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2022 Fall Meeting at St. Regis, Montana

- Montana Cross Country "T" Association Fall Meeting
- St. Regis Community Center: 230 Lobo Loop, St. Regis, Montana.
- Meeting Date: Sunday, October 16, 2022.
- Meeting Time: Scheduled to start at 12:00 pm noon, MDT. Expect 4 hours.
- **<u>No Food Allowed in building:</u>** Bring your own coffee, water, etc.
- Tony will call ahead for admittance to the building.



Map to St. Regis Community Center, St. Regis, Montana

The President's Message

Rick Bonebright, President 2021-2022 rcbonegbright@gmail.com

I want to thank everyone for participating in the 2022 Glendive Endurance Run. As many of you know, I spent this time caring for Char and could not be at the Endurance Run. I'd like to give our Vice President, Brandon Langel, a grateful thank you for running the inspection and meetings in my absence. Thanks Brandon.

Big Thank you's:

Thanks to Mike Kosser for contributing to the picnic expenses. Kosser has been a friend and contributor for many years now and most of us are using his ECCT coil Tester. Some of us have his E-Timer and I-Timer as well. <u>https://modeltecct.com/</u>

Thanks to our timers, Megan and Aaron Teates, Heather Robison, Carla Carnegie, Levi Dyckman, Kathleen and Gary Ebbert, and to our trouble truck drivers, Stan and Willy Langel, Ed Delach, Paul and Donna Shindlbeck.

Other: Be thinking of where to locate next year's Endurance Run. When you nominate a city, try to include:

• Dates for the Endurance Run. Motel-Hotel accommodations, detailed route, gas station stops, bathrooms, fast-food lunch or sack lunch locations. Include leg milage estimates between pit stops, total daily, and total final milage.

Proxy and Electronic Voting. On Saturday, October 15, 2022, we will plan on emailing a link and password to enable participation of members that are not attending in person. Reply by email now to get this link.

Rick Bonebright, President, 2021-2022.

Montana 500 2022 Fall Meeting agenda

1. Call meeting to order.

- **1.1.**Welcome to Everyone.
- **1.2.** Introduction of in person and zoom attendees.
- **1.3.**Please raise a hand to talk and wait your turn, so that everyone can listen to your ideas un-interrupted.
- 1.4.All in-person member voting will be done by ballot. All zoom members will use on screen vote buttons if available. If not, then zoom voting can be done by a show of hands to a person appointed by the President. In-person speakers will be asked to speak into the microphone provided. Zoom persons will tap a screen button and wait to be selected. When selected, they can un-mute their device.
- 2. <u>Approval the Fall Meeting Minutes dated October 10, 2021.</u> Present the minutes and Motion.
- 3. <u>Approval the Treasurer's Report dated September 16, 2022.</u> Janet will present the Treasure's Report. Present and Motion.
- 4. <u>2022 Montana 500 Endurance Run recap.</u> Does anyone have comments on the Glendive Endurance Run?

5. Old Business:

5.1.MTFCA Affiliate Status to Chapter Status.

- 5.1.1. Currently, all Directors are MTFCA members. All new Director's will be obliged to obtain MTFCA membership for their terms.
- 5.1.2. Approximately 70% of MCCTA members are MTFCA members.
- **5.2. The Packet idea** is working for the shirt and hat orders through Dusty Boyce. Payment of dues, Endurance Run fees at or before the Endurance Run is fine with Janet.
- **5.3.The Traveling Trophy.** Nan's trophy committee report.

5.4.Awards.

5.4.1. We need to select a 2022 recipient for the Bud Peter's Award. Motion for nominees and give out this award.

- 5.4.2. We need to give Brandon a special plaque commemorating Doug, courtesy of Sally Peters Aschim.
- **5.5.**Other Old Business?
 - 5.5.1. Vacant. ______6.

New Business:

- 6.1. <u>Proxy voting.</u> Two years ago, we voted to enable Proxy Voting. Proxies can be used to vote on issues stated in the agenda.
- **6.2.** <u>Digital (Zoom) voting:</u> The Community Center does have working Wi-Fi and we can use it again this year. Available formats are Zoom, Google-Meet, cell phone, or by proxy written submission to the president. This is to allow members to have their vote counted, concerning all items, at the meeting.
- 6.3. <u>New Rule Proposals</u>: Please review the document, "<u>Rule-Proposals</u>-<u>2022-09-17 MCCTA.pdf</u>", attached to this email. Black font represents the existing current rules, blue font shows the proposed new rules, orange indicates a reason or discussion.
 - 6.3.1. Background: This summer, Tony copied each existing rule and pasted them into an outline format. All existing rules are now grouped under specific headings and sections.
 - 6.3.1.1. Tony will motion for acceptance of the new format for the rules.
 - 6.3.1.2. Tony will motion for acceptance for the proposed rule additions (shown in blue font), on an item-by-item basis. 6 members participated in this task to date. If you have suggested rule changes or additions for the coming 2023 Endurance Run, please submit them by return email before September 27, 2022.
- 6.4. Other New Business.
 - 6.4.1.1. If you have other new business for the meeting, send it by reply email on or before September 27, 2022 and we will put it on the agenda.

6.5. Nominations and Elections of new Officers and Directors:

- 6.5.1. Rick Bonebright's presidential term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for the 2023-2024 president's position. This position will still be a director for 2025.
- 6.5.2. Brandon's term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for the 2023-2024 vice-president's position. This position will still be a director for 2025.
- 6.5.3. Janet's term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for the 20232024 treasurer's position. This position will still be a director for 2025.
- 6.5.4.
- 6.5.5. Sonny Bishop's term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for this director's position.
- 6.5.6. Erica Cerovski's term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for this director's position.
- 6.5.7. Dan Brown's Director position expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for this director's position.
- 6.5.8. Rick Carnegie's term expires now. Nominate and elect a replacement for this director's position.

