

ABATE Oahe Chapter
February 12, 2022

Call to Order: Brad Bruns @ 6:34 p.m.

Members Present: 21

Pledge of Allegiance: Lead by Jon Geuther

OFFICER REPORTS

Treasurer: January 2022 report of all accounts for balances, debits, and credits was given by Sarah

Motion to accept Treasurer's report: David

2nd: Brandon

Motion: Carried

Secretary: No changes to January 2022 minutes

Motion to accept January Minutes as submitted: Lily

2nd: Chris

Motion: Carried

Membership Secretary: 72 members. Be watching your mailboxes for postcard renewals. We had two members renew and two new members.

State Rep: Thanks to everyone that attended Legislative Days and kudos to our chefs for the Friday supper we served. Remember we have the Road Hazard Safety Program to use year-round, 1-866-47-6765. New state tri-folds should be printed by March with the new updated design. Jiggs and others had a meeting with Amanda Hossle from SD Hwy Safety, her office grants funds for skill maps and LOOK signs. Lobbyist Dianna Miller updated us on session bills, she will continue to update the Legislation page on our website. State Products Manager is taking designs for new state shirt and 45th anniversary shirt and also looking at 45th challenge coins. Brad Skyberg is heading the Mentor Program and will share the presentation from Legislative Days to our website. The 2022 MRF Meeting of the Minds will be Sept. 22-24 in Des Moines, IA. Reminder STEAM 2024 will be in South Dakota, tentative plan for Sioux Falls.

Road Cpt: If there's nice weather, everyone is encouraged to ride. Paving of Hwy 1806 by Lower Brule, SD has been moved up to March.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Fun Run: Brandon presented another t-shirt design to the chapter. The committee is looking into doing pre-orders online so the t-shirt design will be tabled to the next meeting. The poster has been made and should be available for dispersment at the March meeting. The raffle tickets will also be available to sell at the March meeting and the prizes are: Buffalo Chip tickets for 2023, handgun, and tailgater grill. The band will be Onslaught again, and we will potentially have a band for Friday night.

OLD BUSINESS

Heartland STEAM is in Springfield, IL. Dates: April 1st-2nd, 2022. Our Chapter pays for 2 registrations and 1 hotel room. If you are interested contact one of the Oahe ABATE officers.

Scholarships: they are being dispersed at the schools and the Chapter will get together at Bonnie's house to choose the winners sometime in March.

NEW BUSINESS

Awareness Run: Chris volunteered to chair the committee; Chris will get a committee meeting set up in the near future. The Awareness Run will be May 21st.

Lori created new tri-folds for our chapter. We will be getting printing quotes and bringing them to the next meeting.

New members: Jon and Jimmy Geuther spoke about the MC that they are in called Sick Breed and shared what their organization is about.

Motion to donate \$500/card to a member battling cancer: Chris
2nd: Jamie
Motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to Abe and Randi for hosting our meeting at Prairie ATV & Cycle in Ft. Pierre.

NEXT MEETING

Saturday, March 12, 2022
Bill's Garage
6:30 p.m.

Motion to Adjourn: Jamie
2nd: Bill
Motion: Carried
Adjourned @ 7:36 p.m.

50/50 : LaCrista won and donated back
SOL :Rod Woodruff won but was not present

Sarah Burger
Secretary
ABATE Oahe Chapter