

Fresno Cycling Club

Fresno Cycling Club May Board Meeting Minutes April 25, 2018

Board Members Present:

Dennis Ball Janet Lucido
Gia Parker Diana Milhollin
Henry Pretzer Yvonne Moreno
Bill Reddington Mike Quiroz
Joe Cassinerio Angelo Quitorio
Ariel Cleofas Devin Bovee'

Patricia Dailev

Visitors Present:

Diana Dean Cody Hill

Meeting Opened: 6:43 PM, called to order by President Dennis Ball

April Board Meeting Minutes: Read and motion to approve with minor change to page 1 to read "March Board Meeting Minutes" by Henry P., 2nd by Mike Q., approved.

Treasurer's Report: Dennis: Most written checks have cleared. Balance checking approximately \$17,000; savings approximately \$10,000. This does not include approximately \$8,000 in PayPal to be deposited into checking. This is mostly for membership and entries.

Advocacy Report: No report due to meeting date change and another advocacy meeting conflict.

Kirch Flat: Mike Q. and Yvonne Moreno: May 5. Registration and packet pickup May 4 from 5-7 pm at Stevens Bicycles, Clovis. The participation medals were passed around. They are looking at upwards of 250 riders this year.

FACT and BLDC: Angelo and Ariel: BLDC registration is open and they are working on obtaining sponsors. Deborah Boling (Planet Ultra) is contacting all California Triple Crown directors to try to form a union to promote Double Century rides. She proposes a flat rate registration to include advertising fees. This was discussed and Angelo and the board agreed FCC is not interested in participating at this time.

The FACT Padayak Ride is Saturday, April 28 starting 8 am, 8:30 rollout from the Dry Creek Trailhead in Clovis. It is a 49 mile loop.

Killer Bee Swarm Ride: Joe C.: June 2 at 8 am. The menu is finalized and brochures are being printed pro bono. Sandra Lucero has made posters to pass out. FCC already allowed a budget of \$500. No sponsors are needed. He is planning on a type of coin as bling with FCC logo on one side and the KB logo on the other.

C2K and Grizzly Century Updates: Dennis Ball: C2K: 42nd Edition. All permits are in order. The schools are set. Rest stops are mostly manned. He is looking for assistance by the FPOA for the after ride BBQ meal. FACT (Angelo) has offered to serve the meal. He is looking for additional sponsors. Jimmy Barbosa is sponsoring bread for sandwiches as the rest stops. Dennis would like a contest for the jersey design.

Grizzly: There will be an optional gravel section to bring the mileage up to 109 miles. Riders must do the 100 mile century to add the 9 mile gravel option. A gravel bike is not required.

Time frame for removing expired members from FP pages and Website:

Dennis B.: Wild Apricot charges the club \$170 per month for 1000 members, which is cheaper than website maintenance charges. We still have archived members on the list, which including them is still under 1000. There is no additional cost at this time, but at some point we will need to start removing archived members from the list so we will not incur additional charges. Joe C. suggested 6 months and Diana Dean suggested a year. Three reminders are sent via email at this time. Dennis will discuss this further with William, but felt 13 months would be a good time frame.

Storage Unit Cleanup/Organize: Dennis B.: We still need a quartermaster for this job. Angelo suggested sub-groups each take a cleanup/organize day. Dennis is looking into new storage bins that are clear plastic with attached lids. Yvonne will be there this Friday to get paper goods for the Kirch Flat ride. Dennis indicated we need some new pop-up tents as well. May 6 at 2 PM we will have board members meet at the storage unit to assist with inventory and cleanup.

May Bike Month: Dennis B.: Devin B. will lead a group to the Mall to Mall Ride from the Stevens' Clovis location at 6:30 am. Dennis will meet at Edwards' Theater at 7 pm.

May 2 movie night.

May 16 Ride of Silence from Stevens' Clovis location. Diana M. will lead. She is working on getting the Clovis PD approval. She is also working on notifying injured riders and families about the event and inviting them to attend. Vicki Stuart is making white ribbons for bikes and the route. She is working on getting one or two white bikes for the route as well. The route is 12 miles and will go through Old Town Clovis. She will have waivers for non-members.

IBike Fresno is again hosting the on-line Million Mile Challenge.

Bike Prom: May 11 put on by FCBC. The event is posted on FB (not an FCC ride).

Facebook Messenger Board Member Communication: Discussion regarding its use. The Board agreed it is an effective way to quickly communicate and to continue. We can also add events to the FB calendar.

New Business:

Dennis B. suggested a membership scholarship for those who may have a financial hardship paying membership dues. Henry motioned to set aside \$500 to kick it off. This was seconded by Mike Q. and passed. Dennis will ask William to add this to the FCC website front page.

Diana D. relayed a problem with stopping at Spring Valley School during the week when classes are in session. There have been teachers giving them a hard time about going onto the front parking lot shaded area and riders are required to go to the front office and sign in and out. Using the portable toilet is not an issue, as it is located on the roadway shoulder.

Meeting Adjourned: 9:02 pm

Respectfully submitted by Janet Lucido, FCC Secretary