

## USAC meeting

- USAC dropped Nationals on weekend of MGP
- ATRA trip: Anna Schwinn @ National Sports Center in Blaine MN have a feeder team that is designed to recruit beginners
  - We could use the same model to increase women's racing
  - This is part of the panel on women's cycling, we are going to set up a meeting to understand how to increase race numbers
- If we book 30 nights of hotel stays in Redmond with the Redmond Town Center, they will give us 1 free day. This is not much but could be used to potentially negotiate deals for racers coming in from out of town
- Finances of USAC, overall lose about \$1 million a year
  - Revamping next year:
    - Going to \$10 day licenses
    - Won't be a charge for being a race director
- Kristian on a committee to focus on how ATRA members can be tracked as they go to another velodrome, like the USAC license system
  - There is an insurance issue to this, if a (e.g.) Cat 4 ends up racing in a Cat 1/2 field and causes a crash
- Insurance per person is going up to \$3.80 per person rather than \$3.60

## Position voting

- Finance: Nick Martinez
- Secretary: Ted Scott (if refuses, then Gordon will do it)
- Vice president: Andrew Carlberg
- President: Kristian Millar

## Committees

- Finance and admin
  - Nick Martinez
  - Ruth Gustaffson
- Race comm
  - Andrew Carlberg
  - Jim Flynn
- Dev comm
  - Ted Scott

- Kristian Millar
- Ruth Gustaffson
- Marketing and Sponsorship
  - Gordy Morris
  - Kristian Millar

### **Amara**

- GP and Fred's race dates: early July is an option, the 15th/ 16th/ 17th because Nat Champs took the last weekend in July
- Also add in a team race on the Sunday (17th): The Marymoor Team Challenge
- Approach Portland for them to race on 8th/ 9th
- Fred's Race in late August/ early September: 26 - 28 August
- No UCI for the MGP
- Track renaming:
  - Jerry Baker Memorial Velodrome at Marymoor Park
  - Shortening to Jerry Baker Velodrome, nicknamed the Bakerdrome
  - Marymoor Park wants to get a plaque up ASAP, while the dedication ceremony will take place next year
- Get a booth at the Gregg's Women on Wheels, and at the Bike expo
- Auction: early April is an ideal date
  - Committee: Ruth and Gordy to help out

### **Contract positions**

- Junior instructor
  - \$40 per class, and emails is extra
  - Vote to approve Ted's proposal as follows:
    - \$6000 for salary, \$800 for advertising. The salary works out to 300 hrs \* \$20/hr. 300 hours is 20 per week during the 3 month prime season (June - August), which is a ballpark. Any hours in excess would count as "volunteer time" (current rate is 4 hrs = free race night).
    - We need to get the position filled so advertising can start in December, when many parents start thinking about summer camps, planning vacations, and also when summer camps schedules start getting created (e.g. the Redmond Community Calendar, which we've not advertised in, but definitely should).
- Adult instructor
  - Above model to be used for the adult class. Exact details TBA

### **Survey**

- To be done this week and sent out by Gordy

#### **Race feedback from Jim Flynn**

- Not having 4s on Friday, the perception was that Friday night should be earned
- Cat 1/ 2s loved racing first
  - BUT... They didn't like having as much rest time, particularly for the points race
  - We could rotate it and have Cat 1/2, women, Cat 3s alternate
  - **This could be a jersey feature night with a podium**
- Unknown racing: the all-unknown racing was not popular, but the unknown points races seemed to work quite well
- Madisons: people wanted to move back to Mondays, but the Friday fields were up