

KOOTENAI ROAD DOGS MEETING MINUTES

September 05, 2013

Meeting was called to order by Paul Riess at 6:30 in Fadoras Restaurant.
Meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and prayer by Ernie.
There were 28 members present and 2 guest Sharon Hart and Dennis Dryden.

Secretary's report: (Laura Ingalls)

The Secretary's report was handed out and read. A motion was made by Will to accept the minutes as written and 2nd by Dan.

Treasurers Report: (Susan Riess) (one year ago)

The treasurer's report was read by Susan.

Membership Secretary Report: (Midge Nunn)

There are 63 current members.

**Make sure to send or give your memberships & renewals to chapter first.
Kootenai Chapter P.O. Box 2511, Hayden, ID 83835**

Announcements and Correspondence: passed around: ICMS (Idaho Coalition of Motorcycle Safety) letter, Procrastinators run poster, MRF (Motorcycle Rights Foundation) paper, and South Dakota July and August papers.

Guest Speaker: There were no guests, however, it was announced by Paul R. that if a guest does want to speak we must know prior to the start of the meeting. Speakers that do talk should present at the beginning of the meeting so that they are not present during the conduction of the business of the meeting.

Safety and Education and Awareness: (Karen Stewart)

Mentor a novice. Karen presented us with a challenge to seek out a new rider to mentor. When you pick out a new rider:

- Make sure that you communicate
- Find their level and experience
- Find out what they need from you and what they want to gain.
- Teach them the universal hand signals and defensive tactics.
- Tell them what to do and NOT what not to do.

Legislative (Dave Cazel):

Dave spoke on HR1861 and a show of hands that have called or e-mailed their concerns.

Deputy Coordinator Report (Pat Bell): Pat was not present.

Ride Report:

Dan rode to Sturgis, Ernie rode down to the COC (Coalition of Clubs) run, Paul and Dave rode down to Boise to the ICMS/Freedom Run (Idaho Coalition of Motorcycle Safety).

Runs and Events: independentbiker.com nwbikerevents.com

Administrative:

Meeting time change – It was discussed that we move the meeting start time from 6:30 **to 7:00**. It was originally changed to accommodate the Rockin Robin café. A motion was made by Paul and 2nd by Dan E. to move to 7:00. A show of hands passed.

Member updates – Dan Benson- had heart by-pass / John Skogmo- was in bike wreck

Clearwater letter – A letter was read by Laura that was sent out by Paula Durst referring to the lack of attendance and support of their meetings. Paul cautioned the burn out of primary volunteers on ABATE events that do not effect ABATE.

ANI ballots – the deadline is postmark 10/3 or each voter may personally bring down their vote to the October State meeting.

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Old Business:

Toy Run Update (Belinda C) –

Raffle items –

There will be no doll house

Advertising -

There are only 9 posters left if you are going to take any make sure that you put them up at each location and not just leave them with someone.

Ad in the Nickles Worth, Dan volunteered to check into the cost of putting an ad in the paper for 2 weeks with a small picture. A motion was mad by Will and 2nd by Dan that we spend up to \$80. for the 2 ads.

Belinda E. will put a copy of the small ad that Paul R. will e-mail her on Facebook.

Duane will check with Cd'A Press and see if we will have coverage of the ride and maybe a photo of the ride in the paper.

Food – Christian Bikers will donate plates, silverware and cups,

Meat – Midge motioned we pat up to \$150. twords the pork for pulled pork sandwiches.

Boozefighters will donate \$50. twords the pork.

Laura will check into the amount of pork needed to feed @ 100 people.

There will be a donation suggestion of \$3. Per person for the dinner

Patches, which were passed around and are currently offered for sale at Lawrence's are being sold for \$8. With is a profit of \$5.

Boxes will go out after the Toy Run.

Susan Taylor is in charge of the food.

Menu: pulled pork sandwiches, salads, baked potatoes (for those that do not want meet) with all of the fixing and desert. The food may be dropped off at the American Legion Friday night before the run. All food and items must be labeled "Toy Run" with the date.

Cans will be put out and left until last of November and whomever drops off the can is in charge of weekly pickup.

We only have two more days outside of the groceries tors to pick up donations.

9/7 Cindy and Dave outside Tidyman's PF 10-2

9/14 Cindy and Laura outside Hayden Super 1 10-2

We still have not received a response from Walmart for donations or as a stop.

Belinda will draw up a map of the route and have it available at the next meeting. Run is as follows: Lawrences / Specialty / Fadoras / Cd'A Honda / walmart PF / American Legion.

Road side cleanup wit the Hoodoo chapter will be canceled once again due to the road construction.

New Business agenda: Chapter activities and ABATE mission will be postponed until next meeting.

Meeting adjourned: 8:51pm

Raffle starbuck cup donated by Sue and Tom Taylor was won by Belinda E.

And a Sturgis bag full of items was donated by Belinda and Dan Ertz, and won by Cindy Bessy.

OPEN Forum Laura would like to thank Midge for the sign in book .

New Business:

Fund Raising / Spring Opener Coordinator – Jack Clark has asked that 2 members from each chapter join the Spring Opener Committee. The next meeting will be held 28th at Dale's Wagon Wheel, Potlatch at noon.

Next Meeting October 03 at 7:00pm at Fadora's, 1726 W Kathleen Ave., CDA

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