

Brandon Disc Golf Club Meeting - April 18, 2024

Jaxson Wallace - Co-Chair

Sharon Enns - Co-Chair

Jess Giesbrecht - Secretary

1. Call to Order

1.1 Time: 7:11pm

2. Approval of Agenda

2.1 Moved: Jaxson

2.2 Seconded: Sharon

3. Approval of Minutes

3.1 Moved: Sharon

3.2 Seconded: Jaxson

4. Old Business

4.1 Delegation to City Council

- Try for June 3
- Right after the tournament - wait until partly through May to submit the form
 - Can always bump it until July 8
- Need to assemble a 10 minute presentation - there will be a question period afterwards
 - We are anticipating this question: why this course, and not the course that will be at the outdoor sports complex?
 - Who is responsible for the baskets? Who takes on this maintenance and ownership of equipment?
- We could say that the city will own the equipment, but the club will be in charge of maintenance
- Create a subcommittee for this issue, and discuss this at a separate meeting
- Before the City Council meeting:
 - Sponsorship pledges from businesses
 - PDGA has sample letters we can use
 - Quote for course costs, so we can know how to break down sponsorship tiers
 - Endorsement letter from Parks department
 - Reach out to other municipalities about the positive impacts of disc golf courses
 - Who might be interested in giving us letters like this?

- Altona, Carman, RM of Stanley

4.1.1 Parks Department endorsement update

- Letter is done
- Will submit the map of the course together with the letter
- Need to discuss who is responsible for the equipment before we send the letter
 - Send email to Justine, ask what to do - we don't want to send it without these things being taken care of/talked about

4.2 Banking update

- We have a bank account and some money
- Still trying to figure out the formatting for the quarterly financial report

4.3 Website and email update

- We have a website and an email

5. New Business

5.1 May tournament

- Things we need to do:
 - Update scoring cards with the correct pars for new layout and rules for OB on the back
 - Caddy book
 - Updating the player email
 - Tee signs
 - Ideas for prizes/player packs
 - No CTP
 - Poster is finished but not posted yet on FB- once it is, Sharon will post to the group
 - Draft up Google maps short three hole layout for Fresh Air Fitness - Jaxson
 - We will have a membership registration sheet at the tournament and the Fresh Air Fitness event

5.2 Business/Community sponsorship

- We have a list of businesses
- Adapt the PDGA letter - can use it as our starting document, but change some phrasing
- Things to include: how does disc golf benefit local businesses? What is disc golf?

6. Action Items

- Quote for course costs - 9 basket, 16 tees, signage (Jaxson will talk to Eric G about signs)
 - Also ask for just baskets and tees, and just baskets
 - Talk to MVP person as well - Sharon
- Conversation about ownership of course assets - Sharon

- Endorsement letter - Sharon
- Writing of pledge letter - Jaxson
- Municipality testimonies - Jaxson will talk to Eric and Terrell about RM of Stanley
- Schedule the date that we want to present to City council
- Start brainstorming things to put in presentation to City Council – have a document everyone can add to to get started
- Create and practice presentation

7. Next meeting

- Mid-May depending on schedules

8. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned at 8:10pm