

## *Twin Rivers Paddle Club*



### **CRAVEN COUNTY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE**

406 Craven Street, New Bern, NC

### **MEETING MINUTES**

March 12, 2019

**President:** 7:05 pm, Randy began the meeting by welcoming members/guests. Newcomers were given the opportunity to introduce themselves.

**Vice President:** Carolyn Borgert, no report.

**Treasurer:** Ellie Toombs submitted the following financial report:

Beginning balance	\$2,269.86
Income	\$100.50
Outflow	<b>\$44.50</b>
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Ending balance as of 02/05/19	\$2,325.86

**Secretary:** Rick Tollmann stated that February's minutes was sent to all members via our closed email system. Terry Rich made a motion to accept, motion was seconded and adopted.

**Communications:** Bud Curtis informed the club that our web site is working without any issues.

**Craven County Recreation and Parks:** Mark Seymour stated that there are currently four people signed up for the beginner's class. *[Craven County Recreation & Parks Department, Twin Rivers Paddle Club, and Sound Rivers are sponsoring a kayaking class starting Thursday, April 18 from 5:30-7:00 pm at Creekside Park. The class will run every Thursday for four weeks. Cost for the class is \$50 per person. For more information, contact Mark Seymour, [mseymour@cravencountync.gov](mailto:mseymour@cravencountync.gov) or 636-6606.]*

### **Old Business:**

Past Paddles: Only one paddle this past month, that was on Brice's Creek headed by Bill Web.

Rescue Class: Terry and John stated that the class consisted of 7 participants, several volunteers and many observers. There was good discussion throughout, followed by very good feedback. Dave Monk mentioned that he learned much and received some very good advice.

## **New Business:**

### Upcoming Events and Paddles:

March 15 – 17 Merchant's Mill Pond State Park. Kayaking, hiking, camping, contact John Bert for additional info.

April 14 -20. Bill Hines and Larry Summers will once again be leading their Capital to capital [Raleigh to New Bern] paddle down the Neuse River.

April 20, Handcock Creek to Pine Cliffs paddle, Rick Tollmann

(See TRPC web site for details) <http://twinriverspaddleclub.org/activities/schedule-2019>

Beginners kayak class: April 18, 25, May 2 & 9. 5:30-7:00 pm at Creekside Park.  
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

## **Standing Committee Reports:**

Safety & Training: Terry Rich handed out "BE SMART, BE SAFE, HAVE FUN" A beginner's guide to safer paddling.

### **Program:**

Bud continued his program on how members can contribute to TRPC's web site. If you wish to learn more, please contact Bud Curtis.

8:30 PM Meeting Adjourned

Rick Tollmann, Secretary

**NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at 7:00 PM. Craven County Admin.  
Building, 406 Craven Street, New Bern**