

# **British Automobile Racing Club**

General Membership Monthly Meeting Minutes June 4th.

Venue - Texas Lone Star Grill, Dixon Road, Etobicoke, ON.

# WELCOME -

**Kyle Bast, Vice-President** 

Kyle started the meeting at 20:01.

## **MINUTES**

David Bayley read the minutes and Paul Einarson made a motion to accept them, which was seconded by Mary Lobban and carried.

# **DEPARTMENTS**

# **CORRESPONDENCE**

Paul Clarke, Treasurer

There was no new correspondence

## **MEMBERSHIP**

Andrea Pegg, Membership Secretary

Andrea was unable to attend, however we have 180 members and 23 new members.

## **TREASURY**

Paul Clarke, Treasurer

Our books are in order and we are fine financially. Paul will pay the expenses for the BARC TT shortly. These include the cost of the permit, insurance and ambulances.

#### WRRC

There was no WRRC report as Howard Cohen was not present.

**SOCIAL** Howard Cohen

There was no Social report as Howard Cohen was not present.

## **REGIONAL RACE/ORO**

## Scott Ellsworth, Race Director

Scott reported the BARC website should be fine now. If you have any issues please report it to him.

He will be holding a Race Planning meetings in June.

Registration may be open for the BARC TT by the end of June.

## **RACE COMMITTEE**

# **David King, BARC/Region Chief Scrutineer**

David King reported there was no report, as there had been no recent meeting.

#### **HONDA INDY TORONTO**

Scott reported the Stadium Supper Trucks will be at the Indy.

Since it will be a busy schedule, there will be long days.

David Bayley will send out a link to registering on MotorsportReg to Department Heads to share with their staff.

The building of the track will begin on June 9th.

Scott has marked the marshalls' holes. Premarking them should prevent the cutting of holes in incorrect places.

#### **ICE RACING**

# Wayne Wanamaker, Ice Race Director

Russ Bond has reported that he is unable to continue as the owner and as a racer with the Lexus Sport Cup Ice Racing Championship. He is looking for someone to take over the series.

#### **TRS**

The secretary read the following announcement from Mike McDiarmid head of Track Rescue Services:

Although the decision has been extremely difficult, time has come for me to step down for a number of reasons. My wife Pat and I have been involved with the club now for almost 30 years and I started right off working with our track services team, taking over leadership shortly after. My team has been amazing, growing our knowledge of safety and emergency first aid in racing working both regional racing, other clubs and of course the Indy. I can't thank you all for your dedication and commitment to the team.

I have turned the leadership role of Department Head of Track Rescue Services over to Tom Cressman and wish both him and all TRS members the best of luck in the coming future. Finally I wish to thank all fellow BARC members for their continued support for myself as I built our Track Rescue Services for the over the years.

Tom Cressman and Kyle Bast are trying to arrange some dates for training TRS staff.

TRS will be supporting Ontario Time Attack events. The TRS trailer is loaded and ready for the season.

#### <u>NEWSLETTER</u>

There was no new newsletter news.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

David King has been reading the book, 'The Perfect Car' by John Barnard and highly recommends it.

David Bayley gave an update on attending the Celebration of Life for James Organ where he shared the details of James's involvement with motorsport. James's sister, Pastor and friends from his church where he played the organ, his Ham Radio friends who rembered James's many contributions to charity and the Warriors' Day Parade also shared their memories.

David invited then to attend the BARC TT, where James will also be celebrated by his motorsport family.

#### **BUY/SELL**

Bryan has a two stoke Power Fist generator which he is selling for \$50, and a Subaru Forester parts car for sale.

Kyle has lawn seeders which have only been used six times. A donation to BARC is the cost of taking them home.

Christy Martin has two Honda CRX race cars for sale. One is ready to go and the other was going to be converted to a street car, but she now has both for sale.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Wayne Wanamaker made a motion to adjourn at 21:35 which was seconded by Keith Whorley .

**NEXT MONTH'S MEETING**: at the Lone Star Texas Grill (upstairs) – July 2, 2019 at 20:00.