

Tennessee Motorcyclist



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Meeting Times

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Dickson/Humphreys	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 reddogbyker@gmail.com	865-216-9407	4th Sunday @ 1, Clinton Hwy Harley Davidson, Knoxville
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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
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Stones River	David Marlin stonesriverabate@gmail.com	615-319-8915	3rd Sunday @ 4, Sloan's Cycle Center Smyrna
Sumner County	jeff Hollins	615-452-0409	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	901-465-7381	1 st Thursday @ 7, Panchos 717 N. White Station Rd., Memphis

DIRECTORS COLUMN

It is time to start thinking about the September elections. At the Board meeting on the second Sunday we will be voting on all general Board positions. These include Safety & Education, MRF, Membership, Newspaper, Products, Activities, Chaplain, NCOM/TNCOC, Office Manager, Webmaster, At Large, and PR/Communications. Any member in good standing can run for these jobs. We have no Membership at this time, so this title is wide open. After years of good service, Faith will not be doing Products anymore. And I've been "filling in" at the office for years. If anyone would like to take this on, that would be great.

Now we won't be voting on Legislative this fall. That is only done on even years (2014). The Director and Secretary are done in March of even years. And the Assistant Director and Treasurer will be done in March of 2015. Does all this seem overly complicated? Why not just vote on everybody every other September. It would be simpler in the long run. But only the Board of Directors could affect such a change. And it would require a change in the By-Laws. There are specific rules for how this must be done.

Well, I hope you're all having a great summer. I've really been enjoying making all the events. And this month is the big one, Southern Thunder Rally in Adams, Tennessee. I've already got my ticket. I hope to see you there.

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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“TO THE HILL!”



Our specialty plate bill (or vanity tag as some call it) passed at the very end of session. That means we need to begin taking pre-paid orders to collect 1,000 during the next year before production will begin.

For those of you who are unaware, last year's Legislative Committee decided that we should attempt to get a specialty plate with the “Dying to be Seen” awareness campaign slogan to further the message. A specialty plate requires an additional \$35 upon initial purchase and at yearly registration renewal so that funds can be collected in support of a worthy cause.

Our Legislative Committee decided that worthy cause would be motorcyclists who were injured in a right of way violation caused by an uninsured motorist. This will be a valuable resource not only to a fellow biker struggling to keep the lights on or mortgage paid while recuperating and collecting a mountain of medical bills. It will also help us get a number that has eluded our availability until now: How many Right of Way Violations are being caused by uninsured operators?

Senator Charlotte Burks of Cookeville and Representative Courtney Rogers of Sumner were our sponsors. Please be sure to send them a big kudos for this open door opportunity!

But now we have a lot of work to do!

We need members of CMT/ABATE to step up and serve the Board of Trustees for this project. And truthfully, there needs to some “fresh blood” in some of these seats rather than only the same full-plate Board of Director members.

This will be a low requirement position. The initial set up will require a couple of meetings. It would be ideal if these volunteers were electronically able to cyber meet rather than travel. The further reduces the burden on these positions. We will need to decide on simple things like if there will be a ‘cap’ set per motorcyclist or per accident. The bill already states that the funds will be used to assist injured motorcyclists with non-medical expenses; the essential living expenses such as roof, utilities and food.

An application for assistance will need to be developed. This Board of Trustees will also need to develop a plan on when and how those applications are reviewed and approved. Another cyber opportunity.

The first meeting for this Board of Trustees needs to happen before our September Board of Directors meeting. That will allow us to submit a proposal for approval by the full Board. It's August 1st now so please immediately call me or Tony to get plugged in!

Our Board Treasurer, Bette Stewart, has graciously volunteered to oversee the collection of funds into a separate bank account. Our Web designer has already agreed to get us an additional page up and running which will allow individuals to use our PayPal to make their deposit. Even the state Dept. of Revenue (who is in charge of all license plates) was eager to list that web link on their own site.

But it gets even better...

Writers for both Thunder Roads and Full Throttle have assured me that they will carry stories announcing this opportunity in their magazines! This will spread the information out further than the limits of our membership!

In the bill, we provided a general scope of what we would propose by using the Safety Grant's shape of motorcyclist in the iris of an eye. The Motorcycle Rider Ed Program director gave us his blessing to use it as did the Grant committee.

