



Colorado Springs Cycling Club Meeting Minutes for 5 January 2010 Meeting

Attendance: 34 people attended the meeting

Charlie Czarniecki called the meeting to order at 7 pm with a PA siren.

Charlie asked each member present to introduce themselves and describe 1) a bicycle related Christmas gift and 2) their cycling goals for 2010.

Aaron Rosenthal presented the BVBF report. Since Dec 15th we already have 250 people signed up for BVBF and Aaron reminded the members that they should sign up soon if they want to ride as the BVBF is limited to 800 riders. We also got a preview of the 2010 Buena Vista jersey design. Aaron handed out BVBF flyers for CSCC members to distribute to various Colorado Springs locations. He also encouraged members to sign up for the various BVBF volunteer options offered on the bvbf.org website (Note you may also reach it through the bikesprings.org website. Simply go to the [bvbf](http://bvbf.org) and choose the BVBF volunteer form pull down).

Charlie then administered the 'SLIP Method' of gathering opinions - which consisted of asking attendees to answer 29 questions (some rather humorous and others we needed to ponder before answering) on one slip of paper, anonymously. This encouraged everyone to answer what they really think on a non-attribution basis. The results will be analyzed at the next board meeting January 23rd and some results shared with the membership through the Web Page and at a future CSCC meeting. (For example, among these 34 people - they averaged 3.3 bikes at home that they ride)

Announcements from the floor:

- Charlie showed some slides from his bike racing at the 2007 Senior Olympics in Louisville, KY. His 2010 bike goal is to requalify for the 2011 Houston Olympics by placing 1st or 2nd in the State Qualifying races this June.
- Charlie also displayed the latest design work-in-progress for the club's 25 anniversary jerseys and asked for opinions. Al Brody made the comment that we need at least one of the riders on the jersey's front and back panels to be going uphill otherwise it looks like we only go downhill. Chris Davenport felt the jersey should also be available in a sleeveless design besides long and short sleeve. Send ideas to Bob Smith at bobr1@wetandem.com
- Stan Hill said he is changing the Full Moon ride format this year. The rides for 2010 will be planned for the closest date to actual calendar full moon date and the ride location will be changing each month. The location change is expected to be tied to a restaurant location for a meal stop. Rides could start before sunset in the summer with the group riding some where to eat before it gets dark. The ride



would still have the full moon on the return and riders still able to get to bed and make it to work the next day. Keep a lookout for CSCC ride calendar for the Full Moon ride dates and locations throughout the year. Send restaurant ideas to Stan, his EMAIL is StanBike@msn.com

- CeCe Beauchamp is contemplating adding some different rides this year. The first idea is the sub-24 hour cycling trips. These rides would mean riding to a camping location, staying overnight and returning the next day. The second idea is adding some women only rides aimed at beginning riders
- Lorena and Mike Wilder mentioned a 4-day mountain bike tour of the Grand Canyon they are going on at the end of June and are looking for more recruits. Contact at mikeandlorena@elpasotel.net
- As always, make sure to check the ride calendar and subscribe to the message boards (of your choice) to find out about any up-coming ride plans.

Program: Bill Gast presented a slide show of his prize winning photographs and described how and where he took each photograph. Many pictures were tied to a bike ride or trail. The slide show was enjoyed by all.

Charlie closed the meeting at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted,
Kerry A Hefta, Secretary
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