**Racers Under the Son**

**General Meeting Minutes**

**November 30, 2015**

**Call to order** – Scott Burnett

* Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm
* Scott opened meeting with prayer

**Recording Secretary – Jyl Phillips**

* November minutes were reviewed and approved
* All the past minutes are on the web site

**Vice President – Bible Bob Nielson**

* Not in attendance

**Treasurer – D 37 Report - Art Whitney – in attendance**

* Due to computer issues we did not have the balance
	+ Payments for Tent and Stakes will be coming out of the budget
	+ We need to bring check for JART to the next D37 meeting – approx. $359
* D37 – John & Sonny attended meeting
	+ Moto Tally was voted on to keep – however the district is having difficulty finding someone to run it – they want to charge $3/rider
	+ See D37 website for full information

**Ride Report & Upcoming Rides/Races – Competition Report –**

* **ALL CLUB EVENTS/RACE SCHEDULES ARE ON THE WEBSITE**

**General Topics**

**CHRISTMAS SCRAMBLE** – December 12th – we are finalizing as the race is next week

* Gift Bags – will include, toys, coloring book, candy and a Bible – we will make approximately 65 bags – Carrier Burnett – they will be given to every child
* PINS/SHIRTS
	+ Pins are ordered
	+ T-Shirt art was approved – we had a sample – we are going to order around 288 shirts, no tank tops; we ordered 374 last year; we will give a deposit then the balance will be after the race
* KIDS RACE
	+ We might be short on volunteers, we will know more on Saturday
	+ We will not be using easy ups for the kids race
	+ John has the course laid out
	+ We will need a few sweep riders for this kids race
	+ Race cannot start without the ambulance on site
	+ We won’t be using Moto Tally to score the kids race – if Skip or Bob Koch are there and the want to use Moto Tally they will set it up for us
* FRIDAY NIGHT MEETING
	+ Will be held in the tent – all members and volunteers
* FENDER CARDS
	+ Sonny will get a holder for finish – we will need 4 holder
* MAIN COURSE
	+ Need GPS coordinates for R3 – Scott will send to Jyl
	+ Course is approximately 27 miles – this was approved by D37 referee
	+ Bomb flag will be approximately 1 mile from Start
	+ Pit row will need designated – racers will need to bring their own carpet
	+ We will have flying checks
		- Need crayons and sharpies
		- Need to make sure racers know how to put the cards on – explained at sign-ups – name and rider numbers
		- Riders should not complete their own cards – this will be done at sign-ups
		- Scott will get the Sharpies
	+ We need to ask Dave B to make flyer
	+ Pins are ‘finisher’ pins, not participant pins – they will be handed out at the finish line
	+ We need to be prepared for rain – will need pop up at the checks – 30% chance of rain
	+ Scott will make a finisher board so racers will know their ranking
* RACE DETAILS
	+ Jay will be the speaker on Saturday night
	+ Denise from D37 is being trained to work Moto Tally – Skip will be the primary
	+ Howells will be there for AMA
	+ We need to get the RUTS banner – Scott
	+ Sonny & Art have the stakes
	+ Art will pick up the D37 trailer
	+ Sanction and insurance has been secured – we are awaiting the final approval from BLM
	+ Ambulances are reserved
	+ Signage for race warning are in the D37 trailer – we need signs at the beginning of Bessemer Mine Rd and in camp
	+ Port o Pots – start/finish lines – placement will be finalized when they are being delivered
	+ Jyl will create the race packet with copies of the permit, sanction,
	+ Scott will make the rider instructions
	+ Tables/chairs have been ordered but we need to bring extra in the event we need additional seating
	+ Need to bring decorations for tent – lights, Christmas tree, etc.
	+ We will place the tent towards the middle of camp – will direct once it gets there – it will face East
	+ Eddie will bring firewood
	+ Randy will take care of the music
	+ We need to advertise on Facebook, RUTS message boards – we want to get news of the race continually
	+ We feel we will have enough racers to break even
* Saturday Night
	+ Scott will get the food – Hormel Chili, corn bread muffins, chips
	+ We will have a fire right outside the tent entrance
	+ We will set up once sign-ups is closed
	+ Potluck dessert for all clubs – we do have a d73 ‘Dessert Trophy” for the winner

Scott closed in prayer – Psalm 33 – God is our help and shield, we need to trust in Him

NEXT MEETING – February 1 – 7 PM – COCO’S CERRITOS