

MACC – MICHIGAN ALPINE COMPETITION COUNCIL - MEETING 02-17-09

Minutes of the call in meeting.

President Mike Jablonski called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

Attendance: Officers

Mike Jablonski – P	Shawn Hughes – P	Scott Tater - A	John Thomas – P	Steve Coatney - P
Mike Sayers – P	Debi Koltoniak - A	Andrew Aho – P	Ted Jablonski– P	Dan Costigan - A
Doug Fellman – P	Bill Perlmutter – A	Craig Mcleod – A	Ginnie Uhley – P	Dave Carrico – A
Denise Miller – P				

Attendance: Team Racer Representatives

Yas Miyawaki, AA - A	Mark Banninger, PH - A	Peggy Konsza, SC – P	Dave Corcoran, SN - A
Bruce Johnson, GM – P	Paul Mooradian, R – A	Mark Arthers, PH - A	Chip Dayton, SW - P
Romelle Taylor, JD - A	Gary Konsza, SC - P	Gary Bloodworth, SN – P	Andy Kerbrat, SW - P
Rob Reader – A	Mick Serafinski, TR – P	Mike Ault, T - P	Greg Glassco, SD - A
Holly Polopolos AA – A	Kate Fitkin T – A	Diane Clark SW - A	

Officers Reports:

President – Mike Jablonski

We had about 81 racers at Searchmont this year, down from last year and from the usual Searchmont turnout. Typically we have 65% of a Boyne weekend this year we had 51%. Some classes had very low attendance. The weather was quite good, with some fog and mist on Saturday, but warmer temperatures than usual. Courses were very challenging this year. Mike received a note from the Ski Runners thanking us and letting us know how much they appreciate us coming up there. Gary Bloodworth raised an issue that he felt that it is unfair to those not going to Searchmont. Some classes only had one racer. This gives the racers an advantage in winning races and getting world cup points. Gary stated most of the world cup winners are racers that have gone to Searchmont. Mike S suggested we all discuss with other racers and be ready to discuss at an upcoming meeting, probably the spring meeting.

Race 4 is the annual AC – DC weekend. Course 1&2 will be on the South side of Superbowl and course 3&4 will be on the north side of Superbowl.

Finances – Scott Tater

Not present, no report.

Computer Software & Results – Steve Coatney

Everything is well. Results are posted, but there were some corrections. There were 2 or 3 disqualifications that needed to be settled all are taken care of except that of Hunter Brisson. Looking at the gatekeeper card he missed the gate and either did not climb back through the gate or did not cross the plane of the gates. His disqualification will stand.

Timing - Shawn Hughes

All set for this weekend.

Web Site & Rules – Mike Sayers

Results are posted. There were 2 upgrades. Need a reminder to the E 2 women they are changing courses from course 2 to course 1. Andrew will put in the Newsletter.

Race Workers– Bill Perlmutter

Not present, no report. There is still a problem with the web signup. The dates have not changed. Mike J to contact Dennis and Bill to try and correct.

Awards & Sponsors – John Thomas

Final 3 invoices have been sent to Scott Tater. Mike has received the World Cup and Cantor Cup awards. Cantor Cup awards are very nice. This has been a hard year for sponsors so the prizes will probably be down this year for the banquet.

Registration & Bibs – Ginnie Uhley

We now have 207 racers registered. 4 people have asked about guest racing this upcoming weekend that have not raced previously. Bibs are in; we are all set.

Equipment – David Carrico

Not present; no report. No issues.

Course Setting – Dan Costigan

Not present; no report. Did report earlier that he is all ready for AC – DC weekend.

Course Operations – Craig McLeod & Ted Jablonski

We are at the best level we have been all year. There are a few spots open for course maintenance.

Publicity & Recruitment – Debi Koltoniak

Not present; no report. The information for the college and High School recruitment is on the web.

Announcers – Kate Fitkin

Not present; no report.

Newsletter – Andrew Aho

Anything for the newsletter, get to Andrew ASAP, as it is already Tuesday and the newsletter needs to go out.

Correspondence – Doug Fellman

Old Business:

Banquet: The banquet this year will be a little different format, with lower ticket prices. There will not be a sit down meal; it will be finger food. Exact price not established as of right now somewhere around \$25. Tickets will be on sale this weekend. There will be no DJ.

New Business: None

The meeting was adjourned at 7:56 PM.

Next meeting will be a call in on Monday, March 2, at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Fellman Secretary