# October 2023 INWC

General Meeting Tuesday October 3th, 2023

**Program** 

## Wolf updates & PSR

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# INLAND NORTHWEST WILDLIFE COUNCIL







By now, if you haven't seen my emails, sent mid-September, you have most likely heard that our Executive Director Marie Neumiller has accepted a position that is taking her away from her position as our Executive Director. Marie and her family are still going to be members and active with the INWC. Marie is excited to be able to actually volunteer again.

Moving forward... Hunting seasons are in full swing. As we prepare for the grip of winter we also get to look forward to traditions. Our Nominations committee will begin looking for candidates for board positions. Our Awards Committee will be reaching out to committee chairs and others for nominations for awards for those that have put in the efforts to keep the INWC and our mission moving over this past year. My wife, Kim Zubrick has agreed to step in as our new Membership committee chair. She already knows she has some pretty big shoes to fill after the hard work and dedication that Marissa Butler and Michelle Flemming provided over the last few years.

For me, this time of year is about remembering where we came from. I think back to working in the garden with my mom, my grandparents, and siblings. I think of white tail deer, pheasant, squirrel, and rabbit hunting with my dad, and some of the silly things we as a society could safely do back then. I think of parties around Halloween where bobbing for apples was a way to look really silly while knowing that the next person was going to look just as silly. I remember what it was like to not need to have candy X-rayed to check for foreign objects. Time outside was how we spent our free time. Now I look at how we as an

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organization were set on a path to protect those types of values, by our founding members. As we grow older and the INWC puts more years behind us, we have people move on, bring new people into our membership, and wonder where the time went. The other night I sat in our conference room looking at the pictures of our past presidents. Many of these people are no longer with us. However, they had a vision of creating something that could be handed down to their kids and friends, and for us to hand down to our kids and friends. Taking someone out fishing, teaching them about hunting, bringing them to volunteer opportunities is how those before us created what we enjoy today. At the same time, allowing new members to bring new ideas creates an updated excitement to our organization.

Take pictures of your adventures with friends and family in our wonderful outdoors. Displaying trophies on the council walls is awesome. However, the success rates I've seen from some of our members would create a need for a much bigger building. Sharing pictures of how we are being true conservationists through our traditions is a great way to others how our way of life is a great way to Create, Protect, and Enhance Wildlife and project a Positive Sportsman's Image. While continuing traditions and creating memories with friends and family.

Z Zubrick

#### 2023 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

**EXECUTIVE:** 

Ron "Z" Zubrick

**BIG HORN SHOW:** 

BUDGET/APPROPRIATIONS:

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BY-LAWS & RESOLUTIONS:

Dave Colton

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Chair - Vacant Co-Chair - Michelle Fleming

**HUNTER EDUCATION:** 

Chair - Aaron Waseca

Co-Chair - Richard Law

## 2023 SPECIAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS

AWARDS:

Jason Neumiller

**DISABLED ACCESS:** 

Ken McNaughton

BOONE & CROCKETT:

Larry Carey M.H.

BIG GAME:

Jesse Ingels

FISHING: Ken McNaughton

WATERFOWL:

Mike Curry M.H.

**SMALL GAME:** 

Z Zubrick

**OUTREACH:** 

Nick Sagendorf

WILDFIRE RECOVERY:

Jason Neumiller

**MAINTENANCE:** 

Mike Curry M.H.

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#### 2023 OFFICERS

President - Ron "Z" Zubrick

1st Vice - Nick Sagendorf

2nd Vice - Jesse Ingels

Treasurer - Vacant

Secretary - Joe Shelley

Sergeant at Arms - Kily Fleming

Exec. Director -

#### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Past President - Vacant

### Term Expires 2023

Phil George

Dave Colton

Craig Heupel

Joe Kimball

Jason Neumiller

Nick Sagendorf

### Term Expires 2024

Richard Furry

Kily Fleming

Jesse Ingels

Mitchell Kassa

Richard Law

Ron (Z) Zubrick

#### **Term Expires 2025**

Alexis Creel

Paul Fuchs

Ken Hoff

Joe Shelley

John Smith

Dylan West

## **POLICY 31**

### PROCESSING SHED

Our Processing Shed is located on the Southeast corner of the council's property. This building was used to process animals that were injured or killed by vehicular traffic and were fit or partially fit for human consumption. The building is open to use by Council Members and their families and friends for a fee of \$25.00 per animal. Payment must be made prior to Processing Shed use. Council Members must be present at all times when family or friend are using the Processing Shed. The Processing Shed is to be used to field dress, skin and quarter the animal only. Cutting and wrapping must be done elsewhere. The Processing Shed is to be used on a first come first serve basis and you must sign in and pay before beginning use, at web site (to be developed if this policy is adopted).

