

BOD & General Meeting Minutes

April 11, 2024

Meeting Call to Order – 7:00

Meeting was held at Montgomeryville Cycle Center start time 6:00

Attendees: Cathy Walker, Gene & Ann Sutton, Jack & Lois Clark, Ken Ziegler, Chuck Tornetta, Mike Turocy, Sonja McFadden, Mike McGonagle, John Bailey, Dave Frattone, Conner Dearth, Matthew Moyer, Doug & Carrie Dubiel, Kevin Sturtevant, Tim & Rose Kristie, Glenn Godshall, Steve & Sharon Woscek, Peter Braeunig, Fred Botfield, Phil Olkowski, Mike Witzel, Albert Lovenberg, Andrew Cushman Jr, Jack & Beth Luciano, Rhonda Zartman, Cole Sauerwald, Joe Geiringer, Bill Ritting, Steve Skolnick, Darrell Thayer. Phil Santaniello, Chris Kuhnsman. Jim Laird.

- 1. **Reading & Approval of Minutes –** Cathy Walker read partial meeting minutes due to having the rider round up. The meeting minutes were emailed again to the board members and all board members approved the minutes and the minutes were added to the website & FB.
- 2. **Reading & Approval of Treasurer's Report** Tim Kristie read the treasurer report. Approved - 1st by Cathy, 2nd by Gene - all approved.

Expenses

- ✓ Design fee for New Apparel to ASAP check to Cathy Walker \$200.00
- ✓ Postal receipt check to Cathy Walker \$18.60.
- ✓ New Membership Cards check to Cathy Walker \$132.50
- ✓ Certificate & Frames for club sponsors check to Glenn Godshall \$67.23
- ✓ Total Expenses for the month \$418.33

Income

- ✓ Saving Account interest \$1.28
- ✓ Go Daddy Account interest \$0.99 cents.
- ✓ Two Renewal Family Membership Go Daddy \$67.78
- ✓ One Renewal Single Memberships Go Daddy \$29.01
- ✓ CD Interest -
- ✓ Total Income for the month \$99.06
- 3. New Member Introduction at Meeting Jim Laird, Matthew Moyer, Joe Gehringer

4. New Members for 2024 – Matthew Moyer, Kaycee Melonder, Stephen Hysick,

Jim-Angelika-Kaitlyn-Brittany Laird, Glenn-Mary Ellen-Samantha Borrell, Scott Miller, John Borowy. Anita & Cole VanZile, Rob, Julie, Kyle Hoffman, Jose, Maros, Isaac, Isabella Ramos, Victoria Ramos/Marrero, AJ Guzzi

5. Dealer Membership Status Update:

Montgomeryville Cycle Center, Trumbauer's Motorsports, Kermit K. Kistler, Inc., Blockers, Blackmans Cycle Center, Smith Marine LLC.

New Business –

- The Rider Round up at Montgomeryville Cycle was a success, we had forty members attend the meeting. The club had drawings for door prizes we had great door prizes. Thank you to Cathy, Gene, Andy for all their work going to places of business for donations of the door prizes. Thank you, Tim, for picking up the cake.
- The business that donated below. Q-town Dine - two \$20.00 gift certs. AOAA – four day passes. Kershaw & Fritz Tire Services – 15 cozies Tractor Supply on Rt 611 - \$30.00 gift card Pep Boys Q-town – one free oil change Battery Warehouse – Pens Faulkner Mercedes – Key chain & hat Bergy Ford/Chevy – 4 hats Fred Beans – Free state inspection, and Bucket of Cleaning supplies Auto Zone – Bucket of Cleaning supplies Thompson Toyota – Hat Good Year Tire – cozies. Wehrungs – 1 hot/cold tumbler. Blackmans – 2 rachet straps, Key chains, Shirts Gene – LVATV scarves A Thank you letter to be sent out to the businesses, Gene sending letters out.
- Framed Certificate's for Business Sponsors for 2023-2024 were presented by Glenn During the Rider Round up meeting.
 Board Members to visit and present to the Certificates to the Business Sponsors.
- Cathy presented Montgomeryville Cycle the Framed Certificate for their support and sponsorship of the club and thanked Dan & Matt for hosting the rider round up meeting and providing all the food and drinks.
- Trumbauer's Bill Mellow dropped off Sponsors Certificate
- Jack Clark was presented with an Award of Appreciation for his 39 years of Loyal Service to the LVATV Club, Jack has retired as the Board of Directors of the LVATV Club.



