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The objects and purposes of the Corporation shall be to form a united motorcyclist's organization both at the individual local level and at the state level. The Members of the Corporation shall be dedicated to promoting fair motorcycle legislation and shall insure their freedom by working to prevent enactment of, or to repeal/modify existing unfair motorcycle legislation. The Corporation's Members shall promote and maintain motorcycling safety and awareness programs in the community.

Charter

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Meeting Times

Buffalo River	Alisha Shepard	931-626-5613	1st Wednesday @ 7, E&E Bar & Grill (may be a different location. Contact charter to confirm)
Caney Fork	Terry Presley presley7290@yahoo.com	615-642-8025	1st Tuesday of the month @ 7, at Lolly's, 342 Lebanon Hwy, Carthage
Dickson/Humphreys/ Hickman	Terry Davis	615-446-0064	3 rd Thursday @ 7, VFW Dickson
Keg County	Paul Gordon "Poindexter"	615-243-1581	2nd Saturday @ 11, Lulu's Roadhouse, Centerville
Knoxville	Spencer "Doc" Perry redloggbyker@gmail.com	865-216-9407	4th Sunday @ 1, Clinton Hwy Harley Davidson, Knoxville
Montgomery County	Jesse Henne crazyboy135@gmail.com	931-980-7548	2nd Monday @ 7, El Toro Restaurant, Clarksville
Music City	Wendell Baldwin deadeyewb@aol.com	615-838-1490	1 st Sunday @ 2, Slingshots 109 East Due West, Madison TN
Nashville	Jack Jones jdj32K@yahoo.com	615-579-4112	3rd Tuesday @ 7, One Stop Bar Madison
Northeast	Tom Kyner tlkyner@gmail.com	423-272-4834	1 st Monday @ 7, Sagebrush Kingsport
Piney River	Steve Gilbert sgilbert883@yahoo.com	423-280-8923	3rd Sunday @ 130 Senior Center 135 Ferguson Dr. Spring City
Robertson County	Roland Verchota Verchotaw@bellsouth.net	615-533-6368	1 st Tuesday @ 7, Piggy Pit Springfield
Smith-Wilson	Kim Marlin smithwilsonabate@gmail.com	615-310-3436	1 st Sunday @ 2, Smitty's Lebanon
Stones River	David Marlin stonesriverabate@gmail.com	615-319-8915	3rd Sunday @ 4, Sloan's Cycle Center Smyrna
Sumner County	Mark Davis sumnercountyabate@gmail.com	615-859-3333	3 rd Thursday @ 7, VFW Hendersonville
Tennessee Valley	Mark Moore Yog1958@yahoo.com	423-570-0250	3 rd Sunday @ 2, Call for location Chattanooga Area
Upper Cumberland	Ron Erwin	931-879-3899	1 st Sunday * Call for Details
Wheels of Thunder	Bob Celmer www.cmtabate-wheelsofthunder.com	901-465-73812	1 st Thursday @ 7, Panchos 717 N. White Station Rd., Memphis

DIRECTORS COLUMN

I just got back from working the Abate table at Mule Day. It was quite the celebration. S & G Cycle was honoring their fortieth anniversary in business. Plus, it was the thirty fourth year they had opened up their shop for the party. I know I saw at least five charters there. I talked to Buffalo River, Dickson Humphreys, Keg County, Music City, and Nashville. If I missed anybody, please forgive me.

Now every year when they have their event, they give us a free spot right by the door. Since we're right across from the barbecue and the beer, people can't help but notice us. We passed out newspapers, tri-folds, and event flyers. I even took in several memberships, although most were renewals. Still, that's a good thing for everybody.

We really appreciate the people who support our work. Every year when the Bikers Who Care has their swap meet in Clarksville, they give us a place by the door. Usually we're the first thing folks see when they walk in. Whenever Both Barrels Promotions does anything, we are allowed a space. Several of us were at the Spring Thaw swap meet in Shelbyville, and I'm sure we can work the June Jam in Lebanon. Scooter has always supported Abate one hundred percent.

When you see all those people who help us, thank them for their support. They helped build this organization into what it is today.

