

River Region Runners

June 21, 2012

A regular meeting of R3 was held at Aw' Shucks restaurant in Wetumpka Alabama. President Pete Preston called the meeting to order at 6:39 pm.

The following officers were present:

Pete Preston - President John Porter – Co-Secretary

Irene Tyner – Treasurer Mary Belle Scott – Co- Secretary

Attendees:

Jim Larkins Ron and Sabrina Macksoud

Patti Lillian Preston Kevin Banning

Kathy and Kim Bond Christina Flack

David Flack Reese and Beth Davis

Robert Lee Glenda Spivey

Jeffrey Vinzant Ray Griffin

Marty and Janet Arant Hank Williford

Kim Young Manda Colburn

Minutes:

The minutes from the 4/19/12 meeting were reviewed. Jim Larkins moved they be accepted, seconded by John Porter and the motion passed.

Financial Report:

Irene Tyner distributed the financial report for the past two months. We had three large expenditures- \$1895.00 for the R3 inflatable arch, \$852.50 as a 50% down payment on T-shirts for the Labor Day Run and a total of \$831.05 for race bibs and to print entry forms for our LDR.

David Flack moved the report be accepted, Kathy Bond seconded and the motion passed.

Race Report:

Jim Larkins distributed a calendar of races for the rest of the year. Right now we are working 12 races through 2012. Five are in September, two in November and the Jingle Bell Run in December. Overall we will have worked at least 30 races in 2012.

Old Business:

Labor Day Run- Ron reported that Union Station has been booked for our Labor Day Run on 9/3/12. Cuco's and Budweiser have already committed as sponsors. Advertising in print media will begin shortly. We are up and running on Active.com.

Ron also noted that the Woodstock run, 8/4/12, is an RRCA championship event.

Jubilee City Fest- Pete noted that this was a well run event by ALFA. Mary Ann Williams will be retiring as the run director.

Equipment- Jim said that our new inflatable arch looks great. We may need to get a new portable generator for it. Jeffrey moved that we look into the cost of a new generator, seconded by Kim Bond; the motion passed. Jim will look into this.

Attendance/Location Committee- David reported that the search for a quiet meeting place goes on. Hopefully the committee will find such a place for the July meeting.

Apparel- Pete has been looking for a provider that will allow people to order R3 apparel on line. His goal is to find a company that will supply individual R3 orders, so that we don't have to order ahead and keep an inventory. One company he has checked is Café Press. Pete said that judging quality of apparel may be difficult and that higher quality apparel is more expensive.

FaceBook- No report.

New Business:

Nominating Committee- It is time to elect new officers. Jim Larkins agreed to head the Nominating Committee, assisted by David Flack and Kim Bond.

Membership Committee- We welcomed new members Amanda Colburn, Glenda Spivey, Kim Young, Reese and Beth Davis and Ray Griffin.

Ron and Patti are working on purging the e-mail list.

Newsletter- We need an editor!

Hot Fun Prediction Run- Ron has organized a prediction run at ASF 6/26/12 at 6:30 pm. He promises cold treats and a lot of fun!

There being no further business Patti moved the meeting be adjourned. Kathy B. seconded and the motion passed.