

MACC – MICHIGAN ALPINE COMPETITION COUNCIL - MEETING 01-02-06
Minutes of the meeting conducted by call in.

President Mike Jablonski called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM.

Attendance: Officers

Mike Jablonski P Shawn Hughes P Scott Tater P John Thomas A Steve Coatney P
Mike Sayers P Debi Koltoniak A Conston Taylor P Kate Fitkin P Dan Costigan P
Doug Fellman P Jim Michon P Craig Mcleod P Ginnie Uhley P Dave Carrico P

Attendance: Team Racer Representatives

Yas Miyawaki AA (A) Mark Banninger P (A) Peggy Konsza SM (P) Dennis Doherty SN (A)
Bruce Johnson GM (P) Paul Mooradian P (P) Robert Morey SM (A) Ken McLaughlin SW (P)
Foster Butler JD (P) Gary Konsza SM (P) Gary Bloodworth SN (P) Peggy Lowe SW (P)
John Stewart SD (A) Mick Serafinski TR (P) Mike Ault T (A) Greg Glassco SD (A)
Cary Adgate (P)

Officers Reports:

President – Mike Jablonski

Snow conditions at Boyne are not good. Cary Adgate called in and has suggested that we run courses 1,2, &3 on FIS (north Superbowl) and course 4 & 5 on North McClouth. After much discussion about wires on the hill for the timers and 110 power in the shack for the computers it was decided to go with this arrangement. Steve, Mike, Dave, Cary are to meet Friday morning at 10:00AM to check everything out. The qualifier will be run on FIS Saturday morning at 9:30. Scott and Dan Costigan will help Gary Bloodworth with the evaluations. Mick suggested we check the status of the fences and “Race in Progress” Banners. Boyne has borrowed them in the past and not returned them. We had 10 fences and 9 banners at one time. Last year we had only 7 1/2 fences (Boyne supposedly had cut one in half) and only 5 banners. Cary said he would check into it also. Conston will send out an e-mail to all notifying them of the changes and that the races are on.

Mike to check with Boyne to make sure they are selling lift tickets in the Othmar on Saturday morning.

Searchmont is back in business with 2 chairs up and running (passed inspection), the 2 place and the 4 place. The 3 place chair should be inspected within the next few weeks.

Vice-President - Kate Fitkin

Race training: Larry Cappel has proposed 2 weekends of training Jan 14,15 and Feb 18,19. This would consist of 4 half-day sessions. This would be a morning and afternoon session for 2 days. This would be in addition to the MACC and BART training. Kate will confirm everything with Larry and provide information for Conston’s newsletter and also make up a flyer for this weekend.

Announcers: 6 people are confirmed could use some more. Ginnie will forward e-mail addresses to Kate and Craig.

Finances – Scott Tater

Scott has money to deposit and did not have the exact amount for our current balance. He has received 2 NSF checks back from the bank. He has sent them back to their owners requesting their registration fee + \$20 for the NSF check.

Computers, Software & Results – Steve Coatney

There is nothing to add to prior discussions. He will be up to Boyne on Friday to check out everything. Biggest problem will be setup on Saturday morning.

Timing - Shawn Hughes

Have put a schedule together, thought he would have extra starters, but this is not the case. Does not anticipate any problems, but will handle any that arises as they come up.

Web Site & Rules – Mike Sayers

Has updated the web as the meeting was going on so the web is currently up to date with the race course changes for this weekend. The rules on bibs needs to be cleaned up, Mike does not see a problem as currently written, but will clean when he gets time.

Race Workers – Jim Michon

Web site is open for gate judges. Jim asked Conston to include in his newsletter. Ginnie will send latest list of racers to Dennis Parrott. Sign up for racers and work assignment will be in the Othmar from 7:45 to 9:00AM on Saturday.

Awards & Sponsors – John Thomas

Not present. The awards have been delivered to Bob Simpsons' garage. Sponsors remain the same.

Registration & Bibs – Ginnie Uhley

We have 221 registered racers. Ginnie will be at the Othmar at 7:45 for sign up.

Equipment – David Carrico

Dave had nothing more to add from the previous discussion on the course changes for the first race. He will be there Friday morning to check everything out.

Course Setting – Dan Costigan

Will need help from Boyne to move gates and equipment to North McClouth around 8:30 AM

Course Operations – Craig McLeod

Craig is having a conference call Tuesday evening to go over the rules and guidelines for COC and maintenance workers. Craig is still looking for workers. 2 COC's and 4 course maintenance workers are not skiing this year. Let Craig know of anyone who would be interested in this job. Needs help with outside starters also. Shawn to send the info he has on last year's starters to Craig.

Publicity & Recruitment – Debi Lewis-Koltoniak

Not present. Posters have been updated and we have a new membership recruitment contest.

Correspondence – Doug Fellman

Newsletter – Conston Taylor

Conston will send out an e-mail blast to alert everyone to the upcoming changes for the first weekend. This will go out ASAP. There will also be a newsletter with the race training and other info on it that will be put out later.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

The meeting was adjourned at 8:29 PM.

Next meeting: January 16, 2006 (This is a call in meeting.)
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Respectfully submitted,
Doug Fellman