

November 3, 2016 Northern Chapter Monthly Meeting Minutes

Members present: 24

Keith F. passed around a Get Well card for Diane Rudesill Jordan aka "Tooter" who was with Scootin' American (Adam Sandoval and his dog Scooter) that was in a motorcycle/semi-truck crash a few months ago.

Director: Mike L.: No new pins to give out tonight. Fire Department Challenge pictures and Mileage are due. No exceptions!!

Blessing in a Back Pack/ Father Fred program served an average of 290 elementary and middle school aged children each week of last school year. In Grand Traverse County 30 % and Kalkaska County 70 % qualify for the program. The cost is \$144.00 to feed 1 child for the entire school year on the weekends. Don will match what we collect and use part of the money from the chili cook off. Blessings in Jar-decorate a jar and put 1 at the service desk, parts and clothing counters. Don will match money Raised for additional back packs up to \$500.00.

Dealer Rep: Jason: Chili cook off is December 10th starting at 1:00 pm until it's gone at the dealership. Grand Prize \$100.00 2nd place \$50.00 3rd place \$25.00 and all that participate will receive \$25.00. Chili can be dropped off between 9:00 to 12:00pm. This is the same day as Toys of Tots at Father Fred 9:00 to 1:00 pm. See Julie K. if you would like to help out this year. Location will be announced.

Director: Mike L.: Challenge 1 month until the Chili Cook off on December 10th and would like to give any money that is collected to Don at our Christmas Party on December 11th.

Sherri B. Father Fred/State Theater Benefit. All concessions sales go to benefit Father Fred. Free Admission bring a can(s) of food to get in. Chapter Members can work as ushers or at the concession stand. In order to get this at the State Theater it must be presented to the board at Father Fred to approve it. Sherri will contact Deb Hasse at Father Fred. Newsletter is completed and sent to Don to approve before it is added to the Northern Chapter web page.

Treasurer Report: Julie A.: Started November with a balance of \$2,397.21, 2 deposits \$87.00 & \$56.00 and 1 check for picnic supplies \$88.54 and 9 cents interest for an ending balance \$2,451.76

Nor Scot sweat shirt order. 24 are needed to place the order only have 4 people ordering. If no Chapter is listed on the back this will reduce the price.

Decals have been request by members. A minimum order of 25 each with 7 stickers per sheet for \$12.00. The decal will not have the Chapter information on them. Mike L. will print out a copy of what the decals look like and bring it to next month's meeting.

Secretary: Barb L. Read October's typed meeting minutes. No additions were added.

LOH: Barb L.: Our monthly meeting on Tuesday November 8th (Election Day) will be moved to Thursday the 10th 6:30 pm at the V.F.W. LOH Crazy Bowling November 13th 1:00 pm at Lucky Jacks. Monthly dinner November 12th 5:00 pm at Brady's Bar, Tour of the Commons November 19th 2:00 pm. cost is \$25.00 per person. Final Ale Trail is November 20th 3:00 pm meeting at Right Brain Brewery and then Filling Station.

Christmas Party December 11th 3:00 pm at Boone's. More selections are on the menu this year. Tickets are \$15.00 for members and \$25.00 for non-members. Tickets will be at Classic Motors next week and at next month's December meeting.

Membership: Keith F.: John Anderson added his wife Darlene tonight. Welcome Darlene.

Plaque: Mike L. would like to have one like Grand Rapids Harley with a Bar & Shield HOG Plaque. It will cost about \$225.00 since it will be custom made. 1st, 2nd 3rd retired and non-retired winners for mileage and yearly challenge will be listed. Tom M. mentioned he could the plaque board with a router, stain and put name tags on it. Don K. could laser the chapter name unto the board. More discussion to follow.

Red Ticket \$25.00 Classic Gift Certificate Sherri B

Blue Ticket 50/50 Darlene Anderson \$ 39.00

Membership # 77 Mark Zager (was not present) so the total rolls over to \$120.00 that will be given away at the Christmas Party.

Barb Long, Secretary

Northern Chapter HOG & LOH