

## **EESCC Meeting Minutes**

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 Sizzler

Attendees: 18 – Mike and Gail Glass, Jim and Bonnie Mueller, Scott and Sue Minder, Tim and Peggy Steck, Mary Richardson, Paula Loftin, Licia Shultz, Bert Jacobson, Bill Randleman, Dawayne Kerbs, Aaron Shelton, Bren and Lorin Wamsley and Scott Carneau.

President, Bert Jacobson, called the meeting to order at 6:31 pm.

Meeting Minutes – Secretary Peggy Steck read the June 4th, 2025 meeting minutes. They were approved as read.

Treasurers Report – Jim Mueller read the treasurers report and it was approved.

## <u>Business</u>

**501(c)(3)** Update – Licia – No Raffel at Event 3 & 4. Licia not in attendance at event 3 and not enough people at event 4 due to cold weather. Will do the raffle at Event 5 & 6.

**Venues** – Lorin – He got in contact with state of Oregon aviation dept, regarding the Lebanon airport. It's a safety zone, so any public gathering is not allowed. Its right next to the Lebanon race track and across the road from the airport runway.

**Event 3 & 4 Recap** – Bert – HooDoo – the weather was awful on Saturday, cold rainy and miserable. Tim designed a course using part of the course Bert gave him. It was super fun and something different, even in the pouring rain. The track was slippery in places and we had trouble with the overlap. We also need to fix the turn at the bottom of the hill; it was a huge bump and some cars bottomed out. We are going to use the same course in August and fix the problems.

Bert thanked all of us that did extra work to put on an event with low turnout. There were no novices on Saturday and only one novice on Sunday. Jamie got him lots of rides in all the fast cars. He enjoyed the Viper most of all. Mike G commented that the weather was as predicted and not a surprise. Jaques donated 15 Balaclavas, they were ski types.

**Event 5 & 6 planning** – We'll re-use Event 3 & 4 course. Setup around 4pm. Bert will coordinate towing. Hopefully, no fires.

Licia asked (for Jamie) if we could reserve Willamette pass as a backup to Hoodoo in case something happened like the fire camp showing up at HooDoo last year. WP is a problem, they are charging us for everything possible in addition to the lot, they charge for camping (with no electricity), they wanted \$5 per entrant and a part of the hotdog sales and no access to the bathrooms. Its Ridicules. Maybe Lorin could reach out and see if things have changed with new co-owners.

**Larison Hillclimb – Mike Glass** – We had our meeting last night and things are looking pretty good. Workers are all set and insurance is ready. Probably getting the permit. The Sunday EMT canceled, the tow company canceled and the backup tow company also canceled. Mike is scrambling to get replacements.

## Additional Agenda Items:

**Mike Glass** – There is a new distribution center being built in Salem and it has a huge parking lot. It will not be used for at least a year. Maybe it could be a possible event location.

Scott Minder – He commented, every June the weather is lousy at HooDoo. He did some research; evergreen is about the same distance as HooDoo and the weather is better there in June. Maybe we could think about going there in June instead of HooDoo. And we would pull Portland and Salem people. Bonnie commented that the weather has only been bad last year and this year. Before that the weather was nice.

He also suggested we try talking to municipalities instead of businesses. Ask if they have something that we could use. We could offer to help pave a lot or do some clean up, and ask local business to provide coffee or lunches. He should get with Lorin.

Newsletter Articles – Flyers -Event Results –

The meeting was adjourned at PM 7:18 pm