

E-6	<u>Fort Langley Development Proposal – Conwest/Vicini Homes</u> - (Betty reported) development and housing happening near the Cultural Center will impact FLCC (eg Parking). Betty will continue to keep a connection there to bring forward FLCC’s concerns.
E-7 NEW	<u>Bailing Schedule</u> – ACTION: Pam and Heather will contact membership (by email) asking for volunteers
E-8* NEW	<u>Township of Langley Return-to-Play Requirements:</u> (Joanne reported) Effective April 6, ToL has given a read-out of Covid (safety related) requirements. ACTION: Joanne, Dave, Betty, Denise, Heather and Gralin (and also BCS?) will connect with ToL to work through these protocols on behalf of all FLCC divisions.
E-9* NEW	<u>Fundraiser – Hanging Baskets:</u> profit of \$7 for FLCC per sold basket. ACTION: Betty will set up the application for this effort on behalf of FLCC ACTION: Pam and Heather will present it to the membership
F	SAFETY BUSINESS - See attached report;
F-1	<u>Safety Coordinator Job Description</u> – (Mary reported) ACTION: Mary and Jen will work on preparing a final draft of Safety Coordinator Job Description to be presented at next meeting.
F-2* NEW	<u>Low Water Considerations:</u> concern expressed over the extreme low water levels with a view to what that might mean for the late summer months. Perhaps the chance of a federal grant for potential dredging – rowers, First Nations, paddle wheeler communities also would be impacted by a compacted channel. Joanne has been communicating to paddlers to ‘stay to the right’ of channel. ACTION: Betty will be meeting with ToL rep (Tab) and will address this, with other topics.
G	MEMBERS AT LARGE - BUSINESS - See attached report;
G-1	<u>Canoe Dock and Deflector:</u> needed work was completed by Dave, Gralin, Jonathan, Betty and Joanne.
G-2* NEW	<u>Paddle Sport Dock</u> – permanent fencing and gates for the new dock need to be placed. ACTION: Betty and Gralin will meet with Tab (from ToL) to discuss plans and requirements.
G-3* NEW	<u>Pub Dock:</u> discussion about the Pub Dock: does FLCC ‘need’ the dock? what plans does BCS have for the dock? will the pub dock always be required to share space?

	<p>[Yes! An existing strata arrangement gives the Pub access.] would it benefit FLCC to retain use of this dock? ACTION: Betty and Gralin will meet with Tab (from ToL) and discuss plans and requirements.</p>
G-4* NEW	<p><u>Yard Storage:</u> Carol has reduced the rent fee for the duration of this year. ACTION: Betty will deliver and thank you/appreciation gift to Carol on behalf of FLCC</p>
H	DRAGON BOAT - <i>See attached report;</i>
J	OUT RIGGER - <i>See attached report;</i>
J-1	<u>Covid-19 Impact</u> – should there be a shut-down of FLCC due to Covid exposure, a thorough cleaning of all shared surfaces will be done.
K	VOY/REC CANOE – <i>No report at this time;</i>
K-1	<u>Tandem Canoe Purchases</u> – (Debbie reported) A tandem canoe has been purchased.
K-2 NEW	<p><u>Permission/Protocols for Tandem Use</u> – (Debbie reported) Question: may two paddlers from separate households use the tandems at this time? ACTION: Debbie will investigate (through CKBC) to verify current recommendations before communicating action plan to FLCC VOY members.</p>
M	ASSOCIATE CLUB – FCKC BUSINESS
N* NEW	NEW BUSINESS ITEMS
N-1* NEW	<p><u>Speed in the Bedford Channel</u> – (Jonathan reported) BCS requires a speed limit of 10km and some of have noted boats exceeding that speed (eg, safety boats). Reminders to be posted and communicated to all FLCC users. [to be Section F]</p>
N-2* NEW	<p><u>Paddle Sport Dock Allotment</u> – (Dave reported) The space in the boathouse is divided with all users paying a proportionate percentage of rental fee. FCKC pays a fee with VOY, OC and CLUB paying the balance. Percentage usage for divisions was adjusted to reflect current usage. [to be Section D]</p>
O	NEXT MEETING
O-1	<u>Next BoD meetings</u> – Monday, April 26 at 7pm via Zoom (or tba?)



