

Wreck Beach Preservation Society  
Minutes for Thursday, November 18, 2010  
MV Area West Airport Square  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Norman Laniel, Craig Lefer, Barb Maloney, Laurie Merveille, Brent Partridge, Lance Read, Michelle Postulka, Richard Wallis-MV, Judy Williams, S.Sgt. K.Kenna –  
REGRETS: Rick Fearman, Chris Rarinca, Craig Heale

I. RCMP Update – SS Kevin Kenna

- Headquarters have been asked to do a Policing Resources Study for UBC, UEL and Wreck Beach to see if there are enough resources to police properly to be completed prior to April budget allocation.
- New victims services person has been hired.
- Automobile smash and grabs are an ongoing issue

II. Metro Vancouver Update –Michelle acting Operations Manager; Richard is acting West Area Parks Manager, while Mitch is the Manager for all Metro Vancouver Parks based at Headquarters on an interim basis until that position is filled.

- A. Washroom Meeting Monday Dec. 6 - 7 p.m. is an update with *new concept drawings and give input*. This will include discussion as to the vendor storage.
- B. UBC Public Hearing—November 30, 6 p.m. at the Ponderosa Building. Need large Wreck Beach contingent for this meeting.
- C. Michael Asti-Rose Bench will include flora and fauna only, no human forms
- D. One of the Pit toilets at trail 6 was burnt, sides and floor
- E. Weather has been good most days, squatty / potties closed
- F. Stairs have been leaf blow clear of leaves
- G. Monday Nov. 22, annual Wreck Beach liaison meeting
- H. Shot eagle is recovering nicely at sanctuary

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A. Announcements **and** 2011-12 Calendar for your Perusal (See Attached)

1. Tuesday, November 30 Public Hearing re UBC Land Use Plan Amendments
2. Monday, Dec. 6 Opened-Up Meeting regarding 2012 washrooms for the Trail 6 area of Wreck. 7 p.m.- 73<sup>rd</sup> Street West Parks location.
3. Friday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party - Captain Billy, Chris and Lance will be on the door. No one already intoxicated is to be allowed in. Normand is handling the bar with his three helpers. Barb pre-selling drink tickets. Coat check profits to WBPS

## Up-Coming 2011 Calendar Dates:

1. Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> - Paellapalooza Day in Seattle- To celebrate nude beaches and resorts of Spain—Judy to show and tell...Nude event, I think. NEF is organizing it.
2. Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup>-INF's First International World Nourist Day- Wreckers will commemorate / celebrate in some way. TBA.
3. Saturday, July 2- (2 p.m.!) Third Annual Wreck Beach Skinnydip Record Breaker!

(Formerly Guinness Book of World Records—we will be letting Guinness know we are going for breaking our own record). For each person up to 1000 folks, GRAZE will donate \$2 per naked person; if we hit 1000 or over, GRAZE will donate \$5 per person to the WBPS. For the 2010 skinny-dip, Wreck Beach came in #5 across ALL of North America with 389, but that was impacted by dismal weather. In 2009, we had 489.

Here's how we stacked up with the top ten across North America last summer:

**#1-SFFB ( Haulover)- 748- FL, #2- Cypress Cove, FL- 556, #3-Laguna del Sol- Ca-528, #4-Turtle Lake-Mi- 425, #5- Us Wreck Beach- 389, #6- Paradise Valley, Georgia-, #7-Solair, Ct. 368, #8-Shangri-La, AZ-275, #9- White Tail Resort-VA- 262, #10-Hippie Hollow, TX -251**

4. Saturday, July 16<sup>th</sup>- Wreck Beach Day and 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Body Acceptance Day 2011- Low tide: 1:01 p.m. with a 2.3 foot tide! Lots of sandcastles... and room for the BAM Machine! Wreck Beach Family Portrait Day!
5. Thursday, August 11<sup>th</sup>: 10 a.m. sharp, English Bay Mock Bare Buns Run for Media
6. Saturday, August 13- Annual Wreck Beach Bare Buns and Buns Across the Border Run- We can start at 11:30 or Noon (Low Tide at 3.3 feet) as high tide isn't until 7:08 (14.4 feet)
7. Saturday, September 17- International Coastal Conservancy Clean-UP Day at Wreck: Noon to 4:00 p.m.
8. Friday, September 23-Autumnal Equinox Party-Venue TBA
9. Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> - Wreck Beach Christmas Party for 2011- HH booked.

## Additional Topics

1. International Greek Poll on Nude Recreation Preferences link is <http://www.cut.ac.cy/staff/k.andriotis/survey/>
2. Website Update – Before any re-structuring is done, we need a committee of WBPS. Executive *to review our mandate so as to emphasize what we most wish*

*to do with the WBPS website.* In the meanwhile Lance and Steve have graciously agreed to put up updates as needed.

3. An arborist assessed the washroom area.
4. Watch WBPS website for updates on PANAMEX Pipeline
5. Watch WBPS website for updates on Experience the Fraser Trail developments
6. Triathlon trail closures of Marine Drive July 3<sup>rd</sup>
7. Sacred Salmon celebration at Jericho attended by WBPS
8. Eburn Slough development proposal to remove toxic contaminate and dump off Point Grey to be watched – see updates on WBPS site

Adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

(No December Meeting due to Christmas Party):

Next meeting **Thursday January 20, 2011** 6-7 p.m.

#### 2011 meetings

Thursdays- January 20, February 17, March 17, April 21, May 19- (AGM), June 16, July 21, August 18, September 15, October 20, November 17, January 19, 2012