

Wreck Beach Preservation Society  
Meeting Agenda  
Metro Vancouver Offices  
Thursday, August 19, 2010  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Norman Aucliare, Rick Fearman, Craig Heale, Marilyn Hogan, James Loewen, Barb Maloney, Brent Partridge, Lance Read, Leslie Stark, Aunika Stark-Kelly, Richard Wallace, Judy Williams

Introduction of guest, Nathalie of Painted Ladies. With greatest apologies for being out of commission for the past 5 days

I. RCMP Update - NOT present

- a. Some discussion re possible change of police force at beach - to be persuade
- b. Perceived police aggressiveness with police dogs during sunset closures and searching of packs. Dogs have been brought down several times lately.
- c. We need closing time extended by half an hour. Does not look good to general public. To be discussed next meeting with RCMP & MV
- d. Selection of beach officers should be screened – e.g. exclusion of officers who are offended by public nudity
- e. No-gos are both an RCMP and MV call
- f. Unlicensed vendors selling at top of trail 6 are equally out of bounds. e.g. A book seller is currently on a 6 day no-go order. Repeat offenders receive longer no-gos.
- g. Contact person when Stf. Sgt. is away on holidays or out of town.
- h. Many thanks for helpfulness of staff in setting up tents during the Run and day before the run; it was a wicked vile day, weather wise, but still, we had 63 runners! Date of Run for 2011 is Sun., Aug. 14

II. Metro Vancouver- (20 Minutes)

- a. Museum of Anthropology - - No response back yet from C&CP with regard to measurements in order to determine weight of 6-inches of water and slide threat in case of liquefaction. MV's knowledge of this since 2008 with no notification to our group. MV is not going to get involved. "We do not like to comment on other peoples property use" - Richard
- b. Where specifically, are we with the washrooms and what is the story about location on the beach? Are we firm on there being no vendor bins besides the washrooms, but rather where they are currently located?

**Lance will contact Vancouver Coastal Health in regards to food equipment storage next to an active washroom.**

- c. What is happening with the deodorizers? - MV is trying new products.
- d. Upper washroom venting was not venting odors – Now working again
- e. Textiles vs naturists remains an issue MV is working on
- f. Recycling bags with notice are being distributed

- g. Amount of litter is increasing, an average of 2 to 3 filling 5 full sized garbage bags **every day** at first light left over from previous night – Suggestion to have a contest to create a Litter-Bug.
- h. MV have been using boat when able to, to take away bags of litter.

### III. Wreck Beach Preservation Society

- a. Announcements- • Craig's Birthday coming up. • My Haida carved eagle hand grip walking stick taken from me at the beach on Sunday, August 15 and I hope the universe brings it back. • new posters of family and skinnydip now ready! • \$6 for two! Get them from Barbara and Gaillen at the ice cream stand! (Wreck beach bare!) Sept. 11- Blow-Out Raffle Day ; Sept. 18-Marine Coastal Clean-Up
- b. Monies still coming in from BBuns run.
- c. We only need 180 more completed surveys of beach usage habits to complete a statistically-significant 1000 surveys. Anthony has volunteered to make a map showing where all the postal codes of residence are. Once I have entered the data into XL spread sheets, we should be able to cross tabulate the results.
- d. Natalie's Painted Lady Proposal for fundraising on the beach.
- e. Volunteers to help!
- f. Offer to manage WBPWebsite from **Michael @ nautilus-intl.com**

Adjourned at 7: 33 p.m.  
Next Meeting: September 16- 6 p.m.