Crozet Trails Crew

Monthly Meeting

Thursday, May 26, 2016

La Joya, Crozet, VA

*Present: Bob, Clover, Phil, Carolyn, Tom, Jan*

1. Building
   1. We need to mow and trim the CCT from Westhall bridge to Fairwinds Lane bollard in Western Ridge, plus Nicolet Court in West Lake and through the woods trail. We hope do this on our June 4 workday, maybe split into two groups. Addendum: weather bad June 4, moved to midweek on Tuesday, June 7.
   2. Henley Hornets trail – we need a 3-5’ bridge over the muck halfway along the trail (currently logs that are slippery and unsafe) - possible design project for Caroline Bertrand’s group (work with Phil)?
   3. Foothill Crossing Bridge – on left at the bottom of Park Ridge, trail down to CCC, riprap section on an angle. Work on it June 18? Have the wood, need post hole diggers (Phil has one).
   4. Creekside Trail – need to reroute to alternate route to avoid muck and create trail up to sidewalk, which will eventually lead to Jarmans Gap. Find right spot and clear to the Birmingham Drive Cul de Sac. First step is to flag it out, which we might do Thursday July 21, with workday Sat July 23 to actually create the new trail. Addendum: first steps worked on Sat, June 4 when mowing had to be postponed.

1. Planning
   1. Trail at Beaver Creek (via boat) – tabled
   2. Trail amenities along Connector Trail (signs, benches, etc.) – plaque for Lickinghole Basin bench will be a memorial for John Brauner (Carolyn will donate $100). Clover will email Jess to get this started, and copy Carolyn.
   3. Need sign from park and from dog park to trail ; waiting on property transfer
   4. This Tuesday 5/31 9 am Phil needs help putting railings on bridge at Lickinghole Basin.
   5. The second bridge below the dog park is unfinished. We need to add to 4 posts/ footings. Should the bridge be arced? Maybe a late July or early August workday.
   6. It was suggested that we offer memorial plaques for a donation as a CTC fundraiser.
   7. Crozet Park perimeter trail update: the RFP has gone out, hope to start in July. Signs will be needed, funds have been earmarked.

1. Other
   1. June 25 - Starr Hill IPA Jambeeree (11am-7pm) - need volunteers and materials. If we volunteer in 2-hour shifts, 2 people per shift, we need 8 people. Jess has created a signup genius at [**www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C084EA5AE22A13-ipa**](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084EA5AE22A13-ipa)
   2. July 2 Independence Day parade and festival – Bob will be out of town, Phil might be. Meet at Crozet Elementary at 4:00. Wear CTC shirt – who’s buying the candy? Need as many folks as possible to staff the beer truck! Jess needs to set up Signup Genius or send main one to Clover. At least 4 people per shift.
   3. Re-print of Connect Crozet T-shirts (sponsors? Non-Stop Landscaping? Alb. County Parks? Crozet Running? No charge to them, but put their logos on the back?) – map is out of date.
   4. Local girl scout troop wants a service project for 8-10 4th & 5th graders – weed radio building and along back fence. Need another project - spread mulch? (Two projects totaling 10 hours). Jess will contact troop leader.
   5. Summer – Caroline Bertrand’s WAHS project, technical drawing, engineering & architectural drawing – maps, gazebos designed, etc. – design bridge for HH trail with Phil? She is meeting with Dan on Wed., we will see what he prefers.
   6. CTC can design and donate a plaque for the Crozet Park perimeter trail? We would need to get approval from the Park Board and family. Adrianne will design something with Jessica. Memorial sign with benches may be placed at the dip near the dam.
   7. Start planning for CTC 5K race on October 8th - Who wants to help with the organizing? Janet & Pat? Nikki? Teri & Tom will solicit raffle prizes. Anybody else? Since the meeting was so small, we tabled this until the June meeting.

Midweek workdays (possible):

* Tues 5/31 9-11 (LB bridge)
* June 16 (?) July 7 (benches or bridges)
* July 21

Next workdays:

* Saturday June 4th (mowing)
* Saturday June 18th (Foothill Xing bridge)
* July 23 (Creekside alternate trail)

Next Meeting: Thursday, June 23rd