

## BV Quad Riders April 8, 2015 Meeting Minutes

Minutes from last meeting:

Treasurers Report:

Members Present: Dan, Mike, Dave, Jeff, Al, Doug, Colin, Bill and Ed

## Correspondence / Old Business:

- Moose Skin Johnny obtain key for gate so that we may possibly access this area for a club ride this season, in progress.
- IMA support letter wrote and sent to Eugene, no reply assume all is good.
- Memorial ideas for Lloyd Kilback. Parks has ear marked money to help with this. Any ideas on something we could possibly do for the Telkwa Pass, Blue Lake, or Jonas Creek areas we would like to hear.
- Power Ride Week end at the Hudson Bay Lodge is still a go. We are looking into obtaining a tent for attending these events and possible use for Poker Rides and other activities. Dan and Dave looking at various models.
- Power Ride Weekend will also be attended once again by Jeff Mohr President of ATV/BC; Jeff will be available to answer questions relating to the new registration requirements for ORV's, Third Party liability and insight into the many activities that ATV/BC is involved with throughout the province.
- Planning a ride in the Terrace Area? Brian Deacon of the Terrace ATV and SxS Society may be in attendance also for riding info May 9th.
- Ride and project ideas for 2015 be prepared to discuss at our May meeting.
- Bridge inspection, Doug is back and would be willing to check the Suskwa and Dome areas to see if any maintenance will be required this season, Thanks Doug!
- Colin has volunteered to assist with the Telkwa Pass Project and will hopefully be able to review progress by our May Meeting. Thanks Colin!

## **New Business:**

- BV Community Resources Board (CRB) is interested in working with and funding the Quad Riders to update the website and include maps and access instructions to all motorized areas as a result of the Summer RAMP. Bill Meyers has volunteered to look into this and see what is required; it may require assistance from other parties to obtain the necessary computer programs required to fulfil this task. Thanks Bill!
- Dan has stepped down as President this year after many years of volunteering his time and energy to bring the club to the level and membership we are today. The Quad Riders would like to extend a big thank you for all your time and effort Dan, your knowledge and experience will definitely be called upon from time to time for club matters. Be prepared! (got a cell #)

 Elections went as follows; (we decided to hold elections for Club Directors to May's Meeting so that we could decide on director responsibilities so everyone has a clear understanding of their role)

Dave Tolton – President

Gord Stavast - Vice President and Treasurer

Secretary – unfortunately Terry will be laid up for a while and not able to attend meetings. This position is open. If you would like to volunteer give Dave a call please.

- We also need a volunteer to organize our Membership List and report to the club. If you can help out let us know.
- Presentation by Jeff Mohr President ATV/BC. (The Quad Riders voted to join ATV/BC at our March Meeting and Jeff was on hand to answer questions concerning membership benefits and how this partnership will help our club advance to the next level.

<u>Jeff gave us an overview on insurance coverage for our group such as:</u>

- \$5,000,000 for each member bodily injury or property damage.
- Directors and Officers Insurance.
- Personal Accident.
- Property Insurance

The insurance will provide coverage for our club for the day to day activities of the group, including the development, management and construction of trails where we have assumed liability. It would cover club rides, meetings and other activities such as display booths at events, shows, membership drives, etc.

The policy can also be extended to cover Special Events as declared, described as competition events such as hill climbs and drag races. Club rides and poker rides are not considered special events and are automatically covered.

Insurance issues alone were a big calling card for our club, many activities and or events call for large amounts of insurance that we were unable to afford. Affiliation with ATV/BC will help us obtain coverage for future events. Jeff also went over two different insurance options available to ATV owners. Third party liability for \$200,000 to \$1,000,000 for Forest Service Roads and a new one through ICBC that covers you for crossing highways, parking lots etc. that is an option if you require that type of coverage.

The club would ask all members to please visit <a href="www.atvbc.ca">www.atvbc.ca</a> this will answer many questions you may have concerning ORV use.

- Membership dues for 2015 will reflect the necessary increase to be affiliated with ATV/BC and will be \$50 for the "Primary Member" and \$35 for "Secondary" with \$5 per child.
- Motion to adjourn by Colin seconded by Mike

Come out and visit our booth May  $9^{th}$  and see all the new ATV & SxS models for 2015 that your local dealers will have on display. Till then

**GET OUT AND RIDE!!!**