

Chapter New York III

Newsletter

BLUE KNIGHTS NEW YORK III

May 6, 2003

Attendees:

JJ, Al Kenwood, Kim & Bill Pomeroy, Sal Napolitano, Dave & Mary Howard, Cindy & Ray Davis, David McDonald, Carol Wheeler, Helen Kolaitis, Mike & Katie Downey, Janet & Donald Cassavant, Steve Bekesy, Bob & Anne Ferrigan, Chuck Tuttle, Carl.

If you were at the meeting and your name does not appear here you must have forgotten to sign in. Please try and remember at all meetings and functions to sign in.

Meeting called to Order.

The meeting was called to order at 1915 by chapter President JJ Lynch. This was followed by the Pledge. After the Pledge a moment of silence was observed for all members of Heaven One and for the members of our Armed Forces.

REPORTS:

Secretary's report, Motion made by Bob F. and seconded by Dave H. to accept the minutes of the last meeting as written. All were in favor.

Treasurers Report was given by Bill Pomeroy. Bill asked if there was any unpaid bills from the weekend. None were turned in. He pointed out the difference between checking balance and spendable monies. He has money set aside for COPSRUN and the 50/50 raffle.

Board of Directors

No report. No business was discussed.

Web Master Bill P. Has been busy with updates and upgrades. Have you seen the web page that has been created by Bill for NYIII? Take a minute or two and

have a look, let Bill know what you like and what changes you would like, if any.

Quartermaster Report Charlie was unable to make the meeting. A discussion was brought up about the ordering of the flag that is needed to complete the pin set and about the patches. An estimate for the above items was about \$700.00. Charlie will be asked to get in touch with the treasurer when he has the exact cost.

If any member has any items that belong to the chapter please get them back to Charlie K. JJ requested that a complete Inventory be done on all chapter items.

AMA JJ has to fill out all the necessary registration forms and return them to AMA. Seems that there is a lot of paper work connected with getting and keeping AMA Insurance.

Committee Reports:

Annual 50/50

Al has more than enough 50/50 tickets still on hand. If you can assist in the sale of some it would be appreciated. This is the main fund raiser for NYIII. He reported that 92 were sold over the weekend at the TSC and Bike Blessing.

JJ purchased and donated 20 tickets, 2 books, to be used as two of many door prizes..

Meet and Eat

Hudson Buffet, Fishkill May 20,2003 at 7:00pm
Rain or shine

New Application

Phil Cioffi has filed an application.

Bits and Pieces

Bob Ferrigan has offered to purchase and sell to the membership black berets. These berets can be part of our dress uniform. The cost is between \$11.00-\$14.00 each. If you are interested in getting a beret give Bob a call, he will need to know your hat size, S.M.L.XL.

Dave Howard discussed getting a club jacket. This way when we are at an event we all look alike. He has a vendor that can silk screen. Interested? Give Dave a call, he can give you more details

Blue Knights NY 1 is hosting a Cruise to the Mexican Riviera. April 3-10,2004 631-821-3300.

Tri-State Fall conference applications are in. JJ has the registration forms.

Bill requests that if you received any items from any business for either the TSC or Bike Blessing please let him know as he has Certificates of Appreciation to issue.

Mary Howard had same day surgery on Wednesday the 7th. GET WELL SOON!

May 6, 2003 50-50 winner Mike Downey.

Upcoming events

May 11 Mothers Day Ride to Green Meadow.

CANCELED

May 18 Hawks Nest Ride canceled due to fire. ALT. Ride: New Jersey 1 ANNUAL Marshall Beau Boyer. Meet at Johnnie D's, leave 8am
Charlie K. 452-8757

May 20 Meet and Eat Hudson Buffet Fishkill
7pm

May 31 Sean Higgins Memorial Ride
Carl 236-3495

I save the best for last:

President JJ could not thank the members who worked the Tri-State Presidents Meeting and the Annual Bike Blessing enough. One day was hard enough but to do it two days in a row was hard to believe.

He already had letters of thanks from various Chapters that attended our weekend. It would be impossible for me to list everyone who worked and I do mean work. All I can say on behalf of the President and Board Members of New York III is each and every one did an outstanding, fantastic job. You all deserve a pat on the back.

Motion to adjoin made by Bob F. and seconded by Sal.

Sincerely submitted,

Carl Raymo