Mackenzie Nordiques minutes Jan 7, 2018

Present: Christine Souka, Olivia Van Jarrett, Elaine Bambrick, Jim Atkinson, Jim Wellsman, Ron Paterson, Jason Neumeyer, Barb Paterson

Jim W had contacted RCMP to talk about how to deal with people damaging our cabins etc. RCMP did not return call at this date.

Presentation to council regarding: request for \$15000 for seed money to apply for NDIT grant and request letter of support for our application to NDIT, presentation will be Jan 8 at council, Elaine and Barb to do presentation.

Discussed phased development around trailer clubhouse, First phase to put snow roof over trailer and north side of trailer to create storage space for groomer, some improvements to trailer and covered deck on south side of trailer.

Have had meetings with Golf Club, they are willing to have us use the clubhouse but unable to give us an amount it would cost at this time, decided that we would not use it this year as we have enough going on with creating storage for groomer.

Discussed community forest grant for lights, Barb will talk to Rob about this. Also discussed swipe cards to initiate lights at night, and motion detectors to determine how much usage of trails. Jim A suggested that we should also be applying to Community Forest for any cabin and trail upgrades, (culverts at north end of lost lake) that needs to be done, we could add on trail signage.

Groomers should be emailing Olivia with what they have groomed and she can put it on the website. <a href="mailto:oliviavj@gmail.com">oliviavj@gmail.com</a>

Maintenance of sled and fuel for sled remain a concern. CNC looking in to danger tree assessing/awareness course that we may be able to have them look at areas that we need looked at.

Update of Community Forest lighting grant, if lights are bought by end of April 2018 we can keep the grant.

Next meeting Feb 4, 2018