

Minutes of the Meeting – May 7, 2025 Held at Makris Lobster & Steak House, Concord NH and Remotely via Zoom

Call to Order: SCCNH President Ian Cook called the fourth business meeting of 2025 to order at 7:00 P.M.

Members attending: (President) Ian Cook, (Vice-President) Alex McCrady, (Executive Secretary) Laura Demerath, (Past President) Calvin Demerath, Michael Ruggiero, Charlie Parsons, Drew Young, Howard Roundy, John Santos, Michael Morbois, Rick Staley, Remote: (Treasurer) Alison van Gelder, (Corresponding Secretary) Hannah Hunt, Dan Mitchell, Arianne McDonnell

Secretary's Report: A motion was made to accept the April 2 2025 minutes as submitted.

(Drew/Michael M)

Treasurer's Report: Alison reports that the accounts are in good standing. (Charlie/Drew) **Membership Report:** Dan reports that we have 254 total members at this time, 241 regular and 13 life. (Michael M/John)

Programs

Autocross Report: Ian reports for Alex that both Autocross 1 and 2 were successful. They both had 68 entries despite the weather. The autocross team and the board will be having a discussion about rollbars and more elements on the track for future events. The next event weekend is August 23-24. There was an RFID timing test at Canaan and Calvin was able to pick up a reading from cars going about 45 mph. David from Canaan is still working on things for a time attack event and does not need anything from us at this time.

Hillclimb Report: Calvin reports that Ascutney is the weekend of May 17-18. There are 28 drivers and 13 workers registered. Corey is on point for safety. Ian and Kevin will be there for radios. Rebekah is worker coordinator and ordering lunch. Calvin and Greg Wilcox are co-chairing the event. Calvin needs a COI for the state. Philo was the first weekend in May and there were only 21 registered drivers. Two checkpoints were shut down due to lack of workers. The drivers got 18 runs over two days. Insurance prices are significantly higher than predicted so costs will be evaluated after the spring event before entry prices are set for the fall event. Last year had about 20 more registrations than this year at this time. Alex M will make posts about the event on various platforms.

CTTC Report: Howard reports that nothing has changed since the last meeting.

Gravel Trials Report: Scott reports that last weekend's event went well despite the rain with 22 entries. He will be submitting the budget and invoices this week. Next event is June 22nd. The results should be up on the website soon.

Rally Report: Scott reports that the Search rally is on June 1st and there are currently 8 entries. Next event after that will be August 10th. Last event of the season will be the Turkey Trot in November. **Club History:** Charlie reports that he has added Judy Fry's life member bio to the website.

New Business

Helmets: This is a recertification year. Autocross will no longer accept 2010 helmets and Hillclimb will no longer accept 2015 helmets at the end of the year. Autocross will welcome donations of hillclimb helmets for loaners.

Volunteers: We would love to get new faces in meetings and volunteering at events. Bring your friends!

70th Anniversary: Ian reached out to Makris about hosting a party with no response. The New England Racing Museum is interested in hosting. The event is proposed for July.

Action Items

- Board chat about equipment rentals Board
- Website updates Laura and Calvin
- Points system discussion Ian, Alex, Howard

The meeting was adjourned at 8:04pm. (Drew/Michael M)

Respectfully Submitted Laura Demerath Executive Secretary