

MINUTES

Fall Branch 700 general meeting- Lakeside Park September 9, 2025 at 12:00

21 Attendees

- Thanks to Al for his high end burger cooking skills and to others that brought food items.
- No new Agenda Items
- Purchase BCGREA items- see Gerrie
- Cost of prizes- \$64.50. Food and rental costs \$61.50. TOTAL \$126- really good deal

General Housekeeping

- Request for volunteer Secretary- NEED SOMEONE TO DO MEETING MINUTES- none offered- Ken to amend Agenda into minutes
- there is a strike by BCGEU- we will still get our pension cheques
- Anyone here from out of town- John Mehain- Vernon

AGENDA

- Budget Review- BRANCH 700 BUDGET FOR 2025 CALENDER YEAR- BANK Balance of \$1561.07 -

Thanks Gerrie

- 2025 budget of \$1510, \$850 is meeting costs
- 50/50 revenue \$41. Donation to "Cycling without Age of \$25- balance going forward of \$56.00
- Several options to spend funding as suggested by Gerrie, orally presented by Ken

- Review of September 3rd All Chairs Meeting- IF YOU WANT COPIES EMAIL Ken Haynes a request

- Several Branch chairs discussed their activities and challenges
- Volunteer Recruitment
- BCGREA Name Change- Resolution PROPOSED to change to BC Public Service

Retirees Association

- Membership Fee Increase PROPOSED from \$20 to \$25
- Brochure Distribution and Recruitment Strategies to increase membership- PICKET LINES & SERVICE BC offices
- Information on the Next COSCO (Council of Senior Citizen Organizations of BC)

Conference

- 50/50 Draw-winner- John Mehain \$40
- Several Door Prizes were awarded by draw - Cost of prizes \$64.50 (\$50 gift card, merch \$14.50)
- Next meeting- Christmas Party -Details to follow
- Adjournment at 1:15pm