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Election Results

Finger Lakes Region Schedule:

- 4/6 – Autocross Meeting - 6:30 PM
- 4/13 – RallyCross Meeting – 6:30 PM
- 4/13 – Rally Committee Mtg – 7:30 PM
- 4/15 - Track Day Registration opens
- 4/24 – Solo Test and Tune
- 4/25 – Autocross

Please check the FLR-SCCA calendar on the website and on Facebook

Board of Directors	Position	Elected	Term ends	Contact
Miles Krieg	Assist RE	2020	2022	585-313-2940
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Mike Bruner	Director	2020	2022	585-752-7233
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Meridith Croucher	Secretary	2021	2023	585-704-5354
Elizabeth Thiel	Treasurer	2020	2022	585-314-4360
James Hoelscher	Director	2021	2023	585-576-3357
Barbara Lissow	Activities	2020	2022	585-773-9712
Jamie Hayslip	Director	2020	2022	585-261-2057

February 2020



Members as of last report:	01-Jan-2021	400
Members as of this report:	01-Feb-2021	406
Members as of this report, gain or loss:		6

April 2021



Members as of last report:	01-Mar-2021	406
Members as of this report:	01-Apr-2021	411
Members as of this report, gain or loss:		5

FLR-SCCA BoD meeting

1/5/2021

7:00 PM

Virtual

Meeting called by: Charlie Tanck

Type of meeting: Board of Directors

Note taker: Meridith Croucher, Secretary

Attendees: Charlie Tanck, Meridith Croucher, Elizabeth Thiel, Anna Thiel, James Hoelscher, James Hayslip, Andrew Edgecomb, Mike Brunner, Nick Pasternack, Jason Smith

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Minutes

Agenda item: Membership

Presenter: Mike Brunner

Discussion:

December, we had 402 members, January we lost 2 for a total of 400

Agenda item: WGI Contract

Presenter: Charlie Tanck

Discussion:

We received a refund from WGI (We were lucky!)

Covid precautions for WGI (In addition to SCCA precautions) are now added into the contract.

There will not be any ticket give away for NASCAR or IMSA.

FLR will "Sweat out" Covid until preparations begin for "The Fun One".

There are a lot more track events and Time Trials on the WGI Schedule.

Refunds are more precarious for events d/t WGI changes in the contract.

Deposits for race and Track Days equal \$28,000.

Conclusions:

FLR needs to talk about Track Day earlier.

FLR needs to advertise and get the word out earlier.

Agenda item: Autocross Truck

Presenter: Elizabeth, Nick, Andrew

Discussion:

Elizabeth asked about the status of the Autocross Truck.

We don't have advance notice of the condition of the vehicle.

We need parts numbers

Nick met with manager, will cost \$1300 to pick up the phone.

Meridith suggested calling Chuck Dobbs from the Glen Region as a resource. If Chuck comes up here will comp him Gas and a meal.

More discussion

Agenda item: Insurance Autocross Truck

Presenter: Elizabeth

Discussion:

Insurance is due \$3300.00. (Bonding insurance)

We are building credit with the Insurance Company; the cost will diminish with time.

A list of drivers for the truck have been confirmed.

Agenda item: Autocross

Presenter: Nick, Andrew

Discussion:

The group has been discussing National vs Tour.

The event is scheduled for the first weekend in June. There is an alternate date of 6/18-20/2021.

Nick will be chairing.

This is the same weekend as the "Super Tour"

Agenda item: National Office

Presenter: Charlie

Discussion:

There is a new Sanction Request Protocol online at the National Office. The audit process is also Changing.

Agenda item: Auto Show

Presenter: Barbara

Discussion:

Barb has not heard

Action items

Person responsible

Deadline

✓ Let us know about the Auto Show

Barb

1/31

Agenda item: Road Rally

Presenter: Jamie

Discussion:

There are 2 Rallies to report in the Winter Series. 11/12 and 12/12.

There were quite a few people attending these rallies.

Rally is also using Motorsports Registration for people to register for Rally events. The process is working better.

Agenda item: RallyCross

Presenter: Jason Smith

Discussion:

Rallycross has a new site for the winter.

Contact Jason Smith

Scheduled for 1/16, 1/30, 2/13, 2/27

The site has not been updated onlinemmer

Summer site – James@rockfest

Agenda item: Road Race

Presenter: Charlie Tanck

Discussion:

Charlie sent the Drivers Events to the calendar

Fun one is the first weekend of the Runoffs. September 25 and 26. It is probable that we will be able to do it.

Region will need to get someone for T&S

Action items

✓ Fun One T&S

Person responsible

Charlie?

Deadline

9/1/2021

Agenda item: STPR

Presenter:

No Report-waiting on
outcome of pandemic in
PA

Agenda item: Picnic 2021/ Awards

Presenter:

Charlie

Discussion:

Awards Banquest is out d/t Covid.

Picnic may be a possibility

Hope and pray for a resolution

Special notes:

Happy New Year!

