

SRR Board Meeting – August 1, 2011

Track Fee (Heather):

Only question: is online registration part of membership or merchandise?

24 Hour Around the Lake (Noel):

Great event, even with weather. Turnout was fantastic:

24-hour Ultra: 75 Runners

12-hour Ultra: 65-70 Runners

Marathon: 160-180 Runners

Relay: 12 teams

Volunteer turnout was good, not great. The stretch times are overnight and noon – 4:00pm. A direction arrow was accidentally or purposely switched which sent the first wave of marathoners down the wrong path. The distance change was negligible so it shouldn't affect any outcomes. One runner got tripped up by a dog and fell, nothing serious. What is the medical coverage we need to have? Two nurses volunteered but never showed up. Maybe we get a police detail, which comes with an EMT. RaceMenu is withholding 25% as a reserve until after the event happens – a little bothersome. Can we increase numbers for next year?

Summer Steamer (Heather):

None of the race committee members showed up...again. We voted to end this race. Maybe we connect more with SommerStreets race. Heather will talk to John Gorvin to work with city. Issue: criminal background checks

Gobble X3 (Bill via Heather)

2600 runner limit. \$27 all inclusive for everyone. There will be early number pickup at Marathon Sports again. No awards ceremony. Cash prizes and age-group medals have been eliminated. "Somerville Road Runners" not on shirt?

Thursday Night Run (Scott):

Double Dare and Guac-Down this Thursday.

Bur-run (Gordon via Heather):

3rd anniversary beer-run coming up. What about minors showing up?

Lake Winnie (Joe):

10 teams. 3 houses for both nights. Do we need another room for first night?

ROTM (Kate):

August : Tavern to Tavern 5K

September: Halfway 5K (The Pub in Somerville)

SRR Scholarship (Heather):

John Gorvin working on this

Social (Heather):

Scott emailed Steve Pepe to see if he'd be interested in hosting an SRR party

Miscellaneous (Heather):

- Oct. 1 – Somerville Homeless Coalition Race. How much should we give? \$1000 again?
- Need to get SRR and Thursday Night Run brochures out to race committee members before the events happen
- Should board members have to reveal other affiliations?
- SRR voted #1 running club in Boston on Boston.com
- Larry is looking into some non-tax position for us
- Do we need Directors Insurance?
- Do we need a conduct policy?