

# **MOTOR CITY CUSHMAN CLUB**

# Newsletter – June 2018

DEDICATED TO THE PRESERVATION AND RESTORATION OF CUSHMAN MOTOR SCOOTERS

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# Welcome New Members

Michael and Susanne Johnson from Haslet, Michigan joined our club in March. Dave and Carol Waldecker from East China joined our group in June. We are very glad to have them in our club and look forward to seeing them at the next events.

#### **Meeting Minutes**

The meeting was called to order on May 20th at 4:05 PM. The club thanked Tim and Diane Brandt for hosting at their home.

A motion was made by Frankie Hayes to accept the April minutes as posted in the May newsletter. The motion was seconded by Mitchell and was passed by all present

#### Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report was not given since the treasurer was not present. The report will be given at the next meeting.

# Old Business

Keith Stieber reported that there was an inquiry as to how much it would cost to have club patches made. These MCCC patches could be sewn onto anything a member desired. A quantity of 10 = \$247 (\$24.70 ea.) a quantity of 50 = \$279 (\$5.58 ea.) a quantity of 100 = \$319.25 (\$3.19 ea.) After a group discussion, ordering 50 would be the most feasible, but all 50 would need to be spoken for, and paid for, before the club would consider an order.

#### New Business

Tim Brandt requested that the monthly club expenditures and financial balance be posted in the newsletter as was done previously to promote transparency in the club finances. The issue was tabled until the next meeting.

Mike Hayes is hoping to plan a multi-day event near Manistee next year. This plan can be discussed at the 2019 planning meeting.

# <u>50/50</u>

No drawing was held at this meeting.

# Adjournment

Mitchell made the motion to adjourn at 4:30 P.M. It was seconded by Mike Hayes and approved by a majority show of hands.

# Motor City Cushman Club: 2018 - 2019 Schedule of Events

Listed below is the approved schedule for this year as voted on at the Planning Meeting. Any additions or changes to the schedule can be submitted to the **president or proposed at a club meeting**. If attending an event, please RSVP to the Host as soon as possible to make their job easier.

# June 24, Sunday - Breakfast, Meeting and Ride

Hosted by: Chip and Janie Weyeneth

Place: Sandusky Airport, **Sandusky, Michigan** 

Time: 7:00 A.M.

R.S.V.P. Chip 810-648-3396 or Cell 810-334-2831

Notes: You can come up on Saturday. There are Motels available in town Please have your scooters fully gassed and ready to ride. Meet at the Sandusky Airport (two miles north of Sandusky) at 7:00 A.M. for breakfast in the big hanger, which is put on by the Sandusky Flying Club. The ride will start promptly at 9:00 A.M., we will stop for lunch. The ride will continue on and finish back at the airport. After the ride, there will be a nice sit down dinner at a local restaurant for those who are interested. There is rustic camping available at the Airport. The preferred hotel is Demott's Westpark Inn, 440 W. Sanilac Rd., Sandusky, MI 48471 Ph: 810-648-4300. <u>Remember</u>: **Sandusky, Michigan**.

# July 12th, Thursday

Hosted By: Keith and Karin Stieber

Place: The Voyageur Restaurant, 525 Riverside Ave. St. Clair, Michigan Time: 12:00 Noon

Notes: There will be a meeting followed by a ride (weather permitting). Bring lawn chairs for the women, in case they decide to sit in the park. R.S.V.P. 586-876-6555

#### July 26 - 30, Wednesday thru Monday - Vintage Bike Meet - Portland, Indiana

Meeting for July will take place in Portland Meeting date, time and place to be determined

# August – Date and time to be determined

Hosted by: Don and Donna Renton Place: Bellville Area, MI Time: R.S.V.P. 734-697-0994

#### August – Date and time to be determined

Hosted by: Al Copp

Place: Stahls Automotive Museum 56516 N Bay Dr. Baltimore, MI 48051

Time: R.S.V.P. 586-945-0177

#### September 12, Sunday – Place and time to be determined

Hosted by: Mike and Colleen Niefert Place: Time: R.S.V.P. Mike 734-771-0068 Colleen 734-306-1051

#### September 23 – 29 - Fall Rides and Camping

Hosted by:	Paul Jones & Curtis Blowers
Place:	Timber Crest Camp and RV Park
	5552 State Route 515 Millersburg, OH (http://timbercrestrvpark.com/).
Time:	Sunday thru Sunday
R.S.V.P	Paul 313-605-3831 Curtis 517-677-3693

#### Notes:

The rates are determined by the length of stay, so come and stay as long or as short as you want.

