

Lehigh Wheelmen Association

Minutes of Monthly Meeting

Asbury Methodist Church

July 26,2017

Present: 19 attendees, Officers present: D. Sheffield, F. deBiasi, C.Odom G. Davis, D. Drummer, R. Baldock. Absent: P. Smith, D. McCreight, C. Zvanut, T. Lawrence, R. Kates

1. **Guest Speakers:** *Pro Cycling Team from the Velodrome* -Question and answer session.
2. Meeting called to order by President, D. Sheffield ~ 8:00pm
3. **Reports:**
 - a) **President** - D. Sheffield - Announcements: Dates for future cycling events reviewed. See LWA calendar. Highlights: LWA Annual Picnic August 5, 2017. August Guest Speaker: J. Hefflich - Bike Mechanics. Future speakers , Scott - police: Rodale Press Editor and PRACC ride. Community Bike Works is having a “spin-a-thon” in September.
 - b) **Vice President** - **Touring Division:** F. deBiasi announced the Donut Derby is well underway. He wants to start working on “Ride Leader rewards”. Leading the most rides: T. Donnelly, R. Baldock, & J. Black. Most rider participation: K. Knoll.
 - c) **Secretary:** C. Odom,. June minutes are posted to the website and sent to officers. Motion presented, seconded and passed to accept minutes as written.
 - d) **Treasurer:** T. Lawrence, absent. Touring continues with a strong cash balance.(\$16,100) The donation to Community Bike Works was approved minus VVV expenses unaccounted for. The donation to World Bicycle Relief will be made to take advantage of the matching program.Racing division cash balance \$4100.
 - e) **Membership:** R. Baldock Reported that membership increased in July. We now have 402 paid LWA members. Rob Smith will cover for R. Baldock’s vacation.
 - f) **Webmaster:** D. Drummer improving club’s library of routes. It was agreed to make available to public several sample routes. The Ride with GPS master routes need to be cleaned up.
 - g) **Promotion:** D. McCreight sent out Donut Derby email blast and Velo blast will go out shortly after.
 - h) **Racing-** August 12 Junior event. Wheelmen Cup to be scheduled in the near future. Volunteers are welcomed. Thank you to Glenn and Roberta for scheduling the guest speakers tonight..
4. **Old Business**
 - a. Quick Release is out for the month..
 - b. Donut Derby - Tim Phillips, DD coordinator, will take care of trophies. More volunteers are needed for the lunch crew and a few other areas. BikeReg sign up is slow.
 - c. Bike Maintenance tools : Motion continues to be tabled.

- d. Motion was made to send contribution to World Bicycling Relief organization to receive the 1-1 match. It was seconded and passed
5. **New Business:**
 - a) Holiday Party: Scheduled for December 2, 6-10 at the Ole Homestead Golf Club.
 - b) C. Odom recommended the need to find volunteers to take over Holiday Party and VVV for 2018.
 - c) Tim Phillips mentioned the Bike Maintenance Course he attended. He highly recommends this course. He would like to attend the Advanced course. .
1. **Meeting adjourned** ~ 9:10 pm.

Submitted by: Cathy Odom August 17, 2017