

Lethbridge BMX Meeting

June 14<sup>th</sup> 2016

Meeting #7 at Lethbridge BMX Clubhouse

Meeting to Order – Meeting called to order at 8:29pm

Additions & Deletions – No Bike Sign - Parent Committee suggestion – hoodie/jersey/jacket order – Coaching Wednesdays

Approval of Agenda – Cory – seconded by Matt – all in favour

Treasurers report – Treasurer gave report – details can be found in the secretary binder. Approval of the treasurer report by Tyler and seconded by Chris – all in favour

OLD BUSINESS –

Advertising – Advertising is all completed.

Alberta Summer Games – We have some riders from our track that have qualified to attend as well as some riders from Medicine Hat. We did not fill all of our spots for our zone so there will likely be some riders from other zones competing for us.

Soil Tack – Soil tack is here and John will be working on getting it on the track soon.

Track Changes – We have not had a chance to work on this yet – still to come when there is a free moment to do the work.

New Locks – Not yet purchased but will be taken care of soon.

NEW BUSINESS –

C-Can – We bought the C-Can with the expectation that we could empty out the shed contents in to the C-Can. Unfortunately the quad takes up the majority of the C-Can so we are unable to tear down the shed and empty the contents in to the C-Can as planned. Suggestion to purchase another C-Can to be able to tear down the shed. Deb made a motion to buy a new C-Can to replace the shed that is currently existing. Seconded by Cory – all in favor. John will take care of this.

Fundraising – An email came to the BMX club from Value Village in regards to a fundraiser for the club. You collect clothes from club members and you get paid per pound for the clothes collected. We will table this and talk to Michelle Fedorowich about this.

Trophy Night – We have a ton of trophies to get rid of and think it would be nice to have a trophy race night. Suggestion to have trophy prep on a Wednesday night while kids are in coaching and parents could help.

#### ADDED BUSINESS –

No Bike Sign – it was suggested to have a no bike zone around the bleachers. Suggestion to announce reminders to riders/parents to not have bikes around the bleacher area.

Parent Committee Suggestion – A parent suggested having a BMX parent committee that could be a group of parents that plan/carry out events ie: the parade, a potluck night, jobs that need to be done around the track, ordering t-shirts (they would like bmx club shirts soon so we have them for the season). This parent said that they are involved in many other activities in the community and no other activity or group has the awesome feel that the BMX community has. This parent wants to keep that community feeling going but realizes that the executive have a lot on their plate already and she suggested that a parent committee could take care of some jobs for the executive and could bring ideas to the executive for approval then carry out those ideas. It was decided that Janine will update this parent that the executive feel this is a great idea and they have the 'go ahead' to set up a committee.

Hoodie/Jersey/Jacket Order – Many parents are interested in purchasing bmx clothing. We will get started on organizing this. We will see if the parent committee is interested in organizing this otherwise Janine will.

Coaching Wednesdays – Some concerns in regards to the huge novice group. Brainstormed some ideas as to how we can make the novice coaching session better for the coaches as well as the kids. Idea of splitting up the group to 2 different areas of the track, moving some kids up to intermediate, and running drills that aren't individual based which leaves for long wait times for the kids. Some of the issues are getting the kids to pay attention to smoothly move along the coaching session.

Meeting adjourned at 8:56pm

Next meeting scheduled for June 7