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STAR Touring and Riding Northwest Cascades–Chapter #154

Purpose: February Monthly Chapter Meeting
Date/Time: Saturday, February 6, 2010 beginning at 8:30 AM
Location: Bob's Burger & Brew, Burlington, WA

1. Opening
 - a. Welcome to all
 - b. Introduce new faces – no new faces this time
 - c. Birthdays
 - i. Jan 30 – Lenny
 - d. Attendance – attended by 30
 - e. Ride waivers for 2010, motorcycle endorsement required – see Roy
 - f. See Jim for 50/50 tickets
 - g. Member Photos
 - h. Member or Bike Photos – want a new one?
2. Officer Introductions – skip for February
 - a. President – John G
 - b. Vice President – Lenny
 - c. Treasurer – Jim P
 - d. Secretary – Jackie
 - e. Sergeant At Arms – Roy
 - f. Ladies Of STAR – Laurie
 - g. STAR Vets – Steve
 - h. Web Master – Kevin
 - i. Benevolence Officer – Gloria
 - j. Road Captains – Jon A, Lenny
 - k. Tail Gunners – Jim, Kevin, Jerry, Jim, Don
 - l. State Directors – Richard and Barb
3. Mission Statement for STAR Touring And Riding – skip for February
To pursue, promote and protect the interests of motorcyclists; to develop better and more enthusiastic relations between the general public, the media and the operators and riders of motorcycles; to encourage rider participation in events; to promote motorcycle safety and camaraderie among members; to promote organized events; and in general, perform them in a lawful manner.
4. News since last meeting
 - a. Gloria update
 - i. Gloria is now at Victoria General #605 in Victoria, BC
 - ii. Visitors are limited to Roy and immediate family
 - b. Monroe Chapter #428, charter signing attended by John G, Lenny, Steve, Jamie, Kevin, Dick, Terri, Richard, Barb (28 total)
 - c. Officers met to organize ride ideas
5. Break (10 minutes)
6. Treasurer – Jim P

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- a. Account balance - \$250.71
- b. 50/50 collected - \$76
- c. 50/50 winner – Jackie won and donated her share back to the chapter
- 7. News for this meeting
 - a. Vote in new members; Doug, Marcy, Dale; NONE PRESENT
 - b. Rocker and chapter patch order
 - i. Chapter patch \$6
 - ii. Take orders for Large and Small rockers
 - iii. Sell patches
 - 1. STAR Vets Steve \$9; need a new STAR Vets Rep with Steve leaving for NJ
 - 2. LOS Rep Laurie \$9; PAID
 - 3. 1 Lg 1 Sm rocker Robert D \$20; PAID
 - c. Safety Spot
 - d. Ask members for ride ideas
 - e. Rate The Ride concept
 - i. John G posted topic to forum, zero comments added
 - f. Charter reading and signing; we are now official for 2010
- 8. Future Chapter #154 events
 - a. February 13, Saturday - LOS fund raiser – Sweethearts Dance in Glenhaven, 6 – 10 PM
 - i. Set up begins at 4 pm
 - ii. Laurie to be DJ
 - iii. John G to take payments at the door
 - iv. Lenny volunteered Debi to make some treats to be sold
 - b. March 6, Saturday - Chapter Meeting at Bob's Burger & Brew from 8:30 AM to 10 AM
 - i. build ride schedule
 - ii. ride TBD based on weather
 - iii. plan on a very long meeting
 - c. March 20, Saturday – LOS fund raiser – car wash at Les Schwab in Mount Vernon 10 AM
 - i. Sherrie volunteered, but this event may be cancelled
 - d. March 27, Saturday – Hot Dog roast at Robert and Laurie's fire pit
 - i. This will be 12 – 3 PM with a short ride to follow
 - ii. More info to be share with a future email
 - e. April 17, Saturday - LOS fund raiser – car wash at Les Schwab in Burlington 10 AM
 - i. Volunteers include: Sherrie, Lenny, Robert, John G
 - f. April 25, Sunday – Lime Run for Make A Wish (flyer)
 - g. May 15, Saturday – Armed Forces Day
 - i. Ride to RMC in Renton
 - ii. Ride to Old Soldiers Home in Orting
 - iii. Deliver useful items
 - h. June 5, Saturday - Chapter Meeting at Bob's Burger & Brew from 8:30 AM to 10 AM

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- i. Breeze through meeting info and leave by 9:30
 - ii. Ride - Monroe Chapter #428 Poker Run
 - i. June 12, Saturday – Bike to Battle Cancer
 - i. Start with registration at SPS
 - ii. Ride to hospitals in Bellingham, Sedro-Woolley, Mount Vernon, Anacortes
 - iii. Return to SPS
 - iv. Casey Henson to help with media coverage and American Cancer Society
 - v. All funds to go to American Cancer Society
 - j. July 31, Saturday – Multi Chapter Ride
 - i. Meet in Renton at RMC by 10 AM
 - ii. Socialize, group photo, 50/50, snack food
 - iii. Local ride for 4 hours with scenic stops
 - iv. Return for BBQ and 50/50 draw
 - v. Depart around 6 pm
 - vi. Daylight to 8:45 pm
 - vii. John G invited all BC and WA chapter
 - k. August 20, Friday and 21, Saturday – NW STAR-BQ in Prosser, WA
 - i. Hosted by Chapter #409
 - ii. Bike games by Spokane, #174
 - iii. Ride over on Thursday, return on Sunday
- 9. Future events of interest
 - a. July 20 – 23, STAR DAYS in Chattanooga, TN
- 10. News from members
 - a. TBD date Jim Schermerhorn Poker Run
 - i. Sherrie and Wendy volunteered for check point #5 plus registration
 - ii. Kevin has developed the route
 - b. Steve, Sandy and Zach are moving to PA for a job in NJ
 - i. Steve says thanks for friendship
 - ii. They will be in Eugene, OR area for Jamie's wedding July 24
- 11. Today's Ride
 - a. Ride the JSPR route and identify checkpoint stops
 - b. Road Captain – Kevin
 - c. Tail Gunner – Don
 - d. Members – Jim, Lenny, Jerry, Karen, Bobby, Roy, Robert, Laurie, John G