

CRAG-VT BOARD MEETING APRIL 2026

April 7th @ 7pm

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Meeting number (access code): 2342 250 8916

Meeting password: mpVVtWhD242

In Attendance: Steve, Andrea, Georgia, Deane, Sean, Matt, Mischa, Lauren, Julia, Kristen, Joey, GeneO, Seth

Guests: Andrew Norris, Randy

Start Time: 7:00pm **End Time:** 8:37pm

BOARD BUSINESS AND GREETINGS

(10 min) Andrew (Scout) will present first about Bolton kiosk

- Bolton Kiosk Project
 - Install a new kiosk at Lower West
 - Criteria
 - Moved closer to start of trail
 - Proposal
 - Could be on either side depending on how workable the ground is
 - Have a member come out with me and pick a spot (Julia?)
 - Site Plan(2 Days)
 - Day 1: Clean up old kiosk remains including the post
 - Day 2: Install the kiosk at the new site
 - Need a location where rock is deep so wood pieces can be put into ground
 - Design and Materials
 - Board: 4x3

- Height to roof: 6 feet
- Height: 8 feet tall
- Roof: Extends 1.7 feet
- Total Width: 5 feet
 - Need to run the design by the stewardship committee
 - Could we draft a backup plan(if we can't get the wood into the ground)
 - Can we rent or borrow an auger?
- Cost
 - Go Fund Me
 - Posters Put Up
 - Raised over \$600 so far
- Project Plan

Month	March	April	May
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Fundraising • Finalize Blueprints • Obtain Materials 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean up site • Finalize kiosk location • Build Major Kiosk components 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assemble and Install Kiosk at new location

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Treasurer Report

- Phil unavailable, no report

(5 min) Executive Director Update

- 2026 CRAG RAG review
 - Getting better at our storytelling
 - Article writers and due dates have been drafted
 - Seth wrote the Chospile(updates on new development each season)
 - Hasn't been done in 7 years!! Thanks Seth
 - If you have ideas for crag rag please let Mischa know!
 - Stories of members
 - Cliff highlights
 - Stories about our work
 - If a member wants to write something
- 2026 crag calendar review
 - Highlights of the calendar

- Have committee members chat about when their meeting will be hosted and let Mischa know
- Mellow Film Tour - 4 volunteers
 - New fundraiser
 - First of annual film tour
 - Mellow at OGE on April 16th
 - Sold 32 tickets
 - Could we get 2 volunteers at the door and 2 that can be at the table
- Access fund Advocacy Conference
 - End of April
- Bolton Outdoors film night(Day of Summer Kick off)
 - Best Day Ever Film in the evening
 - Smiley School
- Early festival planning

(20+ min) Board Business

- Georgia and Kristen-[Membership Presentation](#)
 - Break up Donor and Membership Sections on the website
 - We have 579 members and 100 supporters(donors)!!
 - We need to mirror information on different pages
- Lauren , Mischa, Matt, Kristen, Georgia to meet about website edits and such!!

Membership Report

- [Presentation](#)

(20 min) Committee Updates

- Community Committee (Joey & Julia)
 - Community Committee Meeting next Monday at Georgia's house!
- Stewardship Committee (Sean)
 - Eagle Hollow - [Stewardship inventory](#) complete
 - Economic Impact Analysis - Pro Bono by CRO Planning + Design
 - Trail Counters - pursuing grant funding
- Access Committee (Matt)
 - Bristol Cliffs bouldering/parking/development
 - No management plan for that unit doesn't want any more access points
 - U UW - WIP with VLT and Town of Bolton on trail improvements
 - Deer Leap & Inn at Long Trail - no update yet but no immediate concern
 - Mud season, obvi - Quarry, Notch Rd, Wheeler especially...Eagle, others?
 - Peregrine closures - Bone/Eagle/Marshfield/Nichols/Prospect/U UW – communicated to members recently
 - KHL update - working through drafts of 10 year revisit? (Mischa)
- Finance Committee (Deane)

(5 min) Upcoming Events

- Mellow Film Tour - 4/16
- AF Advocacy Conference - 5/1-5/2
- Green Up Day - 5/2
- Summer Kickoff - 6/6
- Bolton Outdoors - 6/6