Aquatics Network Meeting  
Shoreline City Hall  
Thursday, November 16, 2017  
10:30am-12:00pm

Agenda-

Introductions

Discussion Topics

- Upcoming LGIT & WSIT Academies
- 2018 Aquatics Conference
- WRPA annual conference
- Other??

Planning

- Select a new Aquatics Network Chair
  - Brandi has been selected as the Network Chair for all of WRPA which will entail working with all networks.
- Skillbuilder – 2019, yes or no
- World Drowning Prevention Conference-Vancouver-  
  - who went?
  - Updates?
- Aquatics Retreat Update 2018?  
  - Location

Member/Facility Updates

Items for Future Discussion

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MEETING NOTES
WRPA Meeting  
11/16/17 10:30-12  
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Bainbridge in Feb
Upcoming LGIT Academies - 9 people
WSIT -3 people - if more do not sign up it will need to be cancelled Portland in January

2018 Aquatic Conference
Great Wolf Lodge - last Mon & Tues in September 24 & 25 Speaker budget $1000 Tim Wheeler, George Denies, Rachel Griffith - possibilities?
Committee: Lynn, Angela, Rose

WRPA Annual Conference in Sea-Tac
May 1-3 lots of Aquatic’s segment
Florida speaker Dawn Louella - autism in Aquatic’s Aquatic’s next generation Preparing the unthinkable Jenny Templeton - will be a speaker & she’s amazing (3 degrees & loves to give back her knowledge & will co-speak w/ Bridget) Need to check in with WRPA about rescheduling aquatic segments

AOAP - 2018 Conference - Florida
Speaker ‘not on my watch’ - a good reason to go

WRPA Section Chair - Dominique from Des Moines volunteered for next year - THANK YOU!
Running the 5 meetings
Field Emails to the group

Skillbuilder 2019 ??
Yes !!
Need a great speaker/presenter/trainer

World Drowning Prevention Conference - Vancouver in October 2017 Patrick from Bellevue Germany - C collar in Water w/4 lifeguards Great listening to Frank Pia. Dominique from DesMoines enjoyed Tizzy Bennett, Linda Quan & DeQuincy

Around the room - Facility updates

*Everett
New diving boards
Cat is not dead

*Samena Club - Bellevue
New stand up board Yoga instructor - she brings her own boards UV - send her stats WSIT - needs to teach - anyone need an instructor

*Seattle
New aquatic manager - Bianca Hill
All pools CIP rotating
Lifeguard Review Class Dec 19, 20 at Ballard Pool

*MLT
New POS system DASH
New City Hall
Hazel Miller grant $2000 for life jackets Lifeguard Class Dec 18-22 Learn to swim program for 3rd graders - Bill at Lynnwood could be a resource for AFO cert

*Bellingham
Pumpkin Swim double in size
Architects - working on locker room & offices - breaking ground when school gets out
*Sammamish
Start & end season on time
18 enrolled in Jr. Guard (really a training for non-certified lifeguards to prep them for the next season)

*Lynnwood
Deputy - new registration system from New Zealand - it’s an app that staff can get live schedule updates Golden Ticket Program - Free lifeguard classes for those that sign up to work for Lynnwood for 6 months

*Tukwila
Organizational changes
Grant from Keizer $20K for swim lessons

*DesMoines
No water in the pool - hopefully opening in February Hiring Aquatic Coordinator

*Bellevue
New registration program - Jan 2018 Blue Rec
2 positions opening in upper management
New beach
Less swim lessons more water exercise classes Looking at a new pool in Bellevue - 8-10yrs down the road but lately more discussion

*Shoreline
New light rail station next to Pool
Bond next year & hopefully in 5 yrs new Pool

*Maple Valley & Lake Wilderness
Director not allowing day camps on the Water/Boating - anyone have info on stats
30 million to 1 / would drown in open water & it’s in the ocean with a life jacket

*Red Cross
WSIT - need 3 more for our academy
In Water update for LGI
Pg 149 in instructor manual on what we need to do Learn to swim program 2018 - will have more info on Friday Training segment on WRPA

*Si View
Staff coming up thru the jr guard program - hire 15 yr olds Community wants more water space Move walls & YMCA may be coming in in the ridge