Thank you,

Dean Lucas
CMT/ABATE State Director



Note: The Statewide Membership Position is open. Please contact Dean at 931-761-8038 if you are interested



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News from the Federal Front

Submitted by Tony Dabbs, MRF State Representative

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[NHTSA To Bypass Public Comment, Adopt Rules Directly](#)

Posted: 04 Apr 2013 01:07 AM PDT

The US Department of Transportation is looking to fast track adoption of rules, bypassing the public comment process. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) last week proposed to give itself "direct final rulemaking" authority which would allow the agency to declare a regulatory proposal, which carries the force of law, to be non-controversial and rush it into effect.


"NHTSA is proposing to use the direct final rulemaking process when the action to be taken is not anticipated to generate adverse comment, and therefore, providing notice and opportunity for comment would not be necessary," the agency's proposed rule states. "NHTSA believes this procedural option would expedite the issuance of, and thereby save time and agency resources on, rules that are not controversial."

NHTSA is responsible for a number of major rules, including the corporate average fuel economy (CAFE) mandates that direct automobile manufacturers to meet certain mileage requirements. It also plays a major role in the design of vehicles by mandating various "safety" features -- most recently it has published a tentative rule mandating video screens and rear-view cameras be installed in every vehicle. The agency also develops lesser-known rules. In 2000, NHTSA published a "trunk entrapment" rule, requiring every vehicle to have an escape latch to prevent kidnappers from storing people in the trunks of automobiles. The administration's "quiet car" rule would require electric vehicles and hybrids to make loud noises so that they will not run over blind pedestrians.

Such rules cost the automobile industry billions of dollars in compliance costs. Lobbyists for manufacturers closely watch the Federal Register for publication of any item affecting the industry, but proposals affecting only consumers could escape notice under procedures that allow a measure to take effect within sixty days of its publication in the Federal Register as a final rule. The public would have just thirty days to file an adverse comment to slow the process down, otherwise the final rule would become effective.

"NHTSA would not consider frivolous or irrelevant comments to be adverse," the fast-track proposal states. "NHTSA would also not consider a comment recommending additional actions or changes to be adverse, unless the comment also stated why the direct final rulemaking would be ineffective without the additional action or change."

The direct final rulemaking proposal is subject to the standard procedures. Anyone wishing to have his view considered has until May 28, 2013 [to submit a comment](#). [Source](#)

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New Land

I got a couple of emails from the realtor. Two new properties have come on the market. There's 23.1 acres in Readyville for \$75,000, and 22.8 acres in Watertown for \$64,900. Both are undeveloped with no buildings. If you would like to go see them, just give me a call. My number is 931-761-8038.

Thank you,
Dean Lucas

NATIONAL COALITION OF MOTORCYCLISTS



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Patch Holder Meeting

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Fusions Center updates

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Motorcycle Resource Teams (MRT)
Prayer / Fellowship Meeting

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NCOM -SMRO- COC
How NCOM and the local COC
work together with
State Motorcycle Rights Organizations

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Your Rights As A Veteran

SPECIAL MEETINGS

1. Women in Motorcycling
2. Clean & Sober Round Table
3. World of Sports Bikes

PLUS MORE.....

CMT/ABATE, Inc. is not a "Biker Club", but a non-profit, political organization that was formed to preserve freedom and safety for all Tennesseans who enjoy motorcycling. Our major goals are to modify existing laws that are detrimental to motorcycle safety and enjoyment, and to enact new legislation in support of all motorcyclists who ride in Tennessee. If you are concerned about preserving personal freedom and motorcycle safety, please join us.

D/H

It came to be the third Thursday of March, in the VFW of Dickson, bout 7:09, 18 souls said the pledge to our Flag. Director Bub welcomed everyone then told us of his experience up on the BIG Hill for Lobby Day, which led into Cycledellic Mark A report of the bills and what a good job that Tony Dabbs is doing. He and Becky have talked to Rep. Shepard who has said he will sign on the helmet Bill! Very groovy job, man!!

Lil John went over our monies and with a good turn out at the Freak Show Fun Day we have enough to put on our Bike and Tattoo Contest and Poker Run on May 11th. Getting in to that subject we did a very very good job on that event! Take a BIG ole drink to everyone of you who did anything, no matter how little, everybody done a Super Groovy Job! What a small bunch of us Freaks get our Freak on, we have a safe, fun, profit, smooth event. After one of our events, for the rest of this year, the Activity Director will pick 2 members who worked hard and those 2 will receive a free armband each to our next event. The winner should be everyone, but Carole Davis and Sandy McEwen received the first 2 freebies. Come on out and help your charter and a shot at a Free pass to our next fun event.

