

5 BBC Minutes for the August 3, 2020 Meeting

Present:

Dave Meltzer (Day Trips co-coordinator)
Ed Sobin (Leadership Coordinator)
Allan Friedman (President)
Bill Mastro
Sharon Behnke (Vice President)
Steve Lyon (Treasurer)
M. Daniel Bach (co-Secretary)
Corie LaRocco (co-secretary)
Maureen Gafney (Membership)
Chris DeMeo
Tobey Weiner
Virginia Gentile

Meeting commenced at 7:02 PM

Statement of Values: It was a full discussion between the members as to what position the club should put forth. At the end it was decided a statement would be posted on the website. Motion was passed as drafted but several members had abstained.

Day trip guidelines was also revisited. Motion was made to change the riding guidelines to 2 +12, but that it would be up to the discretion of the leaders.

It was decided to stay with 2 +8 for the time being but to be aware of the State restrictions in the future to adjust that number. The basic issue is that many rides have more people signing up than available spots. This can be frustrating for members. How to deal with wait lists more effectively. The club may even sponsor just a new member ride to encourage new members.

Still trying to decide when to have another leadership pilot program.

Joan Erskine and Mark Guralnick were promoted to full leaders.

External Pilot program was mentioned as a possibility for the end of September, 2020, now will be extended to the end of the year. Want to encourage more participants in a larger group.

Weekend trips- Bear Mountain trip was cancelled. In short, there will be no weekend trips until further notice.

There was a proposal from a member as to having an open board meeting, but that idea was not accepted.

Ed Sobin gave an update as to the website. He stated the consultants were still working on the website to fix outstanding issues.

Maureen reported that membership was up to 775 members

Treasury report, waiting to be updated.

Day trips coordinators had nothing to report.

Meeting ended at 8:24 PM.