

January 1, 2007

**Mars Hill Running Group – Trusted Servants Meeting Minutes:**

In Attendance: Lynelle, Cindy & Clint H., Kate & Jon J., Lisa S., Megan, Rick, Spud, Rob, Mary & Pat C.

Opening Prayer: Mary opened in prayer

I. MHRG Trusted Servants Reports – Minutes (previous month):

1. Secretary's Report – None
2. Financial Report – Cindy reported that after Christmas donations left a balance of \$708.83 in the MHRG bank account.
3. Any other minutes to report – none

II. New Business Discussions For the Meeting:

- A. The group discussed that a new order of MHRG shirts will be designed and ordered prior to the new running season. Shirts will be ready for River Bank Run in May 07. Sara and Clint to head this design team.
- B. Team World Vision: Sara and Spud met with World Vision associate for lunch regarding sponsorship of children within Africa. All money raised by MHRG will be directly forwarded to World Vision. MHRG T.S. has decided that we would sponsor this cause to the lead up to River Run. We will ask that each runner or family member who would be associated with this run consider to attempt to raise funds for this project. Also we will ask Rudy M. if he could make a link to MHRG web site as a reminder for donations, to those that visit this site.
- C. 2007 Race Schedule: River Bank Run kick off race for 2007. Clint Hough will host the kick off training for River Bank at his home January 13, 2007 (sun, rain, or snow). 2007 Race Calendar to be listed on the web site. This list of races shall only suggest races and not that the group is training for these races, although some groupies may be.
- D. Grand Rapids Griffins: Griffins contact Lynelle indicating they have group night, spiritual, for blocks of tickets. This specific game night is Saturday, February 24, 2007. Griff's require that MHRG book at least a block of 20 tickets. Each ticket cost \$13 this includes a \$5 food or beverage voucher. T.S. thought this would be great and should be announced so all can enjoy a night out.
- E. Camping August 2007: Scheduling for camping August 10, 11, & 12 Hoffmaster State Park. A block of 7 to 8 spaces will be reserved on February 10, 2007 as this will be exactly 6 months to the date of this camping trip. Electric Shock Collars will be issued for all potential run away children.
- F. Guest Speaker: Striders January 16, 2007, and children will be monitored by teenagers within Mars.
- G. Women's Night Out – topic was discussed as a fun idea but nothing scheduled...
- H. Long Run Schedule: Megan, Sara, & Bob have a format for plugging in hosts for longs for this season. Megan will begin working on this task so long runs can be published.

III Old Business

NONE just repeats.