



## Minutes of Chapter 29

June 14, 2009

The meeting was called to order by President Paul Pratt at 11:01, but the meeting was held up due to an alarm for Copake. After a 15 min. break, the meeting resumed with the roll call of officers and members. There were a total of 22 members present.

There was one guest present and that was Eugene Browning's wife.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read and accepted.

There was no correspondence to be read.

TREASURERER'S REPORT – Bob read the report that Karen had given him and it asked if he would get the figures for the RUN TO THE HOME event for the next meeting. Bob said he would. The report was read and accepted. It was decided on to take a half page ad for the county convention.

OFFICERS REPORTS – VP Bob brought up about making Dawna Mraz an associate member due to her 911 status and work. It was voted on she was accepted into membership.

SEC RETARY – Don talked about the RUN TO THE HOME event and how it was not attended by other chapters, only the Utica chapter. There has been some talk about opening it up to the public or just doing it as a chapter picnic. This will be discussed in committee at a later date.

ROAD CAPTAIN – Jim brought up about local events that are coming up and he also discussed the upcoming county convention and asked if we are participating in it. Paul said that we have not been asked. We have members who said they wanted to ride in the parade. July 26 there is a run in the Utica chapter area, and we are planning on attending this event. Also on Aug. 8<sup>th</sup>, the NYS Association will be having a picnic at Blackthorn Resort.

QUARTERMASTER-Jo has t-shirts and sweatshirts available in all sized for sale.

PRESIDENT- Paul brought up that at the association meeting it was brought up that only patches in good taste was to be allowed on the back of vests for jackets. He also stated that he and Dave Schlegel went to NY33 car show and that they had a great time. Each won trophies for their bikes.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP- Bob had an app from Michael Langton from Hillsdale. The app is pending until the July meeting.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS- NONE

NEW BUSINESS-Bob brought up that on July 16<sup>th</sup>, we will be hosting bingo at the firemen's home at 7pm. All are welcome to attend.

Howie brought up about purchasing jackets. Jo said that she would look into it. Howie also gave Paul a CD of pictures from Americade.

It was also brought up that maybe we should purchase white shirts and black pants for special occasions. This will be discussed at a future time.

GOOD OF THE CHAPTER- There will be a Father's Day breakfast at the Red Rock fire station. We will be attending this as a chapter event. Everyone to meet at Chatham at 8am.

The next meeting will be held on July 12<sup>th</sup> at Dave/Carol Goolds home in Chatham Center. It will be a picnic/meeting. Everyone is urged to bring something.

Everyone who attended Americade had a great time, especially Paul and the Copper Camels.

Meeting adjourned at 12:07. 50/50 held and won by Gene/Alice.