



## **CMRA Executive Meeting**

**Date:** May 5, 2026

**Present:** Ryan McGowan, Dave Walker, Elliott James, Neil Lauzon, Yvonne McGowan, Rob Haynes

**Absent:** Carey Fougere, Rob Darlington, Rupert Collins, Dave Prendergast, Ryan Ratzlaff.

**Minutes by:** Yvonne McGowan

**Location:** 10 Spokane SW, Calgary

**Executive Meeting minutes from April 14, 2026 – Accepted and Passed**

### **Registration & Membership Updates**

Current Membership totals:

Memberships: 99

Novice: 53

Amateur: 21

Expert: 16

Race School spots sold: 40 (4 spots remaining)

ART spots sold: 15 (full)

Credential Cards – Ryan M stated he would purchase a card printer. Card to include completed CMRA membership, waivers, gate fees, blood type. To be used to prove membership for discounts, speedy gate entrance.

Registration Structure – Rob D

Race rounds 1 & 2 will be listed as separate events

Race rounds 3 & 4 will be listed as a single event.

Reason – less fees paid o MSReg for each event. First two rounds have already been created by our Registrar(Rob D).

Registration to include gate fees for racer and crew.

### **Treasurer's Report**

Bank balance; \$22, 075.17

Deposits have been paid to RMM for Race School, Race Rounds 1 and 2.

CMRA bank account requires updating to include current 3 members as signing authorities, address, and change from a personal account to a business account.

Elliott has received the box of historical treasurer's records, banking, taxes, ect. Box is now stored at CMRA office.

**MOTION** made by Elliott – “Motion made to have Neil Lauzon's business office (10 Spokane SW, Calgary AB, T2W 0M5) made as CMRA's business address” Vote PASSED unanimously.



**MOTION** made by Elliott – “Motion made to have Ryan McGowan, Neil Lauzon and Elliott James to be signing authorities for the CMRA bank account. Tim Johnson will relinquish his authority to Ryan McGowan, Neil Lauzon and Elliott James.” Vote: PASSED unanimously

### **Street GP Discussion**

Separate registration structure to be required

Logistics – transponders required, 3 lap race, \$150 for registration

Dave W will be talking at RMM events and Hardnox events to promote Street GP . Dave W will be going to AMRA tomorrow night and will promote this class there.

Timing of launch after Race School sells out.

Instructor availability – Carey Fougere, Ryan Ratzlaff

**ACTION:** Need curriculum written up for the training/info sessions – Ryan M and Ryan R to complete

**ACTION:** Buckslips made for promotion

### **CMRA Race School & ART Update**

Race School - 4 Spots remaining to be sold.

ART program is sold out!

Classroom and on-track logistics review – Tim Johnson and Ryan M to meet to review the curriculum.

Tim created the curriculum in the past and will be the lead in the classroom with Ryan M assisting,

Race School classroom session – asking students to arrive between 4 – 430pm. Class starts promptly at 5pm.

**RS Instructors:** Pete H, Neil L, Dave W, Brad G, Matt E, Rob L, Kevin H, Brian T, Ryan R, Tim E or Paul H, Louise L, Kevin M.

**ART Instructors** (previous national racers): Justin K, Bronti V, Phil B, Rob D, Torin C.

Digital flagging and camera monitoring orientation updates.

Rider on-boarding process improvements: Have name tags with Group number on it, sign in questionnaire to be completed by students to vet their skills, and experience.

**Questionnaire** to include:

1. Do you know anyone in CMRA or EMRA
2. Number of track days completed
3. Number of tracks visited/ridden
4. Vision/expectations for attending Race School
5. What bike are you riding
6. What have you done to prepare your bike for this event

### **Friendship Cup/Western Canadian Championship (WCC) Update**

**WCC**

June 27 – 28: Rocky Mountain Motorsports round

September 11 – 13: Rad Torque Raceway round

Coordination between CMRA and EMRA



### **Friendship Cup**

June 27 – 28: Rocky Mountain Motorsports

August 14 – 16: Westwood Motorcycle Racing Club (WMRC)

WMRC expecting many racers

Tristen C and the Elevate team in Cranbrook have offered partial logistics from Cranbrook to Calgary. They have two trailers available to aid transportation.

WMRC participation outlook for 2027 is likely if this is successful.

Ryan M met with Brett Davidson, Jack and Bob from WMRC board while at Area 27. They are committed to attend both of CMRA weekends.

### **Sponsorship & Marketing Update**

Ralph's will provide lunches for 60 people at Race School on May 24.

Neil L will take care of the food and snacks for the volunteers.

The day before the Race school, RMM/PL are giving free track time for the race school instructors. Plan to have instructors run the practice drills so they will be familiar with the passing drills, mock race and start drills.

**Website:** Ivan is working on the website. Ryan will speak iwth Ivan this week. Ryan M will provide sponsor information to Ivan. Ivan has access to CMRA old website to transport the information forward.

### **Perfect Lap (PL)**

will be providing free tire changes for Novices only this year.

PL has purchased a sea-can to have a permanent structure, permanent power and an additional tire change machine. There will be a new payment structure for tire changes.

### **RMM Updates**

A new day manager has been hired, his name will be made public in the following week.

RMM has gifted the CMRA a Ken Hill Training as a fundraiser opportunity,

The winner can sign up for the 2 day training or the 1 day advanced training (if the rider has attended the KH training twice already). CMRA will create a silent auction for the KH school.

RMM will also be discounting anyone who signs up for the August Ken Hill School who has attended CMRA Rounds 1,2,3 and 4 – discount of 10% off

### **Volunteers**

Arianna has sent out emails to all of the volunteers.

Blaire has created a rig to set up the starting grids.

Group Chat – for who can do what positions – tech, registration, race control support, gate collection, Jess Sooden has agreed to be Race Director for Rounds 1 & 2.



### **Tech Night at JCP**

Neil is lead on this event. Ryan R to assist with the presentation.  
Neil to speak with Rob Langrell at JCP to organize the date and time.  
Kerri-Ann has offered her bike to be used for demonstration.

### **HardNox (Hx) Sponsorship**

Patrick Lamby from Hardnox approached Ryan M. Hx plans to sponsor the CMRA again.  
Ryan M to discuss with Patrick how they would like to sponsor ie., specific classes or a round.

### **Round Table**

Have a white board to allow racers to post their personal best times during practice. - was fun to have while at Area 27.

### **Upcoming Key Dates:**

**CMRA Race School Classroom:** May 23, 2026

**CMRA Race School On-Track Day:** May 24, 2026

**HardNox Track Dayz:** June 26, 2026

**CMRA Round 1 & 2:** June 27 – 28, 2026

**EMRA WCC Round – Rad Torque Raceway:** September 11 – 13

**Next CMRA Executive Meetings:** May 19, June 9, June 23