

MACC – MICHIGAN ALPINE COMPETITION COUNCIL - MEETING 01-22-07

Minutes of the meeting conducted by call in.

President Mike Jablonski called the meeting to order at 7:06 PM.

Attendance: Officers

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

Attendance: Team Racer Representatives

Yas Miyawaki AA (A) Mark Banninger A (A) Peggy Konsza SM (A) Dennis Doherty SN (A)  
Bruce Johnson GM (P) Paul Mooradian R (P) Mark Arthers P (P) Ken McLaughlin SW (A)  
Romelle Taylor JD (P) Gary Konsza SM (A) Gary Bloodworth SN (P) Peggy Lowe SW (P)  
John Stewart SD (A) Mick Serafinski TR (A) Mike Ault T (P) Greg Glassco SD (A)

Others in Attendance: Ted Jablonski

Officers Reports:

President – Mike Jablonski

The first weekend everything went amazingly well. Courses held up very well. There was some problem on Course #3 on the double gates coming out of the flush. It is to be noted that only the men had a problem and the women had none. Appears to be an inspection issue. The success for the first weekend is due to the hard work by everybody. Thanks to all who helped out. Participation was about 60%, upper class racer participation was good with the lower numbers coming from the lower classes.

The second weekend should be much better with more natural snow and a lot more man made snow.

The Toledo Ski Club, with MACC, is again hosting a Saturday night party at their lodge. The MACC is picking up the tab for a \_ keg of beer and some snacks. There will be a skier rep present from Blizzard. Boyne Mountain will have a rep there with door prizes,

Searchmont is supposed to be checking in tomorrow with pricing and the program. Mike had heard all chairs were open, Jim Michon reported that the far left chair was not open.

Still need a volunteer for the Banquet. Mike will be setting the menu this week.

Vice-President - Kate Fitkin

There is training every Tuesday and Thursday at Brighton, Contact Chris Cataldo or just show up.

There is Friday night training on Aurora at Boyne Mountain. Also, training this weekend on Superbowl.

Need one more announcer.

Finances – Scott Tater

Reliable Racing has been paid. Had one check written in pencil.

Computers, Software & Results – Steve Coatney

Weekend went well. Timing people did an outstanding job. This was one of the easier first weekends. Good job on the registration data clean and error free. The wireless worked well. One of the software keys didn't work and ended up purchasing a new key. Need to get our money back for the defective key.

Timing - Shawn Hughes

Has the video cards for the 2 monitors per shack that will be used next weekend. There was no room this weekend.. The web is working well several updates since Friday.

Web Site & Rules – Mike Sayers

Rules, Constitution , and Bylaws there are no changes. The results are posted.

Race Workers – Jim Michon

The posting of the list of pinkies from last year at the Othmar worked well. People were making sure they worked and that their cards were turned in.  
New list should be posted by this weekend.

Awards & Sponsors – John Thomas

All the awards have either been received or are on order.

Registration & Bibs – Ginnie Uhley

First weekend went well. New copy of the database will be sent to Ginnie. In the data base numbers 750 thru 900 have been set up for guest bibs. Will be passing out the new bibs this weekend.  
Bill Orrell has switched to GM from Skiniks

Equipment – David Carrico

Not present, but E-mailed that all was well with the equipment.

Course Setting – Dan Costigan

Dan was not present, but Patty sat in for him. The purchase of new gates was approved tonight. Dan was given the go ahead to purchase 20 new screw-in gates and 10 stab-in gates.

Course Operations – Craig McLeod & Ted Jablonski

Ted reported that it went kind a well. Need to pay attention to details like pencils and clipboards.  
Only had 6 walkie- talkies at the end of the day.

Publicity & Recruitment – Debi Koltoniak

Publicity and recruitment is up to date. Discount cards given to reps.  
Will put up flyers for the Toledo ski club party and Gino to announce at the awards.

Correspondence – Doug Fellman

Newsletter – Jennifer Shorter

Newsletter this week will have info on The MACC/Toledo Party at the TSC Lodge. Note on the training.

Old Business: None

New Business:

There were several new items under new business

-There was a gate down near the finish and there was some confusion on how to handle. Need a formal statement how this should be handled. Racers were given a provisional rerun this weekend.

-Discussion on adding a Vet E2 women's class. There are 11 in the class. This has been tried before. It was decided not to do.

-Kate Fitkin to work on setting up a leader board at the bottom of each course.

-Gary Bloodworth brought up a motion to allow Super Vet C men to transfer to the C men class where they might be more competitive. A vote was taken there were no objections. Mike to send out an E-mail to all SVCM racers stating that they will be given one chance to move if they want to. Must be done by Wed night.

-Kelsey Dubois has shown up on the results when she didn't even race. Correction to be made.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:33 PM.

Next meeting: February 5th. This will be a Call in meeting. (866-637-2663 pass code 299848).

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Fellman