

## **Business Meeting Notes January 8, 2004**

From all those that attended, the Fort Casey weekend was wonderful. A good time was had by all, we would like to make this a yearly event.

Connie Brown our treasurer read her report on where we stand financially.

Jo Hunt our sunshine person said "Happy Birthday" and "Happy Anniversary" to all those that had birthdays and anniversaries in December, since there was no meeting.

Mike Wilcox the ride guide reported:

1. January 17<sup>th</sup> is the first Green Freeze ride
2. The 2004 Ride Planning meeting will be after the general meeting on January 25<sup>th</sup> at the Chapter club house.
3. Hotel rooms have been reserved for Ritzville and Cooley Dam for this year's ride to Lind, WA for the Combine Demolition Derby. Contact him if you want a room, costs, etc. We will be leaving on 6/11 and returning on 6/13.

Mark Morrison, our webmaster, has made some changes to our website. He would like to hear from you about what he has done. Any suggestions or comments would be greatly appreciated. Mark is very anxious and excited about being a new member lets keep his enthusiasm going.

Barb Dunn has copies of all the other chapters and their meeting dates and places. See her if you would like an updated version.

It was voted on and passed that our chapter would put together two baskets for the drill teams auction. There will be a sign up sheet at the general meeting so be sure to sign up for something, they both will be baskets filled with baked goods.

It was voted on and passed that since our newsletter now will be posted on the state website, that we now do the newsletter at the beginning of the month, instead of the current time. So that's what'll happen, you'll need to get your articles, recipes, bits of humor in by the general meeting date.

Business Meeting for February will be at Barbara Dunn's, at which time we will inventory our supplies for the Teddy Bear Tour.

## **Teddy Bear Tour Meeting:**

TBT Logo: Bring your logo suggestion to the January General Meeting. At the meeting, we will vote to determine which one will best represent Chapter P. The winner will receive a free breakfast.

Letter to Businesses requesting donations: Barbara has the letter in MSWORD format on CDs for anyone who would like to have one. She will have them at the general meeting. The CDs also contain the 2004 Teddy Bear flier.

We already have our Grand Prize for this year, two nights stay at the Fort Casey Inn.

We will need volunteers to help with the TBT event, at registration, check points and at the finish. A sign-up sheet will be passed around at the general meeting.

If you have collected door or silent auction items, bring them to the general meeting. May 6<sup>th</sup> is the deadline for collecting door prize/silent auction items.

Don't forget to contact you local fire station, paramedics, police to see if they would like some Teddy Bears and how many. Also, if you know of a medical facility, which could use some Teddy Bears, let Barbara know.

On February 22<sup>nd</sup>, after the general meeting, we will be riding/driving to Boehms Chocolates in Issaquah. The owner indicated last year, when we presented him with his plaque, that he would be willing to donate again this year.

There will be pictures of the Harley-Davidson Scooter, which is our raffle item this year, at the general meeting and tickets for you to take and sell.

If you have any questions, please contact Barbara/Bobbi Dunn at 253-864-9199 or email at [bobbidunn@comcast.net](mailto:bobbidunn@comcast.net).

Hope to see everyone at the January 25<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Puyallup Eagles. 8:00 AM breakfast, 9:00 AM meeting.