

Buckeye Quarter Midget Racing Association

Meeting Minutes

March 7, 2007

Call to order

Rob Stambaugh called to order the regular meeting of the **Buckeye Quarter Midget Racing Association** at 7:05 pm on **March 7, 2007**, at **Columbus Motor Speedway**.

Roll call

Officers present: Rob Stambaugh, Dave Mathias, Melissa Reeser, and Liz Compton

Board Members present: Dale Hall, Norm Mullet, Jeff Nuckles, Tony Reeser, Greg Spelman, Rob Stiffler, Jason Young, Tim Coventry, and Jerry Bailey

Members present: Kelly Stambaugh, Kim Mathias, Beth Mullet, Cindy Nuckles, Chuck Longbrake, Larry Ebert, Frank Burgstaller, Marvin Smith, Dave Young, Neil Fultz, Don Braden, Scott & Trish Goffin, Scott & Beth Howes, RB Salyer, Steven Dickson, Scott Peer, and Kevin Miller

Approval of minutes from last meeting

The February 2007 minutes were distributed. *A motion was made to approve February 2007 minutes. T. Reeser/Burgstaller. Carried unanimously.*

Approval of Treasurer's report from last meeting

The February 2007 Treasurer's report was distributed. *Motion was made to approve February 2007 Treasurer's report. Burgstaller/Longbrake. Carried unanimously.*

Old business

Rob Stambaugh thanked everyone who helped with track teardown. We had a very successful indoor season and kicked off the Region 4 Championship Series with a car count of 309. Thank you to everyone who helped make the series successful.

New business

Publicity Events

The BQMRA Publicity Director, Trish Goffin, updated the club on some upcoming events to promote QM racing. They are:

- Half Pint Hullabaloo in Westerville, March 17, 9:00 - Noon
- Valvoline Store in Westerville, March 24
- Multicultural Day @ DSC, May (date not yet confirmed)
- July 4th Parade in Westerville
- Westerville Cops & Kids Day, September (date not yet confirmed)

During the above events Trish will handout QMA brochures with the BQMRA contact information and candy for the kids. If you are interested in helping please contact Trish. Also, the National Website is requesting members send them pictures to post. If you'd like to contribute send your pictures to Trish. If you know of any other events in your area that would be good to promote QMA please contact Trish and she will get more details and make sure our club is represented. *A motion was made to give the Publicity Director a budget of \$200 to spend on publicity without board approval. Stiffer/T. Reeser. Carried unanimously.*

2007 Outdoor Format & Weekly Points Schedule

A motion was made to keep the format the same as last year, changing the points for 11th place to 20 points and then adjust the points from that point on down. J. Nuckles/T. Reeser. Carried unanimously.

Miscellaneous

A motion was made to buy a new time clock with \$1000 budget. Stiffler/Longbrake. Carried unanimously.

A motion was made to buy a new blower. Motion was tabled until next meeting and Larry Ebert will get prices.

Banquet Committee - Please let Rob know if you are interested in being on the banquet committee.

Trophies - The club needs someone to be responsible for the trophies for our outdoor season. Please let Rob know if you are interested.

Track Work Days - March 17 @ 10:00, March 18 @ 1:00, March 24 @ 10:00, and March 25 @ 1:00. The track will be closed until all work is complete. Dale Hall will supply a work list to Rob and Melissa Reeser will send an e-mail to the club notifying members of the dates and items to bring.

A member asked about the Laing family racing without a current QMA membership at our Indoor Regional. Rob explained that the Laing family didn't have paper proof of current membership and we allowed them to call their tech director for verbal proof. After the regional event we discovered they were not current members. After much discussion the club decided that if you want to race at one of our events and do not have paper proof of membership, then you must join our club that day. If you can provide proof at a later date, but before we send in your application to National, we will return your money. Kim Mathias will talk to the Region 4 Board to see if they would adopt our new policy. *A motion was made to send a letter to the Laing family stating they are not welcome at any future BQMRA event. Salyer/Coventry. Carried unanimously.*

A member asked if the treasure and secretary have been bonded. Liz Compton was reminded to check on this.

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. T. Reeser/N. Mullet. Carried unanimously.
Rob Stambaugh adjourned the meeting at **8:07 pm**. Next meeting is Wednesday, April 4, 2007. Free sign-in was awarded to the **Hall Family**.

Minutes respectfully submitted by: **Melissa Reeser**