

East Coast Riders Meeting Minutes

September 2, 2016

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2016 Officers:

President – Marc Martino

Treasurer – Shelli Failing

Road Captains – Ron Hinkel and Jay Tamez

Chaplain – David Secor

Vice-President – Rick Rosa

Secretary – Betty Holt

Sergeant at Arms – Troy Kay

Meeting called to order at 7:10 pm by President Marc Martino

Pledge of Allegiance conducted by President Marc Martino

Roll Call was completed by President Marc Martino

Attendees: Bob Balint, Bill Carchidi, Jenn Carchidi, Kristal Clevenger, Chris Cole, Joe Downey, Shelli Failing, Gene Gaylord, Ron Hinkel, Betty Holt, Butch Hughes, Brian Kelley, Chris Kelley, Tom Law, Louis Martino, Marc Martino, Matt Metzler, Pat Metzler, Gregg Pottenburgh, Brian Pulver, Dave Reinckin, Joyce Schneider, Ron Schneider, Carlo Scott, Tom Seamon, Dave Secor, Jim Sharp and Jay Tamez

28 of 64 Members Present

Minutes:

A reading of the August meeting minutes was completed by Secretary Betty Holt. A motion was made to accept the minutes as read by Ron Hinkel, 2nd by Dave Secor and accepted by members.

Treasury Report:

Savings Account

• Begin:	\$ 21,859.15
• Raffle in:	\$ 9,450.13
• ECR In:	\$ 1,248.00
• Hospice In:	\$ 1,882.00
• Club House In:	\$ 1,324.00
• 50/50 In:	\$ 66.00
• ECR Out:	\$ 12,066.68
• Hospice fund out	\$ -
• Club House fund out	\$ 153.70
• Savings Acct. Total:	\$ 32,475.87
• Cash:	\$ 250.00
• Checking:	\$ 3,278.71
Total:	\$ 36,004.58

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After the reading of the Treasurer's Report by Treasurer Shelli Failing a motion was made to accept the minutes by Ron Schneider, 2nd by Dave Reinckin and accepted by members.

Committee Reports

- Land Committee Report- Tent at the property needs repair work, it must be taken down, clean it and get it to a repair shop. There was a discussion about purchasing a heavy duty weed eater for the Club with President Martino providing some prices resulted in a motion by Dave Secor and 2nd by Dave Reincken to purchase one. More discussions about the Club moving Troy Kay's storage unit down to the property. This needs to be done to secure ECR equipment. The plan is to do this in about 2 weeks.
- T-Shirt Committee –Joyce- member shirt order will be set up at the next meeting. Tie-dyed shirts are now available
- Trailer /Bike Committee - Troy Kay, Rocky Failing and Dave Reinckin- bike dent will be repaired after the fair without turning it into the insurance company
- 501c3 Committee- received a letter from the IRS saying we owe a penalty for filing our return late. Betty talked to Rose and drafted a response to waive the penalty. We received our 501c3 determination letter after the filing date.
- Website- no report
- Board of Directors- no reports
- By-Laws- no reports

Event Committee- Paint n Sip is scheduled for October 22nd at Stuyvesant Firehouse. We have been asked by Steve Manny and Sue if we wanted to do the Hogs For Hospice Run again next year. Members asked what are the numbers for the 2016 Hogs for Hospice Run? Pat will check on Hotshot Hillbillies playing at our next Hospice Concert fundraiser. Tom Law also suggested Southbound \$600.00 for 3 hours

Safety Committee—Dave Reinckin, Did the first aid kits get updated?

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- Ticket sales to date (does not include any turned in at the meeting tonight) 2,400
- 192 tickets sold at North Adams Car Show. Plans were made for Matt to take the bike to North Adams bike night on September 24th from 5-8pm bike will be taken over at 4pm

Old Business – Club House Blueprints were discussed but it was stated that the property must be paid off before club can get permits and start building. Ron Hinkel fundraiser -total income was \$7,340. Honour Guard escort for military funeral in Chatham was done by 17 bikes a great last minute turnout

New Business – Ron Schneider suggested we pay \$10,000 upfront for the property. Ron Schneider suggested a monthly collection to put towards the property and then passed a hat for donations \$150.00 was collected. Ron also said Buzzy set up an opportunity for the club to go to Lake George Car Nationals and sell tickets. This will be Sept 9-13. Ron will be staying up there with the bike and trailer. Buzzy is trying to arrange a hotel room.

New Members/Prospects:

John Boice – bottom rockers, not present, Dan Mains- not present

50/50 Drawing: \$ 44.00 was won by Dave Reinckin donated to ?

The meeting was adjourned by President Mark Martino at 8:30 pm.

Upcoming Events:

Items in bold are ECR Event

- **October 1st Goat Brothers**
- **October 9-Tim's Run**
- **Oct 22- Paint N Sip**
- **Nov 12th - ticket raffle party**
- **Dec 10?- Christmas party/Booze Basket**
- **March- Beast Feast**