

CLINTON RIVER RIDERS BICYCLE CLUB MEETING

Monday, March 9, 2020

Clinton Township Public Library

MEETING: Called to order at 7:11pm by President Craig P. 1 new member present. 19 members present. Craig P. introduced board (president, Craig P.; secretary, Heather H.; treasurer, Linda M.)

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Read by Heather H. February's report included following changes:

New Business: "Motion to change requirements for members to be nominated for office from one year to less than one year to accommodate Heather H. running for secretary, as a one-time modification." (per Craig P.)

Old Business: "Craig presented a letter from Variety thanking the club for the \$X,XXX donation and helping to fit helmets." (per Craig P.)

Motion to accept report with changes by Dave K., seconded by Fran T. Motion passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Read by Linda M.

Balance January 31, 2020	\$	XX,XXX.XX
Inflow:	\$	X,XXX.XX
Outflow:	\$	XXX.XX
Balance as of February 28, 2020	\$	XX,XXX.XX

Motion to accept treasurer's report made by Joe C., seconded by Herb P. Motion passed.

RIDES: Beat the Train rides start in April (cancellations sent if bad weather) per Joe C. Dawn Farms Ride for Recovery is April 26 per Les O. Coastbusters will start early April per Sandro L. KERR rides also start in April per Kim P.

OLD BUSINESS:

Banquet: Member banquet is Saturday, April 18. As of 3/9, 15 people registered. Les O. reminded members that final payment is due 3/31 to hall so register online or print form from website. Open to members and BWR volunteers (will get payment back at banquet). Heather will post reminder on FB group before 3/31.

Macomb Bike Ladies Night: Heather H. and Veronica K. hosted table for CRR. Jeri G and Fran T. also attended. Great turnout, lots of interest in CRR membership and BWR (many have previously ridden and enjoyed). One new member from event.

Merchandise: Craig P. ordered CRR race bag (pro version) from Pedal Industries and demonstrated packed bag. There is only one item minimum from this company. Craig will request jersey samples for possible club order.

BWR: Reminder that event is Sunday, June 28. As of 3/9:

- 125 registered (54 at same time 2019) – the Valentine’s Day special brought in 80 people that weekend.
- 3 joined CRR
- 45 shirts ordered
- 58 women/62 male
- 46-mile route most popular so far
- Facebook promotions have been well-received and lots of engagement on the BWR FB page

A meeting was held Feb. 17, 2020 – Kristina’s Catering secured. Estimate 650 people but only pay total # (no minimum). Linda M. paid deposit of 25% of 650.

Routes will stay same. Harsens Island will be monitored for flooding and backup plan in place if needed. Chris B. said 100-mile route areas have new bike route signs that should help.

Sponsors as of 3/9 (all listed on website): Main Street Bikes (SAG), Fraser Bikes (bibs), Kristina’s Catering (\$1,500 in kind for truck), Ascension River District. Kim P will email sponsor packets. Let her know if you can reach out to past sponsors and if you have any new possibilities.

Craig P. created flyers to distribute (Chris B. and Fran T. offered to help distribute). There are \$5 off coupons for bike shops to share – will be given to Macomb Bikes and Main Street Bikes as their coupons last year were most redeemed. Contact Craig for flyers and coupons.

NEW BUSINESS: Dave C. shared he uses Corrosion X lubricant on his electronics (lights, Garmin, etc) to help clean.

Monthly snack sign up sheet passed around (there are still open spots!). Thank you to Dave C. for providing treats. Heather H. is signed up for April meeting.

Birthday wishes sang to Linda M.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Chris B., seconded by Les O. Meeting adjourned at 8:08pm.

Recorded by: Heather H.