

CSCAA quarterly meeting

April 9, 2026

Present: Jim Trett, Jo Jablo, Connie Strong, Vic Lippert, Cliff Lawrence, Emily Witczak, Chelsea MacGough, Travis Hughes, Jeremiah Rasca,

Zoom: Jerry Woodcock, Venessa Fiedler, Adrienne Chodnowsky, Kai Markle, Guy Greider, Robert Braendle

Jim called the meeting to order at 6:39 pm.

Attendance was taken and introductions were made. The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Adrienne reported on all things camp. She is currently doing staff interviews, and there are 742 campers enrolled at this point, with several units/sessions already full. She is doing a lot of work developing the Bold and Gold (B&G) program for high schoolers that will start this summer. She is also busy marketing camp at many events around town.

She is still needing nurses for seasons 1,4, and 9. And there will be a need for host families for international counselors this summer.

Jerry updated us on the golf tournament. It will take place on July 13, 2026 at Creekside Golf course. The hours have changed this year, with the start time moving up to 9 am. This allows for an earlier finish time that will work well the planned hors d'oeuvre/drinks hour planned instead of the dinner. We will still do the awards, speaker and raffle baskets. Donofrio's sponsorship is in question at this time, so we are looking for a new potential title sponsor.

Guy spoke briefly about the pool. We are still waiting for approval to move ahead from the state.

Jo spoke briefly about the Amy Hudkins Macht planting/memorial. She will visit the preferred nursery next week and work with the park staff to set a date for the planting, tentatively in early June Notice will be sent out regarding this event.

Jim mentioned that the by law change regarding officers' terms will be made at the July meeting. He accepted the resignation of Johanna Burgess from the Board. He announced that we are accepting nominations for new board members. Jo will send out a request via social media. Nominations for the Heart and Soul award are also being accepted. All nominations can be sent to CSCAA@theyonline.org.

Robert reported that the only expense in the last quarter was for the Holiday Postcards. He added that we still have some money in the Umpqua account and we requested Jeremiah to remove as much as possible.

Then he explained the situation with the YMCA regarding who we are and if we can continue to use their Tax ID for fund raising purposes.. We are a quasi-part of the Y, not a separate entity. Legally all money belongs to the Y if we stay this way. The other option is to withdraw from the Y's umbrella and operate as our own 501c3 for tax purposes. This would involve a lot of work. If we stay with the Y, we will keep control of our money and ask for various checks and balances.

Travis gave an explanation of the Y's new accounting firm Y.E.S.S. and how this request came about.

A motion was made to consolidate our finances with the Salem Family YMCA with written agreements regarding how we use and control our finances. This motion passed unanimously.

Vic told us that the Work day this year would be Tuesday June 16 at camp. He will work with Adrienne and the park staff to determine projects for this year.

The next meeting will be held on July 30, 2026 at camp.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 p.m.