NMBRA March Meeting

March 3, 2016

Flying Star, Paseo del Norte

6:30pm

Minutes taken by Sarah

Meeting presided over by Brandi

Members in Attendance: Silvio, Dennis, Brandi, Al and Sarah

Members Absent: Robbie D. and Randy C.

**Discussion Items**

* State Road Race Situation
	+ Tom Englehoff of Santa Fe has offered to promote the NM State Road Race at the Las Campanas Race.
	+ It would be nice to offer it the same weekend as the NM State Crit.
		- Tom should coordinate with Woody.
* State Cyclocross Race
	+ Bidding will open late May/early June for promoting the NM State Cyclocross Race.
* Requirements for Race Promoters
	+ Upload categories of race on results sheet to ease the upgrade process.
	+ Dennis Chavez has created a spread sheet for results that all promoters are welcome to use thus making the reporting of results easier.
	+ Discuss about creating an invoicing system for collecting fees connected with putting on a race (Racers Fees, etc)
		- Al will look into being able to take credit cards to pay these fees.
			* + Pay Pal
				+ Square
				+ Wells Fargo Merchant Account
	+ NMBRA Board Attendance Policy
		- If a Board Member misses two meetings in a row a letter will be sent.
		- If a Board Member misses three meetings in a row they may be asked to resign.
		- This was voted and passed by all members present.
	+ Discussion of Road Race Categories
		- Talk of allowing a Citizen’s Category at road races.
			* Hoping to increase participation numbers and grow the sport.
			* Easy to get a non-race permit to go along with a USA Cycling Race permit.
	+ Opening NMBRA Membership to Durango and its environs
		- A possibility to allow people from the Durango area to join our racing association to race for points.
		- Increase racer turnout
		- Add money to NMBRA
		- Make races more competitive
		- Brandi will meet with Erin over this issue.
	+ Advisory Group
		- Meeting TBD
		- Brandi will reach out to interested party about setting a date and location.

Next Meeting: Thursday, April 7, 2016 @7pm

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