SRCT MEETING MINUTES - MARCH 1, 2021

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PRESENT: Chris Price, Martin Long, Merrin Ploughman, Kylie Phipps, Shaun Patmore Mat Allen, Brett Mansfield, Len Bester, David Closs, Vlad Gala, Sam Gala

APOLOGIES: Rod Garrett, Shane O'Donovan, Kylie Phipps

ACTION ITEMS:

- Suggestion of using the SRCT Events Facebook page as the main SRCT promotional Facebook page. Will allow the ability to advertise events on Facebook. Brett and Sam to work together on this. Vlad to create some promotional content for the page.
- Chris to update private ride day information for SRCT website.
- Shaun to create race day briefing and then email draft to committee members.
- Committee to follow up on 2021 MA track safety conformity license in regard to the wall at the top of the hill. The wall must be moved back by 2021 for MA approval of the circuit. Committee to write to MST for clarification on track safety requirements.
- Brett to add Stuart Bugg's new lap record for Golden Era to SRCT website.
- Jump starts to be clarified in Supp. Regs. Any rider who has jumped the start of a race must have gained an advantage for their jump start to be penalised.

NEW BUSINESS:

- The land title needed to move the wall back at the top of the hill still hasn't been received. Current reason: "Not until after the cherries are finished."
- Shaun has created a ride day briefing.
- Kylie's timing problems discussed and noted. Cross entries no changes to race group choice. Accidental cross entries. Race day admin to be aware of cutoff time (Tuesday before race meeting). Change of membership (TMCC to SRCT) half way through the day caused an issue.
- MTAS forum "Direction of MTAS", Shaun, Chris, Len and Brett attended. More than half of the discussion was MX related. MTAS unsure of their purpose or direction. Nathan Kiddo contacted by Chris after the meeting. MTAS unaware of numbers of license holders.
- Six new people at the last ride day.
- Two riders of the opinion that their bikes were too old and slow for the ride day.
- Committee members to be mindful of criticising bikes and to be aware of bike owner's feelings.

- David Closs (Tasmanian Hearsafe Agent) spoke briefly about his role of sponsoring Juniors with free ear plugs. Possibility of paying entry fees for Juniors going forward. David also looking at undertaking a mentor role for Juniors (would need MA coaching accreditation).
- Club level grading to be introduced from next round. Same grading as State Championship rounds to be used.
- New format of Formula Baskerville considered a great improvement.
- Joe Browning to be graduated from Formula Baskerville.
- MTAS Level 2 and 3 courses coming up. Mat currently level 2 official, level 2 flag marshal. Janene of MTAS has sent an email with all current officials and their levels.
- Flag marshals do not need to have level 1 flag marshal qualification to flag.
- Clerk of the Course upset that we did not have sufficient documentation in regard to police visit during previous race weekend.
- Police attendance during previous race meeting was due to the police listening in on ambulance call.
- SRCT has agreed to run an MTAS governed State Championship. Request to have the State Championship run as an option denied due to the inability of MTAS to issue two separate permits.
- Shaun in contact with Craig from Natsoft to help upgrade timing system capability (automatic point allocation).

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