

COLUMBIA CASCADE CHAPTER
LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING Minutes

March 13th, 2025 – 7:00 pm

Members present: Noreen Bowden, Cat Keller, Amy Carlow, Natasha Stenbock, Chloe Martin, Ally Dornan, Wendy Rover, Linda Wordan, Meredith Datena, Elizabeth Harris

ONGOING/OLD BUSINESS:

1. Need to approve minutes from February 10th 2025

Note: A written response from member Ashna Sharma re: Gala item from 1.21.25 meeting minutes was distributed to board members, duly noted by the board and no action taken.

Cat moved to approve the minutes from 2/10

Motion seconded

Motion unanimously approved

2. Scholarship donation was received by the section.

3. March meeting review: Sherli Brownlie on Aircraft Ownership and Volunteer Experience at Twin Oaks.

Quality of time building hours, and pitfalls of airplane ownership

Other members went up to the aviation conference, and had an amazing time.

4. Nominating Committee update : Noreen/Ashna/Elizabeth Harris (see update below)

In February, chapter membership received a survey email about positions available.

Amy asked whether her responses had been received and if she needs to submit them again.

*****The April newsletter will be out by April 4th with the slate of candidates.**

In the election special email the annual meeting needs to be announced Last date for voting to be active by May 14th

Paper QR code at election meeting and Digital voting via Google form.

- Slate of candidates available to members April 5th
- Elections open May 14th
- Annual meeting on May 21st (evening dinner) 6:30pm

4. Oregon Airshow at Hillsboro May

- a. Update from Wendy
- b. Amy working on Design; Meredith sent logo.
 - i. Work with Eryn Tehan or Mandy Schmidt?
 - ii. Have by May to sell at airshow

NEW BUSINESS:

OFFICER REPORTS

1. Chapter Chair - Cat Keller

Update on SLE airport. Changes at Salem airport, large showing of pilots at the airport. They are trying to close the 16/34 runway. They haven't found funding to keep it open, but they haven't looked.

Landing fees are approved, public is against them using Vector to assess landing fees at Salem

2. Secretary Wendy Rover / Amy Carlow:

Milestones: Mindy Higa: Commercial Single Engine

Chloe Kaloosa-Martin: Multi-engine commercial

3. Treasurer: Chloe Martin 4579.00

\$ – Account 1 \$ 3316.06

\$ – Account 2 \$1263.09

Total In since last Leadership Meeting= \$1000 from Meredith Alaska donation+ 25 reg monthly donation

Total Out since Last Leadership Meeting= \$1000 sent to NW Section+ Ashna reimburse 52.48

Extra Add ins: Interest \$

Previous Balance from 2/10/25:

\$3,291.06 – Account 1

\$1,263.04 – Account 2

4. Membership: Linda Worden NOW Ally!

New Members:

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Student Pilots

Khloe Liz Palmer

Rachel Kent

Will the chapter be absorbing the cost of the badges? Current membership and new membership moving forward? Badges cost \$12.50 each plus 7.50 for shipping. Ally will donate shipping, Elizabeth will distribute them

Cat proposes that the Airshow funds could be applied to that. Linda proposes voting for the expense now, before we ask for orders.

Is this a one-time thing?

Ally clarified that we would not be paying for the badges, that she would do a bulk order saving people the shipping cost, making the badges cost 12.50 rather than 20.

After discussion we resolved that we will not have the chapter pay for them, just that we will facilitate ordering.

5. Scholarships: Meredith Datena:

- *First Wings Scholarship: April 1st
- *Amelia Earhart Memorial scholarship – update?
- *Patti Mitchell Memorial Scholarship - March 15th
- *Mt. Tahoma Scholarship
- ***Also new scholarship just came out Greater Seattle 99s
- Bless Your Heart 2025 Scholarship from the Western Washington 99s

6. Fundraising

7. Aerospace & Education: Ashna Sharma

Upcoming Events:

APRIL

- LT meeting: April 14th 7pm
- Social Meal: 8th The Hammond 18:30 4857 NW Lake Rd Unit 200 Camas, WA 98607
- NW Section Meeting April 25th/26th Pasco, WA
- Companion flying class ? Carina is available with support from Michele;

MAY

- Alaska Day May 10th
- Hillsboro Airshow May 16th - 18th
- Annual Meeting May 21st The Cove or Cecilia?

Companion Flying class with Michele and Carina- plan for fall or spring.

September -

- 20th : Girls in Aviation Day

AIRSHOW Notes

Glitter tattoo cost proposal was reintroduced and Cat moved to approve the request for 500 dollars for 1000 glitter tattoos for airshow

Seconded .

Unanimous pass.

Staffing update.

Amy is looking into no- sized merch, bags, mugs, hats

Do we want to offer t-shirts for crew members at airshow.

Linda announced that the NW Section is still looking for positions

Director

Treasurer

Secretary

Director overlooks certain numbers of chapters

Liason between section and chapters

You can be active in a section position and also in your chapter.

Team up on traveling to the meeting in Pasco- ride/fly sharing

WAI meeting Pizza Party 4/12 4pm

Bella who has been doing lunch coordinating with Mindy has been having Migraines and needs to step back from lunch coordinating.

Intermountain chapter is looking for volunteers this summer for the Air Race Classic for the Phelps Field finish and an Eastern Oregon stop. June 19th and 22nd.