Twin Rivers Paddle Club



CRAVEN COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION

1821 Old Airport Road, New Bern, N.C. 28562

MEETING MINUTES March 9, 2021

President: In the absence of the president, Randy Siler, Mary Traina, treasurer, opened the Zoom meeting at 6:06 PM, Seven members attended.

Vice President: Mark Krcmar absent; no report.

Treasurer: Mary Traina submitted a separate report. She said her transition to the new treasurer is complete. Earlier she had difficulty getting bank authority to sign checks. Now she has that authority. The previous treasurer, Ethel Toombs is backup. The end of March is the delayed deadline this year to pay dues because of confusion related to changes of address of the County Parks and Recreation operation.

Terry suggested sending reminder about dues.

Secretary: Michael Murrie said he explored assuming communication duties but is not ready to commit this month.

Communications: No report; Bud Curtis absent.

Craven County Parks and Recreation: Chris Worsinger said there are 12 slots for the paddle class in May. Six are reserved. Also refurbishing dock at Creekside Park is scheduled for May but details to be worked out.

Old Business:

Past paddles and events:

Terry Rich led a Pickup Paddle on Bryce's Creek Feb. 27. Greg Bachard had been out a few times with a new kayak and Bill Webb on longer paddles.

New Business:

Upcoming Paddles and events:

April 24, Mark leads a trip to Carrot Island with departure from Fisherman's Park in Beaufort.

April 30-May 3, Goose Creek camping and paddle. If not camping, go to Dinah's Landing for the Saturday trip, nine miles north of Washington.

The class in cooperation with the Craven County Parks and Recreation Department is scheduled for Thursday evenings, May 6, 13, 20, 27. Terry said club volunteers needed

Terry presented spring safety suggestions about inspection of kayaks and other gear.

Meeting adjourned 6:42 p.m.

Michael Murrie, Secretary

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, April 13.