

## ROCKY MOTORCYCLE CLUB – ICE RACING MEETING

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2017

ATTENDANCE:	Carly Kukowski	Linda Yarwood	John Yarwood
	Travis Reed	Beth Reed	Courtney Schmale
	Dale Hiebert	Amber Giroux	Kris Lindberg
	Nathan Larsgard	Mike Rose	Steve Pohl
	Angie Martynshuk	Susi Baumann	Alex Baumann
	Roxanne Hiebert		

### Ice Racing Agenda/Discussion:

1. Setting up insurance for each event. Is this done through CMA or our club insurance? If it is all done through CMA then are all of the classes, including club classes, covered under their insurance?
  - All insurance will go through CMA. We will pay CMA \$7.00 per rider for club classes.
2. Do we need to do any setting up with CMA becoming a new club running their series? Race day forms? Waivers?
  - Brian working on this.
3. Ambulance – do our medics need to have specific certifications to be able to assist at a CMA ice racing event or can we just use our current set up with RMC. We currently use Caroline Ambulance Services. 1-403-722-3970
  - Maskwacis has been used in the past at ice racing events as they are a full service ambulance. Discussion of pricing others out, however we decided we will continue with them again this season. Stacey motions we use Maskwacis for the 2018 season. Beth seconds. All in favour.
4. Toilet Rentals – How many do we need at the event. Currently use Ollies Portable Toilets – 1-403-845-3811
  - 4 toilets per event. Amber will contact Ollies for pricing, and Beth will contact a Rimbeby outfit.
5. Flags – How many do we need and which ones. Need someone to volunteer to grab these from the C-can for next meeting.
  - Nathan will get what we have out of the C-Can at the track. If we need more for the first race, Angie and mentioned that we could borrow some from the AOTMX club. New flags for our club is in the future.
6. Mitch has contacted us about setting up Mototally and doing manual entries this season, says he would just like \$50.00 for fuel and for us to pay the \$1.00 USD rider levy.
  - Discussed. Amber motioned that we let Mitch do a trial run with MOTOTALLY and ice racing. We will pay him \$1.00/rider USD for which ever race he not all races will get the Mototally done, as this is a trial run. We will also pay fuel expense. Stacey seconds. All in favour.

7. Set up who will be plowing each course, and figure out equipment that will need to be used, or if they have their own.
  - Alex Baumann will volunteer to plow track at Pigeon Lake. Emillee Speight will get into contact with Speight Construction for Cow Lake Race (sounds promising). Courtney Schmale will take care of finding someone for tentative Sylvan Lake race.
8. Do we have approval for all locations for our events? Sylvan Lake mentioned that they were wanting us to come back and host an event. Need more details on how we can get this approved.
  - Discussion of possibly getting a race back at Sylvan Lake. Kris Lindberg was at meeting to discuss with our group. Kris states that the Sylvan Mayor and majority councillors excited to try and get a race going in Sylvan again. February 11<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> possible dates. Would be great to have the family day weekend with all the other winter festivities Sylvan has going that weekend. Kris will get in contact with the town for both weekends to discuss. Amber will contact the SRD.
9. Beer Gardens – Discussed. Not something our club will get into.
10. Head Referee – Have we talked to the previous ref to see if he is interested in carrying on helping out with our club. If not, next step is who will talk over the position and where / when is the course to take. Is there a cost?
  - Brian tried reaching out to Barry to see if he would want to do it again this year. Will see what he says. Ref School will held in December. Amber Giroux, Dale Heibert and Linda Yarwood interested in going.
11. Awards for each event- how many awards are we going to need and who will be in charge.
  - Courtney Schmale will get in contact with GForce Graphics to discuss options for the year.
12. How many classes are there? Which classes are CMA and which classes are Club?
  - Same as last year, however we are adding 2 classes. Women 2 wheel drive non studded and Exhibition 4 wheel drive class.
13. Will our club trailer be ready to use for the first ice racing event.
  - Brian will contact Corie Cooper regarding trailer.
14. Do we have a previous announcer for these events or do we need to locate a new one?
  - Stew will announce again! Stew wife may be able to help with lab scoring. \$200 a race plus hotel room for night before race. Beth motions we go ahead and secure Stew for the season. Mike seconds. All in favor.
15. Is there a specific group that does the flagging for us for the whole season? If so are they wanting to help us out again for 2018.
  - Vintage Club willing to flag again. Amber motions we pay group \$500 per event. Mike seconds. All in favor.
16. Caterer / Food Truck. Is there a previous company that was being used that would like to keep attending or do we need to locate a new one?
  - Travis will contact Bourban BBQ to see if they are willing to come to events.

