

THQMA MEMBERSHIP MEETING 3/09/17

CALLED to order at 7:10

Secretary's report – Dan made motion to accept Dan Whitford 2nd – all in favor – carries

Treasure report - Denny made motion to accept – 2nd Jack Potts – all in favor – carries

Regional News – Noah Tipton – Unable to make it do to conflict

Ccqma is hosting some Saturday night races - \$20 per car if there is a good turnout they will consider hosting more Saturday night races. Saturday night sign INS 12-1. There are 5 Point races - \$25/car must run 4 to qualify for awards.

Regional Races. Novice – must attend 4 races and \$20/car for regional races. 2 heats and feature and qualify. (Novice). If weather permits there will be practice on Saturdays if the car count is low.

Regional Sept 23rd and 24th – 2nd THQMA Regional

Aug 19th and 20th – 1st

Temporary Track Location –

Vigo county Fairgrounds (west of THAT see map)

Jeremy Urbain, Denny Meneely, Dusty Wright and Tom Spain will be working on this.

Will look into scheduled practices @ the temporary track. Denny asked several members about the temporary track and so far 38 positive about running races there.

Jeremy mentioned that Macalister would have light poles with generators if needed

We will have a special entrance off the back road. They are in need of more volunteers to help make this happen.

Race receivers – Jeremy Urbain/Nikki Urbain took orders –this being the last night – possible additional orders maybe placed later.

Ear Buds- EAR everything – Greg mentioned he has left messages for them and to date has not heard back. Other members familiar with this company mentioned this is their busy time with bigger racing venues.

Scholarship Program

Nov 3rd 2016 meeting board approved replacing current cars with newer, currently manufactured race ready cars. Three Ashley 80 in cars have been purchased. It was mentioned to look into other manufactures for the remaining cars we are looking to purchase. Scholarship car committee is Melissa Hickox, Brian Rhoads, and Travis Norris. Need to put in place monthly maintenance check list for the scholarship cars (similar to a safety check)? Possible damage deposit – Need a check list w/contract at start and when returned. Scholarship families need to understand what is expected of them when receiving the cars.

Track Update – Stan Hawthorne – gave a report and handouts to those attending meeting. Members feel we need a timeline given out so we are all aware of the progress. Several felt that we needed more members to help with different aspects of the new track project. Melissa suggested adding Jr VanGilder to help. During this update there were many other concerns brought up regarding communication and transparency.

One of our new novice families has agreed to help with the website. Everyone was in agreement that it needed help. Every thanked Steven Richardson for volunteering.

