

Iowa Whitewater Coalition Board Meeting Minutes

November 17th, convened at 6:10 PM

Members present: Dave Hillman, Chuck Unga, Lynne Majetic, Piper Wall, Peter Komendowski, Lyle Danielson (participation via teleconference)

Previous meeting's minutes: No previous minutes to approve

Treasurer's Report: Lyle provided a treasury report, no objections to report and approved

- Lyle to explore the IWC being an ACA Paddle Club
- Board discussed the current ISUCK Club issues and how the IWC could be part of a solution

Dam Safety Update:

- Dave reported on:
 - Otranto
- Lyle reported on:
 - Klamath river dams

Paddling Instruction Update: The following items were discussed:

- Group discussed 2023 Calendar. Need to get the dates posted to IWC website once they are settled.
- Cedar Rapids , ISU, and Clear Lake Pool Dates set

Environment Stewardship Update:

- No new items

IWC Website Update:

- Lyle informed the group on a request to purchase IWC webpage data. Group discussion was to not entertain the offer.
- Dave working to find a possible commercial source to steward IWC page

Other Discussion:

- Discussed PaddleFest on January 7th, 2023. Presentations by Glenn with a Dams Update and Dave to do a short State of the Union Address
- Group discussed doing a series of Zoom meetings in the Jan/Feb/March timeframe as part of an education series for IWC members.
- T-shirts – group voted to purchase shirts per Piper's details.
- Central Iowa Paddler Armchair series is firing back up - Piper to do the Ocoee trip at the next one

Action Items:

- Group to brainstorm Zoom meeting topics and have ready for next meeting
- Dave to create a IWC FB survey on topics members may want to hear
- Group to collate 2023 IWC Calendar dates

Next regularly scheduled meeting: December TBD, 6PM, Hillman to send out notice.

Meeting adjourned at 7:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Dave Hillman