JSTS Meeting Minutes – January 12, 2015 Bike, Blade, and Ball Bike shop

The meeting was called to order by President Bob Spony at 7:03 pm. Officers and members were all introduced.

The November 2014 minutes were approved with a motion by Barb Bennett that was seconded by Pete Benton.

<u>Treasurer-Membership report:</u>

Currently there are 30 family members, 77 individual members and 8 bike shops.

2015 Budget:

The budget was discussed. There was a question why there was income from Road ID. It was briefly discussed; as it turns out, the payment was for the Road ID ad running at the left margin of the JSTS home page. Payments result from members using this link to access the Road ID site (been this way for some years).

There was also a discussion of the Holiday party budget. Steve Karger made a motion that the budget item stays the same as it was for 2014 pursuant to a discussion on adjusting this item later this year. Barb Bennett seconded the motion and the motion passed. After the discussion George Gregorio motioned that the budget be approved. Vic Palmieri seconded and the motion passed.

Ride plans:

Barb Bennett has a calendar on the website for rides through March of 2015. She also sent out an email regarding the JSTS summer tour near Manchester, VT. Barb also asked for RIDE LEADERS!!

Second Life Bikes:

They will have a bike swap at their location in Asbury Park on Saturday, January 31, 2015 at 11 am. They are located at 21 Main Street in Asbury Park. Debbie Asbjorn will have a table there if anyone is interested in selling bike paraphernalia and they do not have enough to set up their own table. A table will cost \$25.00. Please contact Debbie (daasbjorn@gmail.com) for more information.

Souper Saturday:

This will be held on Saturday, February 21, 2015 at Steph MacAuliffe's house with a rain/snow date of February 28, 2015.

Old Business:

Sue Scarola reported that 66 people attended the Holiday party. A big thanks to Sue, Caryn Less, Jeff Mines, and the party committee.

Volunteering for 2014:

Steve Karger will look into getting caps for those who volunteered a lot in 2014.

Frostbite:

There were 56 participants with 16 people qualifying. 11 of these riders were road riders and 5 were mountain bikers. A big thank you to Steph MacAuliffe who did the record keeping for this.

Mike Lock, Owner of Bike, Blade, and Ball:

The shop has been open for 3 years. They help sponsor a Simcha camp for women, which will be held near Suffern, NY. Their products include Giant, Raleigh, and Jamis bikes. They also have rides from the shop on Fridays and Sundays during the riding season.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

Submitted by Steve Karger, Acting Secretary.