THE CLINTON RIVERS RIDERS BICYCLE CLUB

CRR Meeting Minutes October 9 , 2017
at Mt. Clemens Public Library

Meeting called to order at 7:04 by President Craig Plesco

27 members in attendance at meeting including new member Ron Carpenter and Adela Lowe.

Secretary's report: Karen Melcher – Secretary
The minutes from the 10-9-17 meeting were read.
Motion was made by Craig and seconded to accept the minutes as read. Motion passed.

Treasurer's report: Linda Morgan
Beginning balance was $ xxxx

Inflow of: $ xxxx

Outflow of: $ xxxx

Ending balance of: $ xxxx

Linda noted no money yet from St. John. There was a problem with the address and a new invoice is being sent out hopefully by the next meeting. It will not effect the Finance meeting being held on Oct 18.

Motion made by Joe C. and seconded by Mark C. to accept the Treasurer's report as given. Motion passed.

Ride Director's report: Chris Butler

There were 32 Rides with an average of 6 riders riding a 40 mile avg.
7871 miles were ridden in September.
Notable rides:
Apple Cider Century 8 riders
CARE ride 13 riders
Cobra 2 in 1 (Nolan's first metric century ride)
Tour de Livingston (Ron Carpenter's first Century)
Up North club retreat ride was hosted by Rick and Susan Moorman Sept 29-October 1. There was no riding on Friday due to rain. We did have 2 rides Saturday and Sunday at a slower and faster speed ranging from 20-45 miles. There was walking and lots of deer sightings, game playing, and enjoying hanging out together. Next year will be held after Labor Day.

Coming up rides:
Monday Recovery 5:30
KER 6:00
Coastbusters on Thursday
Doug's Breakfaast on Wednesday

Old Business:

Pete would still like to put in an order for short-sleeve Nike dryfit CRR shirts-black with a white chain logo. Cost would be 36.00. Contact Pete to order.

MOT cleanup was a success and we fulfilled our 2 mile cleaning responsibility.

Finance meeting will be held October 18 at the Morgan's. Bring suggestions for charity donations.

No info on the hat idea brought to the club by Rick Moorman as incentive. Last year $388.00 was spent on hats as awards.

BWR report :

BWR deadline to enter into LMB is October 31.
Need to add date and pricing.
It was decided Sunday, June 24-Herb will check with Algonac HS for availability
Kim Plesco will continue as food chair.
It was motioned and motioned passed by those in attendance to raise prices at each level by $5.00 to help cover running costs and add to charity donations. Family equals 2 adults and 1 child under 18.
Currently, routes will remain the same with minor adjustments.
Design and or theme needs to be discussed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Ve brought in merchandise that she was sent from the company we are working through. Windbreaker is a lighter weight jacket and wind resistant. $85. She will continue to ask about items like zip out and wool if someone inquires and it seems like something club members would like.

Joe C reported that his Lollipop ride will now stop at the Port Huron KOA and begin from Stony Creek. He is working on the new route.

Richard proposed to eliminate the Communications Director position stating that with the internet everything can be seen or learned. Since we need a 5 person board, he proposed we add "Membership" as a position. Currently, Karen keeps track of membership. Linda works with the money side of membership. Using Pay pal makes

this much easier as we both are sent the member info. Generally the busiest part of membership is between January and April.

This will need to be tabled and discussed over the next meeting or two so changes can be made in bi-laws with descriptions and duties of positions created or changed.

Currently, Rick Moorman and Bill control the LIST server.

Facebook Admins are the board.

We are currently seeking a way to upload monthly meeting minutes for those to view when out of town and before the next meeting, in general. This will save time and keep all those interested in the loop if they cannot attend a meeting.

President Plesco handed out awards for accomplishments at the meeting:

Ve-first 200k

John Rogers, Sandro L, -300k

Fred Z -400k

Mike Mamula, Karen Melcher, Ron Carpenter-First Century

Nolan P. first Metric Centuty.

Meeting adjouned at 8:13 with motion by Mark C.

Craig made cupcakes, snack was brought by Karen

WE need people to sign up for monthly snack for the meetings or there will not be one. You are reimbursed up to $40. Please step up and take a turn or go in together.