17. FM transmitter – Siggy had mentioned that theirs would not be worth selling to our club as it was not in good working condition.
  - Jonas has located a used one for us for the price of \$500.00 if we would like to go ahead. Give Jonas the go ahead.
  
18. Race day forms / License forms / Waivers. Is there previous CMA ones that we use for race day.
  - Beth currently has forms. Stacey/Beth will take care of forms for the year.
  
19. Costs of gate fee, race entry fees, membership fees CMA and RMC.
  - \$5 per head or \$15 per 4 person car load.
  - CMA \$80 membership
    - i. \$30 youth (13 and under)
  - RMC \$100 for family (late year rate)
    - i. \$50 for (late year rate)
  - \$40 Entry fee per class
    - i. \$25 Entry for club classes
  - Passengers for UTVs must purchase a membership so they are covered with insurance.
  
20. Helmet laws & tech inspection. Will we be enforcing these rules this year. We should be posting the CMA rule book online on our website somehow for riders to know exactly what they need for this upcoming season.
  - We will post the CMA rule book on the website and we will be enforcing this season. Riders will take helmets to the registration booth in morning for inspection. After they registration the will take machine to straight to tech inspections. When rider and machine compliant with rules they will be given a sticker to state they are clear to race.
  
21. Will need to make sure we have all positioned filled for the season. Lap scoring, Riders Meeting Announcer, Office Staff.
  - Beth & Stacey will take care of Registraion
  - Stacey-Lap Scoring
    - i. Brian & Stacey's son Austin can help
    - ii. Roxanne Hiebert can help
  - Linda – Line Check
  - Dale – Start Line
  - Amber, and Courtney can help out wherever needed.
  - Hopeful for more volunteers!
    - i. Roxanne presented an idea to contact high school kids for volunteer hours and experience. We can provide a recommendation/referral letter for their resumes. Roxanne will look into this further.
  
22. Do we need to supply garbage bins at the event?
  - We will not be supplying garbage bins. All spectators and riders will take what they bring home, including garbage. The food truck usually has a garbage bin supplied near them.
  
23. Is there a current email list that we can get from SGC to do email blasts about this upcoming season?
  - Brian will contact Siggi to see if they have a email list that they can forward to our club.

24. Sponsors for 2018 – Beth Reed was going to do up a new sponsorship letter on the same format as what SGC did for offers. Do we have any confirmed yet for 2018?

- UTV Canada is a yes!! They are just working out details of how they can help us
- Twisted Shifter Performance providing a \$1000 cash donation!
- Turple Bros – Dale and Roxanne will contact them.
- If riders know of anyone who would be interested in donating to our club and these events, please get in contact with us!

25. Noticed that Pembina has added two more events to their schedule calling it the Num Bum Series.

Events being: 4 hour race – Sunday, February 4

6 hour race – Sunday, February 11

24 hour race – Saturday February 24 – Sunday, February 25

Our Current schedule:

Round 1- Pigeon Lake – Sunday, January 14

Round 2- Cow Lake – Sunday, January 28

Round 3- Gull Lake – Sunday, February 4

Round 4- TBD – Sunday, February 11

Round 5- Lac La Biche – Sunday, February 25

- Discussion of Pembina adding another event with dates that coincide with our race dates. Decided we will not be changing our race dates. Hopeful we will still get a good turn out

26. How to set up your ride night – host = twisted shifter. Is this still a go, and if so we need to get a poster with details out sooner than later. Who is going to be involved.

- Discussion of Set up Clinic that will be held on December 2, 2016 at TWISTER SHIFTER PERFORMANCE in Eckville. This still a go ahead. We will have several racers there to help and advise others of how to get started! How to get your bike set up! Stacey will be supplying chili for lunch. Mike Rose will supply buns/bowls/spoons etc. This is open to all members or non members looking to get into ice racing! Will start at 10am.

Other business discussed not on the agenda

- Discussion of going to the bike show in Calgary to promote our club
- Amber will make posters for all Ice Races
- Pamphlets to hand out at the races- Courtney will take care of
- PA System – Jonas is taking care of.

Meeting adjourned.