The park is nestled in a quiet area surrounded by trees right in Holmes County, Ohio. They offer a spot for you to camp in a pleasant, peaceful place only minutes from local attractions and Hotels/Motels for those not wanting to camp.

Rides will be planned every day with different hosts. Some rides may require a scooter to be capable of speeds around 45, if the road requires it. We will try to accommodate all riders when possible.

A ride to Lehman's hardware (https://www.lehmans.com) and a meal stop at the Town and Country Diner (http://www.kidrontownandcountry.com/restaurant.php) in Kidron, OH is planned. The wive's not riding, but will join us at the diner.

Don Renton will be hosting some rides.

Those not riding will have lots of shopping and tourist attractions available to them all week.

We will be planning some dinners at restaurants and some pot luck meals at the campground for anyone wishing to partake.

#### Camping:

Whether you bring an RV or a tent or both, they have a spot for you. The club has a block of full hookup sites reserved for us, so please let them know you are with the Motor City Cushman Club and the reservations are attached to Paul Jones' name.

They have full hook-up as well as electric only sites. Each site is accompanied by a picnic table and fire ring. Located by the office, the Club House has a free Wi-Fi Hotspot. Check your email, browse, and get the latest weather for excursion planning.

Amenities • shower house • laundry room • free wifi • dump station • pet friendly • full hook-up - water, sewer, electric • pull-through • 30/50 amp

More info 330.893.2720 5552 OH-515, Millersburg, OH 44654

#### Hotels:

Below is information of the choices for hotels in the area nearest to the campground in Walnut Creek, Ohio where the RV people will be staying.

Sugarcreek Village Inn Sugarcreek, Ohio 330-852-9900 (Six rooms are being held for us. 23rd. thru 28th.) This place is 6 miles from the campground Rooms run between \$79 and \$99.

The Wallhouse Hotel 2870 Cove Lane Walnut Creek, Ohio 330-852-6105 This place is 1.5 Miles from the campground.

Carlisle Inn 4949 Walnut St. Walnut Creek, Ohio 855-400-2275 This place is 1.5 miles from the campground.

Prices were higher on the website, they did not respond with group rates.

The best I can say is that all three have great reviews. Quaintness and Price was the choice for the Sugarcreek Inn.

Go online and check the three out and make your choice. Do it quickly because they are already getting bookings from group tours.

Regards, Keith

# October 3, Wednesday - Ride and Lunch

Hosted by: Vito Lumetta

Place: Meet on the parking lot at Blossom Heath Road, 1 or 2 blocks south of 10 mile Time:

R.S.V.P. 586-286-7139

# October – Date, place and time to be determined

Hosted By: Keith and Karin Stieber Place: Time: R.S.V.P. 586-876-6555

# November 14, Wednesday - Thanksgiving Dinner and Meeting

Hosted by: Mike and Colleen Niefert Big Bear Lodge, 25253 Telegraph Rd, Brownstown Twp. MI 48134 Place: Time: 2:00 P.M. R.S.V.P. Before November 9th 734-783-4927 or 734-502-3363

#### December - Christmas Dinner and Meeting - Volunteer needed

Hosted by: Place: Time: R.S.V.P.

# January - Pizza Party and Planning Meeting – Date to be determined

Hosted by: Tim and Diane Brandt 2636 Forest Mead Drive, Sterling Heights, MI 48314 Place: Time: 1:00 P.M. R.S.V.P. 586-254-1278, Bring your calendars, ideas and be ready to volunteer to host a ride or event for the coming year.

#### **Birthdavs:**

June Raimond- June 10 David Hayes – June 19 Fred Raimond – June 22 Don Frasure – June 25 Bruce Althouse – June 30 Dave McCarroll – July 30

Club Website by Paul Jones: www.MotorCityCushman.com