

BLUE KNIGHTS

CHAPTER NY III

NEWSLETTER

Attendees:

November 1, 2005

The following were present for the Nov. 1, 2005 Membership meeting which was held at the Denny's Restaurant, Route 9, Poughkeepsie, NY (This includes family and friends of our membership).

Tom Mazzola, Carl Raymo, Bob Coletta, Keith Lipsey, Fran Lipsey, Willie Hernandez, Bill Pomeroy, Bob Ferrigan, Dave Kaufman, Dave McDonald, Cindy Davis, Ray Davis, Tim McGuire, Steve Pascal, Frank Cirigliano, Frank Cuevas, Frank Basile, Ed Burgos.

Meeting Called to Order

President Raymo called the meeting to order at 1919 hours. All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance and remained standing for a moment of silence to honor the members of Heaven 1 and all of our Armed Forces.

Officer Reports

Secretary's Report

A motion was made by Tim McGuire and seconded by Dave McDonald to accept the minutes as published in the Oct. newsletter. The motion was passed unanimously not to read the minutes.

Treasurer's Report

Bill Pomeroy submitted a report of the club's finances; motion to accept was made by Bob Coletta and seconded by Tim McGuire.

Quartermaster's Report Ray Davis is looking into contacting J. J. Lynch to get the original digital design for the jackets for the club back in the club's possession.

A.M.A. Reports

Dave McDonald reported that all who are members of A.M.A. please contact Dave McDonald and submit your membership numbers. Dave is the contact for A.M.A. meetings and other information. Anyone wishing to join A.M.A., log on to www.AMAdirectlink.com

Old Business

Keith Lipsey reported that the meet and eat at Enzo's was very well attended. 28 in total. All had a good time and a good meal.

Tom Mazzola reported no feedback on the memorial ride patch from the other chapter. He will follow up on this and report back in December.

Carol Raymo submitted his report from Tri-State. Attendance was very low.

New Business

Dues are due this month. Please submit them to Bill Pomeroy, Treasurer.

Christmas Party will be on Saturday, December 10. A chair person was appointed. Keith and Fran Lipsey stepped up to the plate. Dave Howard has not yet confirmed the Washington Hollow Hunt Club as the place to hold it.

Three new transfers were accepted into NYIII, Frank Cuevas, Frank Cirigliano, and Steve Pascal. Welcome!

Frank Basile attended his first meeting and after two more meetings will be voted in as a member.

There will be a December meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 6 at 7 P.M.

Sal Napolitano was not present to give Installation Dinner information.

Ed Burgos presented a contact for a Blue Knight Fund for Hurricane Relief and it was motioned by Dave Kaufman and seconded by Tim McGuire to send \$250.00 from the club. Secretary, Bob Coletta, to mail out letterhead accompanied by the check.

Results of officer's election for the year 2006.

Carl Raymo, President; Keith Lipsey, Vice President; Dave Howard, Treasurer; Bob Coletta, Secretary; Dave Kaufman, Director; Ed Burgos, Road Captain; Ray Davis accepted to stay on as quartermaster.

Due to the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday, there will be no meet and eat this month.

E-mails and phone numbers must be kept up to date. Please inform the Secretary of any changes so that our records are kept accurate.

50/50 was won by Bob Ferrigan and Fran was the collector. Thanks, Fran!

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 2037 by Dave McDonald and seconded by Bob Coletta.

Congratulations to all executive board members elected for the year 2006!

Best wishes to Debbie Raymo. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Coletta
Secretary, NYIII