

The Villages RC-Car Club Meeting Minutes No. 45 August ,15 2017

We had 17 members in attendance including the following officers, (President) Bob Jobes, (VP) Bob King, (Treasurer) Don Day, (Secretary) Doug Doucette, (Events Coordinator and Past President) Dave Allen

The August 2017 meeting started at 7:00 PM.

No new members in attendance

Minutes for July 2017 were read and accepted.

Treasury Report – Don Day wasn't there so Bob gave us a balance of \$1549.063

Membership Report – Barbra says We have 71 paid members .

Race Coordinator/Race Directors – Dave just wanted to remind everyone that all cars will be inspected before the September points series begins and that all cars in the stock class must be at their factory ride height and only mods allowed are gears and tires.

1. **Shirts, hats –** Mike Pepe is handling shirts/hats. He has arranged for us to go to Custom Apparel in Southern Trace next to Giovanni's to buy hats and shirts. Address is

3451 Wedgwood Lane, The Villages, FL 32162

Website – Feg Henkel is handling the website. He will look to see if he can add a for sale section on the web page and then let us know how to add items to that section.

Rules and Safety Committee – Rules Committee is Dave Allen (chairman), Mike Roemer, Mike Pepe, Larry Anderson, and Steve Sorrentino. The rules committee has nothing new this month.

Track Setup Team Report – WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HANDLE THIS TASK FOR EVERY RACE DAY (SECOND AND FOURTH SATURDAYS) – PLEASE CONTACT BILL BESS TO VOLUNTEER. If we do not have volunteers we will have to cancel racing that day!!!!!!

Business:

• **Old Business**

We still need better participation for track set up and tear down. If you are there racing please stay and help pick up the track after the races are finished, all the help we get makes setting up and picking up the track easier for every one.

Bill Bess has the sign up sheet for picking up the track at the storage lot please see him to sign up to get the track and return it on race days.

• **New Business**

The drag racing event was a lot of fun the members that attended had a great time, and learned that it's harder than it looks to keep your cars straight.

We will not be racing at the Rohan anniversary event this year. They decided to do something different than what they did last year.

Feg made a event calander that he posted on our web site and on face book

**Our point series will start September 9th and go through the first week of December
there will be 1 drop and the last 2 weeks count, you can not drop a race from the last 2 weeks.**

Bill Bess and Bill Hagnon volunteered to look for cateriers for our Christmas party. We all thank you for voluntering.

We need to have a count of people that are going to come to the christmas party there will be an email going out, please keep an eye out for it.

Dave bought a new microphone for our race days.

Dave held a tech sesion and went over some details on the R J Speed cars

Meeting closed at 8:15pm

Next meeting day is the third Tuesday; 6:45PM on September 19 at Canal Street Rec. Center