

## **Chinook Cycling Club**

## **Open Club Meeting Minutes**



May 18, 2022

Round Table Pizza, Richland, 5:30pm, and Zoom

2022 Board Members (with term ending year): John Limbaugh (President, 22), **Mike Fisher** (VP, 22), **Chad Eder** (Treasurer, 23), **Melanie Hanson** (Secretary, 22), **John Burke** (23), **Eric Jensen** (23), **Rod Scrimsher** (22), **Jennifer Trent** (23).

## **Old Business:**

- 1. T-shirts for sale. Plenty of men's M and L available. \$15 each. Rod and Greg have them.
- 2. Update TT website sometime.
  - Cookies and tracking have been removed. The website is good for this year.

    Might give it an update/facelift in the future. Jon McCall might be able to help.
- 3. Winter hats left for sale? \$20.

Rod has them. 8 or 10 left.

## **New Business:**

- 1. Approve previous minutes: Approved
- 2. Treasurer's report: Membership through May is down compared to the past few vears.
  - Trying to see if there is a common factor as to why people stopped being members.
  - Some current non-members are former TT participants but have stopped.
  - **Chad** Send an email asking people why they are no longer members.
  - Longer ride window for the TTs has made them less social and maybe less attractive to some.
  - People not doing the TT or MTB series have no reason to become members.
  - Time to restart the social events after IEC, fall party, after each 10 mile TT at Flat Top Park. **Chad** and Greg will help with the TT socials.
  - Re-advertise the next/last spring road event with more attention on the social gathering afterwards. Encourage riders to come out even if they didn't do the first two events. Text your friends. **Melanie** will send out email and FB.

3. Report on Lewiston Training Camp: 17 riders participated.

2 SAGs were used. The van worked well.

**Rod** did a great job organizing it and he is planning on doing it again next year with even more riders.

He even managed to stay a few dollars under budget.

4. Recap on Spring road series, last event scheduled 5/28 discussion re: party and budget:

The ride starts and ends at **Rod**'s house.

Planning on having a social gathering after with food and refreshments. Rod is still deciding on a menu.

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Rod is working on awards for men and women. Planning on 4 awards total.

\$300 spent on giveaways.

\$500 budgeted for the party.

5. Thursday Throwdown rides - are more ride leaders needed? New meeting location? Ride leaders - **Chad, Eric**, Ryan, and Ian should be enough.

Neutral rollout until out of town/traffic. Announce when the actual "racing" begins.

Yellow/red lights and roundabouts need to be entered as a group, not individually.

Move the start location to the Edison street boat launch starting next week.

Redo the routes on Strava to show the new start location, reroute some of the routes to avoid busy roads, and fix broken links. **Chad,** Ryan, **Melanie,** and **Eric** will work on it.

6. Other: State open houses happening to discuss e-bike use on state lands. The results should be available in the next few weeks.

MTB series: **Burke** is working on it and will delegate help when needed.

Plan on a New Year's Ride.

Craig would like a work party to clear out the Rattlesnake trails, possibly this Sunday.