

Q3 Minutes

In Attendance: Jordan, Clif, David, Jake, Bob, Eric, Frank, Geoffrey, Ryan

Regrets: Jared

Guests:

1. Review and Acceptance of Agenda

- Motioned: Jake Seconded: Bob
- Meeting Start Time: 7:07pm

2. Review and Acceptance of Minutes

- Motioned: David Seconded: Jordan

3. Update COVID-19 Current Regulations and Restrictions for Sport

- Vaccine Passport – only required for indoor scenarios, including training.
 - Have heard that one event is implementing requirement. It is mandated for events in Quebec and possibly Ontario. No legal precedence at the moment.
 - One club is rumoured to be requiring, no legal precedence.
 - BCA will continue to follow PHO Orders as posted.
 - As per Eric, RunVan indicated that for the fall events they will be requiring vaccination status for all volunteers, staff, as well as suppliers on-site during the event. Participants to click a button on registration indicating the intent to show proof of vaccination at package pickup. At pickup once the vaccination status is presented a bracelet will be provided and functions as visual proof. Further support to this approach for the UBC event where the University has their own strict protocols; due to the fact that RunVan is using on-campus indoor facilities during the event it was important to adhere to these. The planning for vaccination status is to do this as well for First Half event in early 2022 however May's Vancouver Marathon has yet to be discussed. In general masking to be enforced at start/finish areas or within any indoor venues.
- Island Health, Vancouver Coastal Health, Fraser Health
 - Can go by July 1st BCA posted restrictions. Minimal requirements.
- Northern Health
 - Limit of 200 people
- Interior Health
 - Just changed September 13, are allowing events. Some aspects still to be clarified.
 - Appears most restrictions have been lifted.
- Events moving forwards
 - Primarily trail, cross season back to normal
 - Road – only a few have restarted Victoria Marathon, Turkey Trot, Great Trek



- Anticipation of a full return in 2022.

4. BC Athletics AGM

- BC Athletics owned events and championships, 2022 and onward - \$5 fee will be added that goes towards officials training and development.
- Road to discuss application to Road Championships unsure how it applies to Road – as we don't "own" the Road Championships.
Action item (Clif) - to distribute the information to the RR Committee for their thoughts on how the application may consider Road for the future.

5. Athletics Canada 10k Championship

- Criteria posted mid-August, 3 men and 2 women have declared
- Deadline today, only 5 athletes have declared (3 M / 2 F)
- Selection will be made on Wednesday and posted.
- Athletics Canada full vaccination requirement.

6. Provincial Fairs, Festivals and Events Grants

- Information sent out to all sanctioned events.
- Up to 20% of budget is eligible for funding; applications are due October 1st.
- Only 5 letters of support requested so far.

7. Other Business

- Welcome Ryan Chilibeck to the Road Running Committee and a couple of brief introductions
- Island report (from Bob)
 - Elk/Beaver Ultramarathon won by Andrew Russell (3:13:13, new course record), Catrin Jones top female (2nd overall) in 3:40:06. 16 finishers
 - Magical Mile, a paved rail train - more like a road a race David Guss set a M70 Canadian record in 5:03.
 - The Victoria Marathon has reverted to Royal Victoria Marathon. No full marathon on October 10th. This year half marathon and 8K, both are out-and-back courses.
 - Vancouver Island Cross Country Association that hosted the Pan Am Championships at Bear Mountain in 2019 will be bidding on the 2023/24 Canadian Cross Country Championships.
 - Provincial Cross Country Championships are coming up at Elk Lake on October 23rd.

Road Running Committee Quarterly Meeting
7:00pm – Tuesday, September 14, 2021
Video Conference



- Interior Running Association's 2021 Virtual Cross Country Series will be sanctioned this year.

Action Item (David) - Details to be sent to Clif.

8. Next Meeting

- Date: target last week of January 2022
- Meeting Chair:

9. Adjourned

- Motioned: Frank Seconded: Eric
- Meeting end time: 7:41pm