

## **MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**

**October 5, 2020 – 6:15-6:56 pm**

**Tangled Wood Restaurant– Bettendorf, IA**

**27 Members in Attendance**

### **Treasurers Report**

- General Fund: \$22,232
- Shelter Fund: \$12,920

### **Sylvan Shelter Project**

- Moline approved construction of a 20x24' shelter.
- Manix Readymix will donate 1 truck of concrete for the project which should be close to the amount needed for the pad.
- General Pattern Corp. is donating a bronze plaque to the project

### **Trail Conditions**

- *Westbrook* – In good shape, leaves are starting to come down and creating slick conditions.
- *Illiniwek* – New wooden roller features installed on North Loop. More maintenance days planned for the season, watch for announcements.
- *Dorrance* – New log over feature on Unkle Rukus. Maintenance done to close shortcuts and armor trail. More trail care days planned this year.
- *Scott County Park* – Slippery conditions. Reroute on Jumbo, misc flow improvements, cannons loop. Local Boy Scout troop helped with cleanup on Pine Bowl last Sunday. Finished mowing/trimming for the season.
- *Sunderbruch Park* – Trails riding great. Next year planning significant maintenance and may need extra funds.
- *Sylvan Island* – No Report
- *Stephens Park* – No Report
- *Geneseo Prairie Park* – No Report

### **Races/Events**

- USAC may still have COVID rules in effect for 2021 which may make organizing events more difficult on our end
- Global Fatbike Day – December 5<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Freight House
- Frozen Fat Fondo Fest is planned for 2021. Haven't set date yet but probably late January.
- Tentative dates for 2021 Races:
  - o Sylvan Island Stampede: 4/11/2021
  - o Illiniwek Abermination or FORC Side Thrill Ride at Sunderbruch: 5/2/2021

### **Taming of the Slough Recap**

- Rick, Mandy, and Drew organized this year. Lots of racers liked the course and Sylvan trails (comments heard during/after the event). Thanks everyone who came out to help!

### **FORC'n Duro Recap**

- 32 riders started and 25 finished whole ride. Rand reversed route this year. Biggest turnout yet. One guy came from Colorado to ride the event! Big thanks to Karl and his crew for organizing again this year!

#### **Copper Harbor Labor Day Trip Recap**

- +30 FORCers made the trip. Bike Park style trails being built NE from Copper Harbor at near point trail.

#### **Levis Trow Mounds Trip – October 10-11<sup>th</sup>**

- Weather is looking great for this trip. ~4.5 hour drive from QC, great trails and camping facilities. Bring quarters for shower.

**Next Meeting location/date TBD. Watch the website and Facebook page for the announcement.**

**Meeting adjourned at 6:56 pm**