Beefy went over a list of things to get ready for the Bike and Tat Show. Our Charity Poker Run will happen that day also. Famous Fred told us we will be helping the Highland Rim Headstart of Dickson. All money made from Poker Run will be spend on supply's for them. Lil John has us a 40 inch HD T.V. to giveaway. All this happens on may 11th at V.F.W. Post 4641 bout 9:00. we also will have Band of Holligans playing from 8:00- 12:00 midnight. Charter elections are April 18th and May is Motorcycle Awareness Month. On May 5th the Harpeth Ridge Fire Dept. is having a Poker run. For any and all info on these events call our easy to use HotLine—615 430-7931. Leave message for more info.

Check out our Pictures from the Fun Day at Abiff Pub on Dickson CMT Facebutt thing. Some Good ones!! Check your membership date man. Don't expire—Re-up! welcome to a mighty fine bunch of New members, Welcome to Sweet Sandie Harrell, Mr. eddie McCory, a dn fun ole boy and his wife, Tim and Lee Ann Petty, and we like the tunes turned out by J.D. Outlaw that we paid for his Ashley's membership into our fine charter. They are the owners of The Wanted Saloon in Dickson. Want to say Happy B-day to Steve Teston, we'll drink one to you man, and congratulations to Fred Zep and Vicky on a new grandbaby!!

A Big Thanks to the V.F.W. for all they do and 4,331,609,084 thank you too much to ole Monkeebutt, Mr. R.D. Pendergrass of the Abiff Pub!!! We will never forget all you do for us! Thanks man, we love ya!

Nuff said, We scattered. That's all from me

Beefy

Cuzin Zip says: *We gotta always have old memories and young hopes.*

DICKSON HUMPHREYS BIKE AND TATTOO SHOW

May 11, 2013 10:00 a.m.



V.F.W 4641

215 Marshall Stuart Drive

Dickson, TN 37055

Trophies Best Bike Best Tattoo



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Poker Run

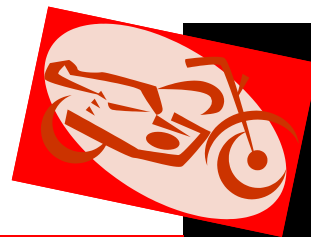
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AUCTIONS**



For information call: Mark 615/477-0171.

2013 CALENDER OF EVENTS CMT/ABATE OF TENNESSEE

CHARTER MEETINGS CALENDAR



MAY 2013

5-10-12		Liberty Rally, State Points Rodeo
5-11	DH	Bike Show & Tattoo Contest
5-18	MoCo	STEP Event
	SmWi	Bike Show & Swap Meet
	WoT	Ride
6-8	Sum	Hawg Roast
6-9		Board of Directors
6-15	DHH	State Points Rodeo
7-13	SmWi	Robin Long Memorial Poker Run
7-20	CaFo	Canoe Trip
7-27	DHH	Canoe Poker Run
8-17	MoCo	Blood Drive
8-23-25		Southern Thunder Rally
9-8		Board of Directors
9-13-15	WoT	Bash
9-14	DHH	Nitro Dirt Drags
9-15	CaFo	Memorial Ride
9-20-22	SmWi/StRi	State points Rodeo
9-29	TeVa/UpCu	Wine Run
10-19	CaFo	Lions Club Poker Run
10-26	DHH	26 th Annual Toy Run
11-2	KeCo	Toy Run
11-10	SmWi	Toy Run
11-16	RoCo	Toy Run
11-30	WoT	Toy Run
12-1	UpCu	Christmas Party
12-7	SuCo	Food Drive & Christmas Party
12-8		Board of Directors
12-15	SmWi/StRi	Angel Tree
12-22	SmWi/StRi	Toys for Tots

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 BuRi	2 WoT	3	4
5 MuCi SmWi UpCu	6 NoEa	7 CaFo RoCo	8	9	10	11 KeCo
12	13 MoCo	14	15	16 D/H SuCo	17	18
19 PiRi StRi TeVa	20 Nash	21	22	23	24	25
26 Knox	27	28	29	30	31	

NEW CHARTER and/or MEMBER BENEFIT 4 month trial period JUNE, JULY, AUGUST SEPTEMBER 2013

Provided by the CMT/ABATE, Inc.
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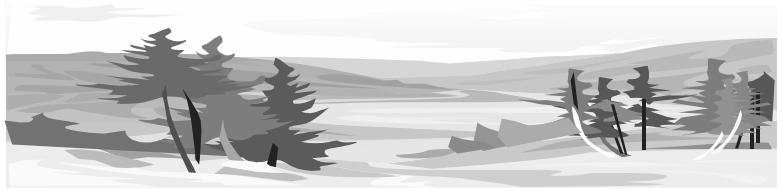
Individual members can qualify to bor-
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rector.

