

Club Meeting Minutes for Peachtree City Running Club January 2, 2017

President Mark Ward called the meeting to order at 7:34 p.m.

Guests introduced themselves. The Peachtree City Wyndham Conference Center is kindly providing their auditorium meeting room for free to the Club when it is available. Except for June 5, we can use the main auditorium.

For many years the Boone's have opened their home for the January 1 New Year's Day run including this year, and their contributions were recognized.

November meeting minutes were accepted.

Mark and Treasurer Bunny Boggs presented the 2017 Club budget. The key to meeting the budget is 2,000 to 2,500 participants in the Peachtree City Classic 5k/15k/20k as this is the basis of the Club's operating budget. All Classic sponsorships are given back to the community.

VP of Activities Rachel Johnson gave an update on the January 1 Club Grand Prix event. The distance of the run was 3.16 miles. The next Grand Prix event is the New Member Breakfast at Ray and Teri Besch's home at 105 Parsons Place. It is the timed run (must stay out a certain amount of time- no watches) and the Super Bowl Squares. Wear Club gear for extra points! The 2017 major event calendar, which includes Club Grand Prix events, is on the Club website (pterc.org).

Activities Director Jamie Feldman will send out a survey about the July Fourth picnic. The Christmas Party date has been set as Friday, December 1st, and the venue is Whitewater Country Club.

Heather Jones was nominated to be VP of Administration, and this was affirmed by unanimous vote.

Bunny Boggs is stepping down as treasurer. If you are interested, please contact Mark Ward.

The Club is looking for an editor of the Club newsletter, the LEGacy. We are also looking for a Club photographer.

Chuck Garwood and Dave Piet are requesting club financial support to crew for a participant in the Race Across America. They will be parts of a crew of nine total plus the rider in addition to three support vehicles. The rider is raising money for Team Star, which supports young people with vision challenges. Total amount requested from the Club is \$1,500.

Classic Race Director Rachel Johnson will have an open meeting to discuss Classic race coordinators at Partners Pizza in mid-February.

1000 Mile Club coordinator Teri Besch handed out jackets and certificates and gave an update on registration/application requirements. Club members must sign up for the 1000 Mile Club every year. The final time to submit applications is at the May meeting.

Membership coordinator Bob Dalton introduced Connie Jones as our featured speaker for the night's meeting. Connie focuses on the mental aspect of running and athletics and coaching clients to higher potential success.

George Martin explained the upcoming the PTCRC-hosted January Atlanta Track Club Grand Prix event on January 21 at 8:30 a.m. Approximately 1,200 to 1,500 ATC members will run an 8k or 15k course. 48 PTCRC volunteers are needed and 15 have applied so far.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.