantastic trails & great time

Membership

12 members in Sept, now 52

Elections

President – Clarke King

Vice President – Gerry Robitaille

Treasurer – Kathleen Rees

Secretary – Bob Wellac

Easters Seals in Espanola - \$950 was raised

Fishing Derby

Packed Horne Lake snow

Used sleds to direct sled traffic on the trails in the area of the Fishing Derby

Winterfest

Packed snow for the dogs sled trails

Parking duties

ELLIOT LAKE MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB

Small club

Many events have been held in the past

Looking forward to working with the Shared Use Trails Groups

9. CORRESPONDENCE

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13. SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

The next scheduled Shared Used Trails meeting is 9 April 2019.

14. ADJOURNMENT

Res#: 4/19

Moved By: R. Seguin

Seconded By: C. King

That the meeting be adjourned at the hour of 5pm.

Carried