

RED KNIGHTS MOTORCYCLE CLUB NY CHAPTER 29
Monthly Meeting – February 21, 2020
Lebanon Valley Protective Association

President Lisa Funk called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll call: 13 members answered the Roll. No guests present.

The January 2020 minutes were distributed by Secretary Kathy Burke prior to this meeting. Motion made by Joanne Dwy, seconded by Judith Shea, to approve minutes as presented. All approved.

Correspondence:

- Thank you from Jim & Karen Nielsen of Churchtown for Christmas in September gift card.

Treasurer's Report:

- The Treasurer's Report was prepared by Carol Goold and read by Lisa Funk. A motion was made by Joanne Dwy, seconded by Theresa Proper, to approve the Report as presented. All approved.
- Bills: \$50.00 to Judith Shea for Larry Nielsen gift card; \$29 to Eugenia Browning for Association Patches. Motion made by Paul Pratt, seconded by Eugene Browning to pay bills. All approved.

President's Report:

- Thanks to Bob Hawley, Sr. and Kathy Burke for work done on chapter patches.

After some discussion, it was decided that we will purchase Chapter Patches from Custom Patches, as they are the only company that has gradient threading capabilities and also gave the best quote. The winning patch is "choice #1" as distributed via email prior to this meeting.

Motion made by Eugene Browning, seconded by Eugenia Browning to purchase 100 Chapter patches. All approved.

- Thanks to Carol Goold, PJ Proper and Kathy Burke for their input on financial review. More discussion to follow.
- Bingo at the Fireman's Home: 10 people helped – thanks for making the evening a big success. The residents enjoyed getting a \$5 cash prize for winning. Thanks to Dave & Carol Goold for their monetary donation towards the evening.
- NY53 Bowling Challenge: 6 people attended. It was a fun day.

Vice President's Report: We received an application for Active Membership from Chris Hawley before the December meeting. PJ interviewed Chris. Motion made by Paul Pratt, seconded by Gene Gaylord to approve Chris Hawley's membership application. All approved.

Road Captain: PJ reported that Bryan is doing better.

Quarter Master: Nothing new...still have a lot of shirts. Eugenia will print the Chapter order form to have available at future meetings so everyone can see what is available for sale.

2020 Run to the Home: Discussion of available dates for the 2020 Run to the Home. Three choices – May 9 at the Home, May 16 at a fire department or August 8 at the Home. Motion made by Paul Pratt, seconded by Bob Hawley, Jr. to have the 2020 Run to the Home on August 8, 2020. All approved.

Christmas in September: nothing at this time.

Old Business:

- Membership Drive – letter was mailed to all Columbia County fire departments in January and has been posted on the Chapter's Facebook page.
- Financial Review – Lisa distributed some QuickBooks reports to all present. There was some discussion and some questions. Please review and get in touch with Lisa with any additional questions. There will be further discussion at the March meeting.
- Memory Patches – "Heaven One" patches are available to purchase for \$5 each and there is no minimum order number. Rockers with individual names can be purchased; there is a 10 minimum order number. Lisa will send an email to the Chapter to see who would be interested in purchasing either/both of these patches and will confirm pricing with International.

2020 Schedule:

Monthly Meeting: March 20 at 6pm – Dwy's house, dinner to follow

Monthly Meeting: April 17 at 6pm – Ancram Fire Department

Patch Ride - Grand Tour: May 16, 2020 - *starting point and time to be determined*

Monthly Meeting: June 21 at 9:30am – Goold's home, brunch to follow

Monthly Meeting: July 26 at 10am – Copake Fire Department, ride to follow

Monthly Meeting: August 7 at 6pm - FASNY Fireman's Home

RUN TO THE HOME: August 8 at FASNY Fireman's Home

Monthly Meeting: September 12 at 9am – followed by delivery of Christmas in September gifts.

Location tbd.

Monthly Meeting: October 18 at 930am – Chatham Fire Department

Monthly Meeting: November – no meeting

Monthly Meeting: December 20 - *location and time to be determined*

Good of the Chapter:

- The Memorial Hall has been reserved for the weekend of July 17-18, 2020. There are still beds available. A truck is being brought along to bring items which might be needed. The cost is \$20/night and will sleep 10 people in 2 queen bedrooms or two two-twin bedrooms.
- Chicken BBQ dinner at the Copake Fire Department on April 11, 2020. If you would like a ticket, please contact PJ at 518-610-1400.
- Breakfast at the Chatham Fire Dept., second Sunday of the month thru May (none in April), 8-11am.
- NY3 & NY53 Trivia Night February 28 at the NY3 club house.
- August 9 – CT State picnic.
- March 14 – NY29 Bowling Challenge at the East Greenbush Bowling Center. \$15 for 3 hours, including shoes and ball.
- April 5 – Breakfast with the Easter Bunny at the Niverville Fire Department.
- Beginning February 28 – fish fry Friday's at the Chatham Fire Department, 5-7pm.

Next Meeting: Friday, March 20 at 6:00pm, at the Dwy's house. Potluck dinner will follow.

Thank you to New Lebanon for hosting this meeting.

Motion to adjourn was made by Joanne Dwy, seconded by Paul Pratt at 7:01pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Burke, Secretary