Who are we?

- People http://drakemtb.org/emergency/
 - Coaches and Assistant Coaches
 - Team Director
 - Parent committee
 - Treasurer
- Club that competes with other schools
 - O Club sport with Drake fund+school support
 - O Part of https://www.norcalmtb.org/ (competing and events)
 - O Which is part of http://www.nationalmtb.org/ (rules and licensing)

What are your burning questions?

[Rob to write down five or six questions and make sure that they get answered over the course of the next 45 minutes]

Why are we here?

- Doing a sport that can be done for life ("more kids on bikes")
- Supporting local advocacy (bikes for transport, trail access and planning) MCBC, Access4Bikes
- Spend more time with your teenager in a mutually engaging activity
- We are an inclusive family first (always supporting each other regardless of skill level)

Why do we race

- Racing provides a public stage to showcase our hard work in an unambiguous fashion...
- Each Rider owns his or her results, and that is a valuable tool for personal growth
- Got Freshmen? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nvABfshenuo

Who are the riders

- 69 registered Riders, 48 boys and 21 girls (28 new riders) 24 Frosh, 21 Soph, 7 Jun, 17 Senior
- Why do they say they ride?
 - O 50% Have Fun
 - O 30% Get Fit
 - O 20% Compete
- We have indeed won State 3 times running, but this is why our Riders show up in hailstorms and rain and snow!

What are your responsibilities

- Go over this http://drakemtb.org/eligibility/ and this http://drakemtb.org/eligibility/ and this http://drakemtb.org/eligibility/ and this http://drakemtb.org/riders/ with your Rider
- Do this http://drakemtb.org/parents/ as needed
- Understand the money http://drakemtb.org/images/2017_budget.pdf . [it costs us \$1k per Rider per year (\$60k annual budget... Inputs: ½ sponsors, ½ dues, ½ fundraising. Outputs: 40% coaching expenses, 45% race fees, 10% scholarships)]
- Pay dues of \$350 per Rider when asked
- Help meet fundraising goal http://drakemtb.org/fundraisers/ of \$250 per Rider/family
- Volunteer if you can http://drakemtb.org/volunteer/
- But most of all...

Work with the Parent Committee!

- All information comes to parents through email. It is essential to read emails, and respond when needed.
- The website has a lot of information, if you have questions you can try there.
- Come to parent meetings; first Tues of month
- Pitch in culture of team. Everyone helps out. We need you to sign up for volunteering when sign up sheets get emailed out before races.
 There are many jobs. If you don't know how to do it, we will teach you!
- Handout with upcoming dates and quick access info
- Buddy Info

What questions did we miss?