



**Hawkeye Bike Club
Executive Board Meeting**
Marion Public Library – Marion, IA
Monday, January 19, 2009

The President called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the following in attendance: **Robert Potter** (President), **Dorie Kelchen** (Vice-President), **Jerry Falta** (Treasurer), **Kay Nelson** (Secretary), **Richard Woodward** (RAGBRAI Chair), **Larry Howe & Vern Rotert** (HBA Racing Team), **Art Sibold** (Webmaster).

The minutes from December 1, 2008 were read and approved

***Treasurer's Report:** The monthly summary was reviewed and discussed.

***Webmaster:** The *Forum* is a popular way for members to keep in touch. There are 62 registered members. New registration process has been locked, preventing registration attempts by spammers. The domain *hawkeyebike.com* has been obtained by someone else and is not available for purchase. The web-hosting fee has been paid for the current 1-year period.

***Racing Report:**

- 1) The *CRITIRIUM* course has been set downtown, on **2009-June-28**. The course is 6 miles long, and will be in use most of the day.
- 2) Volunteers are needed to assist with this project. Contact Larry or Vern for further information.

***RAGBRAI:**

- 1) A truck and bus have been reserved.
- 2) Some 2008 riders have not yet decided about RAGBRAI with HBA in 2009. Commitment is needed by Feb 15.
- 3) Some members would like to be placed on a waiting list.
- 4) It is hoped that HBA can use the Larry/Diane Potter support vehicle again this year.

***Swine Trek:** Scheduled for Saturday, September 5, 2009 (Labor Day weekend).

***Member Relations:** For cross-country skiing, there is a new thread on the *Forum*. Non-HBA skiers who might be interested in bicycling, can join the *Forum* and post ski-related information.

***Touring Report:** Dorie Kelchen is going to hold this position, as Kevin Morgan has resigned (for personal reasons).

***Old Business:** None.

***New Business:** Ride leader meeting will be 6 pm on Feb 9, 2009, at the Marion Library.

Adjourned at 8:20 p.m. The next meeting will be Monday Feb 9.

Respectfully submitted,
Kay Nelson, Secretary