

Minutes of the April 2nd, 2019 Meeting
of the
Board of Directors
of the New York Cycle Club

Present were: Peter Storey (club president), Neile Weiseman (public relations director), Michael Weitzman (ENY Director), Jennifer Betras (Special Events Coordinator), Michael Bernstein (A-Rides Coordinator), Michael Roth (B Rides Coordinator), Julie Blackburn (C Rides Coordinator), Leora Rosenberg (Volunteer Coordinator), Bob Gilbert (Treasurer), Malka Baker (Secretary), Jerry Ross (VP of rides).

Prior to start of meeting, Nick Estefan of FIG catering was introduced. He reviewed the challenges of ENY 2018 and provided assurance that ENY 2019 would address concerns raised.

Peter, as president, called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

1. Approval of March minutes

On motion duly made and seconded, the minutes of the March meeting were approved.

2. Bike Jersey

Voting for the bike jersey started today. Members will have two weeks to vote on their selection. The volunteer coordinator will accept preorders for incentive items.

3. Badges/Website update

The ride sign up system will be tested, hopefully this month. The membership system will also be tested. Testing SIG signup via the website will start with the Topaz team. A site map for the new website should be included.

SIG badges will be uploaded, hopefully this month

4. Club Events

Escape NY- sign up will be available starting this month. Some roles for ENY remain open, including routes, marshall and volunteer leaders. Some rides will be led this year. Riders will choose length of planned ride on the website. Participants will use a 'punch' system to ensure better distribution of catered food.

Museum of the City of New York Cycling Exhibit- a club member will try to set up club tour of the exhibit on 4/14- the club will subsidize the tour at the rate of \$5.00 per participant, with participants paying \$10.

New Paltz Weekend- Gilded Otter might not be able to cater dinner. Trip should be listed on the website shortly. Prices will remain the same as 2018.

5. Rides

Three club ride: The ride, to be held on 6/30/2019, will likely travel to City Island. Concern was raised for adequate parking for the visitor clubs- this will need to be verified. The ride will either start at the same location for all speeds or C riders and B16 will meet at Marble Hill and B17/19 riders will meet at Hastings on Hudson. NYCC leaders will lead all rides.

A discussion was held regarding consideration for A sig graduates to be required to lead a ride to complete the SIG, but no action taken at this time.

A discussion followed whether to try to hold a fundraiser for the Central Park Medical Unit, no action taken at this time.

Bob Gilbert has facilitated the B-STS rides this year.

The meeting then adjourned at 833PM