

Wolverine Chapter #1332 March Chapter Meeting – 03/12/2019

- Present colors - Honor Guard 7:02 pm
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Officer role call - Secretary Danielle Meronek - Debbie Levites, There's Jellison, Vicki Tadaro, George DeLanunez
- New members/guests? Welcome!
- Birthdays? Anniversaries? Lot of birthdays!! Bill and Connie Wilson 25 yrs!
- Dealer Announcements - Chapter Mgr. George de la Nuez/Carla Carlson announcements made by Todd Peterlin.
 - Ride 365. Bill Wilson 36960 miles 1st place. \$500 gift card. 2nd place - 28075 - Brad Moggio \$250.00. 10722 – Evelyn Valdez - service. Honorable mention - Scott Boechler, etc.
 - General merchandise - 50% off clearance for Chapter members.
 - Dave Friedel - hearts and prayers go out to him. Fellow rider coach. Works with customers. They think it is a fungus virus with pneumonia compounded on it.
 - Don't forget to log your miles.
- Chapter attire - minimum order not met, see Theresa for refunds - Tony made this announcement. needed to have minimum of 24 pieces. Didn't reach half of any of the pieces. If you wrote check it has not been cashed. Todd says they may be able to fill that order for stock. He will talk with Theresa.
- Ron "Rambo" Wambold Blood Drive - 62 registered, 9 deferred, 52 units collected - some walking in too. Max cap was 70. Hoping to do this again next year.
- Appreciation plaque presentation - John Cain - Activities - was going to get awarded last month. He did great job. 15th Anniversary party- was incredible.
- Vickie Todaro stepping down as Chapter Historian - application deadline 3/31 - make sure your app is in for that. Announcement will be made at next chapter meeting.
- Sturgis Trip 2019 - Meet with Dan Yuhn after the meeting - short meeting in room to discuss trip if you have signed up.
- Director announcement

Officer reports

- Assistant Director - Randy DiFalco
 - Frozen Tundra patches-see Chico after meeting for rocker.
 - 2018 Volunteer patches - see Randy
 - Ride 365 mileage registration
 - 2019 Great Lakes HOG Rally in MI - Boyne Resort, room blocks available have until April 1st to register. Bob Landon. He has a couple condos blocked out for that week. If interested get with him after the meeting. They are 1/2 mile from Rally sight.

- Charity Committee Chair - Debbie Levites
 - Announcements/charity events
 - Check presentations - \$1000 each - Josie DiFalco is making the presentation.
 - Warriors for Children - Tool, Crossbones and Double Trouble to accept the check
 - Thank you for all for at least considering us, we were not expecting this at all. Your money goes to a great cause. Human trafficking children. Spread awareness and support these kids. Horrible epidemic. Starting off small. We will be having our first fundraiser at Freddie's on March 31st. Flyers and brochures to explain what they do. On the second Saturday of the month they have their meeting upstairs at Wolverine. Ride on Father's Day. All are welcome. All this money will go and help these kids.
 - Befriend EB (Epidermolysis Bullosa) - Julie Turner and Rachel. Disease affects sensitivity of your skin.
 - Rachel is niece and born in 1990. WE mostly fundraise for medical supplies. She goes through \$3000 a week. That's \$15000 a month. 3-4 of difference specialized gauze. Special glasses and dental implants. We appreciate the money and thank you Jerry, her dad, for befriending us. Rachel said Thank you.
 - Josie wanted to thank Debbie and anyone who contributed to the charity to make a difference.
 - There are a few more cookies out in the main hall.
- Treasurer - Mike Reid - nothing new.
- Activities Officer - Greg Swieczkowski
 - Upcoming events
 - Destination Dinners
 - Whirly Ball - plenty of spots still available
 - April 27th, Spring Party, Hall party \$5.00. Riding Academy. Bring your own food and drinks. Thank you Karla.
 - Belle Isle Ride is coming up soon too. May 11th.
- Historian - Vickie Todaro
- Safety Officer - Gary Lewandowski
 - Hi, its March. I am ready to ride! Make sure you check out the bike completely. Make sure you take a first aid kit. Replace old expired items. CAT - Combat application tourniquets. Get one and carry it with you. Classes set up - Stop the Bleed - will be free. They come in and talk to you about what to do in a catastrophic situation. How do you stop the bleed. They are \$25-28 dollars. Can only use them once.

- Webmaster - Bill Wilson
 - New web site design - demo.wolverinehog.com - its all on the web.
 - Special thanks to Wes Hartman and Tony Bertollini.
 - Will do this for the next couple weeks and leave feedback on the contact form. In email and on the old website.
 - We have a lot of different information out there and goal is to simplify it for us
 - Call for feedback
 - Launch 4/1
- Editor - Darlene Brown - its in the newsletter. Send anything to editor@wolverine.com. You don't have to write up War and Peace. Just needs to be even a couple sentences. However you tell your stories. Call Darlene and tell her your story.
- LOH Officers - Sherrie Clemente/Kim Reid
 - Upcoming events
 - St. Patty's Day - Rosie Ogradies - 5pm in Chesterfield. Wear green and win a prize.
 - April - Ladies Workshop - Ladies Defense. Self defense.
 - Legacy 925 - Ride and Play. Go Karts - bowling - pool - laser tag. Sat May 18th. Staging at Meijer on 26 mile. Head out to Oxford.
- Membership Officer - Theresa Jellison - absent - remind to double check and make sure everyone renews. Scanning app is pretty up to date.
- Head Road Captain - Chico Arscott
 - Advanced Accident Scene Management April 7 - sign up - all on the web. Have to have the Basic in order to take the advanced class.
 - May 4th - bike blessing. Kensington Church. Leave Wolverine at 11 am. Get there at 9:30 or 10:00 and get signed up
 - CPR Class is coming up fast.
 - Tony Paco ride - April 20th - 75 will be shut down this year
 - Still accepting applications for new road crew. 38 road crew members. Started with 22.
 - Big Daddy's Mother's Day ride - he will send out email to remind everyone.
 - Training coming up - near end of month. Spring Training Freshen up your riding skills.
 - Aug 18th - Texas Roadhouse. Not sure about route yet- will get with Michelle.
- Sgt at Arms - John O'Brien
 - Thank everyone that signed up for security and honor guard. Doug will get out schedule for security.
 - 2019 Parking lot security sign up

- Honor/Color Guard sign up
- Photographer - Bobbie Faitel
 - New members meet by the water fountain

General Discussion

- Question and Answer Time
 - Freedom ride - to go to Karla. Drop it off at the dealership.
- 50/50 drawing
 - \$45 a piece.
 - Chris Martel
 - Paul McCarthy
- Food & drinks at Hamlin Pub Chesterfield - 23 Mile and Gratiot
- Tony stepping down as director. He has been an officer for 12 years of the 16 years that the chapter has been around. Thank you for all the support of past and present officers. We have a progression in place. Asst director will step up to fill the role. Truly is an honor to serve this chapter. Over the years have had so many people step up to carry the load. I just want to say thank you. We will be accepting new applications for asst director. It will be announced at the May meeting.
- Return colors - Honor Guard
- Adjourn meeting 7:57 pm
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