

# Central Coast Concerned Mountain Bikers Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, November 21, 2023

**Attendees: Jim Atchison, Kenny McCarthy, Paul Reinhardt, Morris Sealy, James White, Kathy Redden, Cliff Braun, Jed Dawson, Jeff Jantos, Alex McClure, Frans Bloom**

**I. Approval of minutes of previous meeting** - James motioned to approve the October 2023 minutes and Morris seconded. All in favor.

**II. Agenda requests & introductions for any new folks.**

**III. Agency and Land Manager updates and discussion as needed (25min)**

- a. SLO County - James had a meeting with Craig Campbell on the surveying by Progressive Ramps for the El Chorro Bike Park. Both agreed to have a meeting with the County and see what area of the park would be the most suitable and then provide Progressive with a constraints map. Del Mar Park in Morro Bay was also suggested as another location for a bike skills area. Tom Becker is going to submit a proposal to the County for regrading Falcon Trail at Santa Margarita Lake. He's also trying to determine how to get his excavator to the remote trail. Tom and Kenny McCarthy brushed all of Falcon Trail. Eric Nelson reported that it will take County Parks up to two years to restore the entrance to Camp French at Lake Lopez. Maintenance on the Duna Vista Trail will be entirely bike-in only until repair of the access road is complete.
- b. LPNF and Cal Poly/West Cuesta Trails - Paul said there is some trail maintenance being planned for Willow Springs Trail off of Highway 166 by Santa Maria.
- c. City of SLO - Niels and Basile are running the compactor over the new reroute of the King Trail in anticipation of rain. The new reroute will be open soon.
- d. State Parks - Our new storage box is being set up.
- e. LCSLO - Christie is working on scheduling another ride out at Santa Rita Ranch and access for CCCMB.

**IV. Items Requiring Discussion or Action-**

1. Event Recaps (5 min)

- a. Cerro Alto- Nov 4th - Some brushing was completed on the Boy Scout Trail by Jed, his son Grant and Jim Atchison though no other volunteers attended. Will reschedule another day. Maybe January 13 or 14.
- b. Chainsaw Class- Nov 18th - Nov 19th at Lopez Lake Jed, Cliff, Craig Campbell and Kenny McCarthy attended. \$97.50 reimbursement for each class participant.
  - i. Reimbursement - Kenny will send checks out the participants.

2. Upcoming Events (15 min)

- a. Membership Social- Nov 28 Planned for Antigua. RSVP link is up. Posted on FB. Will also send an announcement on Sunday. 6 PM start. Morris will bring some raffle prizes.
  - b. The Eucs- Dec 10th - Niels will lead the workday from 9:30am to noon to brush the skills area. Niels is bringing in a City arborist to cut down some larger trees. Jeff will announce to the NICA group to get volunteers from that group.
  - c. Lopez Lake- TBD No report for an upcoming workday.
  - d. Rinconada- Jan 20th 9am - Kathy is planning lunch. John Gleason and Craig Campbell will be scouting for a work project for that workday.
  - e. Super Bowl Sunday MDO- Feb 11th - [An emcee needed for volunteers coordination.](#)
    - i. Goody Bags - Currency eighty-seven in stock. Christie motioned to purchase 150 new bags for \$234 and Morris seconded. All in favor.
    - ii. Raffle - Tickets will be available for purchase after the New Year. Morris will look into getting two bikes as prizes. Members will each get one ticket, but additional tickets be available for \$5.
    - iii. RSVP form - Christie will update volunteer checklist. Edits need to be made. [Morris will look at price quotes for getting a generic t-shirt with CCCMB logo and supporting sponsors printed on the back.](#)
  - f. Santa Margarita Lake- March TBD
3. NICA (10 min) - Jeff sent out a GoFund Me link. Sent to all CCCMB members. Will match up to \$2K. Four and a half months long starting in January.
4. Voler Order (5 min) - The online ordering page is now live, but it will end December 11. Jerseys will be here December 1. There will be separate roadie and mountain jerseys. Will do another newsletter announcement at the end of this week and then weekly.
5. Elections (2 min) - Will hold until January. [Jim will look into who is up for re-election. Christie will make an announcement to members.](#)
6. Wilderness First Aid (2 min) - Sarah of NICA will be doing another class and could offer another one for CCCMB and Backcountry Horsemen. New date is January 27-28. \$150. [Christie will send out an announcement to see interest in doing it for CCCMB members.](#)

## V. Committee Reports

- 1. Financial Report (5 min) - Ordinary expenditures.
- 2. Sponsorship & Bells (5 min) - New Sram sponsor for bells. Also working with the regional manager of Sram to see if they could provide 100 prizes for SBS. Kenny is creating a spreadsheet to see how much funding there is from the bell program through Paypal.
  - a. Review Event Policies (10 min) - Include all sponsors equally. [Christie will send out event info.](#)
- 3. Membership Report (5 min) - No change since last month.

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, December 19th 5:30-7pm**