



Meeting Minutes

<https://michiganbroncos.club>

Date: Sept. 6th, 2022 7-8 pm
Location: Zoom

Attendees:

- Matt Weaver
- Ken Finney
- Jake Covert

Discussion Items

Bank Account

Matt will coordinate with Christal on opening up the checking account after Drummond Island, at Huntington Bank.

Expected upcoming expenditures:

- Website hosting (future)
- Club Liability Insurance - Matt will follow up with getting a couple of quotes.

Drummond Island Event

WAIVERS:

- To be signed by every driver attending
- Jake to print out 30-40 copies, along with folder

FLYER

Jake to pull together an informational flyer / brochure for those attending.

Should include include:

- Trail-ride cost \$5, per Bronco (covers the cost of stickers / t-shirts for give-away)
- Map of Drummond Island
- Itinerary (location coordinates TBD)

- Initial Saturday Muster: 9-9:30 am. 9/23
- Start of trail ride: 10 am 9/23
- Break for lunch ~1pm, based on trail opportunities
- Campfire evening celebration: 7 pm 9/23: BYO food / beverages.

- ▶ Expected temperatures / advisement of attire. The evenings will be in the 30/35/45 at that time of the year. (Coats / tall boots for potential mud. There are areas which can get quite muddy).
- ▶ Recommended Items to bring:
 - ▶ All necessary food / snacks / coolers / beverages. One should not expect many restaurants in the area.
 - ▶ Trail restroom necessities
 - ▶ First aid kit
 - ▶ GMRS radio (channel 16)
 - ▶ Foldable chairs



ATTENDANCE / GROUPING

We have around 19 who've filled out the survey. Estimated final around ~25 vehicles.

We'll most likely break into three different groups. And, we'll try and ensure each group has at least one experienced trail guide, and at least one vehicle with a winch.

There was a thought of potentially dividing the three groups based on trail difficulty / vehicle capability (Gnarley / Off-road / Scenic group). If not, there are by-passes for most of the difficult obstacles.

There was a suggestion of a pre-event conference call, if thought to be useful.

Misc

ELECTIONS

The club will hold formal elections in the next 1-3 months, allowing everyone to run / vote. Initial slate of executive board members were pulled together ad-hoc, during formation.

UPCOMING FUTURE EVENTS

There were suggestions for a couple of new events:

- ▶ Poker-off-road run: An off-road trail-ride, where at each stop, you get to draw one of 5 poker cards. At the final stop you all have to lay down your cards and see who wins! Potentially at Holly Oaks.
- ▶ Snow wheeling is potentially planned.

FORD

Matt is continuing to reach out to Ford, working towards submitting our club.