

TRIPLE CITIES RUNNERS CLUB

DECEMBER 10, 2024

CALLED TO ORDER – 7:07PM

PRESENT: Grace TabEEK, Eric Purdy, Sarah Kane, Emily Gunther, Ray Fryc, Kat Hores, Vince Fox, Dan Dougherty, Susan Cain, Chris McManus, Kevin Pasterchik

NOT PRESENT: Jason Palmer, Dave Fellows

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Grace presented secretary report, discussion on using cloud file, Grace made a motion to pass report, Vince second, motion passed. Yes-11 No-0

TREASURERS REPORT: Chris reported we had lots of revenues this month including Turkey Trot, RunSignUp and Self Defense class. The RRCA 2025 dues were paid. Chris made a motion to pass the treasurer's report, Grace second, motion passed. Yes-11 No-0

COMMUNICATIONS: Ray reported that a post went out advertising The Santa Run 5K after the Turkey Trot race per previous motion. A post will come out about Cupid's Chase shortly. Ray thanked Visions for their support and will be talking with them for sponsorship in 2025. Ray reminded us that January 15th is the deadline for sending your volunteer requirement for the Grand Prix to Greg Amend. Ray will send out a post by January 2nd.

MEMBERSHIP: Ray reminded the board that everyone should be a TCRC member to serve on the board.

TCRC 2025 RACES:

PETE KEYES TURKEY TROT 5 MILER: Grace reported that the race went very well despite the snowy weather. Not as many day of registrations as in past years but still had 695 finishers. Experienced a serious lack of volunteers, might be due to the weather and volunteers cancelling and not showing that morning. Needs to be addressed before the 2025 Turkey Trot and open to suggestions. The 2025 race will be held on November 27 at Otsiningo Park. Grace made a motion to pay Diana Bean \$410 to certify the Pete Keyes Turkey Trot 5 Miler course, Ray second, motion passed. Yes-11 No-0

JANUARY FREEZE 10K SERIES: Falcon Timing will be scoring all 4 of the races and will charge \$750 for the first 100 runners and \$3.00 per person over 100. Ray will update Runsignup with needed information. Volunteers for the first Freeze 10K~Eric, Grace, Dan, Sue and Vince. Grace will bring membership forms and TCRC members will be free, non-members are \$10 for each week. Pies will be awarded each week for 1st open male/female and 1st masters male and female winners.

FORKS 15K: The race will be held on March 16th at Chenango Forks High School.

VESTAL XX: Sarah reported the race will be on June 21st and bridge construction will not start until 2026.

TCRC TRACK MEETS: Tabled.

KING & QUEEN OF THE BEER TREE MOUNTAIN: The date will be September 28, 2025. The 2024 race made a profit of \$181.

GRAND PRIX 2025: Runners should complete 7 races to qualify. Discussion on whether it should be a local race, a TCRC race or any race.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: The run/breakfast went well and came in under budget.

TCRC SOCIAL: Will be held on January 13th at Beer Tree Factory. Kat made a motion for a budget not to exceed \$3000, Chris second. Yes-11 No-0

TCRC DINNER: Will be held March 14th at Atrios in Endwell. Kristy will do trivia.

GRAND PRIX AWARDS: Ray reported that he is looking at Features socks for awards for the Grand Prix.

SARAH asked if anyone has drawstring bags/reusable bags to give, the food pantry can use them.

PRESIDENTS REPORT: Ray reported this is the last board meeting of 2024 and thanked everyone for everything they have done this year.

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Ray made a motion to adjourn, Kevin second, meeting adjourned at 8:28pm

SUBMITTED BY: Grace TabEEK

NEXT MEETING: January 14, 2024