

MACC – MICHIGAN ALPINE COMPETITION COUNCIL - MEETING 01-02-12

Minutes of the call in meeting.

President Denise Miller called the meeting to order at 8:40 PM.

Attendance: Officers

Mike Jablonski – P	Shawn Hughes – P	John Thomas –A	Steve Coatney – P	Mike Hietbrink-P
Mike Sayers – P	Debi Koltoniak - P	Kelly Gwinnell – A	Ted Jablonski– P	Scott Pyles-P
Doug Fellman – P	Bill Perlmutter –P	Craig Mcleod – P	Ginnie Uhley – P	Dave Carrico-P
Denise Miller – P	Tom Halsey-P	Kermit Anderson-A		

Attendance: Team Racer Representatives

Yas Miyawaki, AA - A	Peggy Konsza, SC – A	Bruce Johnson, GM – P	Chip Dayton, SW – P
Stephan Morgan, JD-A	Gary Konsza, SC - P	Gary Bloodworth, SN – P	Andy Kerbrat, SW – A
Rob Reader – P	Mick Serafinski, TR – P	Mike Ault, T – P	Holly Polopolos AA – A
Kate Fitkin T – A	Sue Holmes –P	Dennis Parrott - P	

Officers Reports:

President – Denise Miller

Talked with Ed Grice they opened Superbowl last weekend. It snowed 8” today. South side might be a little thin. Everything should be good for this weekend. It was brought up that the southeast corner of the north start shack had eroded away this summer and Boyne needs to look at it.

Debi asked if there was a contingency plan for Searchmont, because of the low snowfall and commitments people have made for housing if we should have to cancel. There isn’t any, but will keep in close touch with Searchmont

Finances – Mike Heitbrink

We have \$12338.50 in our account. There are some outstanding bills. Steve Coatney has some and Kermit may have one. Mike will have checkbook this weekend and will pay on the spot.

Vice President - Scott Pyles

Scott gave a run down on how the Great Lakes Invitational would work.

The race will be on Sat February 25, this is ACDC weekend. It will be a team challenge with hopefully 3 teams from OH, IN, IL, MACC and Searchmont. If Searchmont sends a team then MACC only gets 2 teams. The format will be similar to the Miller Lite series. Up to 7 racers per team will take the top 4 finishes to score, must include one woman. Awards will go to top 3 teams and top male and female. Registration cost is \$175 per team. Each team will get a Race Packet. We are hoping to broaden MACC visibility and introduce more racers to our program.

The MACC races on that weekend will be held at 9:30 and 12:00 with the GLI at 2:00. Awards will follow hopefully someplace other than the Snowflake. Two racers from each team will be allowed to guest race.

A flyer and registration app has been made up, to be distributed to board for review and comments before distribution.

Volunteers are needed for the GLI races Approximately 18 volunteers are required. Contact Sue Holmes if interested.

Question was asked if everyone was in agreement to go ahead with the GLI. No one objected.

Computer Software & Results – Steve Coatney

Steve is going up early to check out everything.

Timing - Shawn Hughes

Good shape for this weekend.

Web Site & Rules – Mike Sayers

No rule change is required for the single panel GS. Pace setters cannot pace set on the same day that they work a course. Pacesetters list has been updated from last year.

Race Workers – Bill Perlmutter:

The new sign up program is up and running on the computer.
Three scholarships were handed out. Bill thanked Dave Carrico for his work in supplying candidates
Bill suggested we do photos for promotional opportunities.

Awards & Sponsors – John Thomas

Not present no report. Mike J. has not received the awards yet. They should be arriving this week. He does have the upgrade awards.

Registration & Bibs – Ginnie Uhley

We have new bibs that will be distributed Saturday morning. There are currently 153 registered racers with 14 new racers. There are several racers on the call tonight that are not registered yet. Need to do an inventory of paper bibs.

Equipment – David Carrico

Dave will be up north early to check equipment out.
Mick has the new finish banners. He also asked the Boyne is reminded to bring our fencing and signs back. They sometimes borrow them.

Course Setting –Tom Halsey & Kermit Anderson:

Purchases have been made we should have brush bases for all the gates. Course setting schedule is going out.

Course Operations – Craig McLeod & Ted Jablonski

Four radio packs have been ordered. E-mail will be going out to all course workers. Craig has been up skiing and reports that Superbowl is rough.

Communications – Debi Koltoniak & Kelly Gwinnell

Will bring have guest racer forms. Newsletter will be going out.
Master rules have changed their rules and no qualifier is required so we will not be having Masters Races.

Correspondence – Doug Fellman

Old Business:

New Business:

The meeting was adjourned 10:25 PM

Next meeting will be a call in meeting January 16, 2012 at 8:30 PM

NOTE: NEW CALL IN NUMBER 866-386-1295 PASSCODE 763289

Respectfully submitted,
Doug Fellman, Secretary