

Crozet Trials Crew Meeting
October 19, 2023, 6:30 P.M., Botanical

Present: Terri, Teri, Debbi, Niki, Rhonda, John, Joe, Nancy, Mike, Michael, Leslie, Mark, Joe, Schuyler, Colleen

Old Business:

1. **Treasurer's Report:** Teri reported that CTC has \$23,669 a portion of which is allocated to the bridge fund. CTC will retain \$5K for general use. This funds on hand include registration fees and t-shirt sponsor payments related to the upcoming 5/10K race.
2. **Lickinghole Bridge:** Terri noted that the 20K pledge donors want to review the language related to the announcement of the matching gift campaign. Terri, Michael, Christina will meet monthly to coordinate efforts related to the bridge campaign. A meeting with ACPR to review the MOU will be held on November 1st at 10 AM. Those interested in attending should contact Terri.
3. **Western Ridge Bridge:** A workday was held on October 4th to cut the wood which was later transported to the site for installation on October 21st.
4. **October 28th 5K Race:** Schuyler reported that they have 150+ registrants of which 50 have signed up for the 10K. Volunteers should arrive by 8:45 AM. The 10K starts at 9:45 AM. Volunteers are needed to park cars and drive the WAHS players to their respective posts. Terri is going to man a table with materials related to the bridge campaign. John and Schuyler will mark the trail.
5. **Trail signs:** An Eagle Scout is presenting a proposal to his troop for a project installing a few signs and benches along the trails. Possible trail signs to be installed at Nicolette Court and Old Trail. Joe will identify the area in Old Trail in order for Terri to verify that the site is on ACPR property.
6. **Trimmers:** Eric will work on the trimmers.
7. **Holiday party:** December 17th at the Miyamotos' home.
8. **Jim Duncan:** He has offered to arrange and pay for a trail map. He is soliciting bids.

New Business:

1. **Old Trail – reestablish and maintain trail:** A group met with Tucker to assess the feasibility of reestablishing and maintaining a trail in Old Trail. The trail runs from the Community Garden, behind the fields and exits near the Lodge. It was agreed that CTC should pursue reestablishing the trail. CTC has reached out to Old Trail's HOA about the plan and requested that the HOA agree to co-maintain it with CTC.
2. **Crozet Car Show:** The Crozet Car Show sponsors have named CTC as the charity to receive its proceeds from the 2024 car show. CTC must provide volunteers for parking, selling raffle tickets, and picking the winning car. Michael has volunteered to participate at planning meetings and to oversee CTC's participation. The donation to CTC will approximate \$4K.
3. **County Greenway Signs:** CTC has received County Greenway signs for installation. John will walk the Connector trail to identify where signs are needed. Joe and Colleen will do the same along the Creekside trails. A student seeking to fill community hours has volunteered to clean the signs along the trails.
4. **Independence Day 2024:** The Independence Day festival and fireworks will be held at King Family Winery. CTC has been asked to provide volunteers to sell wine and beer. CTC will not march in the parade which will have the same route ending at the Park.

Upcoming Workdays, Events:

Projects for Follow Up:

1. Mobile app/QR codes – Jason has volunteered to research creating a QR code/Mobil app for our trails.

Possible Future Projects:

1. Crozet Mobile Park Build a trail to connect to main trails.
2. Identify new trails
3. Gravel installation – Consider graveling patches of the connector trail prone to mud.

Next Meeting – November 30, 2023, 6:30 Crozet Park Community Building