

Northern Chapter H.O.G.

March 01, 2012

Chapter Meeting

Lew Kirchner called the meeting to order at 6:40 PM

New members: No new members

Guests: No guests

Pins: **Tom Whilden- 250 pt Large Green Flag**

Steve Purkiss – 225 pt Large Blue Flag

Cris Lake – 200 pt Gold Pin

Mike Lake – 175 pt Silver Pin

Beth Denoyer – 175 pt Silver Pin

Pat Schneider – 100 pt Orange Pin

Joe Rabanus – 50 pt Green Pin

Phil Heinlen – 25 pt Blue Pin

Dean Neeley – White Pin

Frank “Beans” Miller –White Pin

Old business:

As requested and voted for in the January meeting, the Pledge of Allegiance was said to open up the meeting.

Reports:

Steve DeBusschere- Asst. Director/webmaster: members can now download the updated membership directory. If you see a picture of yourself that you would like changed, please contact Steve. The end of March the website password will be changed. Only current members will be send the updated password.

Cris Lake-Treasurer: no report

Roberta McColley- Secretary: No Report

Trent Tomlinson- Safety Officer: He is currently in touch with two groups that host advance rider classes. There are different cost and dates between the two. Trent will let us know which class the group will attend. The accident scene management classes will be May 5 & 6. Trent also had handouts on each table titled "12 second rule". The video this month was on breaking and escaping.

Beth Denoyer : March 15 the chapter dinner will be at Peninsula Grill. The Fischer's will be hosting a euchre party on March 31. Members only will play however guests may attend. The April 19th chapter dinner will be at Cambria suites, more to follow. We have the first chapter ride scheduled on April 26 which leaves Classic at 6:00 PM. A Trout Festival Ride is on April 28th. And the first Sunday ride leaves Classic at 12:00.

Eric Denoyer: He highly recommends the accident scene management classes for all road captains. Eric will be scheduling a meeting for anyone interested in being a road captain soon. An email will go out to everyone as to the time and place.

Eric Fischer- New member Liaison: No Report

Jan Hilewsky- L.O.H.: No Report

La Nay Barley- Merchandise Coordinator needs to know how still needs name badges. She has to have 12 to place an order. La Nay and Eric are working on new styles of chapter shirts. More to follow.

Kris Fischer- Father Fred: dates are July 21-22. There will be a change in the downtown location. So far the new location will be at Union from State to 8th street. She is working on the pins with mission awards. Kris will be scheduling a meeting soon, be looking for the date and time.

Lorri Schneider- Editor: No Report

Dave Priest- Health and Welfare: No report

John Lefler- Christmas Party coordinator- The new location for this year's party will be the park Place in Traverse City. Room rates are \$79 and may be booked now. The date is December 1st. Last year the cost was \$20 per member and \$30 per non-member. The hospitality room will be rented by the Kirchner's at \$109 and will be open for members & guests as pre-party and post-party hours.

New Business:

Lew brought up the topic that if the chapter subsidizes an event, the cost to a chapter member will be one price. And the cost to as guest will be twice that cost. The reason is to give membership a value.

Membership Drawing- Andy Karnowski's number was picked, he was not in attendance. \$80 for April

Classic Drawing: Bryan McColley

50/50 Drawing: \$35 to Lorri Schneider and \$35 to Frank "Beans" Miller

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM

Respectfully submitted

Roberta McColley

Secretary

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