This image will work well with the car tag. But the size of the motorcycle tag will greatly reduce our image. This Board of Trustees should consider an image that translates the message and can be easily understood on both sized plates.

The message at bottom of the plate will be “dyn2bseen” as a dual message about texting and to abbreviate the length without losing the subject. That means that the supporting image must be a very easily recognized motorcyclist.

Any artists come to mind? Please direct them to me at once! I will forward the plans provided by the State for them to work with and provide a suggestion.

We also need to have a Legislative Committee meeting. This is still TBA at this time. Hopefully everyone is signed up for our email updates from Carol Simpson, our Public Relations/Communications officer. This and via the Legislative page of the corporate website is how that date, time and location will be announced. Long-term Committee members who do not use the web will be called, so don't worry!

We have many critical path decisions to make so that Tony and I can begin talking to our sponsors and working out details. The high-speed “git ‘r’ done” session will be here in no time.

It was time to plan yesterday but I have been consumed with a convalescing injured horse. I apologize that this has prevented my ability to hold our previously scheduled meeting.

“Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.” Mark Twain

There are plenty of opportunities in this organization to build your own personal gratitude in past decisions. If the Board of Trustees for the specialty plate or the Legislative committee is not one that fits your specific talents and gifts, please consider our open Board rep seats for Membership, Products or Activities.

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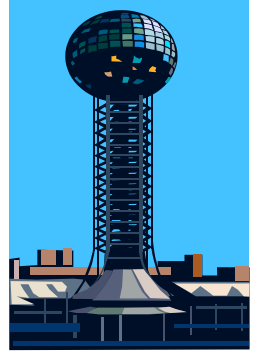
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Knoxville Charter Minutes



6-23-13

AJ called meeting to order 1:00

Pledge of Allegiance

Carl-Excused-sent treasury Report

Treasure Report read and accepted

AJ-Secretary Report and accepted

Angel- Legislative Report- Waiting for next session, ENCOM meeting in Atlanta GA in November.

Meeting Adjourned 1:26

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

Respectfully Submitted by AJ

Upper Cumberland Elderly Run June 30th



Ron and Lee in side-car leading the pack!



Pickett Co. Welcome Center
Kickstands up!



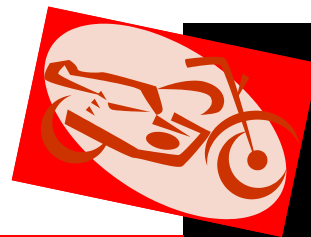
Pickett Co. Care and Rehab. With Doctor Mason



Gearing up for the ride

2013 CALENDER OF EVENTS CMT/ABATE OF TENNESSEE

CHARTER MEETINGS CALENDAR



August 2013

- 8-17 MoCo Blood Drive
8-23-25 Southern Thunder Rally
- 9-7 SiRi Membership Drive
9-8 Board of Directors
9-13-15 WoT Bash
9-14 DiHu 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 DiHu 26th 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

Dickson Humphreys Points Rodeo

Slow Race

- 1st Rusty
2nd Fred Smith
3rd Allen Burrow
Barrel Roll

- 1st Fruitcake
2nd Eddie
3rd Rusty

Ball & Cone

- 1st Eddie & Cathy Fravel
2nd Fruitcake & Jamie
3rd Rusty & Jennifer

Weenie Bite

- 1st Eddie & Cathy Fravel
2nd Rusty & Jennifer
3rd Fruitcake & Kathie Hagewood

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

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

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13NR25 - MRF News Release - Motorcycle Only Checkpoint FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

1 July, 2013

Contact: [Jeff Hennie](#), Vice President of Government Relations and Public Affairs

Motorcycle Only Checkpoint H.R. 1861 – Needs your SUPPORT now!

Congressman James Sensenbrenner (Wisconsin) introduced a bill to prohibit the federal funding of motorcycle only roadside checkpoints. Sensenbrenner has always been an MRF Champion and he needs your support now on this bill.

As we approach July 4th, our Nations Independence Day this is a perfect opportunity for you to use the system that our founding fathers set in place to make a change for the better. The bill, H.R. 1861, has nine original co-sponsors however, we need many more to pass this landmark legislation. Call your congressman and ask them to support H.R. 1861.

