Black Hills Climbers Coalition Meeting Minutes

Hay Camp Brewery October 15, 2018

1. Donation Box

- One in Roamin' Around
- Granite Sports needs one
- High Mountain Outfitters in Spearfish and Custer both need one
- Need a tear-off sheet to accompany the boxes

2. Custer State Park

No response from CSP regarding renewing the MOU

3. Helicopters

It has been reported that some of the helicopters are flying so low they drown out conversations. Suggestions include:

- Photos take photos
- Request to move the flight path
- Contact the FAA
- Talk to owners
- Craig Kenyon is going to draft a letter for the board to review

4. Reel Rock - Nov. 9

- American Alpine Club backed out, so all proceeds go to the BHCC
- Two partial sponsors: Granite Sports and Sylvan Rocks
- There will still be swag from other businesses
- Granite Sports is providing a raffle for a camping package
- Someone will check with Hay Camp to see if they would offer ½ price first beer after the show.
- T-shirts have been ordered \$20 for members; \$25 for non-members
- Luke Ross will do a slide show
- Make rope rugs to sell at the show
- Investment so far: \$1250 film; \$1000 Elks; \$540 T-shirts
- Advertising press releases sent; posters printed and ready for distribution; Facebook event created.
- Set-up at 5:00; doors open at 6:00; show starts at 7:00
- Devil's Tower will have a short information documentary on bats and the white-nose syndrome; they will also have a table of information
- BHCC will have a table to sell t-shirts and sign up members

5. Bolting Update

No update

6. Grant for Re-bolting

• The BHCC received a \$1000 matching grant from the Access Fund, ClimbTech and American Alpine Club for glue-in bolt and anchor replacements. The grant states that the repairs need to be done within one year, must show results (before and after photos), matched with \$1000 from the BHCC, for routes in Spearfish Canyon.

Other:

Tater is having his Pumpkin Party on Oct 27 – all are invited Dan O'Brien of Wild Idea Buffalo hosting Yvonne Chouinard on November 3rd. Question came up regarding the naming of a formation near Buckhorn.