

Minutes of Up North Combine Meeting

February 16

Schomberg Community Hall

Delegates in attendance

- Ben Huevelman and Ron Hastie Lakeport RPC
- Dick Van Staveren Whitby Beaver
- Rick Wegman and Anthony Belcamino Barrie RPC
- Ken Wall and John Adams North Wings RPC
- Jake Kamstra and Dave Rodgers Humber Valley RPC
- Rick Morris and Ken Foster Borden RPC
- Drake Richardson and Jason Nelson Orillia RPC
- Chris Mitsiou and Clarence Beuving York Region

Minutes of last meeting read and moved accepted as read by Ron 2nd Jake . Carried

Treasurer Report Ron Hastie

Treasurer's report accepted as presented.

Paid up members till now is 100 with 10 coming from Oshawa yet

Transportation Report Ron Hastie

Contract with Grant is the same as last year. He will do the brakes on the small trailer and advises not to not use rail modification but turnbuckles instead. Dick will take a look at trailer with Grant and advise board of best course of action.

John Adams advises the board they are trying to get a later pickup at Good Lad center but have not received an answer.

Futurity Race Bruce Mathers

Birds coming from as far away as Alberta and US .There are 27 handlers up to now. Problems with early pickup times has led to Oshawa club not committing yet. Profits to go to Scholarship fund. Chris Mitsiou inquires if lost birds can be replaced by the breeder. They can not be replaced. The first futurity bird home on each race day will win \$100 for handler,even from Engelhart. The band

list will go up on the website and all bands will be registered with the CU. There will 2 opportunities to bring monies and list to Humber Valley clubhouse.

Flying Fees

John Adams moves fees remain the same as 2013 A. Belcamino 2nds

A series \$200

B series \$150

C series \$135

D series \$135

Carried unanimously the fees are due March 30

Liberators

OB Ken Foster Hossam Yassien Drake Richardson

YB Joe Ferriera Dave Rodgers Jason Nelson

Constitutional change

With there being no longer an Upper Canada National should we look at joint release accommodations.

Ron Hastie moves we remove the Upper Canada National reference from article 12 Page 18 of the corporation race results. Clarence 2nds Carried unanimously .

Bruce reports that the situation with the CU is grim. It has only 414 members. He feels a continued affiliation with them should continue and we should still go by their rules and regulations. The general consensus in the room was to wait and see and pay their dues as a sign of support.

Corporate race boundaries Page 22

Only covers boundaries for Open races Ken Wall moves that the boundary apply to all who fly with the combine. All lofts within South Latitude 44.48.18 West longitude 78.35.00 may participate. The BOD reserves the right to exempt any specific Open race with a majority vote. Carried by a vote of 12 to 3

Old bird fees are due at next meeting in March as well as a futurity collection.

Chris Mitsiou moves for adjournment Carried.

