

**ISLAND WATERS FLY FISHERS SOCIETY**  
**MINUTES OF MARCH 2017 GENERAL MEETING**

**The Meeting was called to order by President Don Ginter, at 7:15 pm March 28/2017 Air Cadet Hall, Nanaimo, B.C.**

**Dennis Mullins** Introduced new guests Wayne Vicic , Ken Chattell , and Bryce ( Jeorge's grand son).

**Ron Schiefke** Introduced the Guest Speaker Richard Ronyecz, President of BCFFF.

After the Presentation and short coffee break the meeting was called to order at 9:48 pm.

**Treasurers Report:** Ian Stewart reported we had \$3775.28 as of March 20, 2017. Statement was accepted as read, carried.

**OLD BUSINESS :** The Swap & Shop will be in the gym at NDSS April 8/2017 from 9:30 – 2:00 pm. Ian has one table for the IWFF. Individual tables can be purchased for \$20.00 each.

**New Business :** Ian Stewart made a motion seconded be John Ellis , That the IWFF provide a subsidy to members who wish to attend the BCFFF AGM on April 6/2017. This will be \$40.00 for those going to the full day's activities (AGM& Banquet / Auction) and \$25.00 for those only attending the Banquet. Motion carried. There will a notice to the rest of the club members. We have 6 members going and the subsidy was for 8 tickets.

At our Executive Meeting March 21/2017 a motion was made by Jack Toomer seconded by John Ellis to fund \$300.00 for support to Alexandra Mortron, motion carried. This motion was to be brought to the General Meeting. This motion was re - introduced to the members present. Motion was defeated.

**ROUND TABLE :**

**Bruce Murray:** Bruce suggested a fish out or Bug out. Rivers being too high maybe next week.

**AntElsdale :** Ant is upgrading the Library. Two(2) books were donated by Gord Sharrock and Jason Perry. Anyone having books in mind are to let Ant know.

**George McGladrey** : April Smolt Count is coming up. The water temperature is close to optimum. This report is from conservation by Bob Kissinger.

**Jason Perry** : Jason reported we now have 51 members.

**Jack Toomer** : Jack mentioned our last Fly Tying session is April 1 at Oliver Woods 8:30 – 4:00 pm.. Master Chef is Harold Tinling. Ian mentioned he would be Tying 3 Flies (wooly bugger, soft hackle dry fly, pink handle bar). These are the flies he will be demonstrating for the students.

**Ian Stewart** : Ian mentioned the dates for the NDSS project were Wednesday mornings April 5, 12, 19, 26. The time is 8:30 – 10:00 am.

**Dennis Mullins** : Dennis is holding another Spey Casting Practice Fishing on March 31, Friday. Rain or Shine. Dennis is also holdind a Single Hand Casting Clinic May 24 at 6:00 pm, at Westwood Lake.

**John Ellis** : John mentioned the speaker for next month is Roy Sorenson and his expertise is “Beach Fishing”.

**Don Ginter**: Don mentioned the up-coming Kissinger Lake Fish Out on April 21. Don mentioned purchasing steaks for those interested. Don also said the CLUB would be buying these and NOT him. LOL.

**Gilly : Gerald Stevens** The \$25.00 was won by Ron Schiefke. Other prizes were won by Bryce, Bill Croft and Tony Arruda.

**Fly Draw: GeorgeMcGladrey** Winners were Bob MacEachern and Ron Moll.

**Adjournment : Don Ginter** moved for adjournment at 9:45 pm. Carried.