[C-2] COMMITTEES

Members at Large Report – Betty Stockli and Gralin Doubleday – March 2021

Canoe Dock Debris Deflector:

Several hours were spent working on the Canoe Dock debris deflector. The large log connected to the shore had broken loose at the north end and needed to be repositioned to be effective in deflecting debris from accumulating along the shore side of the Canoe Dock. During the process a rogue log that was floating close to the dock was used and added to the debris deflector to help reinforce the log connected to shore. While there, several saturated logs that were deemed unusable that we had tied to the long finger were towed west of the bridge and set adrift. Thanks to Jonathan and Dave for assistance and to Doug Kazakoff for the loan of tools required to complete the task.



Canoe Dock – Tiller Box

Work has begun on the tiller box refurb... the lid has been removed and awaits a rebuild. New tiller supports will be built in such a way as to accommodate all the tillers without being over crowded. This may require a section of box to be built that will be mounted under the existing unit.

Safety Coordinator Report – Mary Stardom - March 2021

Weather is getting warmer, and days are getting longer, allowing paddlers to book boats later into the day. Please check with OC Rep **Joanne Bolam** for allowable booking times.

Cohorts & OC1s

Cohort paddling is still not permitted – stay tuned for future changes

Please continue to practise social distancing and all safety protocols as outlined by ViaSport and our PHO

Weather

The weather is becoming warmer, but mornings can still be frosty – use caution on the dock to avoid slips.

Incident Reports

No new reports! Way to go, Folks!

Water Levels

Please stay at least 30 metres from the south shore while East of the Bridge. This appears to be where the bulk of the branches and logs appear to be hiding.

Also, during low tide, the water level is becoming extremely low, especially near the north shore. **Always be alert to dangers** lurking under the water.

Thank You to:

- The Board of FLCC for the fantastic work they are doing to keep us on the water, under tremendous pressure
- All of us, for keeping each other safe

Communications Committee Report – March 2021 – Catriona Eigenfeldt

The communications committee is an adhoc committee of the FLCC Board of Directors. Members are Catriona Eigenfeldt (chair), Joanne, Betty, Joyce May (webmaster), and Jen. Meetings occur as needed; (average 2X per month). Heather attended the most recent meeting. The purpose of the Communications Committee is to ensure the FLCC website meets the goal of serving as an effective club-and-community communications tool. The ongoing purpose of the Committee is to regularly review and update content, address members' recommendations, and ensure the site efficiently meets the needs of the majority of members. Committee targets include keeping the website uncluttered, phone/user friendly, BoD led, efficient in bookkeeping, easily accessible calendars, semi-open blogs that provide current, helpful, specific information for members (old and new) in all divisions, et. al.

Current tasks include:

- Updates and collating of FLCC documents (policy statements, How-to instructional materials, etc) to make these accessible on the 'Download' page of the website. (Betty)
- One year back-copies of Newsletters and FLCC BoD Minutes made available on blog.(Joyce)
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[C-4] ASSOCIATE CLUB – FCKC

March 2021 FCKC Commodore Report – Sandra Young, Commodore

-So nice to see the days getting longer!

-Thanks to everyone who has been donating their refundable bottles/cans to help our youth through return-it-express. If you want to participate, just use the code 604 626 4482 to print up a sticker to slap on a clear bag of refundables and drop them at the depot.

-Over March you may see our sprint athletes out doing extra training during school break, while our provincial team athletes head to Burnaby for their additional training.

-Last month Canoe Kayak Canada held Olympic trials at Burnaby Lake. Some of our members got to volunteer for and see the Olympians race!

-Coach Kris remains hard at work fixing up the boathouse and fixing more boats in his spare time.

-Watch out for our new coaches: Coach Dari Fisher, who will be substituting, and Coach Aaron Rublee who will be taking on a Head Coach Role. Both are super accomplished athletes...at this rate, we're going to have the best suite of coaches in Western Canada ;)

-We're keeping an eye on COVID restrictions, but plan to offer spring/summer recreational kayak for adults and kids and summer camps (fingers crossed!) so watch our website fortcanoekayak.ca

-Take care out there everyone!