

BV QUAD RIDERS – April 2022 Minutes



Date: April 20, 2022

Meeting started: 6:30 pm

Ended: 7:23pm

Members present: Gord Stavast, Bryce Miller, Harold Reedy, Bruce Bobbick, Dave Tolton

Hello Club Members.

The club is trying to brainstorm how we can get more input / participation from our members. It has been proven through the years that people do not want to go to meetings, everyone is busy with kids, work, or life (lately COVID) and a club meeting is not on the list so..... Would an electronic meeting be more to your liking? You can read it, vote from home, and forward it back to us where we will take all comments and votes and put back out in a club minutes format and send it back to you. You can do it all from the comfort of your home lol! This is a mockup of what it could look like so please if you have an idea let us know. Go ahead and give it a try and see what you think. If enough members vote this is not to their liking than the meetings will remain as they are.

FYI, we only received one reply from our club letter / agenda so.. I guess it is fair to assume members are not interested in this approach either!

1. Would you be interested in any of the following positions for the club directors? Please check which one.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Club President	<input type="checkbox"/>	Trail Director
<input type="checkbox"/>	Club Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>	Event Organizer (Poker Ride(s) etc)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Work Bee Volunteer

Bryce Miller volunteered to help out as “Event Organizer” for the club. Thanks Bryce 😊 All other positions no change.

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2. Do you have an area or trail of concern for 2022 that you think the club should be focusing on for a work bee? - Yes – No

Location & Concern (possible solution):
 As no one has had an opportunity due to snowpack to get out and have a look around we will leave the Dome for now as our #1 priority. We have notified Parks of our interest in fixing the badly eroded section of the trail. They may be able to help with their Fire Crews if they are not busy in early spring?

3. What Trail Rides would you like to see take place this summer? Please list rides / areas you would like to go below.

Order of Preference	Ride
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	

The one place of interest for the group present was the Sibola Range out of Houston. We talked about camping at Sweeney Lake or staying at Nadina Lake Lodge and going from those locations via atv into the Sibolas for a possible 2-day event. More discussion needed. Also, Starr Basin and the Grizzly Plateau will be coming up this summer for club members only. With luck the Caribou will not be in the vicinity this summer and the rides will be a go!

Would you be willing to lead a group of club members into this area(s) if it is an area that you like and are familiar with? - Yes – No

5. Would you attend a Poker Ride if the club put one on later this summer?

- Yes – No

What day of the weekend is preferred if you were to attend?

- Saturday - Sunday?

Interest was given for a Poker Ride this year just need a location and some volunteers to help and we'll be good to go! Maybe try to find a "loop" in the Babine Lake area that would work for us.

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Where would you like to see a Poker Ride take place? Traditionally Dome Mountain is an easy location for all riders to access that is close to town. Do you have another suggestion?

6. Volunteers are needed to work at a Poker Ride would you be interested in any of the following?

Jobs	Volunteers needed	Yes	No
Registration	2		
50 / 50 Draw	1		
Score Poker Hands as they come in	1 or 2		
Cook Hot Dogs	1 or 2		
Card Stops	4	1	
Clear & ribbon trail the day before ride	No limit	2	
Not interested in any job			
<i>If anyone would like to be the full organizer of a Poker Ride and use your own ideas for a Fun Day, please let us know.</i>			

We had 3 interested people in volunteering to help. Going to take a lot more interest if we go ahead with it. The sooner we can post it the easier for people to plan ahead to attend.

Would you be interested in having any guest speakers to answer questions about quadding in the Bulkley Valley i.e., Parks Representative, Conservation Officer, RCMP, ATVBC Director for our area? - Yes – No

Need to understand insurance requirements and club waivers for events? Interest expressed in having an ATVBC Director for our area come for a meeting to answer questions.

Which one is preferred?

7. Does anyone have a “vision” of what the club should be in a year or two going forward? What kind of ATV Club are you envisioning?
1. Need to get more new members with new ideas. How do we do this?
 2. Maybe we need a new location for club meetings? Suggestions?

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8. Does anyone have any new ideas they would like to throw out there for the membership to consider? Let's hear them!

Not a lot of decisions made, or ideas brought forward, but after 2 years of COVID it's a good start. Please feel free to fill out the agenda and send it back to the club with thoughts or ideas or just to put your hand up and volunteer. We will try for another meeting May 18th at 6:30 pm come on out and tell us what your thoughts are going forward with the club.

Until then

GET OUT AND RIDE!

BV Quad Riders

