



EESCC Meeting Minutes

June 5th, 2024

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Attendees: 21 – Bert Jacobson, Bonnie and Jim Mueller, Lorin and Bren Wamsley, Tim and Peggy Steck, Jerry and Licia Shultz, Mike Camicia, Paula Loftin, Mike McClellan, Mike and Gail Glass, Keith Olson, Scott and Sue Minder, Ted Ledgard, Jamie Black, Dean Higgins and John Schmidt.

President, Bert Jacobson called the meeting to order at 6:35 pm.

Meeting Minutes –Secretary Peggy Steck read the May 1st, 2024 meeting minutes. They were approved as read.

Treasurers Report – Jim Mueller read the treasurer’s report and it was approved as read.

Old Business

501(c)(3) Update – Licia – Not sure of the ticket sales from Event 1 & 2. Bonnie will let her know and the name of the person who won. The winner was a new driver. Licia will have more things to talk about next month.

Evo School – Paula – Bonnie and Licia were super helpful with everything at the school. Dana and Allen and Mary Richardson were also very helpful. There was an issue with damage to the end of the runway where the pavement was damaged and the managers blamed us for the damage. The damage was there When Paula arrived. Paula talked with different people and found out that the damage was not there the weekend before. Come to find out, there had been a drifter group on Wednesday (mgmt. said they did not have any history with them). Everything is settled now.

The school was full on Saturday, was 2 short for Sunday, but those spots filled as the last minute. Saturday was warm and the pavement was great. Then came heavy rain and heavy fog, so that you could not see across the course. The coaches were great again.

Event 1 & 2 Recap – Was fun. The initial course design was too short, so we changed and went a different direction to make it longer and it worked out great. Bert commented that since we use the same lots over and over again, its hard to dome up with new courses. Keith worked with novices on Sunday in Licia’s absence. He walked the course with each of them and gave advice.

Larison Hillclimb - Mike- Finally there is an agreement on Insurance. Mike commented, that if not for free long-distance calling, it would not have happened. It’s a really good plan and is exactly what they have always wanted. The price is better, and there are less restrictions.

Currently there are 26 entrants signed up, 35 is the minimum needed to run the hill and he expects to get at least that many.

Event 3 & 4 event planning – we will run last year’s course, hopefully the weather will be better as we would like to run it in nice weather instead of a deluge. Keith will tow the timing trailer and Scott might tow the Reg trailer. Setup is Friday at 2pm ish, we need the blower first to blow off all the snow sand runoff from the winter. Bert will talk to Genna (hot dog lady) to see if she can be there.

Magnetic symbols for Novices – Licia – she asked for funds to pay for bright yellow letter for novices. It was approved.

Event 5 & 6 pre-planning – it looks just like 3 & 4. Postponed until next month.

Additional Agenda Items:

Bonnie – She got a Thank You from Guide Dogs for the Blind and Foor for Lane County.

Lorin W – Brought up banquet expenses and sponsor costs. Sponsors get free dinners and gifts and it's eating up the sponsor donation. A lot of discussion ensued. Some thought sponsors should pay for their dinner and some thought we could do away with the gift. Some thought a plaque for sponsors would be appropriate. Will discuss further at the next meeting.

Bert - noticed more ants in the timing trailer and he suspects that there is an ant nest in the ground where we park the trailers. He is going to spray the ground at EMS (where trailers are parked) and the inside of the trailer again.

Tim – we need home page articles. They are getting pretty scarce. Paula said she would write about the school.

Home Page articles

News Articles will be written by the following individuals and are submitted to Peggy Steck no later than the first Friday following the monthly meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 pm.