6.5.8.1. We need a total of 9 Directors, which will include the new officers.

6.6. Nominations and Elections for host city for 2023.

- 6.6.1.

 6.6.2.
- 6.6.3.

6.7. Nominations and Elections for Endurance Run Dates for 2023.

- 6.7.1.
- 6.7.2.

7. Adjourn Meeting.

Montana Cross Country "T" Association

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Background:

The Ford Model T was voted the "Car of the Century" which was an international award given to the world's most influential car of the 20th century. The election process was overseen by the Global Automotive Elections Foundation with a narrowed field of 200 cars. The winner, the Ford Model T, was announced at an awards gala on December 18, 1999 in Las Vegas, Nevada.

The Montana Cross Country "T" Assn. is dedicated to rebuilding, refurbishing, preserving, and proving stock Ford Model T's. In some cases, members fully restore these cars to a "new car status" in most every aspect.

The Assn. also allows the above Model T's that meet written safely requirements to be endurance-tested at their annual runs. The Montana 500 is sort of a proving ground for the owner, engine builder, chassis builder, and electrical systems builder.

We highly recommend that you get yourself a Model T and join these endurance runs. Expect to have some old school (or new school) fun. It is a friendly helpful atmosphere.

Membership Information:

Active Membership includes all the privileges of the Association including issues of the Montana 500 Newsletter. Annual dues are \$10 and entitle the member one vote at meetings. Touring & Endurance class: \$35.00/Run. Current members and those wanting to become members should send a check to: Attn. Treasurer, Janet Cerovski 1004 Sioux Road, Helena, Montana 59602.

Montana 500 Web Information:

1. https://themontana500.wordpress.com/

- 2. <u>https://www.facebook.com/pg/Montanafivehundred/pos</u> <u>ts/</u>
- 3. <u>http://www.antiqueautoranch.com/montana50</u> <u>0/</u>

Executive Officers:

President: Rick Bonebright Florence, MT Vice Pres: Brandon Langel Whitefish, MT Treasurer: Janet Cerovski Helena, MT

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Direct all other inquiries to:

Past Presidents of the Montana Cross Country "T" Association

Past Presidents	Home Town	Years served	Starting Town
Ed Towe-1 st Leader	Circle, Montana	1961-1962	Bonner, MT to Fairview, MT
1. Ken Cook	Bozeman, Montana	1963	Bozeman to Lewistown '63
2. Ray Habel	Dutton, Montana	1964	Baker to Helena '64
3. Bill Walters	Bozeman, Montana	1965-1966	Great Falls '65, Laurel '66
4. John Foos Jr.	Laurel, Montana	1967-1968	Lewistown '67, Dillon '68
5. Bud Peters	Ledger, Montana	1969-1970	Shelby '69, Helena '70
6. Rich Armstrong	Helena, Montana	1971-1972	Bozeman '71, Miles City '72
7. Al Rieker	Boulder, Montana	1973-1974	Helena '73, Livingston '74
8. David Meuli	Conrad, Montana	1975-1976	Great Falls '75, Helena '76
9. Ed Delzer	Shelby, Montana	1977-1978	Lewistown '77, Helena '78
10. Rich Armstrong	Helena, Montana	1979-1980	Great Falls '79, Libby '80
11. Chuck Worthington	Livingston, Montana 1981-1982		Conrad '81, Livingston '82
12. Terry Peters	Ledger, Montana	1983-1984	Bozeman '83, Helena '84
13. Marian Cook	Bozeman, Montana	1985-1986	Helena '85, Helena '86
14. Dale Schuler	Carter, Montana	1987-1988	Butte '87, Billings '88
15. Jim Halseth	Dutton, Montana	1989-1990	Great Falls '89, Bozeman '90
16. George Nickol	Ledger, Montana	1991-1992	Butte '91, Great Falls '92
17. Terry Peters	Ledger, Montana	1993-1994	Butte '93, Bozeman '94
18. Tony Cerovski	Helena, Montana	1995-1998	Fairmont '95, Helena '96,
19. Tony Cerovski	Helena, Montana	1997-1999	Lewistown '97, Lewistown '98
20. Simon Nickol	Ledger, Montana	1999-2000	Missoula '99, Great Falls '00
21. Sam Nickol	Ledger, Montana	2001-2002	Kalispell '01, Helena, '02
22. Tom Carnegie	Spokane, Washingtor	n 2003-2004	Bozeman '03, Eureka '04
23. Rick Carnegie	Spokane, Washingtor	n 2005-2006	Lewistown '05, Dillon '06
24. Mark Hutchenson	Spokane, Washingtor	n 2007-2008	Haver '07, Thompson Falls -08
25. Mike Robison	Valleyford, WA	2009-2010	Livingston '09, Fairview->Bonner '10
26. Mike Stormo	Davenport, WA	2011-2012	Conrad '11, Butte '12
27. Mike Cuffe	Eureka, Montana	2013-2014	Fort Benton '13, Libby '14
28. Tom Carnegie	Spokane, Washingtor	n 2015-2016	White Sulphur '15, Dillon '16
29. Bill Mullins	Spokane, Washingtor	n 2017-2018	Missoula '17, Shelby '18
30. Matt Hansen	Colbert, Washington 2019-2020		Columbus '19, Helena '20
31. Rick Bonebright	Florence, Montana	2021-2022	Kalispell '21, Glendive'22
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