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# **PVR Zoom Meeting Minutes**

## **EMERGENCY MEETING**

**Regarding WCDC moving Vintage Championship to**

**, OCC contract date**

**December 27, 2023**

President Steven Perik, Jr., brought the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M. Present were Board members Scott Klein, Rick Bartel, Eric Schuette, Dean Bennett, Brandon Gentz, Todd Persha, Debbie Priebe and Kris Pecha.

Also present – Jennifer Pecha, Colton Persha, Tasha Bushy, Mike Wienandt, Josh Pecha and Jim Lemke, PVR member and OCC representative.

### **President**

**Steven Perik, Jr.,** – Talked about Eagle River WCDC having changed their Vintage World Championship weekend from January 11-14 to February 8-11, which is PVR's OCC race.

Steven's opinion is that it is likely 80% of our members will race Eagle River. If we stick to our scheduled OCC date, we will have a low turnout and both we and OCC will lose.

The following discussion ensued:

With Steven calling Jake Wonderlich of OCC to inquire about the availability of the first Saturday in March. Jake said they have an event already scheduled on that Saturday, but Sunday would work.

Discussion continued with many other scenarios brought up.

Kris thought the first week in March would probably work best; Brandon wondered if a night race on Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> would work. Jim Lemke didn't think a Friday night race would bring in as many local spectators.

Other thoughts were brought up including holding this race on Sunday of the World Series and asking Craig to move USSA to Sunday.

However, the consensus was PVR drivers would want OCC on a Saturday if at all possible.

Another suggestion was if Manawa cancels their race this year due to a lack of safe lake ice, OCC could be rescheduled to that Saturday.

The Board, with input from Jim Lemke, decided on two options for Jim to take to the Thursday night OCC meeting.

**Option 1** – PVR OCC race on Saturday March 2, 2024, following the already scheduled OCC event and running into Saturday night.

**Option 2** - PVR OCC race on Friday afternoon March 1, 2024, running into the evening.

Eric made a motion we go with these two options, Scott seconded the motion, motion carried.

**Additional reporting:**

**Brandon Gentz** – Sponsorship is at \$9,750.00 for end of the 2024 race season class points.

He is also working on feather flags to use on the shaver and/or at PVR racetracks.

Woody's is on board for sponsorship.

Brandon wants to do a Board-appointed "Sportsman of the Year Award."

Dean announced Bennett Racing will donate \$250.00 towards Brandon's points fund to bring the total to date up to \$10,000.00.

**Eric Schuette** – PVR Wausau race contract is signed with Bob Richardson.

**Media Marketing** – Colton reported Castle jackets are ready for pickup. Price is \$116.00 per jacket, \$58.00 per person, total bill \$1,900.68. Castle also donated many extras.

Next Board meeting will be held by Zoom on January 2, 2024, starting at 6:30 P.M.

Dean Bennett made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Brandon Gentz seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 P.M.

Happy Holidays!

Respectfully Submitted,  
Kris Pecha  
PVR Secretary