Call Grant Committee Secretary,
Faith Hawkins, 615-415-3236
for more info

NEWS & EVENTS
(Mark Your Calendars)

Tennessee Valley

Remember life is a journey so take the long way home.



3/17/13

Meeting called to order

Officers Report:

Membership Report: We have 34 current members.

Treasury Report: Expenses and balance reviewed.

State Legislative Report: Legislative report and strategies reviewed per Scott & Yog.

Legislative Day will be set for March 19th. Parking will be available.

Events report: Events reviewed for charter. Sunday March 24th Fun Run, June: Trash Bag delivery, Sunday July 28th Motorcycle Awareness Ride and raffle, Sunday September 29th Fun Run with Upper Cumberland Charter.

Other CMT EVENTS: April Swap Meet

Open Forum: Discussion on various topics affecting motorcyclists here and around the globe.

.Meeting adjourned:

Next Meeting: Sunday April 21st at Hooters

Yog

Knoxville Charter Minutes

3-24-13

AJ called meeting to order 1:28

Pledge of Allegiance

Carl-treasury Report

Treasure Report read and accepted

AJ-Secretary Report and accepted

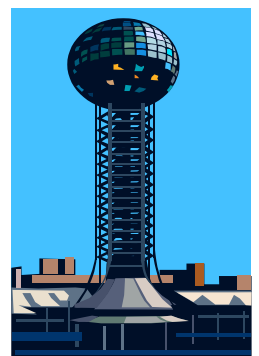
Angel- Legislative Report- We had a discussion on the liberty bill, and the board meeting.

Dean- Discussed Lobby Day- Non smoking in Board meetings

Meeting Adjourned 2:01

Next Meeting April 28, 2013 at Harley Davidson on Clinton Hwy

Respectfully Submitted by AJ



WHEELS OF THUNDER

Meeting Minutes
Pancho's Bar and Grill

March 7, 2013

Director Bob Celmer called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by a moment of silence for our fallen brothers and sisters.

Gary made a motion to waive the reading of last month's minutes and to accept them as posted on the website. Lynn seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. Minutes will be added to our website, www.cmtabate-wheelsofthunder.com, under the meeting date.

Lynn reported our current bank balance and we reviewed deposits and bills paid for February.

We had 8 members and 0 guests present at tonight's meeting.

Director's Statement - Reminder: the July meeting will be on the 11th instead of the 4th.

The BOD meeting will be March 10th and Bob will not be able to go.

Lobby Day will be March 19th. Al and maybe Gary are planning to attend. If you are interested in going, please remember to contact your representative to set up a time to meet with them. There will be limited reserved parking provided, so get there early! Also, please let Rhonda know if are going to attend.

Legislative – Bob gave us some updates from NCOM and MRF. Passed around report and newsletter

Activities –

State Events – Posted in newsletter.

LeBonheur Donations – Joy is finding out what LeBonheur wants to do with the cash donations from the toy run. Also, Malisa was able to get Walgreens to agree to give additional discount on clearance toys. Check with the Walgreens in your area. Joy will ask if the 2013 date can be November 30th. Gary mentioned that SCMC may be interested in doing a Christmas in July

event. If they do it we will be happy to support them.

Legislative Run – (April 28) – Decided to cancel the run and just have a ride - First Annual River Run. Dale knows a great catfish place. Everybody pitch in \$20 (and bring a friend!)

Bob Ward Ride – (May 18) We are listed in Bumpus Flyer. We will have an event meeting soon to plan the scavenger hunt.

Bash – September 14, 2013. Papa will confirm date with Nobody. Cookout and camp overnight if you want.

Safety and Ed – Two bus signs this year. Al will get artwork together to get signs ordered. Discussed article in Commercial Appeal. MAC is using Walgreens and CVS electronic signs to post Watch for Motorcycle reminders.

-MAC is working on a motorcycle license plate for cars for Motorcycle Awareness.

PR – Will finalize flyers and get information for Legislative and Bob Ward rides on Facebook and event websites.

Club News and Announcements –

-March 23 – SCMC ride for Carly Wright – 3 ½ year old cousin of Joy's with stage 4 neuroblastoma cancer.

