

BLACK RIVER VALLEY FOUR WHEELER CLUB, INC
MEETING MINUTES
MAY 6, 2023

Vice President Mike Mabunay called the meeting to order at 9:02 AM followed by the Pledge.

Secretary's Report

Christina indicated that we currently have 330 members. The county is sending the list every two weeks so cards and decals will go out quicker. Motion was made by Terry Rounds to accept the minutes from the April meeting and a second by Scott Hunt.

Treasurer's Report

Gretchen Lane provided copies of the Treasurer's report and our current balance is \$10,723.93. Neil Pepper made a motion to accept the treasurer's report with a second by Julie Smith.

Old Business

Maps will not be purchased for the club to resale due to the cost. The price of \$72.00 was incorrect.

New Business

Lewis County stopped asking for clubs to help with maintenance. Trail Ambassadors will ride a couple times a month and assist with riders that may need directions and report any maintenance issues that they see on the trails. A Release of Liability will need to be signed prior to becoming an Ambassador. The contact person for our club is Mike Leviker.

Mike Leviker is organizing a safety course. More to follow at a later date.

Looking to add signs to Thank all of our land owners.

Mike Leviker stated the by the June meeting the CPA work for our 501c3 will be Completed.

The By laws need a few housekeeping items corrected.

Mike Leviker tried to organize a pre- snirt booth to be set up and was not able to get volunteers. The club will try again next year. Julie Smith stated the this was tried a few years ago and it was unsuccessful.

Decals and membership cards will continue to be ordered from Land Designs. Motion made by Bruce Hyde with a second by Scott Hunt.

Sponsorship signs will be looked at and Scott Hunt will donate \$250.

Club store has only had 48 sales in the past 2 years. Mike Mabunay will put a link to the club store on our Facebook page that will make it easier to find and hopefully will generate more business.

Neil Pepper spoke about the clubs not being able to get insurance. Friends Rides will continue with the groups splitting up into 2 groups to alleviate over crowding of restaurants. Neil will continue to post the rides on FB. Lewis County does not have enough officers to patrol all of the trails and that is where the Ambassador idea came from.

Greg Martin will be having back surgery and doesn't know how involved he will be able to be with the Board of Directors. This will be discussed at the next BOD meeting

Our monthly giveaway was to the Towpath Restaurant and Lodge. Today's winner was Harold Keefer.

**Meeting adjourned at 9:37 AM
Respectfully submitted
Christina Meagher**