#### Bicycle Club of Lake County General Meeting 3/26/2024

#### President's Info: Don Mobley

- Presentation from Matt Petersen from The Fitness Pursuit: Training and Fueling Best Practices to Become a Strong Summer Rider
- Forest preserve is now allowing E-Bikes. Go to the Lake County Trail Website for any trail closings
- There is a 20 mph speed limit on the trails
- Keith Carlson from the Wheeling Wheelmen thanked the BCLC riders that attended their St. Patrick's Day ride
- The Grayslake Bike Rodeo date changed to 5/11/2024. We are looking for volunteers
- Ride Illinois General Meeting will be a Zoom meeting on 4/20/24 at 4:40 PM
- BCLC Clothing Mountain bike wear will be available soon. Scott M will see about keeping the store open for longer time. The clothing runs very small
- When you are out riding, take pictures! We will find a person to send those to so they can be shared

#### Treasurer's Report: Dan Eschbach

- At the time of the meeting, there was \$3,900 in the bank with additional monies of \$500 and \$495 that will be added to the account
- \$100 every 6 months go toward MeetUp fees
- Our biggest expense is insurance

# Ride Report: Scott Minogue

- The Monday night ride out of Lake Bluff is now out of Tighthead Brewery in Mundelein. Start time 6:00 PM
- April 3<sup>rd</sup> will be the first Beer Here Ride

# Membership: Jim Skaggs

- The membership follows the calendar year
- 108 members have paid
- 49 have not paid as of this meeting
- Jim is purging the email list

# Social Committee: Marnie Brahar standing in for Lynn Havel

• Nothing planned at this time. Lynn is out of town

# Social Media: Robin Martin

• The next newsletter will be coming out 4/10

Ramble: Mitch Jones

- This will be the 42nd Ramble and Mitch is doing a Jackie Robinson Theme. Create a "punch card" for the miles ridden. The rider will get a gift for each loop so the more miles, the more gifts. Simulating 1<sup>st</sup> base, 2<sup>nd</sup> base etc. If all 4 loops are completed, they get the grand prize. He has secured a variety of gift cards etc.
- The park and Chalet have been reserved
- The contract has been signed
- We are looking for bike mechanics for 2 shifts. 8:00 am 12:00 and 12:00 4:00
- We have morning help 6:00 am 10:00
- Mike Bikes and Lifecycle were recommended places for him to contact.

Open Discussion: None

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM