

Mount Hood Chapter, PCTA Caretaker Meeting Agenda

October 9, 2013

Location: Clackamas REI

Welcome

- Guests:
- Welcome: **Dennis Sheprow, Liz Marriott**
- Absent: **Kim and Pam**

Past Events

- Stats from Jen: **Roberta reviewed report on accomplishment list! WOW! Impressive work we have collectively done. The report will be posted on the website for all to see and awe over!**
- **09/14 – Leif H. – Wacoma Ridge: 11 volunteers that included 3 Boy Scouts and 2 leaders. Accomplished ½ mile of benching and vegetation removal.**
- **Gillette Creek bridge was completed by the Forest Service and in addition created a horse ford in the creek. Looks great!**
- **Kim & Pam repaired a slide at Three-Corner Rock.**
- **Everyone is awaiting the end of the government shut down before scheduling any future trail work.**

Future Events

- See Calendar for more
- **10/26 – Roberta C. assisted by Bill H. - Herman Creek: PCC Wilderness Lit. Class on Roberta section. Hoping the shut down will be over!**

Reports

- Budget. Kim: **No change in the budget to report except we have at least one radio to replace.**
- Tools. Leif – **All is great. Will stock up for next year, i.e., fire extinguishers for chainsaw work. Brushers need repair. If anyone has any trail equipment repair needs please check with Leif. Bill H. has table for display and recruitment purposes: Will put in Portland cache inventory. There is a canopy for same usage in Portland cache inventory as well. Yeah! Tammy should be happy!**
- Trail Skills College: Jeff Booth
Trail Skills College is scheduled for April 25 – 27, 2014.
- Saw Certification:
 - **Jen reports that Bloodborne Pathogen training will be required. She's researching the details. Saw Classes are scheduled for May 2, 3, & 4, 2014. Per David Roe – saw cert. rescheduled for Jan. 2014**
- Training and Safety: Open
 - **Day Long set for Nov 16. Location: Estacada Public Library**
 - **Crew Leadership meeting/training – 8:00am – 2:00pm: Will review safety and forms. Kim will help review radio skills. About 25 people have RSVP'd. See you all there!**
 - **CPR class will be held after the Crew Leadership meeting – 3 hours**
- Dana – **nothing to report!**
- Volunteer Coordinator. Tammy
 - **Tammy will be going to Mont Bell Grand Opening that is supposed to open the 19th/20th of October. Mont Bell sponsorship leans towards expeditions, unlikely we'd get sponsorship from them.**
 - Picnic Review
Steve Q. will bring paper products
Roberta will purchase eating utensils in lieu of throw-away plastic
Great Grill Master Leif served up the main entree!

Discussion Items

- **PCTA Fundraiser Wednesday Nov 13 at Keen headquarters –the caretaker meeting cancelled**
- Signs for Ramona Falls section – **Bill H. has signage**