**Loyal Nanaimo Bathtub society**

**General Meeting**

**Wednesday, April 3, 2019**

**ATTENDING**:Trevor Short, Greg Peacock, Jase Nychyporuk, Margaret Johnson **,**Wendy Johnson, Terry Berger, Steve Fagan, Nathan Barlow

# Meeting called to order at 6:13pm and chaired by Greg Peacock

**Visitors:** None

**Adoption of March minutes:**

Terry Bergermoved, secondNathan Barlow

**Business arising from March meeting:**

Canada Day Race for points on Sunday, June 30 about 3pm (depending on tides) at Departure Bay.

On Monday, July 1 Jerry Hong from The Queens is doing the Beer Garden, Concert. It's been suggested to some races & drag race. Have winning tubs on display.

Greg is looking for photos of last year's Canada Day race.

Old Big Tub will be used in parades. Parade July 1 in Parksville.

Concert on Friday during the Marine Festival will be Big Sugar

Greg spoke with Shawn, Nanaimo Bulletin about promotions. Will follow-up with Kevin Saunders.

Would like to have write-up about the tubbers.

World Cup Racesentry applications now on the website. Tubbers can indicate which circuit races   
they areinterested inattending and a racer profile.

Wendy will send an e-mail to Tubbers asking they complete the application/early registration and date of Canada Day race.

**New Correspondence:**

Vendor applications - forwarded to Richard

Dave Cruise from Western Equipment in Nanaimo looking to enter a tub - forwarded to Dave Leigh to follow-up

**New Business/Committee Reports:**

**Greg Peacock (Commodore):**Submitting application to Port Authority for a grant, asking for $5000 to participate in parades and Rebrand the Big Tubs. Tubs are to be repainted white and new logos. Logos size appropriate to the amount of sponsorship.

Tourism Nanaimo Grant of $9323.59 received.

Tourism Vancouver Island is reviewing the criteria for this year's grant.

Greg is looking for more sponsorship to replace grants for entertainment during the Marine Festival.

In the past, Molson has sponsored $4000 plus Big Can and tubs. New Sales rep last year gave $2000. Sponsorship is to use exclusive Molson's products.

Greg is talking with Vancouver Island Brewery about sponsorship for this year. Buy at wholesale prices and they deliver in a reefer truck.

Use the extra paddlewheel tubs for coolers

**We need someone to take on the task applying for50/50 license with Gaming Society**

Nanaimo Event grant from the city for advertising to promote the month of July as Marine Festival. Application deadline was changed to September 1 and we were not advised. Maybe some funds available.

Rick Rispin, Anchorage MPS has donated parts to fix the Big Tub. Greg will pick them up and the Big Tub will be fixed at Mack Truck. **Looking for assistance fixing the Big Tub**

Will talk to Kim Smyth about the Downtown Street market.

Insurance COI’s will be issued for parades.

Matt from Mid Island Towing wants to build a tub. LNBS will look at tubs from Tim, Vancouver to sell him. Greg to arrange for Dave, Steve, Nathan to look at the tubs & molds at Fry Street. Nathan suggested we are better to finish them soon.

Marian Stewart has resigned as a Director.

**Elaine Nelson-Hosak has agreed to join the Board as a Director. Will be on the Agenda for next Monthly meeting   
Terry Berger (Director):** Participation confirmed for the Heritage Parade on Sunday, May 20 in Nanaimo.

Will find an application for the Pride parade in Nanaimo

Parade schedule (so far)

Sunday, May 19 - Heritage Day, Nanaimo

Monday, May 21 - May Day, Victoria

Sunday, June 9- Pride Parade, Nanaimo

Monday, July 1 - Canada Day, Parksville

Saturday, July 20 - Bathtub Parade, Nanaimo

**Nathan Barlow (Director):** Has reviewed and acceptedBrianStoochnow application to use a detuned 15 hp (DT15A) Suzuki

Will meet with Ken, mechanic prior to teching to review motor applications

Meeting adjourned at 7:pm, Terry Berger moved, second Jase Nychyporuk

# Next General Meeting: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 6:00pm at LNBS Office