

CSCAA Annual Meeting

July 30, 2026

Present: Chuck Hudkins, Sue Hudkins, Connie Strong, Meredith Sangster, Erin Upton, “Pirate”, Chelsea McGough, Venessa Fiedler, Jerry Woodcock, Eric Miller, Emily Witczek, Kai Markle, Liam Crateau, Syvon Adams, Lily Desantis, Vic Lippert, Cicily Thrush, Lydia Hinkle, Acariyae McCrae, Eleaqua McCrae, Russ Garrett, Marty Adams. Jo Jablo, Jim Trett

Introductions were made.

No one remembered the last minutes, so they will be sent out again, with this one for approval at the next meeting.

Jo gave an update on the Amy Macht memorial. She passed around a picture of the proposed planting and the verbiage for the rock. She explained where the quote came from and then shared a short reading on connections.

Jim informed us that it was time to elect new board members. He presented four nominations to the board; Russ Garrett, Marty Adams, Chelsea McGough and Eric Miller. Several recommendations were shared. Connie shared that she believed the vote needed to be by all board members, so it was agreed that Jo would send out a ballot to all current board members.

Moving onto officers, there were no new applications for these positions. Vic moved that we suspend the rules and vote to continue with the current slate of officers. Connie seconded. The motion passed and the current officers will remain for two more years.

In Guy’s absence, Jim gave a report on the pool replacement project. The state is still saying no, however, guy and Jim continue working with them. Apparently, the Parks assumed that we would build a new shower house also, and when we said we were not, they don’t want the pool built before they have the money to replace the shower house. They are also meeting other folks; Senator Fred Girod, Parks Chief Lisa Sumption, Beth on ways to get movement. Girod showed strong support both the project and camp in general, and hopes to get the funds allocated at the next legislation session. We will continue to raise interest in groups/people outside our circle.

Jim then an update on the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) we are working on with the YMCA as we proceed to move our money to their control. This will be our assurance of having control of the funds when they are under the Y’s banking.

Robert added that we had closed the Umpqua account and are working on moving the Key Bank account to the Y, per the MOU.

No awards were present this year. Jim explained that changes are being made to the awards process and those will be made at the fall meeting.

Jerry shared a wrap up of the Golf tournament. We went with an earlier start time and this was well received. There was a full roster of teams. Once again, Donofrio was the Title Sponsor, and there were many other large sponsors and donations. Final figures are not in yet, but we feel we raised over \$50,000 for camp scholarships. Camp Director Wendybird (Cate Derscheid) gave an awesome speech on the benefits of camp and the importance of scholarship help for many campers.

Jim shared information he's gathered from parents at camp check-in. We are getting campers from all over the world. We need to stress this fact when we get ready to fund raise for the pool.

Also we need to improve our social media presence in order to reach more alumni.

Meeting was adjourned.