Sensenbrenner had this to say in a 'Dear Colleague letter' that is circulating in the House of Representatives; 'In the 112th Congress, I introduced H.R. 904, a bill to prohibit the Department of Transportation (DOT) from providing funds to state and local authorities for the purpose of creating motorcycle only checkpoints. Section one of the Stop Motorcycle Checkpoint Funding Act contains the same language as H.R. 904. However, this bill also contains language to force the DOT to focus motorcycle safety efforts on crash prevention programs, not national helmet mandates.

It's important to contact your sitting member of the House of Representatives and ask them to be a co-sponsor of this important legislation. Ask them to contact Congressman James Sensenbrenner and lend their support as co-sponsor of H.R. 1861. You can contact the U.S. Capitol Switchboard at (202) 224-3121

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MUSIC CITY



Hi there folks. Hope everyone has been enjoying the warm weather. It's riding season!!! Our July meet was called to order by Bob, lead in pledge by Glenn, followed in prayer by Eddie.

Wendall lead off letting everyone know of Vikki's condition. She is doing better and in good spirits. Also, there has been an account set up at Regions Bank. If anyone wants to go by their local Regions Bank and donate to it, just let them know it is in Vikki Henderson's name and they will put your monies straight into the account. Also, she is now at NHC Rehab in Murfreesboro on University St. She would love to see anyone who can go see her. Her son Kevin has been staying with her and really has his hands full. Vikki's home is in need of some repairs in order for her to go home and be comfortable. If anyone can lend a helping hand (painting, wiring, carpentry, etc.) you can get in touch with Bob or Wendall and they can let you know where to go from there. So, if you can, let's all get out there and get things ready for her homecoming!! Rose has planned an benefit ride for Vikki, set for Aug 10th, and I will post more details on our FB site as soon as I know more, so, set this date aside and come on out to support our sister. Oh, you can pre-register for the ride at Slingshots or Skully's any time before Aug 10th. Rose is asking for items to be auctioned off after the ride and proceeds will be going into the fund for Vikki. Want to thank everyone who showed up for bike night and honored Vikkie with the revving up of the bikes and all the money that had been collected, which has also been put into the bank account.

Vista came by to thank everyone for the toys that were collected on our Christmas in July Toy Run, We had a great turnout of people and bikes. She also wants to invite everyone if they get a chance to stop in at the Toy store and visit. Also, Vista said if anyone wants to come help sack toys for the kids to please feel free and come help. If you would like to call and talk to Vista about coming by and helping out anytime, give her a call at [615-477-2927](tel:615-477-2927)

Wendall has car window LOOK TWICE sunshades. See him to receive your shade.

There was a raffle ticket for STR done and Bob won. He donated the money to Vikkies account. A BIG THANK-YOU TO BOB.!! If you have tickets and are selling them for STR, the money and /or left over tickets need to be turned in to Wendall by the next meeting (AUGUST) . We are all looking forward to STR !!!

Everyone who went to the Harley Drags stated they had a real good time. Bob let us know that our charter has now gone international.!!! We have members in Ireland that have joined our Music City Charter, and we want to welcome them. I will get their names, I forgot to at the meet. Sorry members...

To everyone in the charter who has or had a birthday in July...HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!! I guess that's all I have to chat about this month....LOL
Bob motioned for meeting to adjourn and Billy 2nd the motion.

Ya'll ride safe, May need to be looking TWICE for cagers, cause chances are they aren't looking twice for bikes.. Until next month. Be safe and Peace to everyone.. Be sure to check the CMT/Abate FB site for updates. I'll do my best to keep y'all informed (or at least someone will...lol) Thank-you to Skullys for the fine meal they had severed us. !!

SHARON a.k.a. "CRASH"

Caney Fork Charter

July 2, 2013



Call to order 7:21. 3 officers, 2 members, and 2 guess were present. Pledge was led by Karla.

Secretary and Treasurer report were given. No other reports were given.

July 13th Smith/Wilson Robin Long Ride, *July 14th* Brian and Karla's B'day party at AJ's
July 20th Canoe Trip, *July 27th* Benefit for Lynn Garner & Family.

Little discussion on the new bills for DUI , Guns in Cars.

August 5th Next Meeting at Caney Fork Auto Repair Garage.

