



## R.M.H MOTORCYCLE CLUB

June 5, 2018

**ATTENDANCE:** Byrnie Schroderus    Jamie Vanderaa    Nathan Larsgard    Courtney Schmale    Alex Zavadil  
Corie Cooper    Jason Moore    Mark Robideau    Christine Giguere    Kevin McIntosh  
Mike Rose    Stacey Roberts    Amber Giroux    Brian Roberts    Natasha Robinson  
Cole Reis    Angela Kolson

**RECORDER:** Stacey Roberts

**FINANCIAL:** Chequing \$32, 878.07 (\$2,500 hold)

### OLD BUSINESS

- Trailer
  - Second Gear Club paid \$500 deposit on trailer. Offered to carry loan until fall. Jeff Reynolds hoping to pay off right away and will mail cheque.
  - New trailer picked up and registration transferred. Byrnie taking the trailer to his place until the race.
- TFA's
  - Meeting was a success.
  - Corie sending a GPS of Ricinus to submit that TFA. Deadline is Friday June 15<sup>th</sup>.
- MX Track
  - Inspection complete, repairs made and track open.
- Gate at Track
  - Destroyed last week. RCMP was called and Jamie Vanderaa met with them to show where the skid steer had been left that was used to smash the gate and damage the track. Picnic table was also damaged. Steve English repaired the gate temporarily.
  - Midwest has quoted \$4000 to install a rolling gate and concreted pilings. Electronics can be added in future.
  - Corie motions to have gate installed, Mark seconds. All in favor.
- Sponsor update
  - No new sponsor updates.
  - Need Banners for MX race from G-Force, Glen's and Pidhirney's. Nathan will talk to Glen's, Jamie will talk to Pidhirney's.
  - Signs for sponsors are ready to be installed prior to race.
  - Discussion on advertising above starting boxes. Amber will contact VP Racing Fuel to see if they would sponsor the banner we currently have there.
- Website
  - Launched. Amber has requested that people notify her right away if there are issues with any links on the site.

## NEW BUSINESS

- Looking for a volunteer to assist with webmail monitoring and questions. Christine volunteers.

### Off-Road

- Weekend at Byrnie's
  - Course is ready to go other than some flagging.
  - Caterer, Ambulance and toilets have been confirmed.
  - Brian to set up STARS location the morning of the race.
  - Kids A,B and Ladies B will run at 9:00am, Ladies A and Adult C will run at 10:15am
- Ricinus Fun Day
  - Team Race. Name will be drawn for team. Racers will complete 2 laps together as a team and be required to punch tags at check points. Obstacles between laps.
  - "Your Wife's Bike" Race. Has replaced the Big Dawg race. Details to be announced on Facebook closer to event.
  - PeeWee Bump race. Teams will be drawn.
  - Vintage Theme for the event. Prizes will be awarded to the "Best Dressed" spectator as well as the "Best dressed" racer.
  - Kids instruct the adults clinic. Details in progress.
  - Each Rider will receive a prize raffle ticket with each event entry.
  - Cost \$20 each event.
  - Stacey Motions for a \$1000 budget for the event. Courtney seconds. All in favor.
- Ricinus Race
  - Cole, Courtney, Alex and Amber plan to ride Ricinus on Wednesday to determine how much trail maintenance is required and to sketch out staging area for TFA application.
  - If a maintenance night is required it will be announced on the website and on Facebook.
- Race Regroup
  - Ricinus- Amber and Courtney. Fun Day- Cole and Courtney
  - Marble- Cole, Alex and Brian
    - Ryan Brown and Jason Paradis have been working on this loop. Brian is going to contact the SSRD to let them our plans and make sure we are good to go before getting too much further into this project.
  - Gloomy- Looking for someone to take the lead on this race.
- Volunteers
  - Previous discussion about those racers that opt out of a race to fill a volunteer position receiving a year end average of their race points for that race to remain in the points standings. No vote in previous minutes.
  - Alex motions that we follow this procedure, Cole seconds. All in favor.
  - Discussion about the possibility of teaming up with SGC and GRC to run CMA races in the future if volunteers remain an issue. Would lower the stress of the volunteers but may add more work to admin.
  - Volunteer sign up sheets will be at Sign In at races moving forward to encourage people to sign up early. Looking for more support especially from PeeWee parents.
- No Boyz Allowed Clinic
  - Sold out in less than 24 hours. 10 people on waiting list. Amber and Courtney have decided to allow for those 10 riders and to extend the length of the clinic by 2 hours to accommodate.
  - Alex and Cole have volunteered to BBQ lunch for the clinic. Courtney will handle purchasing the supplies.
  - Club is set to profit approximately \$1400 in profit from the event in memberships or day passes
  - Stacey motions that the Club cover up to \$400 for the BBQ lunch to support the clinic. Mike seconds. All in favor.

- Race of the Gazelle's
  - Amber and Cynthia Prefontaine are planning to attend the Race of the Gazelle's in Morocco in March of 2019. They will be hosting fundraising events between now and then to support this race.
  - Stacey volunteered to speak with the SSRD to see if they would support a Fundraising Poker Rally out at Ricinus for the Club to help Amber and Cynthia fundraise. ATV's, Bikes and UTV's would be allowed as the race is a UTV race. More details to come.
  
- Moto-tally and Online Registrations – Hare Scrambles Only
  - Running smoothly. 51 series registrations so far and 15 race pre-registrations.
  - \$1100 in fees taken in online have cost \$34.94 in PayPal fees.
  - Waivers will be ready to be signed at registration in an express lane.
  
- Kayd Howes
  - Kayd Howes has been injured in a dirt bike accident and made it home from the Calgary Children's Hospital Monday. Stacey MacClean has teamed up with Cori Thacker from Twisted Lids and had lanyards made up with Kayd's name and number one them. 100% of the proceeds will go to the Howes family to support Kayd's recovery. Lanyards will be on sale at Race registration as well as at QC sub sliders at our events. They can also be purchased at Tarpon, Gateway or by contacting Stacey Maclean.
  - Lanyards are \$20 each.

## **MX**

- Has been some minor harassment of membership volunteers regarding no day passes. Discussion about possibly removing their contact info from the website to prevent phone calls.
- Non-Members were caught riding the track last week. If anything happens when someone is on the track, member or not, the club is liable. If you see someone at the track that does not have a membership to be there please get a name, description and license plate and report it to the Club executive as well as the RCMP. Trespassers will be charged.
- Need to install a fence to keep people from entering the track without a key. Brian to contact Midwest and have them quote it when they install the new gate.
- Amber to contact G-Force to have surveillance signs made for the track.
- Track will be tentatively closed June 7- June 18 weather depending for the AOTMX and RMC events. Please watch Facebook and the Website for updates.
- There are a lot of MX volunteer positions still needing filled. Discussion about racers covering the flagging positions.
- Brian has contacted the RMH Highschool, Caroline Minor Hockey and RMH Minor Hockey, Amber has contacted the RMH Fire Department and Corie will contact the Scouts to see if their groups would be interested in flagging for a donation to their Organization.
- Amber has applied for an AGLC license to run a 50/50 at the MX race.
- Discussion about the rock pile at the track. Larry Vanderaa has requested permission to use the rocks.
- Mark Motions to let Larry take the rocks. Nathan seconds. All in favor.

**Meeting Adjourned.**