

Sutter Buttes Unit Meeting January 2024

Attendees

Meeting called to order at 2:10pm by President Gary Paul at the Vallarta Grill, 5th Avenue Oroville, CA 95966. SBU members in attendance Diann Day and Rudy, Gary Paul, Sue Staib, Jackie and Aaron Sandquist, Marlene Rold

Agenda

Last Meeting Follow-up

1. PCT seems to be lightening up on letting SBU back on the trail. They felt after the fire it would be too dangerous for stock to be on the trail. They were worried about our stock falling into burnt roots of the dead burnt trees. We will schedule a spring ride and take saws to see what needs to be done when the snow is gone.
2. Gary will contact the forest service about placing a kiosk at the new chips creek bridge with information regarding the PCT and SBU.

Treasurer's Report

1. Treasurer's report: checking \$1816.17, CD \$2594.01
2. SBU money was moved from Chase Bank to Tri counties; doing this has provided SBU money with better interest rates.

New Business

1. Minutes from our previous meeting approved and read by secretary Marlene Rold
2. BCHC State Executive Meeting will be held in Ceres, California. February 10, 2024. SBU probably will not attend and will have another Unit vote for us by Proxy.
3. Gary volunteered at SBU to host another officers training meeting for the North state units. We have put a deposit on the Dunstone Hall on Saturday February 24, 2024. Gary is making arrangements for it to be catered lunch. The meeting usually lasts 8-4pm. Gary Paul, Marlene Rold, Jackie Sandquist will be attending.
4. BCHC Rendezvous will be held March 22-23rd in Ceres, California at the Diamond Bar Arena. This year's Theme: TRAILS AND TAILS. Registration / information can be found on the BCHC website.
5. April 28, 2024 Paradise Horseman's Horse Festival. SBU has been invited to attend and have a booth. We will promote BCHC and SBU

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here in our area. We can also put on more information and perhaps have some of our mules there for people to see. Jackie Sandquist will get more information for our group.

6. New membership idea. Having a youth camp class hosted by Tracy Nelson (pending BCHC member) To encourage youth to learn about BCHC trails and our historic trail cleaning efforts of the PCT and other popular horse campsites and trails. Youth will be able to join BCHC youth group for \$15 and will be members for the 2 year program. It is our hope the some will become interested in future adult membership in BCHC and our unit SBU.
7. SBU has a new website under construction by Jackie Sandquist. So far it looks really good. Membership is encouraged to check it out. Motion by Diann Day, 2nd by Gary Paul that SBU will reimburse Jackie Sandquist for fees for the website.
8. Updated email Sutterbuttesunitbhc@gmail.com

Next Meeting Agenda

Next SBU meeting scheduled for Sunday March 17th @ 3pm Vallarta Grill, 2100 S. 5th Avenue, Oroville California

3:15pm Motion made for SBU Meeting be adjourned by Sue Staib, 2nd Marlene Rold