All meat that is to be consumed must be removed immediately.

All portions of the carcass must be immediately removed from the premises and not placed in the dumpsters that are on site of the INWC. A fine of \$100 will be assess if any parts of the animal are left on site.

All water and hoses are to be drained. A fine of \$40 dollars will be assess if they are left undrained.

All walls, floor, countertops and Processing frame are to be washed clean (biodegradable soap) prior to leaving the site. A \$50 fine will be assess if area is seen or reported to have left in an uncleaned state.

The fines will be assessed to the Council Member.

Be courteous to the users that may be waiting to process their game.

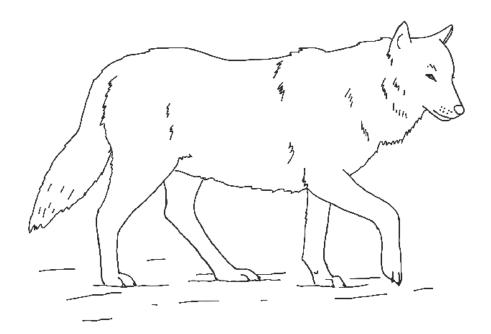
The hanger is large enough that two deer or elk can be processed at the same time.

• Adoption: 9/19/23

## **INWC Junior Art contest**

\*Hey, INWC Junior members we love seeing your wildlife art! This month's theme is wolves. Please share your coloring page, a drawing, and/or photo of wolves and bring it to the next general meeting or email them to info@inwc.org for a chance to be featured on our website newsletter, and/or social media pages.





## Ask a biologist!

Do you have questions about wolves that you would like to ask? The WDFW wolf team will be presenting at our October meeting. Submit your questions to info@inwc.org to have them answered by WDFW biologists.

\*\*Parents & members we want to hear your questions too!\*\*

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## New Lifetime

### Renewed Members

Lucas Neumiller Amanda Jantz

New Members

Lilly Ferguson Savuth Vann

## **Annual Giving Donors**

### Patrons of Wildlife

Big Horn Donor

Travis Parry Rob & Hillary Holman

Sallye Prenger

#### Master Hunter Master Fisherman Master Conservationist

This is the most prestigious award presented by the Council to one of its members for consistent dedicated service towards the betterment of fish and wildlife. It is a once in a lifetime award.



| Jim Arrasmith, M.H.* | Frank Potter, M.C.*  | Ed Walters, M.H. *   |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Bob Cole, M.H.*      | Bill Rollins, M.H.*  | Peter Yarwood, M.H.* |
| Elaine Cole, M.H.    | Vern Ziegler, M.H.*  | Larry Carey, M.H.    |
| Mel Gulidge, M.H.*   | Bill Butler, M.H.*   | Chuck Sauter M.C.*   |
| John Kantjas, M.H.*  | Jim Johnson, M.H.    | Art Meikel M.H.      |
| O.C. Knoles, M.H.*   | John Williamson M.H* | Ed Weiler M.C. *     |
| Dick Lee, M.F.*      | Len Keefer, M.H.*    | Ken Hoff M.H.        |
| Len Mabbott, M.H.*   | Dean Lydig, M.C.*    | Tim Clifford M.F.    |
| Jim Kujala, M.H.     | Len Otto, M.C.*      | Leonard Wolf M.H.    |
| Gale Palmer, M.H.*   | Jerry Reiber, M.H.*  | Mike Curry M.H.      |
| June Potter, M.C.*   |                      | Ken McNaughton M.F.  |

(\*) indicates a member who has passed

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS October 2023

October 3rd Membership meeting 6:30pm

October 7th Disabled Access route patrol

October 7th Trailblazer event @ Camp Cowles

October 17th INWC board meeting 6:30pm

October 26-28 WDFW Commission meeting - Hybrid Olympia