NERC MAY 2022 BOARD MEETING

5/12/22

In attendance: Andy, Diane, Don, Laural, Leslie, Steve, & Patrick

Treasurer (Diane)

* $12,463.68 down from $12,577.58 last month
  + Paid $500 expense for  Autumn Leaves deposit to Lake Metroparks
  + Reimburse Peggy for 2 Pub Runs ~$200 (expense)
  + 2 grand prix fees have been received (income)
  + Flag Day race entries (income)

Membership (Diane)

* 234 members; up from 227 last month
* FB member cleanup:  186 now from the 218 before the clean up

Grand Prix (Diane)

* Starting to get race directors to pay their fees
* No other changes/updates

Pub Run

* June 7th Pub Run (6 pm) - No need for door prizes again
* Location: Willoughby for June (Nora’s Public House)
* Patrick - Invite Darris Blackford (Nationwide Columbus Marathon Race Director). Peggy is aware of and agreed to.

Scholarship

* 2 applications have been submitted to date
* Don, Carol, & Laural are the committee
* Committee will make a recommendation on the number of scholarships once we see how many applicants arrive

Summer Picnic

* July 18th - Planned for Willoughby (Chagrin River Park)
* Donna is planning for a scavenger hunt at the event
* Food - No clear answer but maybe mirror what we did in 2021 with everyone bringing side dishes.
* Scholarship award winners will be announced & invited.

Merchandise

* On the May agenda but time did not allow this to be discussed
* Donna and Laural will outline a poll to see if interested in another round of merchandise

Races

* Flag Day (Andy)
  + Andy has food covered
  + Previous year registration #’s: 41 as of May 23rd;  44 as of May 27th, 49 as of May 29th
  + Sponsors - Still needed
  + Diane to have an individual Flag Day event created
  + Coaster’s to be given away for the winner’s
  + 10 year age groups up to 70+
* 15 new NERC members have received an announcement allowing them to sign up for a NERC sponsored race per Diane.
* XC Series (Steve)
  + X-Country run targeted at Riverside 8/16/22, $10 entry fee, one race this year?
  + Will need an insurance application once the date is positively set.
  + We previously held three, then two, races for the season.
  + We can see how this year goes off with the one annual race.
  + The XC race is a grand prix race
* Hill Yes (Steve)
  + Steve will be at the 3rd Water stop on Sunday, June 5th
  + Could use help from some NERC members
    - Will put out a note looking for volunteers (who?)
    - We’ll ask Renee to put up a request
* Cereal Run
  + Steve is still willing to help again this year with his brother.
  + Plan is for a July event.
  + Keep the 7/18 picnic event in mind
* Autumn Leaves
  + $30 cost
  + Engraved Pint Glasses (~$6) + cookies (~$2) = ~ $8 expense per participant
  + Sign up revenue less expenses could result in netting $15 per person for NERC
  + Laural received confirmation from Andrea & Sarah that they are on board for organizing.