

Hells Canyon Chapter
Of Abate

March 1, 2008

Meeting held at the Wrangler in Lewiston, Idaho

Called to order: 2:00 p.m.

Officers: 6

Members: 27

guests: 6

Pledge of Allegiance Done

A moment of silence was done for Sonny

Secretary's report: read and approved

Treasures report: done by Jeannie

Membership Secretary's report: Clay reported 101 members

Old business:

The state level committee for the location of Spring Opener decided on Pines RV in Harvard, Idaho. Still need to work out details on Easter.

New business:

We need volunteers to help stuff the Easter eggs. We can meet with Clay or Kathy to get candy or prizes from Wal-mart for a discounted price. We still need more donations. A reminder was sent out that alcohol can only be at Ron's house not at the park. Ron will set out coolers for those who want to bring their own beer. Ron reminds those drinking to be courteous and do not take what is not their's. A motion was made and passed, "Hells Canyon will donate \$100 for the Easter egg hunt." Thursday a stuffing party will be held at Dave and Angie's house, need volunteers to show up. More dates and times will be made. A reminder we take toys, money, gift certificates, candy, and hard boiled eggs for donations. The candy needs to be small enough to fit in an egg. The Klew news and newspaper will be advertising. Clay and John will be on Klew. Tony was not present, but asked for a motion to be made to make, "The ST Patty's day ride a memorial ride and donate all cash to his family." This motion passed. The ride is on March Saturday the 15th we will meet at 10:00 and leave at 11:00, there will be Corn beef and cabbage served at the wrangler after the ride which is donated by the chapter. We reminded everyone else to bring side dishes. A motion was made and passed, "Hells canyon will put up to \$100 for flowers for Sonny's memorial." Dave announced he felt a cross would be appropriate for the crash site. We discussed the design of Sonny's patches and the chapter will pay to have them made and then sold for \$5 and the chapter will be paid off first and then all other money taken in from the sell of the patches will be donated to the family. A motion was made and passed, "Sonny and all other loosed members, who were fully paid to their death will be honored as lifetime members." Another motion was made and passed, "Broomstick donations will be donated to Sonny's family."

Announcements:

Sonny's memorial will start at the Wrangler at 9:00 sharp, we will leave from here and ride to Kooskie for the service at 11:00, after the memorial service we will leave together and ride to Kamiah. Family members and Paul bearers will be lead from there to the grave side, and a party will be held at the Wrangler at 6:00. Remember from now on "Whiners buy" Broomstick pool will be held here at the Wrangler following the meeting, \$5 to play and all money will be donated to the family.

50/50: won by Steve

Gag Gift: Won by Denna

Donations: Steve donated his 50/50 money to Sonny's patches, many donations were also taken for the patches. With all the donations Hell's Canyon paid very little to nothing for the patches. \$100 donation was given from Forest for the Easter egg hunt.

We had 10 players for broomstick

A Toast was done to Sonny and Suzy's memory

Meeting adjourned: 3:00