1. Meeting Minutes for October 13th sent to cmte for approval
2. Steve Wolf and Jennie Popovich provided Trip Development Plan 2021 Season on October 13th.
3. Sandy Heise appointed in September as CMC Press Liaison to BPX Ops Committee has accepted an outside engagement and resigns as CMC Press Liaison but will remain a BPX Trip Leader
4. MOU with FFX proposed; no final acceptance as of 10/31
5. G Drive – multiple questions and responses
6. BPX Birthday Bash held 10/17 with approximately 30 attendees. Funds from attendance and a donation result in approximately $360 revenue which will cover the $160 pavilion rental
7. Uwe Sartori’s business provided $150 in gift cards to BPX Trip Leaders leading their first backpack and non-committee leader who led the most trips. Randy Blosser and Uwe Sartori received a one-year annual membership as the committee members leading the most BPX trips in the first season
8. Recognition of John, Jennie, and Linda as BPX Founders was made at the Birthday Bash; they received commemorative plaques.
9. Inquiry of CMC Staff related to dues to be charged to BPX members initiated; request to have staff direct developer to accomplish made; initial timing to be January 2021; dues in amount of $20 per person
10. MYEMMA communication with BPX Ldrs asking for trip ideas due by November 8th.
11. Linda Taipale resigned from cmte as Facebook Coordinator; Maggie Burns accepted position if we can develop a team approach vs a single volunteer; position advertised in October issue of ‘Backcountry Cache’
12. Leila Murphy accepted volunteer position as ‘Backcountry Cache’ newsletter; request of Staff for access to MYEMMA made and implemented; Linda will be coaching her in future months
13. Resignation of John Walters as Chair effective April 2021 sent to cmte on 10/29/2020

15. Chair provided document identifying 2021 Trip RollOut Procedures

16. Research Team initiated update of BPX Trip Summaries from CMC Activity Schedule inputs by 2020 Trip Leaders

17. Bill Greer, El Pueblo Group, interviewed as potential non-voting member of BPX with potential to aid Trip Leader Development


19. Core Values article posted on CMCDENVER.or BPX website

20. Noted that WFA Field Sessions were all canceled for November due to Colorado’s CV19 restrictions being tightened. Lack of both Leader in Training trips and WFA field sessions is backlogging ability to increase number of trip leaders for all sections and Groups.

21. John Broadbooks, Western Slope, accepted as a BPX Trip Leader

22. Jason Antin, CMC Board member, SAR Volunteer, Colorado Mountain School Instructor, will be speaker at 2/17 events; no fee involved

23. Transition Team of Uwe, Linda & John to develop transition for Chair and other roles that will be open when John and Linda retire April 2020.

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