

## **PORTLAND BICYCLING CLUB**

Club Meeting Minutes

July 7, 2022

Respectfully submitted by

Kathleen Hellem

Recording Secretary

Board members present: Vice President AnnMorrow; Treasurer, Corey Eng; Recording Secretary, Kathleen Hellem; Road Captain, Todd McCollum; Member(s) at Large, Alan Mevis, Mike Heffernan, and Mark Barnes.

\*Board Members not present: President, Doug Myers; Road Captain, Jim Schroeder; Membership Secretary, Christ Horton; and Member at Large, Dave McQuery.

*Approximately 20 PBC members were present.*

### **GENERAL MEETING**

Vice President Ann Morrow, presided over the July 7th PBC Club Meeting. Ann Morrow called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Ann introduced guest presenter from Community Cycling Center Iain Sterry, Development Manager who joined CCC in 2009. Iain's work is focused on raising funds to support CCC and meet the community commuting needs to reach everyone with a focus on diversity at all levels and interest in cycling. The holiday bicycle give away is happening this year in 2022. CCC is seeking volunteers to assist with the bicycle drive again. Iain gave members background information on CCC and the general mission of their organization. To broaden access in the cycling community and meet the cycling needs of our ever growing diverse community, said Iain. Some programs CCC offers are the STEM programs for elementary and middle schools. CCC has a long range goal of expanding services in another location in east Portland. Please email [iain@communitycyclingcenter.com](mailto:iain@communitycyclingcenter.com) for more information on how you may assist with various CCC initiatives.

## **Approval of Club Meeting Minutes June 2, 2022**

Ann Morrow asked members if they've had a chance to review the June 2, PBC Club-Meeting-Minutes, Ann didn't think so given the fact that the club meeting minutes were posted in the last 24-hours. Ann tabled the June 2, PBC Club Meeting Minutes to be approved at the September 1, PBC Club Meeting. Ann reminded members that we will hold our annual PBC picnic on August 7, and keeping with tradition, there will be no PBC Club Meeting held in the month of August. On September 1, we can motion to approve both June and July PBC Club Meeting Minutes.

## **BOARD MEMBER REPORTS**

### **1) Treasurer**

Corey Eng reminded everyone that quoted results can be viewed on the PBC website's Financial page, to all logged on PBC members. Click on the drop down on the financial report for specifics. Final number for Pioneer Metric Century 2022, coming soon.

### **2) Membership Secretary**

Ann Morrow reported on behalf of Christ Horton, Membership Secretary, Statistics as of July 1, we have 483 active members.

## **17 NEW MEMBERS TO WELCOME**

- ★ Kendall Gallagher (July 1)
- ★ Bomi Kim (July 1)
- ★ Brenden Riedel (June 30)
- ★ Alison Nelson (June 28) returning
- ★ Ellen Michaelson (June 27) returning
- ★ Minkyu Cho (June 26)
- ★ Duncan Oliphant (June 20)
- ★ Jordan Heintz (June 18)
- ★ Scott Mckinzie (June 16)
- ★ Joe Capon (June 14)
- ★ David Rhodes (June 14)
- ★ Terrence Casey (June 10)
- ★ Mehrdad Abidari (June 9)
- ★ Christopher Forsyth (June 9)

- ★ Michael May (June 6)
- ★ Samuel Sabin (June 5)
- ★ Faryar Estesami (June 3)

### **3) Road Captain's**

Todd McCollum mentioned the online ride submission form is working well for ride leaders. Please try to work with it and or feel free to use the paper sign-in method. Either way is acceptable.

### **4) New Business**

None.

### **5) Old Business**

#### **STP 2022 FINISH LINE**

Eric Hendricks - STP Coordinator stated we obtained the liquor license permit on June 30. We are good to go! Corey Eng said we need 14-15 volunteers to sign up on Sign-up-genius. Please see Nancy tonight to get your tee-shirt. Otherwise, members can pick up volunteer tee-shirts at the Volunteer Booth the day of the event and food voucher.

#### **CLUB POSTERS**

Ann supplied the new CLUB POSTERS at the meeting. Ann asked that if you take one or two, please let her know what bicycle shops that members intend to have them displayed. Ann said that she will handle the Vancouver, WA side.

#### **JOHN JOY MEMORIAL**

Jan Oestereich stated the price for the bicycle plaque is \$782.00. Jan stated she wishes to pay for it. The goal is by October 24, which is John's birthday. The idea of organizing a ride to the memorial would be something to explore, said Jan. Ann stated that we will discuss this at our upcoming board meeting.

#### **PIONEER METRIC CENTURY**

Corey reported we are close to having the final numbers from Pioneer Metric Century held on June 11. Waiting on receipts from volunteers, said Corey.

## **ANNUAL PBC PICNIC**

Ann reminded club members present that the picnic will be held at Columbia Park on August 7. The same location as previous years. Arden Sheldon did a great job securing the spot. Most PBC members wished to have the event held in PDX. It worked out and I hope to see everyone there.

## **OPEN FORUM**

Ann Morrow reminded members that she is leading a ride on July 31. BridgetownTour. The ceremony is at 11:30. This is a group ride to the Blumenauer Bridge then you may depart when you are ready or travel back with the leader. Please wear Club Jerseys, said Ann.

Ann Morrow discussed the recent “no bicycles allowed” in the church rule at our monthly PBC club meetings. Discussion about ways to secure members bicycles outside were talked about. Ann said she will follow up with Chris from the church to see if presenters can bring in display bicycles for presentations. It was determined that we are paid up for this year and certainly can explore other options down the road. For example, a new location. Kathy Hellem mentioned the library situation. We used to have space to store the PBC library, but the church no longer allows that feature. Instead, the librarian has to bring one of four containers every month. Ann reminded members that this is still a work in progress. We have time to explore options.

Cindy Bernert-Coppola delivered manual ride sign-in paper sheets.

PBC Vice President Ann Morrow, thanked all ‘PBC’ members for their contributions and adjourned the meeting at **8:25 p.m.**