



**Metro Milers**

**PO Box 214**

**Edwardsville, IL 62025**

Sunday, October 12, 2008

Meeting held at Rich and Rhonda's.

Present: Rich Luers, Scott, Lindsay and Rory Shaw, Phyllis & Patrick Kunz, Doc Dockery, Randy Thoroman,

Rhonda Wheeler, Melanie Suess, Boogie the dog

New business:

River to River- We will try to register two teams. Doc will register Team A – Metro Milers,

Rich will try to register Team B- More Metro Milers. Sign up is Tuesday, October 21.

Memphis- There will be a graduation party for Melanie Suess in Memphis to celebrate her graduation from Washington University with her Masters Degree in something Chemistry-y, that included really thick text books.

**Reimbursements** have been give to the following people for Memphis: Kevin Kellerman -\$45, Doc- \$45, Rich and Rhonda - \$90, Randy Thoroman - \$45.

**Room Reservations:** the following families are confirmed for room reservations in Memphis:

Shaw, Dockery, Brewer, Dahl, Suess/Luers, Thoroman, Dodds, Kellerman

**Team singlets**-Scott will order shirts

Freaky 5K – Saturday, October 25, Collinsville

Rich will be timing this race, charging a fee of \$150. Doc will be helping. Volunteers are encouraged! The Metro Milers will be donating a shirt and entry to the Route 66 10K for the raffle in exchange for our logo on the Freaky 5K race shirts. It was agreed by all that this was a great idea!

There will be a family friendly party at Mel & Ryan's after the 5K.

New timing software: discussion on purchasing updates to timing software , cost \$125. Vote passed unanimously.

Fall Race – The mayor of Glen Carbon would like to host a race in the Fall. The Metro Miler's have been asked to put this race on. We were recommended by Carol Foreman. Different idea's were discussed and everyone was in favor of hosting this race. The favored idea was to sponsor a 10 mile trail relay in the Fall.



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Nominees for Metro Milers Board Officers are:

President – Rich Luers

Vice President – Chris Dockery

Treasurer - Phyllis Kunz (Randy Thoroman has volunteered to be Phyllis' campaign manager)

Andy Payne

Secretary – Lindsay Shaw

Club Activities Director – Melanie Suess

Mascot-Boogie the Dog (though he is feeling slightly intimidated by Mel according to his owner, Rhonda)

Christmas Lights Run – will be held on Thursday, December 18 at 6pm at the home of Doc and Monica Dockery

November meeting- Sunday, November 9 at the Casa de Suess. It shall be another delicious Potluck. Bring it on!!!

January meeting will be held Sunday, January 11 at the home of Randy Thoroman. Someone please be sure to tell Hannah so it's not a complete surprise. In honor of Randy hosting his first Metro Milers meeting it has been decided that henceforth, January will be referred to as "Randuary"

There were cookies and ice cream at this meeting. They were yummy!!! The meeting was adjourned at 7:20pm