



Stevens Creek Striders

Minutes of the Board of Stevens Creek Striders

Date: April 22, 2008
Present: Patrick, Lina, Mike, Peggy, Robin.
Absent: Peter (with Apologies). Gene
Location: Gumba's Pizza, Cupertino.
Minutes of Previous Meeting: Not available.

1 Email Aliases

Everybody (other than Robin) seems to be not receiving email from board@stevenscreekstriders.org. Robin agreed to investigate.

2 Treasurer's Report

Patrick reported on behalf of Peter who is out of town on business

Checking	\$1091.58
Saving	\$205.53
Membership	59

Patrick has some paperwork to complete with the changeover to Peter as Treasurer. This includes filing with the County (as discussed in previous board meetings), and the completion of the USATF membership.

3 Picnic

Linda Vista Park on Saturday May 17.

We'll use the same location as last year and we don't have to book it.

Peggy will turn up early on Saturday May 17 to ensure we get our 'spot'

Club run to take place from Linda Vista Park at 9am

We'll encourage most of the club to run to Stevens Canyon along the road because the run over the hill is rather difficult.

Robin to post web information from last year.

4 Quicksilver Aid Station

Almaden Quicksilver Park, Saturday May 10.

Patrick and Peggy are leading the effort on this.

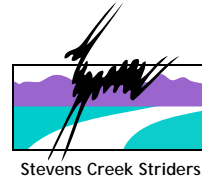
Patrick's been in touch with RD Steve Lorenz who's in Florida for the winter.

The event gets fixed up when Steve returns from Florida. So it might be a scramble.

Steve will provide all the supplies.

Patrick will need a truck (or hire a U-Haul) to collect and carry the supplies.

Supply pickup on Friday is from 'a school at the north of the park'. As Patrick doesn't know the park, he'll have to find out from Steve exactly where he's to go.



Unclear exactly how Patrick's going to handle transport. It'll work out somehow!

Penny has the club banner.

Only 6-8 volunteers at this time. (Patrick, Peggy, Chuck W, Charles S, Bill J, Michael F.). Jean and family are hoping to support us. We believe Penny's going to help.

Patrick to draft email to membership

Robin to send email out as soon as possible.

5 Board for 2008/09

Patrick will step down from the board at the end of June due to pressure of work, family and other demands on his time.

Lina, Peggy, Michael and Robin agreed to serve again. Gene wasn't present. So we're looking for one or two new board members.

Patrick to include this in his email (about Quicksilver). Robin to dispatch.

6 Robin's Update

Press Articles: Article published in 'Ultra Running' about Striders in 'Club Corner'. Articles in the same edition by Jean (about his adventure in Costa Rica) and Michael K (about Jeb Smith).

Article waiting to be published in Silicon Valley Wave Magazine. Possibly Wednesday April 23. The article has been delayed twice already – so publication date not known.

Western States: Saturday June 28.

19 'Yes' and 11 'Maybe'. 30 volunteers needed.

So this looks on schedule

Robin now has the club's "Friend of the Trail" Award (Passed over from Bob and Marsha)

Elvira and Charles: Robin to present the photo album gift at club on Saturday.

Club Archives: Robin has 19 US Letter Binder of club archives (1982-2001) from Carol and has agreed to scan one and display on web. Patrick suggested we ask from club volunteers with scanners to undertake this work. At the moment it looks like at least 20 days work. Big Job.

Newsletter: This wasn't discussed (Robin forgot to bring it up).

Copy Date was 4/15. Nothing received.

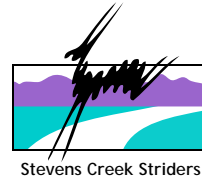
Probably recycle Jean and Michael K's articles.

7 Next Board Meeting

Tuesday May 13. Mike and Wanda's.

Robin sent his apologies (on vacation at Grand Canyon).

Main topic for discussion at next meeting to be the Picnic.



Action Items

Peggy	Picnic arrangements (with Lina) Work with Patrick on Quicksilver Aid Station
Patrick	Email to Robin about Quicksilver and Board Membership Continue Treasurer's handover to Peter (County Council filing & USATF) Work with Peggy on Quicksilver Aid Station
Lina	Help Peggy with Picnic
Robin	Minutes of this meeting Investigate email forwarding issues Send out Patrick's email about Quicksilver and Board Continue with WS arrangements Publish a newsletter on May 1 Presentation on Saturday to Elvira and Charles Continue to investigate club archives
Gene	Minutes from March 19 Let us know if he's continuing on board next season
Michael	Currently doing announcements
Peter	Continue treasurer's handover from Patrick.