Minutes from Gadsden Runners Club Board Meeting 02/15/2023

Those in attendance were:

Jon McElwee, Kelley McGinnis, Mark Wilson, Glenn Ingram, Eric & Susan Womack, Brandon Barnes, Charity Robinson, Vanessa Roberts, Brian Hall, Jennifer Buchanan

Up Coming Races:

Etowah Heroes on February 25

Grand Prix:

Nothing to Report

Miles:

Reviewed miles club and progress. Mark Wilson won the January prize of reflective lights. We currently have 61 enrolled in the miles club for this year.

Membership:

Membership opened January 1. Discussed membership and ways to increase.

Rookie:

Rookies have been attending the practice runs for Heroes since the beginning of January. We will really push the rookie division once the weather warms up and the time changes. Morgan Ingram is still over this, but other women have volunteered to help her.

Apparel:

Discussed the fact there are numerous extra shirts in the storage building and other shirts that others haven't picked up.

Trail:

Eric Womack is taking over as race director of Spring Trails. (10th Anniversary) Work has started on putting steps down into the gorge. Glenn explained the new route to get down into the gorge while the first entrance is under construction. We discussed awards for the Spring Trail run.

Website: Nothing to Report

Social:

12-hour Endurance Run was a success. They had about 60 in attendance. Kelley asked about us helping with the Naked Pig Triathlon. We have no plans to step up at this time.

Equipment:

Nothing to Report

Women Division:

Group runs are being posted on Women's Facebook page.

Youth Division:

Nothing to Report

Misc:

We did not get the building from the city as they are looking to open a cannabis business. If that does not happen, the city will let is know.

Next Meeting 3/15/2023 5:30 Gadsden Community Center