

Trails Committee
September Regular Meeting

Wednesday 9/5/2018, 5:30pm, City Hall, Room 303
Any questions, contact Bill Dyer, Trails Committee Chairman, 203-668-8707

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AGENDA

1. 5:30 pm Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance
2. Approve Minutes of the August meeting
3. Public Portion (items not on agenda) –
4. Membership Issues –
5. Recent Trails Activities – Work Parties Boehm Pond Trail and Nicholdale/Stockmal Trail. Jim, Mark and Mike tree clearing efforts and mowing numerous trails
6. Projects planned for the near future
 - a. Concern for American Chestnut Tree on Lane Street Extension/Rec Path
 - b. Trail Monitoring program – Generating timely reports of downed trees and other trails issues – Working well
 - c. Impact on Birchbank Trail for variance for 89 Okenuck Way
 - d. Shelter Ridge Project – Status
 - e. Encourage hikers to participate in storm cleanup and personal trail maintenance
7. Guided Hikes/Events – Publicity and logistics
 - a. Full Moon Hike, Sunday, September 23, Nicholdale, 7 pm
 - b. Shelton Day Booth, Sunday, October 7
 - c. Buddington Loop Hike, Saturday, October 20, Buddington Parking, 3:00 pm
 - d. Turkey Trot Hike, Sunday, November 25, TTT, 1:00 pm
8. Potential Work Party – Review progress and confirm schedule during meeting
 - a. Trail cleanup – Oak Valley, Tahmore, Buddington to Dog Park
 - b. Cleaning and reorganizing the barn
 - c. More trail cleanup
 - d. Upgrade kiosks
 - e. Other?
9. Equipment and Expenses
 - a. Equipment to be maintained
 - b. Items to be bought for volunteers – Anything new?
 - c. Expenses to submit – must be less than \$100.
10. Eagle Scout Projects – Planned and Potential
 - a. Basil Brook Bypass improvements
 - b. Riverview stairs
 - c. Improvements at Hope Lake for fishing
 - d. Discuss other projects and candidates.
11. Comments by members
12. Adjournment until next regularly scheduled meeting October 3, 2018