

ZOOMERS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA RUNNING & TRIATHLON CLUB

MEETING MINUTES – JUNE 5TH, 2019

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. Quorum present. In attendance: Pat Vasquez, Lori Vasquez, Karin Jacobs, and Chris Fleeman. Guest and member Jack LaPlante also in attendance.

OFFICER REPORTS

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Pat Vasquez

Pat opened the meeting by welcoming everyone present. Pat reported that the Zoomers Anniversary Celebration was a great success, with 155 members signed up, and 125 that attended. He also reported that Zoomers participation at the Memorial Day Veterans Race was successful and well supported by members who ran and volunteered. The Zoomers tent was set up also and sold \$400+ worth of merchandise and signed up 7 new members.

GUEST SPEAKER: Steve Holmes, Base Performance. Steve is a member of Team Base and wanted to share options of having customized running singlets, shorts, tights, etc. made for Zoomers. Steve brought samples of running, cycling, and triathlon kits from Base Performance to show board members. Steve will research sizing on different items and see what interest is from other members. Will revisit in August.

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT: Gail Marinari- absent

SECRETARY REPORT: Karin Jacobs

First meeting attended, May 2019 minutes to be reviewed and approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Becky Krueger (absent)

Becky submitted May 2019 Treasurer Report with a beginning balance of \$29,187.29 and ending balance of \$30,455.13. Expenditures for the month were for scholarships to graduating high school seniors, Reagan Vasbinder, Isabella Coogan, and

MEMBERSHIP AND MARKETING REPORT: Lori Vasquez

Lori reports there is 36 new members in May, for a total of 696. There have been no new business sponsors. Zoomers has obtained a storage unit to keep all merchandise and accessories in one central location.

RACE COORDINATOR: Chris Fleeman

Chris reports that Zoomers had a great showing of volunteers at the Memorial Day race, as well as the Anniversary party. Chris also developed a spreadsheet to keep track of what events

members have volunteered for to meet their obligation for the year. Upcoming races that will need volunteers:

Mock Triathlon at Englewood beach, Firecracker 5k, Englewood Triathlon, Hits Tri 2020, Ragnar.

WEB DIRECTOR'S UPDATE: John Libonati (absent)

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

2019 RACE SERIES (ADULT) UPDATE: PAT VASQUEZ –

A “sign up party” at Ann Dever was discussed for members to come out and run the Trick or Trot course and encourage member to sign up for the race. Zoomers’ contribution of food/drinks to the event also discussed.

2019 RACE SERIES (KIDS) - Looking for volunteers to help out with kids’ series. Will be held every Wednesday in June.

SPECIAL EVENTS – STACY HOLMES

Stacy completed a member vote on Facebook for a summer get-together. The majority of votes went to having a beach party. Manasota Beach was suggested, as it is a newer facility, and has free parking. There would be a bike, run swim option for those who wanted to train before party, and picnic starting at 11:30. Cost of pavilion Giveaways/raffles donated from sponsors were discussed. Potential date of July 20, 2019. A poker run was the second activity Stacy suggested; board agreed to have this later in the year when weather is cooler. Will put on August agenda to revisit.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

Lori made a motion to sponsor \$5.00 per person toward a food truck meal for Beach Party, member would contribute \$5.00 also to cover the \$10 cost per person to have food truck provide our lunch at the beach. Karin seconded the motion, motion was passed. Pat made a motion to sponsor some food and drinks at the Englewood mock -triathlon. Karin and Chris seconded the motion, motion passed.

Pat closed the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

Next meeting will take place August 7, 2019