

**Stevens Creek Striders  
Board Meeting Minutes  
Aug 15, 2005**

**Location** : Jack's Home – *thanks for the scumptious dinner Jack.*

**Present** : Peggy McLeod, Bill Jones, Jack Pan, Amanda Williams, Mark Williams, Dennis Connor, Penny Beeston

*Meeting called to order by President Peggy McLeod at about 8:00pm*

**Agenda Items**

**1. Clambake Feedback**

A successful event with about 30 runners and over 40 people enjoying the beach party at the end.

A big thanks to Mark and Amanda for organizing the permit, the aid stations, the car pooling and the clean up. Thanks also to Andrew and kids for aid station help and Bill and Penny for the clam and salmon chowder.

*Action* : Notes to be kept on file for next year's clambake:

Next year we need to get organized and word out earlier (May/June). We also need to have three people to organize three different aspects of the event.

1. A Waddell Beach organizer to get the permit, organize the potluck and make sure we have tables, stoves, and also the clean up at the end of the day.
2. An aid station organizer
3. Someone to organize carpools and collection of money.

*Action* : The terms of the permit need to be added to the clambake information on our web site so everyone is aware/reminded of the details such as ... all trash must be taken out, camp toilet!! *Thanks Dennis*

**2. Membership**

Discussion about getting new Striders t-shirts.

*Action* : Mark will look into getting new Strider's t-shirts made up for sale. Use same logo. Will use the web site and Saturday morning announcements to gather information about what members prefer (singlets, t-shirts, windbreakers etc).

Current paid up membership stands at 43.

*Action* : Mark will email all past members who haven't yet paid this year's dues to invite/remind them to rejoin for the '05-'06 year

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### **3. Club Activities Survey**

We have some responses and will seek more and report back next meeting.

*Action* : Dennis will post survey up on the website so people can respond online and we will alert members about this during Saturday morning announcements

### **4. Treasurer's Report**

43 paid up members to date

Check account approx \$1300

Savings approx \$500

Now have enough funds to pay the required deposit for the Xmas party (probably around \$1000).

*Action* : Mark and Gayla in the process of transferring over the check account  
Dennis will make sure the online memberships (through Active.com) send the report/receipts to Mark.

### **5. Board Members Report**

*Action* : Bill will contact the hotel to organize the payment of the full deposit for the Xmas party and report back to the board at our next meeting with details about the full cost for this event.

*Action* : Dennis is now back from holidays and will get the web site updated with changes such as new board members/active.com/survey response/advertise Big Sur fun run.

*Action*: Articles for the next newsletter need to be given to Jack by the end of August (Aug 31<sup>st</sup> deadline)

Peggy will invite Eric to write an article about his WS experience.

Bill will write an article about his recent foray into the backcountry.

Dennis will write about his "holiday runs" down under.

Amanda will do a post clambake write up and we will look into getting someone (Christina/Mark?) to write up about upcoming ultra run experiences.

*Action* : Penny to do Saturday announcements for Peggy.

*Meeting closed 9:15pm*

**Next meeting scheduled for Sept, 13  
7.30pm at Penny's Place**