

BBC Meeting Jan 28th 2013

Members Present: Scott Ciamato, Tricia Betcher, Jon Rosen, John Roden, Mark Lawrence, Frank Grillo, Joe Brennan, Robert Johnson, Tim Williams, Tom Robinson

Treasurer reports

Current Balance: \$5,471.95

Last expenses: City of Buffalo Fees for Larkin Crits
USAC Fees, Permits
Trailer registration

Upcoming expenses Sanctioned race permits, various race supplies, video camera

Larkin update

Robert & Tom to meet with City of Buffalo Feb 7th to finalize details

Frank has discussed most points with city.

If fire trucks need to exit onto Seneca, race will be neutralized

Possible point of contention is if city requires one lane of traffic to be open

That is not possible for USAC or safety

Mike Cormier is contacting businesses on course.

Plan is for 2, possibly 4 police cars as well as private security to assist marshals

Hamburg Race Weekend

Stuart Green has confirmed the race with Village of Hamburg

Flyer needed for USAC & bikereg. Rob Hillyard has been contacted to update.

Will start promoting to all clubs with USAC schedule

Raccoon Rally June 29 Road June 30 MTB

Mark Lawrence discussed race. 100-150 racers have typically attended when not sanction

Road race to be sanctioned race. Would possibly need to cap at 200 riders due to size of venue.

Has some concern about losing participation due to increased cost of sanctioning and lack of t-shirt or other swag. Should be offset by racers looking for points.

Full police support, good turn out from Ohio & PA

EARC

Re-Cycle TT Memorial Day weekend

Road Race July 21 location TBD. Not "Toyfest" course. As of now that event wont be on the calendar

Cross Race to be Chestnut ridge

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Race supplies to be bought:

Megaphone - Fannon suggested by Mark

Airhorns

Stop frame camera separate from chip timing

Spray Chalk

Spare tire, tire irons, jack

How to adhere timing mat to road surface for wet races?

Possible to use wire & yagi antenna. Jon Rosen to test.

Lockport training crit April 28th

OK'ed by Lockport IDA

We need to close roads with cones

Clinic, followed by B race, A race

Lockport road course April 14

Concern with climb due to possibly busy rd. Joe Brennan will ride on a Sunday to test.

Bikereg registration to be up Feb 1.

Jon Rosen had idea for changing race reg to make process faster and increase value to members.

Suggested \$40 fee for year and includes all thursdays.

Consensus was this is not a problem and doesn't need to be addressed

Look at language in team series on bikereg to confirm that it is not confusing.

Robert & Tom to review

John Roden asked about junior racing & who was going to run program. Discussion followed:

How to get kids out to rides? Recruiting through ski clubs, Gow school, orienteering, hockey programs, snowmobile clubs, etc

Flyer & publish schedule weeks in advance

Frank Grillo suggested taking cash from crits & having stable of bikes available at crits & road races.

Joe Brennen suggested Go Bike Buffalo; may have bike avail for use on a Thursday.

Tricia Betcher will follow up

Mark Lawrence suggested checking with Police Athletic League

Email sent as introduction

2 crits will have kids races

Races have Cat 5/Citizens race & having ride marshals in field.

Grillo, Johnson, Polston, Betcher have volunteered to assist.

Tim Williams Having surgery March 28th. Need to ID what race for trailer & need a marshal for reg.

Mike Cormier may be available for trailer

Marshaling will be enforced. If you miss a marshal assignment, you will not be allowed to race until you make up your assignment. By mid-march marshal duties to be assigned.