JSTS APRIL 9, 2018 MEETING MINUTES

EB: David Lee, Steve Surowitz, Steve Shell, Debbie Asbjorn

Members: 11 attending

Treasurer's Report March – Approved March minutes – to be approved at next meeting

Treasurer's report April – accepted

Committee reports Membership 191 total members Individual 147 (29 new, 118 renew) Family 44 (8 new, 36 renew)

Ride Coordinator

Club rides:

Road-riding season 'opened' on the March 31/Apr 1 weekend. Rides are on the web calendar through the end of May. We're always looking for new/additional ride leaders! Get in touch if you're interested.

Touring:

The Summer Tour to the Finger Lakes has 24 registrants. Our block of hotel rooms is full. Space is available for the Vermont Challenge, August 16 – 19.... Club discount available Space is available for the Italy trips: Hotel Dory – Sept 15 – 29 Garda Bike Hotel – Sept 29 – Oct 6 GranFondoNJ registration is at 20.... Club discount available

Old Business

- Volunteer needed to coordinate Champagne ride, April 22. Event will be canceled if no coordinator is found
- Volunteer needed to host/coordinate the Summer Picnic no date has been set and will be dependent on location availability.
- Holiday Party to be held at the colts Neck Inn, Dec 1 (Committee: Steve Surowitz, Sue Scarola, Charlie Kirlew, Dan Hinton)
- Ride Leaders question was asked 'If there are 2 ride levels at the same location and 1 ride leader calls the ride due to weather or safety concerns should the other group also cancel?" Ride leader has the authority to cancel ride if there is bad weather or safety concerns
- Is the a budget for the summer tour Treasurer does not believe there is a line item for the Summer Tour. To be investigated
- NJBWC JSTS is listed as a member, not a sponsor. Sponsorship is for retail organizations
- 2 new members attended the meeting and given a run down on how the club is conducted along with an overview of the ride types and schedule. Advised to join Yahoo groups to get ride information.

New Business

Capital to Coast Trail – Charlie Kirlew

The Capital to Coast trail is an effort being undertaken to create a network of trails from the Coast to Trenton. Charlie is involved and attends meetings. As an interested group (JSTS) we have been asked to sign a "Resolution" for the Support of and development of the Capital to Coast trail. A vote was taken by the attending members to proceed with signing the Resolution. Debbie will complete the document, have it notarized and submitted.

Meeting adjourned: 8:15pm