Meeting ended 7:46

Editor's Note: Do you have a scenic picture, in Tennessee with your bike? Would you like to see it on the front page of the newsletter? Send 1 picture and you might just see yourself on the front page. newspaperabate@gmail.com

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Stones River Charter

Meeting Minutes

April 21, 2013

Ride safe so that you can Ride again

Stones River Charter

The Stones River meeting was called to order at 4:12 PM by David. There were 8 members and 8 visitors present. Pledge was led by David. All officers present except Secretary.

David thanked Dwayne for offering Classic Custom for a meeting place. He is a lifetime CMT/ABATE member and we appreciate his support. He also welcomed Dean Lucas and Carol Simpson to the meeting.

Treasury: Report given and approved

Secretary Report: Absent – will be given next month.

Legislative: Nothing right now

New Business: David mentioned doing a Swap Meet in October. The date is set for October 19th and will be at Classic Custom Cycles. We will also be doing a membership Drive September 7th with rain date being September 14th. MaryLisa Meadows who joined today has offered to be the new Activities Director! Thank you MaryLisa and we are sure you will do a fabulous job! Carol Simpson announced the Leon Lightbourne will be taking over her duties as Grant Coordinator. Congrats Leon! We had a visitor who mentioned the Bell Buckle Bike Rally/ Poker Run on August 3, 2013. All proceeds go to TN Fisher House and Wounded Warrior.

Old Business: Kim explained to new members what ABATE is all about. She also went over some of the details for the upcoming Rodeo on September 20-22, 2013.

Meeting adjourned at 5 PM.

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Upper Cumberland CMT/ ABATE

Dave and Larry led us in the Pledge. Ron opened meeting at 12:20 at Doe Creek Tavern, Gainesboro.

Secretary Report: Trina- Amendments were made to June's minutes.

July Birthday – Russell Garrett

Renewed – Heather and Sybil

New - Gary Cummins, Gary joined during our Elderly Ride

9 members present

Treasure Report: Dean – Financial report given.

Activities: Lee - Rail park ride has been canceled. July 14th ride to get charter poker


sheets signed. Meet at noon at My Place Bar. STR August 23-25 Adams, TN

Ron – We raised \$225.00 for the elderly, had 16 bikes and 2 vehicles.

B.O.D. Report: Trina- filled everyone in on what is going on at the B.O.D. Next meeting Sept. 8th at Shully's. Brought window visors for members and businesses – Lynn is taken care of Overton, Clay Counties., Sybil has Putnam Co., Ron has Pickett Co., and Dave has Fontress Co. Thank you. Couldn't do this without you.

Old Business: Ron reminded everyone of the ride in Sept. for the medical clinic.

New Business: Lee motioned to have certificates of appreciation made to give to our supporters. Sybil 2nd passed. Trisha was elected to have them made.

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Doe Creek Tavern donated \$50.00.

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Meetings:

August 4 –Obed Hideways,
Crossville Cook-out

September 7 – Bald Rock,
Pall Mall, Cook-out. Reminder it's
a Saturday.

October 6 – Red Barn,
Livingston

Thank you Doe Creek for having
us.

Ron motioned to adjourn,
Heather 2nd, meeting over. Let's eat

Ride Safe and Free.

Trina Goodsell
(Mermaid)



Robertson County

The Robertson County CMT Abate minutes for our meeting of July 2, 2013. We would like to thank The Pit for the awesome sub sandwiches, chips, and fresh cantaloupe and watermelon..... and oh yeah the cold ones that were slung by Donna!

Sgt. of Arms, John Mullins called the meeting to Order and led us in the Pledge. Memberships, Kathy lead us in the Prayer. Roland thanked everyone for coming (attendance tonight approximately 25 people). Roland announced that Kathy would like to start our meeting by making an announcement. Kathy announced that the 12 x 16 stage that is 2 foot high (that is property of our Charter) was used at one of her events and she donated to the Down Bikers Fund the earnings from this event in the amount of \$200. Thank you Kathy for this so kind donation. Roland also donated \$90.00 to the Down Bikers Fund as well. Also, thank you Roland for your kind donation.

Roland announced that we have a new member tonight, Jerry Grissom (Pops) welcome Pops to our Charter.....were glad to have you!

Roland announced that we move along with the meeting. Chaplin, George isn't present tonight. Secretary, Pamela announced that our last meeting minutes made it to the Newsletter....yahoo!

