

# Hare Scrambles Committee Meeting Minutes

## January 3, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm

### Officers:

Chairman	Joe Steidl
Referee	George Pollard
Scorekeeper	Joe Blum
AA/A/B Rider Rep	Randy Jackson-not present
C Rider Rep	Vacant
Specialty A/B Rider Rep	Tom Miller
Specialty C/Women Rider Rep	Kerri Chambers
Saturday Rider Rep	Mike Perry, Sr.-not present
Quad Rider Rep	Mike Riddle

### Clubs:

Apollo MC	Mark Borderlon
Azalea City MC	not present
Central Florida Trail Riders	Dan George
Big Scrub Trail Riders	Allen Pearce
Daytona Dirt Riders	Randy Griffin
Old School Dirt Riders	Brett Williams
River City Dirt Riders	not present
Sarasota Area Dirt Riders	JR Rowland
SEFTR	not present
SWFTR	not present
Suncoast Trail Blazers	Sam Mento
Tallahassee Trail Riders	Rocky Gavins
Treasure Coast Trail Riders	not present

The minutes from the meeting held on 10/08/08 were accepted as read.

### Old Business:

1) Deborah Broderick presented a proposal to add a Junior Girls, Mini Girls, and 65 Girls Classes. The proposal was discussed, deemed valid for FTR membership consideration, and was published in the December 2008 magazine. This was the second vote, as a rule change. The motion passed. It will become effective next season, pending BOD ratification.

### New Business:

1) Joe Steidl presented a change to the race schedule:

Chapter VI, Section C2, Saturday Race Schedule, Race 1-3 reads in part "11AM -11:15AM Peewee C...through 11:40AM -12PM Peewee A"

CHANGE TO: **Race 1 11AM - 11:15AM**  
Peewee A and B  
**Race 2 11:20AM - 11:35AM**

Peewee C

**Race 3 11:45AM – 12:00PM**

Quad Peewee

And Race 6, row 8 reads in part “Quad Utility...Quad Auto Sport”

ADD: Quad Junior.

Chapter III, Section D., 1, Hare Scrambles, reads in part “Women Utility Quad...Vintage.

Between them, ADD:

Quad Junior 91–200 cc 2 stroke, 91–300 cc 4 stroke Production Frame/Production Case Age 13–15

And Section L., 6:

ADD, BETWEEN JUNIOR AND MINI A,B,C:

91–200cc 2 stroke, 91–300cc 4 stroke Junior

And Chapter VIII., Section B., 3:

ADD, BETWEEN JUNIOR A & B AND MINI A, B & C

Quad Junior white none/black

The proposal was deemed worthy for membership consideration and will be published in the magazine.

2) Bob Brown presented a proposal to move Golden Master B from Sunday Race 1 to row 11.

Chapter VI., C. Event Rules

Sunday Race Schedule

**Race 1 10:30 AM –12:30 PM**

Row 6– Master B, Golden Master B

Change to:

**Race 1 10:30 AM– 12:30PM**

Row 6– Delete Golden Master B

Row 10– Golden Master B, Women B

Row 11– Master C

The proposal was deemed worthy for membership consideration and will be published in the magazine.

3) Mark Borderlon presented a proposal to move Golden Master B, as well.

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CURRENT:

Row 6 – Master B, Golden Master B

Row 10 – Master C, Women B

CHANGE TO:

Row 6 – Master B, Golden Master A

Row 10 – Golden Master B

Row 11 – Master C, Women B

The proposal was deemed worthy for membership consideration and will be published in the magazine.

4)Team Roster announcement: The Chairman announced that effective immediately, all team rosters accepted will be required to have the riders’ signatures on them.

5) Rulebook cleanup – Chapter III., L., 6 – to Mini – add “86–150 4 stroke”.

6) Dan George presented a proposal regarding Peewee C advancement.

Regarding Chapter VI., C., 8:

Change:

Peewee C riders will advance to the next higher class after accumulation of two 1st place finishes or 3 top 5 finishes.

To:

Peewee C riders will advance to the next higher class after accumulation of one 1st place finish or 3 top 5 finishes.

Although Chapter VI., C., 5 states, "The Hare Scrambles Committee reserves the right to adjust or refine the Advancement Points System, by majority vote, as the need arises." Because this is a Peewee issue, I recommend that we publish this proposed change in the magazine, vote on it a second time and implement this next season.

The proposal was deemed worthy for membership consideration and will be published in the magazine.

7) Dan George presented a proposal regarding Advancement Points to clarify how Work Runs, Disqualifications, DNFs and DNS's count when determining advancement points.

Regarding Chapter VI., C., 3:

Change:

Advancement points will be carried only for the rider's previous ten events. The personal ten (10) events will carry from the previous years first race.

To:

Advancement points will be carried only for the rider's previous ten (10) events in which they earned championship points and would have been eligible, had they finished high enough, to earn advancement points. DNF's and DNS's which result in zero championship points earned, worked runs and

disqualifications will not be counted as one of the ten events. The personal ten (10) events will carry from the previous season's first race.

Since Chapter VI., C., 5 states, "The Hare Scrambles Committee reserves the right to adjust or refine the Advancement Points System, by majority vote, as the need arises." I recommend that we implement this clarification immediately.

The proposal passed.

8) Proposal regarding Work Run credits.

Clarify how work run credits apply to the top 20

Regarding Chapter VI., B., 9:

Change;

...Work Run credits will be applied to Overall Top 20 positions in addition to the class listed on the entry.

To:

...Work Run credits will be applied to Overall Top 20 positions in addition to the class listed on the entry. A work run credit equal to the rider's highest score earned in the Top 20 during the competition year will be awarded toward the Top 20 competition.

The proposal was deemed worthy for membership consideration and will be published in the magazine.

9) Rider James Gaines presented a protest that he wished to ride for the Scarry Fast Team. Scarry Fast also presented a protest about his points for Race #3. The rider had already been reassigned to Scarry Fast, and the committee addressed how to assign his points. The committee voted to remove his Race 1 and Race 2 points from Dirt Poor Racing, and to give his Race 3 points to Scarry Fast.

The Chairman announced that as there was some concern that some people didn't hear about this meeting until late, he would hold another meeting

CHAIRMAN'S NOTE: THE CHAIRMAN WILL HOLD TWO (2) MORE MEETINGS THIS SEASON. The next meeting will be 2/21/09 at Gatorback. The last meeting will be 4/25/09 at the DDR race.

A motion to adjourn was presented and passed. The meeting adjourned at 8:30PM.