

BMW MOC General Membership Meeting Minutes

Thursday, October 6, 2022, 7:00 pm – EMERALD NECKLACE MARINA GRILLE & WATERSIDE ROOM/ ROCKY RIVER RESERVATION/METROPARKS – 1550 Scenic Park Drive, Lakewood, OH 44107

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS:

PRESIDENT: Sandi Valois

Called to order at 7:00 pm

- Motion to accept minutes of the previous meeting as updated. Seconded, and motion approved.
- Sandi will still be conducting the 50/50 raffle sales BEFORE the meetings.
- Name tags - See Sandi. \$3 cash each, or PayPal to Roger Pivonka at www.BMWMOCC196@gmail.com
- Board plans to update the current and outdated Club Bylaws, once a draft updated version is ready for distribution for club members' review and approval.
- New club banners (1x2) have been provided to the Road Captains for photo ops on club rides.

VICE PRESIDENT: Paul Mitchell (absent)

TREASURER/MEMBERSHIP/WEB: Roger Pivonka (absent)

-196 members and \$6893 at Key Bank, less reserve of \$1750 = \$5148 available for use

SECRETARY: Mark Belli

-Minutes of this meeting will be posted on www.BMWMOCC.org under Member Information.

ROAD CAPTAIN/S: Wally Gingerich, Duncan Cooper reporting

- Everyone who goes on the club group rides should be familiar with, be familiar with, and be willing to participate in, the "Drop and Sweep" procedure, and be an active participant in the rides. Instructions are available on the website. The groups are getting large, so people are needed to step-up to lead rides and be sweeps.
- Weekend Ride to Marietta, OH was held September 30 – October 2. Had 14 club member participate.
- Scooter ride – September 28, Bellevue, Ohio.
- BMW MOA Motorad Fest in Lebanon, Tennessee this weekend. Police bike competition.
- Seeking suggestions for club rides for next year, please forward to Duncan/Wally on Facebook Page or on our website forum.

Thanks to the Road Captains and Ride Leaders for all their hard work!

MOCAL 2022 - Don Poremski

Target - Historical Sites and/or Museums - email a photo with you, and preferably with your bike if safe to do so, to strutguy@yahoo.com. You can also take a photo of the events/rides sign-in sheets and email to him.

OLD BUSINESS:

- New trifold membership application flier to be reviewed by Board when draft is done.
- Quartermaster items-still in Paul Koontz's possession. Items will be retrieved and inventoried. Potentially may be sold or donated to another club.

-We will post as many upcoming rides and events as we can on the website, and our FB page.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Bill Penney went to the Isle of Man for the TT. He is willing to give a presentation at a future meeting.
- Sills Motor Sales Scavenger Hunt – Oct 15, 9:30-3 pm. Sandi is making this a club event so make sure you see her to sign-in when you arrive!
- Club is seeking input for Winter activities, please forward any suggestions to club directors.
- Emerald Necklace Ride led by Pat Corrigan is planned for Sunday 16th October with kickstand-up at 10:00 am at the start Emerald Necklace Marina, Lakewood. The ride is approximately 70 miles long in some of the most beautiful scenery in NEO and ends at Squire Castle.

Next General Membership Meeting - Thursday November 3, 2022, 7pm – LAGERHEADS SMOKEHOUSE 2832 Abbeyville, Rd. Medina, Ohio 44256 – come as early as 5:30 pm for some awesome BBQ before the meeting!

Next Board Meeting: November 17 (one week early due to Thanksgiving). 7:00 pm – Location Panera on Tiedeman Road, 5090 Tiedeman Rd, Brooklyn, OH 44144 (216) 362-8130.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:19 pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Mark Belli, Secretary