

Hutch Tigers Cycling Association

February 16, 2023

Opening:

A board meeting for Hutch Tigers Cycling Association was called to order at 6:08 pm on February 16, 2023 by Shari Niemela.

Members Present:

Shari Niemela-President, Lori Moore-Vice-President, Nicole German-Secretary, Frank Jarman-Treasurer, Member-at-Large-Craig Junke. Dan Kallhoff-assistant coach was also in attendance.

Minutes:

Shari moved to approve the minutes from November 17, 2022. Lori 2nd. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

Balance of \$16,970.45

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1X665eaPwyH9OvH8WbFlcmHjRkY7EaPmXIBbKB-pURrc/edit#gid=0>

- Upcoming expenses would include:
 1. Advertising for recruitment
 2. League registration
- Discussed budget for the coming season, tabled approving a season budget until the next meeting

Mission Statement:

The wording and mission statement fit our organization with no changes needed.

Nicole to make mission statement more prominent on the website.

Celebrations/improvements:

- Work on recruiting girls.
- Brainstormed some possible recruiting ideas...
 - 1) Can we tap into league events geared toward the girls?
 - 2) Craig to see about finding out gym teacher names and contacting them
 - 3) Frank to contact area youth group leaders, Hutchinson Area Youth Ministries
 - 4) Can we put up signs at
 - a) At Stahls
 - b) along the Luce Line
 - c) Porta Potty on the trail by Silver Lake
 - d) Bike map signs along the Luce Line in Hutchinson
 - e) Sign at Crow River Winery
 - f) Yard signs in yards of families
 - g) Large sign at Tiger Elementary/Lori's yard
 - h) Real Life in Hutchinson Facebook page
 - i) Hand out flyers on the shore during the boat parade

Leader's Summit:

- Returning coaches: Saturday Apr 22, 2023
- No dates published yet for new coaches
- Possible in person and online options

League Registration:

- Coaches-March 1
- Athletes-April 1

Events:

- Boat Parade
 1. Frank to take care of registering
 2. Can we designate funds for pizza and decorations in the budget?
- Try-It Out Events at Stahls
 1. Advertising
 2. When???

Other:

Shari volunteered to be a photographer this year but can't necessarily do middle school.

Shari motioned to adjourn the meeting @ 7:54 Craig 2nd. Motion carried

Next Meeting: March 9, 2023 @ Frank's home @ 6:00pm

Minutes submitted by: Nicole German