

**Stevens Creek Striders  
Board Meeting  
May 6, 2004**

**Present:** Mark, Peter, John, Don, Mike, Charles & Gayla

**Absent:** No one – perfect attendance

*Meeting Called to Order 7:48:39 (time provided by Mark Williams)*

**Items Discussed**

1. Peter researched the web bots that trawl the website and is setting up controls for incoming emails and pages we don't want appearing in search engines.
2. The Board has decided that all incoming memberships be tracked by detail and matched against the membership list maintained by the President. Treasurer's detailed list will be reconciled against the membership list to ensure accurate membership reporting.
3. WS100 and Quicksilver aid stations are under control and plans are falling into place. It was mentioned that you can drive up early Sat. morning to WS100 aid station but must be there by 9 am because they close the access roads; otherwise you can drive up the night before and camp out or book a room.
4. Don has not been able to oversee the Tuesday night workouts but will start again in June. He has suggested changing the night to Thursday nights since there are several other organizations using the track on Tuesday nights and it is crowded. Don will start the workouts in June on Thursday nights and encourages the marathon training groups to attend. He and John will discuss a schedule.
5. John will submit to Peter a schedule for the Summer/Fall Marathon training schedule. We don't want to discourage anyone but it was mentioned it was difficult to keep track of the real beginners. The board suggested that maybe Carol Borders would contribute to leading the beginners if there are some. The Striders encourage all to join the marathon training group for that support and advice in order to finish your first marathon or better your time. Since there are different levels, there needs to be someone to mentor at each level to encourage all to continue their training while having fun.
6. John mentioned the financials have not changed. We have \$498.64 in checking and \$500.85 in savings. Membership due renewals are soon and we should start to encourage renewal dues soon. Dues will remain at \$20 per annum.
7. The new board has been elected by default. Only 7 members expressed interest and therefore no ballots were needed. The new board members will be announced

at the Spring picnic. Reminder: Any member is welcome to attend any board meeting.

8. Charles will email Gayla the information to contact the person for the clam bake permit pass for our annual clam bake run to be held in August. Gayla will make contact and pick up the permit.
9. Mark will lead the Sat., May 15<sup>th</sup> announcements at the Picnic and announce the new board members.
10. John has expressed interest in leading the Providian Relays this year and the Board suggested that he should start recruiting now. He mentioned several people were interested already. It is the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary for the Providian Relays so it should be lots of fun (like every year).

Next board meeting is June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2004 at Mark's home at 7pm.

*Meeting closed at twenty-one hundred hours (time provided by Charles Stevens).*