

JPC MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

June 26, 2018



The meeting was called to order by President Sandy McCall at 7:30PM

Board Members Present:

Greg Buss
Sandy McCall
Bob Wagner
Joe Hill
Candi Wenzon

Absent: None

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction of Host/Hostess

George Gauss filled in as host in Hugh Brandt's absence.

Introduction of Guests & Associates

Ron Carlow.

Additions/Deletions to Agenda

None

Announcements

None

President's Report

"Motorcycle Trivia" was played. Winners were as follows:

1. George Barrington HD began selling side cars in 1914.
2. ? Bud Atkins (stuntman for Steve McQueen) was the person who jumped his bike over German Prison Camp in 1963's "The Great Escape".
3. Steve Penczak The item that HD used as the first carburetor was a tomato can.

Sandy noted that the 9/8 Door County event, "placing of the bricks" was not on the calendar.

Motion to add to calendar: Greg Buss

Second: Candi Wenzon

Discussion: Bob Wagner mentioned that the "unofficial campout" would be held the same weekend.

Motion: Passed unanimously.

Sandy mentioned that she and Ken had a new suspension installed in Georgia and they love the results. Speak with Ken if you have this need.

VP Reports-VP Bob Wagner

Meetings & Programs: H. Brandt absent.

Sandy mentioned that there are still four months open for people to tell us of their "Motorcycle Tales." Please sign up!

Editor: S. Penczak

Steve will be updating the blog as soon as he can. Please continue to submit your articles.

Tour Director: G. Gauss

There are three open dates to lead Sundays rides....please see George to volunteer.

Communications: L. Vicker - on vacation.

AMA/Membership: G. Barrington

AMA is currently voting for "Hall of Fame" recipients.

We have 30+ paid memberships.....George will be calling 7-8 others who have not sent their dues.

Speak Up:

None

Birthdays:

A birthday salute was given to Joe Hill.

Unfinished Business:

a. Event Financial Reports - None

b. Flags for Vets 5/26 - G. Buss

Eleven members were present. It was sunny but the ground was very hard so next year battery drills, a string trimmer and leaf blower will be brought to the event.

c. Memorial Day Event 5/28 - G. Gauss

Twelve members attended on a very warm day and traveled to 3 sites (2 cemeteries and Lake Opeka) for the placing of the wreaths.

d. Copper Harbor Ride 6/18-6/22 - S. McCall

Due to historic rain causing roads to collapse and wash out in the Houghton area, this trip was rerouted to Eagle River and Hudson, Wisc. via Hayward and along the Mississippi to Chippewa Falls and Rhinelander (1240 miles). All had a great time and stayed reasonably dry.

e. July 4th Parade and Picnic 7/4 – G. Gauss

There is a signup sheet for the picnic held at Bev and George's home and \$12 charge/person for lunch (pay George prior).

JPC's will again be near the front of the parade line. Arrive at McDonalds/Des Plaines for kick stands up at 8:55am.

f. Wildcat Mountain Weekend 8/2-8/5 – S. Penczak

Rooms at the Hillsboro Hotel are still available but the block will only be held until 7/2. There are rides planned for Friday and Saturday. Meet at Papa G's Restaurant in Huntley on Rt 47 and Algonquin Rds. Kick stands up at 8:30 so if you intend to eat breakfast, please arrive earlier.

g. Anniversary Party Plans – S. McCall

The date of 8/18 has been cancelled due to the busy-ness of the riding season, vacations, weddings, graduations, etc. New date has not yet been determined but will likely be in late October or early November. More information to come in August.

Program – “Motorcycle Tales”

Bob Crosson spoke about an early camping trip of his in 1987. He attended the “Jap Rap”. His experiences included torrential rains, a skunk, a flooded tent and the erection of tarps to avoid another night of swimming in his tent!

50/50 & Door Prizes

On a bike: None

50/50: \$ 23 was won by Dave K.

Several door prizes were given to various ticket holders.

New Business:

a. Event Budget Requests - None

b. Race Night 8/25 – G. Buss

This event will be at Sycamore Speedway's dirt track. Gates open at 6pm, activities start at 6:30. We can meet at the stands near the ticket booth.

Greg will look into any discounts offered.

Good of the Order & Adjournment

Various kudos to members were voiced.

Reminders:

Cruiser Coffee is: Thursday July 19th

JPC Meeting is: Tuesday July 24th

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Candi Wenzon