

SORBA Board of Directors Meeting

Date: 12.7.02

Location: Ag Center, Gainesville, GA

In Attendance: Tom Sauret, Belinda Sauret, Walt Bready, Jim Loss, Robin Allen, Keith Owen, Nolan Boyd, Neal Nichols, Angela Allen, Daniel Allen, Scott Bays, K. Scott Gordon, Daisy Blanton, Hugh Worthy, Cal Till, Larry Mills, James Smith Patrick Phelps, Craig Hall, Michael Walsh, David Hamilton, Bob Bakert, Loftin Carr, Chris Gilligan, Mike Riter, Keith McFadden

The meeting was called to order at 12:11pm.

- The next two SORBA BOD Meetings are scheduled for March 8, 03, at Dauset Trails and August 16, 03, at Chattanooga, TN.
- The motion to accept the minutes from the August 17, 02 BOD meeting was unanimously approved
- The Treasurer's report was presented by Belinda Sauret with Expenses of \$80,098.06 and Income of \$82,398.74. Belinda also mentioned the Trips for Kids will begin again in the spring.
- Neal Nichols presented the membership report stating SORBA membership exceeds 1200 and on-line membership is now available. If club presidents need member lists they can contact Janis Nylander at admin@SORBA.org.
- Walt Bready presented a report on competition saying awards will be presented in January, the 2003 Pay Dirt points will begin accumulating from November 2002 to October 2003, and the scheduled SORBA wide at CSRA (Hickory Knob State Park) is changed from February 15,16 to February 22.
- Keith McFadden informed the BOD of the redesigned Volunteer Hours form.
- Chris Gilligan was nominated for the SORBA Webmaster and unanimously approved.
- In the Trail Education report by Mike Riter he discussed plans for designing and building new trails at Unicoi State Park and Yellow River as well as the schedule for the Beginner Riders Classes.
- Craig Hall reminded members that the FTT classified was free.
- Tom Sauret requested the BOD approval for he and Belinda to attend the Bicycle Summit in Washington at a cost of \$1000. The motion was made to authorize this expense and was unanimously approved.
- Presidents made brief presentations about the current status of their club.
- The nominations for National Trail Day work parties are, 2003) Lake Russell, GA or Boyd Gap, TN, and 2004) Lula Lake, TN.

The meeting adjourned at 4:18pm.