## RBCC Membership Meeting – November 14, 2018

### Board Members in Attendance:

Tom BeckBrett BoyntonSu HarambeAnne NolanNatalya RobertsGerd Prewett

Clansy Campos Alan Ross

### Membership Committee

• No news

### **Building Committee**

• No news other than rentals are up. 5 star rating on Yelp!

#### Finance Committee

• **RBCC continues to do well financially**. YTD the club has grossed \$19,358 and netted \$4,199. With Harvest Fest, Gerd expects to end the year netting \$5,000. Assets total \$35K, with \$23K in savings and \$12K in savings.

#### Social Committee

• Harvest Fest – 11/23 - Clansy got a DJ but still needs lots of volunteers for this – sign up on FaceBook. Lots of great raffle prizes including Elton John, cooking class with Ruth, lots of great Art, a signed Ichiro ball, ukulele lesson from Brett, as \$100 Red Wing gift certificate, a soap basket, tech support, and an interior design consultation.

#### Tech Committee

• Created web-site for Arts and Craft event on 12/1/18.

## Other Items Discussed:

- **Boo Bash** Brett reported it was a hit. Expense was \$456 plus \$500 donation. Hand-outs were popular, especially the play-doh.
- Arts and Crafts market will be at RBCC on December 1 from 10-2.
- Looking for more locations in RB for **air quality monitors.**
- Joann, Joan Weiss and Alan Ross will be our Board nominating committee.

## Featured Speaker

Hal Brookins, Certified Business Mentor with the Greater Seattle SCORE (Rainier Beach) spoke. **SCORE (formerly called Service Corp. of Retired Executives**), provides free business advice to small business owners or those who wish to start a new business. It has local workshops (Columbia City, libraries, etc.) and online expert resources. Looking for volunteers – mentors, help develop business plans, chapter support, subject-matter experts and mentors). Funded by the Small Business Administration and donations. 3 months of online training to become a Certified Business Mentor.

# Announcements

- **Connect 10K of the city's Dept. of Neighborhoods** wants to create a series of 25 professionally produced documentaries about how households and local businesses interact, conduct commerce and communicate. They are looking for people who have good stories to share. They will be housed at the Historical Society.
- Seattle is conducting its annual neighborhood **crime survey** and seeks input on <u>https://www.seattle.gov/police/community-policing/partnership-with-seattle-university/public-safety-survey</u>
- Seattle Parks Foundation is planning a **memorial to the AIDS victims of Seattle** in the north end of Cal Anderson Park. They are seeking endorsement. The Board will consider this at the 11/28 meeting