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NEWSLETTER



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HOWE YAWL:

Here it is December, which means another year has passed beneath the wheels of our favorite German toy. Marjorie Ashton racked up 17,000 miles this past riding season, and won the milege contest. Ralph and Marcy StJohn toured through 21 states, and won the most states contest. Ed Cook found out that tire sealer stuff, don't always work like it says on the can. We had 175 registrations plus guests at our 77 Rally at KOA. After all the bills were paid, \$227.00 went into the club treasury. Frank and Donna Thompson had their bikes painted to match, a metalic black. Mike Todd gave up on the old one, and bought a new 77 BMW. And didjanotice, wonder of wonders, Huntz Gregory finally put that Italian thing out to pasture, and bought a BMW 900. Former Honda riders Gayle Snively, Marjorie Ashton, Denny Damschroder, all bought new BMW's. On the other side of the coin, your editor, Bob Klear, Charlie Kindle bought new Honda's. Sour note of the year, the snafu at Perelli Park.

RALLY: For those of you who don't know it yet. The 1978 BMWMOA National Rally will be at Rutland, Vermont -- July 20, 21, 22, 23!!!

BANQUET: Our banquet at Holiday Inn was well attended. I counted 34 members, and 12 guests. Food was very good, and door prize's were plentiful. Ed Cook hosted a party in his room at the Inn after the banquet. Seems Ed fell asleep across one one of the beds with his cloths on. He was walking around the next day with a stiff neck, and grousing about what it cost him just to get a stiff neck!!! Can't win them all Ed.

6 Members: This club is going to lose 6 well known, and well liked members this year. Dan & Jan Linder, and Joe & Reta wright bought the Four Seasons Yamaha dealership in Medina, Ohio. At this time they handle the complete Yamaha line. Bikes, snowmobiles, clothing, hardware, and accessories. They are hoping to have a BMW franchise within the next year. If you are up that way, or need anything, stop in and see them. Address is; Four Seasons Yamaha Inc. 739 West Liberty St. Medina, O. 44256 - Phone 216 723 5581. Charlie & Betty Kindle have started their own club. It will be chartered by the AMA. The club will be orientated to poker runs, touring, and other AMA sponsored events. You must be an AMA member to join, and can ride any make bike. If you would like more info, call Charlie or Betty 726 5961.

CERTIFICATES: Denny Damschroder will have made up, and donate to the club, a fancy, scroll type blank certificates. These in turn will be sent as "Thank You's "to dealers, and manufacturers who have donated various articals for our Rally's, and banquets, ect., ect.

APOLOGY TO BRAND X MEMBERS: I said in the November newsletter that all Brand X members now have full club privileges. I jumped the gun a little bit. Dale Poster pointed out we were not following procedure on this, as laid out in the club by-laws. So you will have to wait until the Dec. meeting for the vote on a by-law change. But you Brand X's be sure and come to the Dec. meet, I will have ballots for you so you can vote, as soon as we get the by-law change voted through.

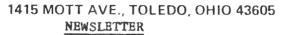


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NEW MEMBER: We welcome to the BMW Riders Of Toledo, Bettye Mobley, who was voted into the club at the November meeting. Bettye hails from West Milton, O., which is about 20 miles north of Dayton, and just off interstate 75. And of course she rides a BMW. Bettye's boyfriend, Dick, won the "Hippo Hands," as a door prize at the banguet. She said, she thought maybe, just maybe, she could talk him into letting her use them once in awhile!! Luck Bettye. We had a total of 20 members, and 2 guests at the November meeting. Guests were Mike Brickner, who by the way, is the new head parts man at Schiets. Ed Dietz was the other guest.

BALLOTS: Please get your ballots mailed to Tom Fuchs. If you were planning on bringing you ballot to the Dec. meeting, and the roads are bad so that you can't get there, your ballot cannot be counted. So please mail it. By the way, Toms got a new address too, so don't forget to make the change on your personal address sheets. T. Fuchs 2115 Hastedge Toledo, O. 43614. Don't worry he will get ballots sent to him at cither address.

FOR SALE

Parts for R27, Rear swing arm and shaft - Rear drive housing - Gas tank - Front Earls fork - Generator armature - Battery cover & air filter - Rear shocks - Alloy wheels. Parts for R 69 S - Exhaust header pipes. 1965 R 60 Basket case. Make offer. Also 30 horsepower Johnson outboard motor. Make offer. Dale Foster 4514 289th St. Toledo, O. 43611 Or call 419 726 8117.

MEETING: Our next meeting will be Tuesday, December 13,1977 at Woodland Estates Mobil Home Park on Oregon Rd. at 8:00 P.M. See ya then.

I WISH EVERYONE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS, AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR !!

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