

RALLYSPORT ONTARIO  
Minutes of Feb 10, 2003 meeting

Attendees: Paul Henshall, Ray Felice, Roger Sanderson, Ross Wood,  
Meeting start time 8:10pm

A. Approval of Agenda

B. Approval of Jan 15, 2003 meeting minutes

C. Business Arising from previous minutes - none

D. Correspondence – newsletters and CARS notices etc.

E. Treasurer's Report – Not available as the treasurer was unable to attend due to illness.  
But it was noted that the road levies were received for Perce Neige.

F. Business Arising

1) CARS

- a) Safety Plan – the plan was presented to the ASN board by Ross Wood and was very well received. They said it was so well done they asked if they could use it to show other motor sports what should be done. Congratulations to all whom had input into the making of the safety plan.
- b) Press Releases – The person hired to do the press releases has not been doing their job. The CARS web site has not been updated since last Nov 2002. Paul Henhal to contact CARS to ask why? The web site is very important to communicating information to the public.

2) OPRC

- a) Calendar Changes – GCFR has changed their date to Aug 16, 2003 to not conflict with Targa. Georgian Trials has had to change their date due to road availability. The Swift road they wanted to use is under heavy use while the dam is being repaired. They will now use roads in the Parry Sound area and it will become a multi road event running about 100 km of stage road.
- b) Marshall 's School – will be held in April. The date and location to be advised soon.
- c) First Aid Course – Will be tentatively held on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Ross to post on Rally-Ontario mailing list the details as well on RSO web site.
- d) Perce Neige Summary – Great route, service areas were very poorly arranged. Too much congestion in the service areas. A few loose ends that could have been done before hand made the event run very choppy. The Quebec sweep crews need to be educated on how to extract vehicles. One was badly damaged due solely to the sweeps.
- e) Ham Radio Course – will not be held this year but look for it next year again.

3) ORRC

- a. Snowy Safari – had 47 entries. Good event all around. Levies not received by RSO yet. 42 of the 47 entries finished.
- b. SOWR – 64 entries to date. Green crewed and ready to roll.
- c. DATE CHANGES – Northern Lights to Sept. 13/03, Upper Canada to Oct. 25/03, Frost Bite to Dec. 06/03

G. CLUB NEWS

- a) MLRC – club meeting will have a retro video night. Videos from the past
- b) TAC – nothing at this time
- c) KWRC – Doug Mephams' talk on Targa was a big success.
- d) PMSC – nothing at this time
- e) MCO – nothing at this time.
- f) NCSC - nothing at the time
- g) SCMC – nothing at this time.

H. Rally School – dates, March 24, 31 and Apr 07. Location to be Great Lakes Public School, Brampton

I. Toronto Auto Show – Note of appreciation to PRN and Mark Ockwell for all their work towards the booth. RSO to be in the PRN booth with two vehicles. The Reilly/Felice Focus and the Sprongl EVO. Thanks to the Autoshow itself for the passes.

J. Scrutineer Search – still looking for a co-chief scrutineer. Please see Ross Wood. VP performance if you have any questions.

K. RSO AGM and Awards Ceremony – It will be at held at Sir Sanford Fleming College in Peterborough . The OPRC & ORRC award winners were chosen and will be contacted by the secretary to confirm their attendance. Award winners get their lunch paid for by RSO. The Board will meet at 10am followed by the AGM at 11am and the luncheon, drinks and awards at 12:30. Come and support the award winners in your class!

L. RSO Director Candidates – There will be elections for the following positions, VP Performance Rally, Secretary, President of RSO and Ontario Region Rally Director to the CARS board. The later position will be the person who participates in all the CARS Board conference calls and meetings.

Next meeting: will be at the AGM

Signed

Ray Felice

RSO Secretary