

**Date:** March 24, 2008

**Time called to Order:** 7:32

**Attendance:** 47

**Guests:** Tom & Sue (WELCOME!)

**Mission Statement:** Billy

**Minutes:** Sharon Mize

**Correspondence:** Letter from John Betts regarding Robert C Pfeifer (Robby) fatal shooting and the Sentencing Hearing support that they need - letter to be left on table if anyone is interested in viewing the letter.

**Coordinator's Comments:** Roger Yarnell - Wanted to thank everyone who attended the Basket Party and made up lots of baskets for the Birthday Party. Food (Indian Tacos) was provided by Tina - it was GREAT! Reminder that Birthday Party is April 5th which is our biggest fundraiser, invite everyone, we have shuttle service, great music and a lot of work has been done by Len & Wendy! Dinner is @ 6:00 pm, party starts @ 7:30.

**Vice Coordinators Comments:** Rick Skaggs - No Report

#### **OFFICER REPORTS:**

**Treasurer:** Sharon Yarnell - No deposits - will be for Birthday Party - turning in tonight. Expenses - Kay Sipple 272.50; Chris 24.60 for newsletter postage. 1900.00 held for Team Oregon for container. Dues for Oregon MRF sustaining membership was 100.00 - also as Ted mentioned we will be spending 100.00 Best of the West. 4000.00 held for E.O.S, leaving a balance of 2335.46

**Legislative Director:** Jordan Kelley - Two main issues - Bike Pac - went to Gladstone last Friday - went to get more unendorsed people into classes. Has pamphlet with lots of numbers and if we see anything on the road. April 12th next meeting - Doubletree by the Lloyd Center 1:00 to 4:00. Wendy, Trace or Robert to put on State Newsletter - fatalities - single motorcycles - unable to negotiate corners. Three people have died in the 1st quarter.

**State Board Representative:** Jordan Kelley - No report

**Public Relations:** Veta Holscher - Posters made for Birthday Party and Roll-N-Ride - to take to shops

**Membership Secretary:** Cindy Henderson - 312 members and balance is 142.25

**Education Director:** Patricia Carner - Out of town

**Newsletter Editor:** Chris Daley - Officers slacking on information for the newsletter. Any information would be great!

**Webpage Editor:** Robert Beadle - We are on line - no other information other than needing any current pictures for year 2007.

**Quartermaster:** Paul Herring -

**Historian:** Trace Ceccacci - Not present

**Chapter Products:** Dave Meeker - Hope to see everyone at the Birthday Party and we will have new pins.

**Ways & Means:** Luke Stocker – Thank you for donations for 536.00 – Buy tickets @ break!

**Run Coordinator:** Len Punzel – Birthday Party – Wendy did a great job facilitating – people brought many donations. Need 25 more Balloon pops – some of the items donated is Bottles of wine, bath sets, CD, knives – redneck yoga cards, gift certificates from local eateries, EOS shirts, yard art, Heritage soft tail collection, beach house for 4 @ Cannon Beach, and 2 hours of housecleaning are just a few to mention. Also we only take cash or check!

Wendy also mentioned that today is the last night to buy advanced Birthday tickets!

Len – Roll-N-Ride pretty well set up; route is set and just finalizing everything. E.O.S. – other places too expensive – made reservation with Mike in Birkenfeld. Mike will bring contract in for signing.

**Run Coordinator II:** Kay Sipple – Took a Team Oregon class – 9 of us, 1 female and what Jordan had to say, even though we all know how to ride, we still need to take a class to refresh. 89.00 a course – half to be reimbursed by Chapter, and half by the State. Classes are very beneficial.

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** Jerry Cruz – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month ride is not sanctioned or insured but doesn't mean that you can't come! Kay Sipple mentioned the Rose City and 250 – could ride to Beaverton Honda.

**Any Motions:** None

**Announcements:** Rich talked to Mark Pratt and mentioned every year Steward Stiles puts on Paper's Toys – wanting parking attendants – May 10<sup>th</sup> – before Mother's day.

They only ask for donations for Dornbecker's which starts @ 8:00 AM. The Davis family has also donated to Vernonia Flood victims.

Wendy – Fliers – Poker Run 5/31/08 has 500.00 gift cert from Paradise Harley Davidson for March of Dimes Run, also 500.00 gift certificate from Hillsboro Motor Sports – starts @ 9:00 am and leave @ 10:30.

Gary – To make a motion for Wendy and Jordan to help as mentioned in last meeting. Legislative wishes coming from Chapter – Bill regarding bicycles – motorcycles was not in it for Legislative Committee. Special session political contribution (not bike related) Nike didn't say anything – In states with helmet laws when there are no maximum contribution pursue campaign financing.

Jordan – This Sunday, April 30 – weather nice – Flying 15 Poker run – downtown – 5<sup>th</sup> and Washington @ Kelley's Olympian – starts @ 8:00 am – leaving @ 10:00 with last bike out @ noon. 10.00 or 15.00, 80 miles with over 400 turns = 4 hours.

Ted – need names for Best of the West – All Abate members are registered. May 21<sup>st</sup> is last date for registration.

Rick – Paradise – Tina needs new bags!

Veta – Airshow – performers food – not public – help service on August 8, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> from 11-2:00.

**50/50 Drawing:** 45.50 Winner was Greg (Goat boy)

**Membership Drawing:** 142.25 – Alanna Moe – not present to win

**Next Meeting:** Run Committee – April 7<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30

Regular Meeting – Apr. 14<sup>th</sup>, also @ 7:30