

Minutes of the Manasota Track Club

August 6, 2025

Present: Kimmy Collister, Mary Murphy, Jennifer Gallagher, Marjorie Paterson, Rob Loeffler, Mary Murphy, Phylis Weitzner, Danny Withers, Jennifer Holmes, Angie Long, Karen Zaremba

Absent: Nancy Downs

Meeting called to order at 6:05 p.m.

Danny made a motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting. Jen second, all voted to approve.

Membership:

503 paid memberships

777 members, total

Last year at this time:

564 paid memberships

893 members, total

Treasurers Report:

Phyllis emailed the report. Current assets are around \$86k.

Marjorie made a motion to approve the treasurers report. Angie second, all voted to approve.

Upcoming Events:

MTC will be hosting a beverage stop on Wednesday, August 27 for the 99 Bottles run club and to promote BBR.

Funding Request:

Island Village Montessori school is looking for \$750 for their cross country club. The club already gave them a donation in January 2025. We will reach out to them to with questions as we have already funded their program this year.

Event Recaps:

Beach Runs: Overall we had a lot of volunteers. Turnout was a little low this year. The costume run was really hot, so not too many in full on costumes. We had quite a few donations for the beer tho. And some new people joined the club.

Sanctioning Request:

Run for the Turtles, 40th year on 4/11/2026

Same race director as last year, same location.

Danny made a motion to approve the request. Marjorie second, all voted to approve.

Van & Equipment:

None. Still looking to find a place to wrap the van.

New Business:

BBR: 274 registered

About 50 in for the pub runs.

Permitting is done. Race will be on Casey Key. 10/26

Pub Runs are set: (1) 99 Bottles, (2) Calusa & (3) Tamiami Tap

Theme is 1970 and MTC 50th Anniversary

MTC Banquet, Marjorie and Karen will head up a committee and start looking for a new venue.

Website: Dug helped convert the website to runsignup. We still need to get the domain registrar info to redirect the site to runsignup.

Road clean up: September 20, 8am if you want to run, 9am pick up for trash.

Magnets. Looking to place an order for new MTC car magnets.

Meeting adjourned at 7:09 pm

Jen made the motion to adjourn, Danny second, all in favor.

The next meeting will be September 3, 6 p.m. at Calusa Brewing. No meeting in July.

Submitted by Kimmy Collister-Sterns