-Last weekend in March will be the Bike Blessing at Pikes Bikes.

-First weekend in April the Southern Cruisers will be at Millington Holiday Inn Express

-April 11th – Awareness for MAC 4-6pm then go to Boiling Point for dinner. Hold signs on Goodman Road.

-April 19-20 – U.S. Military Vets – Spring rally for VA Hospital

-April 14th – Widows Sons spaghetti dinner at Bartlett Lodge

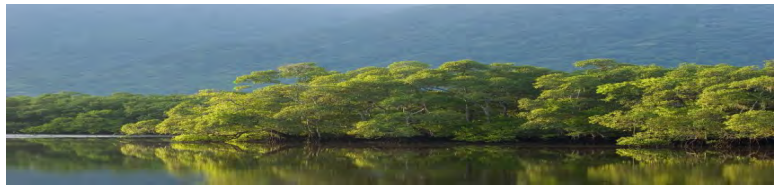
-April 20th – Make a Wish event at Haystack.

-April 13th – First Annual Hero Run for Wounded Warriors

A motion was made to adjourn. It was seconded and passed unanimously. Its 8:17 and we're outta here!



Caney Fork



3/2/13

Meeting was called to order at 7:10pm. Jeff led meeting due to Terry's absence.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Emily. Secretary's report was given by Nanci. Treasures report was given by Karla No products sold

Legislation, Nanci spoke on Lobby Day and that we had a good turn out and in the future we would like to see more members attend.

Carol spoke on the up and coming swap meet and the vendor's attendance. Looks like we will have a good turnout. The weather will be a big factor but we will work with it as needed.

A motion was made to assist the author of The Probate with his stay in Lebanon, a discussion was held and we agreed to a donation for the room.

A discussion was held on the swap meet and who and where members will work. It was agreed upon that if members would bring a 12 pack of soda to the meet they do not have to pay the entry fee and also if a non-member would like to volunteer their time to work the event we need to know prior to the event and they would be allowed entry at no charge.

Ken has a list of all the items needed for the event. and we will have a special meeting for the event on April 16th at 7:00pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:45pm Next Meeting May 7th *Ken*



CMT/ABATE, Inc.

LIBERTY RALLY VII

Event to raise funds to protect the Freedom of Tennessee's Motorcyclists

MAY 10, 11, 12 2013

JACKSON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

\$10 PER PERSON -\$15 FOR A COUPLE
under 16 free-accompanied by parent



FREE VENDOR SET UP WITH ONE FREE ADMISSION

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First points rodeo of the 2013 season.

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HOSTED BY:

Upper Cumberland, Music City, Robertson, Smith-Wilson & Caney Fork Charters

MUSIC CITY



Meeting was held @ Skullys Saloon and called to order by Bob at 2pm. Faith led our pledge.

STR is returning to Red River in Adams TN again this year. Music City Charter will be handling Entertainment, serving breakfast and working the bar each evening. Everyone please help where you can. It's sure to be a good time!

Liberty Rally will be in Gainesboro TN the weekend of May 10th - 12th. Music City will be cooking and serving meals, Glenn & Sharon will be doing the music. There will also be a poker run put together for the event. Some beautiful riding in them parts and the "Polk Salad Festival" will be going on in town at the same time. This is also the 1st event for the Rodeo. Everybody come on out and have a great weekend. If you've never been... you're missing out! \$10 a person or \$15 a couple.

Music City charter will do a Christmas in June ride... June 8th. Details coming soon.

Rose - there will be a comedy show at Skullys Apr 20th after the swap meet. Also Roadblock will be at Skullys Apr 21st tat 1pm to sell and sign his books.

Vickie - Slingshots will be having a benefit ride on May 4th. You can preregister on May 3rd, This will get you a shirt and a meal after the ride. there will also be raffles going on.

Carol Simpson - spoke on legislative issues. She let us know that our Bill didn't get thru committee this time. Maybe next year.

50/50 was won by Batman and Faith let everyone know she had CMT/Abate products for sale.

Rose made a motion to adjourn and seconded by Glenn.... voted and adjourned at 2:30pm

SHARON a.k.a. "CRASH"





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2013 Meeting Minutes

Smith Wilson Charter

The Smith/Wilson meeting of April 7, 2013 was called to order at 2:05 by Kim who also led the pledge. All officers present except Membership and Products. We had 21 members and 2 visitors in attendance. Kim and Jerry commented on Lobby Day. We had a great turnout with 11 bikes. There were 17 total Smith Wilson members!

