

The July 6th , 2009 MRAN meeting was called to order at 7:02pm.

Competition committee in attendance:

Bushwackers-1	Groundshakers-2	Wild Bunch- 1
Gamblers-2	Coyotes-2	Jack Rabbits-2
Yucca Chucker's -1	Dark Side-2	Sndr-2
EVR-1	LOD-2	Sandy Valley-0
Mesquite MX-0	BCM-0	

Approve Minutes: Troy Hunter motioned to approve and was seconded by Bob Maichle.

President's report: We got the Bushwacker desert race permit back. Chris at the BLM said that all the clubs have their paperwork in for the races Jan –June. EVRR race is back on for October 10th.

Vice President Report: There is some really bad stuff that the BLM just released to fast track the plan for solar panels. It is not good for those that live in California, Utah or Arizona.

Treasurer Report: All of the race fees are going to be audited this month. If all fees are not in the clubs need to pay them. All the banquet expenses are paid. Website almost ready they are still working on the back end of it. We will be able to add and edit without using HTML code.

Treasurer report: Motion to approve the report made by Jeff McMeans and was seconded by Bob Maichle . 0 oppose.

Referee Report:

Big Bike ref Scott Glimp: Coyote desert race: 6 big bikes, 10 day cards, 1 2nd div and 1 woman's. Everything else is good except that some riders are moving themselves up without asking the ref.

Mini Ref Brian Shierberl: Not present.

GP Ref Sean McDaniel: Nothing new to report.

Web Report by Scott Glimp: Everything is good

Public Lands Officer Mike Payne: The registration bill passed should be in effect in about 8 months. The DMV is not ready to process it all yet. The local dealers will be handling it for now. The Governor does not have the sole authority to appoint people to the list. Everything is being done with the FCR. Domestically we are having a struggle with the BLM. Everybody has the same problems as us with the BLM. He is going to file a formal letter of complaint. It will pave the way to file suit later as other entities do. The FCR states they are not covered and cannot abdicate their responsibilities. They can't tell you they cannot perform because of lack of manpower or they just didn't get to it. They do not have that contingency. The people for Bio Diversity have been filing suit. We have to begin with a formal letter of complaint. Maybe we can join with MRANN, BITD and other associations to file this. We are a large organization and have a large impact.

PR report by Kevin Davies: Not present. Mike Payne is here to discuss the proposed sponsorship with Fly racing and Western Power Sports. They are possibly giving 20% discounts and also the possibility of gift certificates instead of trophies for winning events. They will have a link on the website.

Special Reports:

Coyote Desert: June 20th Ely: The race went well no injuries. 134 total riders competed. 32 of them DNF'd. Next year they would like to collaborate with MRANN and put on a north/south competition. There may be a problem with numbers and card, but that is easy to work around.

Ground Shakers Desert: July 4th & 5th Caliente. 145 total riders. There were a couple of injuries. There was an issue with the medics not being able to get to the injured rider. There was also a rider in the 40+ class that allowed a younger man ride his bike in the race because he did not feel like finishing. That rider has been DNF'd.

JackRabbit night race: July 11th Jean. It will be on Night Ranch road as the others. Same as wild bunch course approx 15.5 miles. Sign ups to start at 6:00pm. Race to start 9-9:30. The info will be posted tomorrow. The start position may be a drawing.

Bushwaker night race: July 25th Jean. Will be a start by class and 1st gear in the pit area.

EVRD desert race: October 10th Pearson ranch area. It will be approx 24 miles lots of trees. Will take about 50 min – 1 hour for the experts to finish. 2 or 3 laps not sure yet, may allow a 2 lap finish. It will be a mass start. Still working on permits.

Unfinished business:

2010 Classes/Division: They new class breakdown will be in three classes: Light weight, Middle weight and Heavy weight. Zack will draw up the info and have it at the next meeting to vote and add to book.

The age divisions will remain the same. There might be a schoolboy class added for the mini riders transitioning to the big bikes.

New Business:

Trophies: There is an issue with a couple of clubs not having trophies by the required time frame. Mesquite MX/GP and LOD MX/GP. The 12 weeks are up and there are several members complaining. The rules are the clubs are to be fined. Mesquite is not present to discuss. LOD is working on getting the trophies and they will pay the penalty. They will be given until next month to have them ready. If not MRAN will have to step in and sanction the club. Sean will talk with Mesquite about theirs.

Motion to adjourn was made by Jim Bucknel and was seconded by Jay Livingston at 8:35pm.