

MINUTES OF APRIL 8, 2013 MEETING

Meeting held at the Brielle Cyclery with 3 board members and 17 members in attendance.

Secretary read the February treasurers report for the minutes. Motion made, seconded & passed. March and April reports will be given at the next meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

- Secretary Bob passed around booklets and mail received. Among them was an invitation to participate in a ride for the Wounded Warrior Project to be held in May in Beachwood, N.J. and a discussion presented by The New Jersey Transportation Authority to be held 4/11 in the Toms River Library.

MEMBERSHIP

Secretary Bob said that we have 167 renewals, 41 new and one bike shop for a total of 209.

The vote to have an Addendum to the club by-laws to change the membership dates for bike shops from January to between April & May was proposed by Pete Benton & second by Al McCormack was passed unanimously.

RIDE REPORTS

The ride leaders in attendance reported that week day rides have started. They had a good turn out for Sunday's rides due to better weather.

Upcoming Events: Charlie said that 8 people have signed up for the Cape May ride and is not taking any more reservations due to figuring the menu. Barbara said the Finger Lakes ride 6/11 to 6/16 has 18 people signed up and 2 hotel rooms remain. Vermont Challenge has 7 people signed up, and can contact Barbara for information. Jeff was not present to talk about Bike Virginia, which is in the third week of June.

Champagne ride: Gail Stevens said the date is April 21 at Thompson Park. She is planning the menu and has secured a permit. She said she needs another person there because she may have to leave and doesn't want to leave it unattended.

Autism ride: Date is June 8. No report given as Andy was not in attendance.

Club Picnic: Date is August 4 at Rob Leitner's house.
Steve Karger and Steve Schwartz are co-chairs

Ride Along The Hudson ride: Date has changed to July 21. Barbara said that it will start in Tenefly and go into Rockland County.

SAFETY VESTS

George spoke how the cost of 25 vests would exceed the \$ 250 allocation and would be approximately \$ 350. He called for a motion that the extra \$ 100 be taken out of the miscellaneous account. Charlie Kirlew made the motion and seconded by Pete Benton. Motion carried unanimously.

GUEST SPEAKER

Cathy explained that the person who was to give the presentation was on vacation and his backup was sick. She turned the program over to her son Digger.

Digger talked about different carbon fiber bikes from Cervelo and that Specialized Roubaix is the top seller. He talked about the new Trek Diamonte specifications.