Meeting adjourned at 7:48 PM

Respectfully submitted

Meridith Croucher

Finger Lakes Board of Directors Meeting

3/2/2021

7:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

Meeting called by: Charlie Tanck

Type of meeting: Virtual Meeting using Zoom

Facilitator:

Note taker: Meridith Croucher/Secretary

Timekeeper:

Attendees: Meridith Croucher, Charlie Tanck, Jim Hoelscher, Jamie Hayslip, Jason Smith, Barbara Lissow, Andrew Edgecomb, Myles

Minutes

Agenda item: Autocross/Solo

Presenter: Andrew Edgecomb

Discussion:

Andrew is to meet with Nick this week to work on the budget

Nick and Aaron working on the status of the Solo Truck.

Charlie asked about the first event.

Andrew got the info and it is 4/24 – 25! They are not doing waivers online.

Online Waivers are free – 5/31

Annual waivers are from SCCA, Inc

Marsha has a packet

Are weekend memberships online?

Charlie is requiring weekend memberships for the track day(s)

Should be limiting paper.

There is a high cost for waivers online through Motorsports Reg.

Jamie stated online waivers are awesome! There is less paperwork, should push to go online.

Myles has an addition to his family! Congratulations to him and his wife!

Agenda item: IndyCart Raceway

Presenter: Charlie/Elizabeth

Discussion:

There has been a proposal for the region from IndyCart Raceway.

1 sponsor already is Kurt's garage.

We get: 12x16 banner x 2 (according to the Title Sponsor package)

2 fully logo's carts

FLR logo placed along with the IndyCart Raceway on the background of scoring monitors, seating assignments monitor and race results monitor.

1 challenge race for SCCA members only

Can start a league, League would go 6pm to 7PM then we would have the meeting.

Has a big room for meetings, we could meet face to face again

Location is across from Marketplace.

Cost is \$1750 per contract year

Conclusions:

Good deal- voted and passed

Agenda item: Financial

Presenter: Elizabeth Thiel

Discussion:

FLR has money.
All bills are paid to date. Paid bond for Board of Directors.
There are 4 open region invoices
There are a lot of Fed Ex bills.
There is a glitch in the SCCA system for payment

Agenda item: Membership

Presenter: Mike Brunner

Discussion:

Lost 2, gained 3. Total members 406 and that is with Covid!
Sent 4 letters.

Agenda item: Watkin's Glen

Presenter: Charlie

Discussion:

Emailed and called scheduling for WGI. We have our dates
Deposits were due 1/15/21.
Covid Addendum to be part of the Supps
Track day: We are competing with others for the site.
Charges: \$350/day for 2 days. \$325 for 60 entries/day is break even.
For racing: 2 other regions are doing Long/Short
Covid Instructions are done.
Barb: Luke is doing scheduling, but is part of catering
Joe Green is "the man"
Charlie will contact WGI

Action items

Person responsible

Deadline

Charlie will travel to meet WGI new people.

Charlie

Before season starts?

Agenda item: Activities

Presenter: Barb Lissow

Discussion:

Barb has not heard from anyone. Activities is the keeper of the region calendar and part of the job is that there is not avoidable conflict.
Dates for some programs are already on Facebook.
Barb has been trying to find a region social activity that can be done w/ Covid looming over all groups.
Suggested California Brew House.
AmeriCrown is not food service.

Agenda item: Membership Meeting

Presenter: Charlie

Discussion:

Charlie would like to have a general membership meeting, Targeting May or July

Could use the room at IndyCart. Come early and stay late for the racing

Could also use an open pavilion. There is a nice one at Webster Park. There are other Monroe County parks.

Agenda item: Rally

Presenter: Jamie Hayslip

Discussion:

Rally is doing well; we are almost to the end of our season.

Rally had 6 events and 1 novice training. There was an average of 10 cars at each event. 2/3rds of the entries were novices/ new people=

Rally used online registration for all events. Everyone figured out Motorsports Reg

A Novice meeting was recorded at Zoom.

There were good volunteer participants.

Sanction processing (did not capture what was said.)

Have to have the location in the system.

Audit was easy online

Agenda item: RallyCross

Presenter: Jason Smith

Discussion:

There were 2 events at Perry's Park

There were 23 entrants at 4 degrees F.

10 were the instructor and kids from Alfred

There was 1 rollover incident.

Driver and passenger are both oak

Paperwork was done

They drove home

There was a debrief onsite after and it was determined to be a "Bad Bounce"

The group will look at the vehicle and revisit what is on course.

National requires the vehicle be wider than tall. Will look at this.

Event the 27th is canceled d/t the field melting.

We are exploring how to get back to Bloomfield. There are permits and stuff to be done. Fee was \$15 /driver and \$185 for permits.

Agenda item: Road Race

Presenter: Charlie

Discussion:

Tim O'Brien has agreed to time the "Fun One". He has experience with T&S and Orbitz. Already times at the Glen.

He will come for the Super Tour to see how SCCA does things.

Pre and Post Race reporting for sanction Charlie will send information to Liz.

Cameras are required for Majors.

NNJR – New Jersey Racing Board did not accept the belts and Helmets.

Meeting adjourned 8:08 PM

Meridith Croucher