

Indianhead Track club 'Meeting Minutes

August 3rd, 2011

Opening:

The regular meeting of ITC was called to order at 6:36 p.m on Aug. 3, 2011 at Dooley's pub.

Present:

Dave Carothers, Wade Zweiner, Tom Langley, Emily Blaskey, John Qualheim, Fred Hable, Tara Burr

Agenda

Chip timing use

many people have asked about timing system use

Guidelines for use need to be made or decision or only inclusive to ITC events.

Discussion: Mike Salm's email was read to those present regarding his suggestions for standards, opinion on outside of track club use, and his request to utilize the system for the upcoming Tuesday Buckshot 2miler which he directs. Much discussion ensued on this topic as it was decided last year that we would wait a year before using or renting the system for non ITC races. The need for more members trained with the system was emphasized as we only have 3 members that have timed our races. After all present were heard on this topic it was moved and seconded that the Tuesday Buckshot run would be utilized as a training session for those members interested in learning the system, and members would be notified by email or otherwise of this opportunity. Motion carried.

Cost accounting

Race entry minimum costs

Lessons learned

Discussion: deferred to next meeting as Jeanie was not present

Eau Claire marathon Water stop

Discussion: Dave has confirmed that we will have our same H2O stop as last year. We will need a coordinator for this event and the members present will ask others of their interest to do this. It was emphasized that at least 2 shifts would be needed.

ITC Race Series

update

Mike not present but was noted that the Justice run was dropped voluntarily by the director of the race as the format changed prior to the race due to the heat predicted for the day. The 5 mile race was changed to a non competitive 5k with the 2 mile remaining unchanged. It was noted by the members she made a wise decision.

Tortoise and Hare

Debrief

Discussion: Final numbers were not available yet but a great turnout on a hot day was noted. The post race survey has just been posted on the web. John stated he would not be directing next year and Fred will give the club his decision within a few weeks if he is interested in directing again next year.

Mini Track meets

Debrief

Discussion: Adam not present but Dave commented that a good time was had at the Aug. 2 meet and a team of high school runners from Cadott participated.

Carson ten

updates

Discussion: Wade updated the group on the upcoming clinics he has organized to be called the Carson Challenge which was noted in the Leader this week to start Aug. 10. Plans and designs for a trailhead marker are underway to be submitted later. Mark Blaskey is working on this.

Banquet

update

Discussion: Tara would like a co organizer for the banquet. She is working on some new ideas for the event including format or theme, possible change in location, raffle tickets for merchandise, possible speaker. She asks those present to submit suggestions to her.

Treasurer's Report

Jeanie not present so no report

Open Issues

none

Emily stated that she negotiated with RCU a fee for the club of \$200 for our involvement. She stated that the ITC has a great friend on the police force that has been very supportive of running events in our community.

Tabled issues

none

Meeting adjourned at 8:23 PM