Old Business –

- Jack Clark has retired as the Board of Directors from the LVATV Club
- Bill Mellow has resigned as the President of the LVATV Club
- Elections Coming up for Renewal Positions and Open Positions
 Cathy & Jack motioned to extend the elections to the May meeting board all approved.
- The LVATV Club Online store is up and running for members to place their orders, we will close the store sometime after the April meeting to give members a chance to place their orders then ASAP will start working on the orders. Update Online Store closed on April 28th. Orders will be three weeks and will not be ready for the May meeting for pick up.
- Sponsors Tim suggested we get a letter together to send out to sponsors, to bring back sponsors that have not renewed. Email was sent out to business, and board members volunteered to visit the business for a more personal approach. Email was successful received response from the club major sponsors and the renewed their sponsorship.
- Hold an event to bring in income Ann said Bake Sale, maybe when Blackmans is having an event have a table during the event give out hot dogs & baked goods and have a packet to hand out to bring in new members.
- Check into a new place for the 2024 Christmas Party. No Update.
- Legislative Report 4/11/24 COB Dr Jack Clark:
 - There was not much legislative activity in Harrisburg related to ATVs recently.
 - Stickers for the Pilot are now available. Even though the Web site announced a later availability, some club members have already been able to purchase them.
 - PAOHV met on March 21st. They continue to be involved with the expanding Pilot Project. There are bridge closures in the Pilot, and we will be working to find detours. The next meeting will be April 18th.
 - Bill Ritting introduced visitor Jim Laird, PAOHV Research Director, who was attending a workshop with Bill earlier in the day.
 - The Snowmobile and ATV Advisory Committee (SAAC) has scheduled their next meeting for May 21st. The December meeting was cancelled.

UPCOMING RIDES INFORMATION:

- Phil Masters is also planning a trip to Maine in September if you are interested, please let Phil know.
- Colorado Trip was added for July 4th-14th. Fred spoke about where to go to and spoke with an ATV club Colorado Mills Pass Mafia riding club, best place to ride Taylor Park Trading Post, do three days of rider, No width restrictions. Fred has a friend in Colorado we can ride with them and the club. Permit is \$25.25 for the year go online or by phone takes ten business days to get the permit. Buena Vista (3)

and for a day trip would be the way back home. A lot of hot springs around there and Crystal River nearby.

• Glenn Godshall – is planning the following.

I am planning to add some riding days on either side of upcoming rides. Please reach out to me ASAP if you are interested in joining one or both rides.

August 31 – September 7 - I will be joining a group tour in the Gaspe Peninsula, Quebec. Depending on weather and the desires of any others who may choose to join me, I will add 2 or 3 days of riding in northern Maine on the way to or from this guided saddlebag trip. Here is the blurb from the Quebec Certified Guide:

The plan for our trip to the Gaspe Peninsula is finalized and waiting to hear back from a couple places and a BRP dealer to put final price on the trip and rental cost for SxS for those interested in renting a machine.

Our Start-point will be Grande Nature Village in the Chic Chocs. We will check into the lodge on Saturday August 31. We will get familiar with the trails in that area on Sunday September 1st. Then Monday the 2nd we will begin our 280-mile trek to Perce. Monday night we will stay at one of our favorite snowmobiles stops, the Motel in Grande Vallee. Tuesday we will complete the 280 miles to Perce. La Cote Surprise is our choice for lodging Tuesday night.

Wednesday we will ride back to Grande Vallee and Thursday back to Grande Nature Village. Our last day of riding will be Friday exploring more trails around Grande Nature Village. Saturday September 7 we will pack up and head back home

This will be a great trip making two trips across the most scenic area of the Gaspe, the spectacular North Shore!

September 20 – September 29, includes Club ride to Mines & Meadows & End of Season ride at Susquehannock. After the days riding with the club at M&M, I plan to hit each of the following ATV trail systems for 1 or 2 days each, depending on the group consensus and weather conditions. The places I plan to visit are Majestic Trails, Allegheny National Forest; & Tall Pines ATV Park; Andover, NY. I will be camping in my toy hauler at each location. I have found campsites with direct trail access. Most also have cabins or motel rooms nearby for those not wanting to tent or RV camp. THEN, I will join up with the club the following weekend for our End of Season ride on the Susquehannock trail system and the DCNR North Central Regional ATV Trail system (previously called the pilot program).

Close Meeting- 8:30pm



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