Secretary: Report given and approved

Treasury: Report given and approved.

Legislative: Letter was read by Kim from Rhonda Williams about info on Liberty Bill. Group discussion followed.

Activities: Tommy went over current events. Reminded everyone our Swap Meet/Bike Show is May 18th. He also talked about the storage shed. Hands/Labor needed. Show of hands for last 2 Sundays of April to work on it. Meet at site at 9 AM. Motion made and carried to donate \$75.00 to Debra Linder to help with medical needs. There is a poker run benefit April 20 for her also.

Membership: One new member. Welcome Resa Cooper!

Old Business: Discussion over upcoming litter bag run. Look Twice, Save a Life signs are up in Red Boiling Springs. A motion was made and carried to buy a TV to raffle at Swap Meet. Larry Lane donated a HD Roll Bag and Leather Vest for giveaway at Swap Meet also.

New Business: Richard Peoples from the Stones River Charter has been diagnosed with cancer and needs our thoughts and prayers and also possible support with the Vets Nite Out. Our new banner is up at Smitty's. Ronnie donated \$100.00 towards the cost of it. Thanks Ronnie!!! Officer nominations for the next year will be next month. Sharon's work donated over 100 shirts for the Veterans. She also has Jack Daniel and Budweiser shirts for charter to sell/giveaway at events. Cowboy invited everyone to Blue Moon the night of May 11 to hear him sing. Motion to adjourn at 3:35. Later, **Ruth**



SMITH/WILSON -- CMT/ABATE

PRESENTS

SWAP MEET & BIKE SHOW

SMITTY'S BAR & GRILL

1960 MURFREESBORO ROAD (HWY 231S)

LEBANON, TN

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2013

9 AM - 5 PM

JUST A SHORT RIDE FROM NASHVILLE!!

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Stones River Charter

Meeting Minutes

March 17, 2013

Meeting was called to order at 4:10 pm by Director David Marlin.

We had 16 attendees.

Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Denise Lightburne.

Legislative: Denise reminded all that Lobby day is March 19 and encouraged everyone to attend.

Extensive discussion was held regarding the 2 bills present.

Ed Bennett returned after his motorcycle accident in September 2012. Driver of vehicle violated ROW and was unlicensed/uninsured, but did not go to jail. Final charges pending complete investigation.

Treasurer/Membership report was given by Richard.

Nanci Waterworth, Editor, attended meeting. Discussed monthly paper and encouraged shorter version of minutes. It was discussed with Nanci that our charter minutes have not been in paper since last year, even though sent. Advised to send closer to 10th and to send to

newspaperabate@gmail.com. We will follow up to assure that she gets our minutes.

Vets Night Out: Further events to be announced.

Richard Peoples, our Treasurer/Membership Officer has been diagnosed with Bilateral Kidney Cancer. Additional testing is pending. Further news will be given when available.

Charter Flag: A flag for our charter and bike flags were discussed. Information to be gathered and reported at next meeting.

Events

Marlin Hoedown/Cookout: April 13, 4pm til? At 192 Brush creek Circle, Brush Creek, TN. Can camp with tents. Burgers & Dogs supplied. Bring a side dish or dessert. All ages welcome. Any questions: Call David: 615-319-8915 or Kim: 615-310-3436 (Rain date: 5/4)

April 20: Lane Motor Museum: We participated last year with a booth & baked goods, discussion was held and agreed that we would participate again this year. Teresa, Cher and Denny volunteered to manage our booth. Baked goods to be provided by various members for this event.

Liberty Rally: May 10, 11, 12- Jackson Co. Fairgrounds in Gainesboro. Free Vendor set-up. Vendors are needed. Poker run from Smith/Wilson, meet at Smitty's. KSU @ 9:30.

Smith/Wilson Swap Meet: May 18, 9am-4pm. Currently at Smitty's Bar & Grill. Gate entrance is \$5.00, 12 & under free. Bike Show: \$5 entry fee. Vendor charge \$20 with 2 free admissions.

For event or vendor info: Kim Marlin- 615-310-3436

Discussion was held to consider moving our meeting location due to the steps being a problem for several members. Members were asked to think about a location that does not involve steps.

Further discussion to be held at next meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm

Next meeting is April 21st.

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Stones River Charter

Lobby Day March 19, 2013



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