

CVR Meeting Notes

September 2, 2008

NEXT MEETING – Tuesday October 7th at Papa Pete's

- Need to change the ad in The Daily News to reflect the new meeting spot – **Keli Davenport**
- Need to reserve Papa Pete's for October 7th – **Dale Wernicke - Done**

Financial Report

- Balance \$3397.66
- Net outlay of \$225 for the month of August. Gift certificates to three schools for shoes for a needy athlete.
- Insurance comes due in November.
- Last meeting discussed putting \$500 in a CD to earn better interest – **Dave Hunter**

Legal

- Need to cut a check for \$10 to "Secretary of State" to renew CVR's status of non-profit organization. Mike Claxton will send in the check, **Becky/Dave** to get the check to **Mike**.

Web Site

- Web site fee is being up'd from \$8.95 to \$12.95 per month
- Explored options on how to direct more traffic to the web site:
 - Cowlitz Today, Cowlitz on the Move, RRCA link, ORRC link, Clark County (no link page?), Border Crossers (new walking organization)

Runs:

Relay for Life

- Raised \$227,000 overall. This was \$7,000 above the goal!
- Will do this again next year, in support of Mike Vorse, would like to see more volunteers to cover the event. Neil Potter showed some interest in helping to co-ordinate. We will discuss further as 2009 kicks off.
- Next year will probably have silent auctions rather than the raffle ticket system.
- Mike Claxton won the IPOD; Dale Wernicke won a spa gift basket.

Mt Mania

- Had 118 runners participate, raised \$2350 for the city of Castle Rock
- Dave Vorse offered to help with the insurance costs that CVR covers for the event in the future. Currently we see no issue with covering the event as annual fees pay for the insurance. We appreciate Dave's offer.

Year to Year

- Posted on the web site. Cathy Slater will RD the event. Need volunteers. Making posters for the event.

Kilted Run

- Scheduled for September 13th at Tamo-Shantner park. Start time 8:00am, volunteers be there by 7:30am. Laura Moore will RD the event. Need more volunteers. Race distances are 5K & 15K. Fee \$5 without shirt. Long sleeve shirts are available for \$15.

YMCA Run

- The YMCA wishes to sponsor a local race and would like to get ideas from CVR. Did not hook up with Rosavel Smith Jr. We may have give him the wrong date for the club meeting. Will contact him with the next meeting date – **Dick Anderson**

New:

- Update from Becky on the gift certificates for running shoes for needy athletes from local schools.
 - Kelso certificate given to Joe Stewart who has a candidate
 - Toutle has no team, so Beckie will draw from hat for an alternative school.
 - Kalama – Have called and left messages for the athletic director, but have not yet received a reply.
- September 20th there will be a tribal walk around the Lake. Dick did not have details like start area or time, but reported that it will be posted in the Daily News...keep an eye out.

- Dale plans to send out an email to gauge interest in a Hood to Coast team for 2009. Application date is October 12, 2008. Look for an email the week of September 8th.

Attendance:

Dale Wernicke
Haus Scraufus
Bill Davenport

Jim Renaud
Janice Higby
Keli Davenport

Mike Vorse
Duane Higby
Dick Anderson

Dave Vorse
Becky Hunter
Mike Claxton