Treva announced the General Funds and Down Bikers Funds are great! Products, Samantha and Treva announced

if interested in products then see them after the meeting. Activities, Samantha said that she has flyers re: Benefit for Haley Morris, who was in a auto accident. She is the daughter to Bubba & Tonya Morris. Benefit is Saturday, July 6th at Firehouse Bar at 1015 Bradley Drive in Springfield TN. Samantha announced that Dickson/Humphreys Charter is having their Canoe Poker Run on Saturday, July 27th. For more information contact Beefy at 615-426-7344. Samantha announced that July 20th is Ms. Vera's In Memory of Ride. Call The Pit (615) 384-1463 for more information and watch for flyers. Samantha announced that we have STR tickets for \$20.00 now and at the gate they will be \$30.00.

Legislative, Marlin wasn't present. Assistant Director, Tim had nothing to announce....lol. Membership, Kathy received a new list of members tonight from Roland. If your expiration has ran out then it is time to re-up....see her after the meeting tonight.

Also, everyone be sure to check your membership cards to see when the expiration is.

Roland announced that our STR this year is August 23rd - 24th - 25th at Red River in Adams, TN. He has tickets...Marlin has tickets and anyone else who wants tickets to sell see him after the meeting. Get your tickets now for \$20.00 because at the gate they will be \$30.00...and they are going fast!

Roland announced that he still needs help with Security for the STR....see him after the meeting if interested. Roland announced that the In Memory of Ride is September 21st....more details at our next meeting.

Jerry Grissom (Pops)

announced that he is friend's with "Saucerhead" (Tim Fetts). He said that he is in hospital and not doing very well. Our Prayers are going out to "Saucerhead"....and his family. We certainly wish you a speedy recovery!

Thank you Pine for his so kind contribution to our Down Bikers Fund tonight!

Roland announced that Jeff called Motion to Adjourn and Lynn 2nd....Roland...all in favor....any opposed..... NOPE.....we adjourned!

Everyone is invited to come join us on the 1st Tuesday of every month at The Pit....we would like to see you there....so come on down and join us....The Pit provides great food for us at every meeting.....it is always good!

THE WEATHER TO RIDE IS HERE MY FRIENDSSO RIDE SAFE OUT THERE! ALSO EVERYONE REMEMBER LOOK TWICE AND SAVE A LIFE.....we would appreciate this as bikers.

FROM THE ROBERTSON COUNTY CMT/ABATE CHARTER WE WISH YOU A HAPPY AND SAFE JULY 4TH!

THE WEATHER TO RIDE IS FAST APPROACHING US.....SO RIDE SAFE OUT THERE! Sincerely, **Pamela**.....LOL



Smith Wilson Charter

Smith/Wilson meeting of July 7, 2013 called to order at 2:00 by Kim who also led us in the pledge. Vern led us in prayer. All officers were present. There were 15 visitors and 19 members in attendance.

Kim & Jerry welcomed all and thanked everyone for their support at the last event. Kim spoke of her upcoming surgery and regret of missing next event and meeting. Jerry spoke of upcoming Dream Ride Aug. 10th for his father. He will have more information at the next meeting. Vern thanked all for prayers and support with illness she has been battling.

Secretary and Treasurer Reports given and approved.

Legislation report – Bullitt, nothing to report

Activities – Tommy covered current and upcoming events. Crazy Preacher was present and asked for our assistance on Aug 3rd with their Bike Rodeo, Charter said yes! We will do the games at their rodeo, as well at STR August 24th. Also he reported the storage bldg. is coming along. We're in need of metal siding.

Membership – Leslie, We have 4 new members; Tony and Marla Sircey, Jerry and Darlene Binkley WELCOME!

Birthdays Vern Hatfield, James Sullivan and Ryan Kent.

Products – Peach, Still have some, get with Peach to purchase

New Business – We have safety sun shades available to raffle.



Veteran Liaison – Chris and Kim spoke of upcoming Vet. Home Bike Show and how much we need to support it July 20th. Ryan Kent spoke on the Lynn Garner Benefit Run July 27th.

David from Stones River needs support with Kim's upcoming surgery and with his charter's events Sept. 7th membership Run at Classic Custom and Oct. 19th Swap Meet.

Old Business – Sharon mention we still are selling raffle tickets for T.V (given away at Sept. Rodeo) and STR.

Motion to adjourn at 3:30

Later, **Ruth**

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Members

Welcome New Members!

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