

TOLEDO, OHIO 43606

SEPTEMBER, 1979, NEWSLETTER

Well, the last one was so late, I'll try to even it out and get this one out earlier than usual. Since I'll be out of town Labor Day week, this edition should be real early. Also, I've got my typist, editor, etc... back for this issue. So, away we go ...

August meeting: We had a turnout of 16 members and four guests. Dennis Linehan, a prospective member, attended his second straight meeting. Rita reported that we had a net profit of \$523.28 from the rally. (That's a bit more than she-the pessimist--had expected.) Our current balance is now \$2119.86. Don't cheer yet -- we'll be spending some of that at the picnic and banquet. The club picnic will be Sept. 15-16 (details below). The club Christmas banquet will be Dec. 8 (details below). Based on the limited return on our survey, we will continue to hold a rally next year.

Two motions were made which require a change in our by-laws, and therefore must be published in the newsletter before being voted on at the September meeting. These are:

- 1. Moved that the Rally Chairperson be an elected officer of the club.
- 2. Moved that the nomination of officers be done at the October meeting, elections at the November meeting, and installation at the Christmas banquet.

We had a lengthy discussion about how to get more publicity for the club and how to attract new members. As one means to do this, we decided to have some business cards printed. (There should be a stack of these with this newsletter.) So, next time you help a stranded biker (or car), or next time you see a local BMW rider, give the person a copy of our card. These are small enough that you can carry a couple on the bike.

Club picnic: This will be held at Van Buren State Park on September 15-16, 1979. Directions: South on I-75 to Route 613. East to town of Van Buren (about a half-mile), then south on local route 220 (about a half-mile). Those people wishing to camp out on Saturday night may do so (at club expense) at the private campground across from the park. The picnic is Sunday about 2 PM. The club will provide beer, pop, and meat. People who are coming should bring salads, chips, etc. Please call Ace or Annie Freeman if you plan to attend, and make sure you check with them about what salads or other goodies you are bringing.

Christmas banquet: The banquet will be on Dec. 8 at the Hospitality Inn (I-75 and Miami Street, Rossford). The place has a good restaurant, motel, indoor pool, etc. Dinner will be buffet-style, and we must select one of these menus:

1. Beef stroganoff and fried chicken

\$8.95

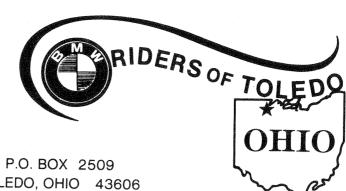
2. Swiss steak and roast chicken breast \$9.95

3. Swedish meatballs and ham

\$8.95

We will make a choice at our next meeting. We must also decide how much to subsidize members' meals, if at all. Motel rooms are \$40 for doubles--we'll try to make a list of those who want reservations at the September meeting. P.S. Drinks are not cheap, so we may want to think about setups and BYOB.





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Poker Run: For those of you who enjoy this, or those who have never tried it, show up at the Travelers, 8940 Dorr St., on September 9 at 1 PM. Maybe if we make a special effort for this one, we could get a club attendance award???

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 8 PM at Woodland Estates Trailer Park, 28180 Oregon Rd. See you there.

You Beastie Newsletter Duo (aren't ya' glad?),

Mercy #Ralph

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Morgan Mr. and Mrs. John R. Battelline the marriage uniting their children invite you to share in the joy of

on Saturday, the twenty-ninth of September Nineteen hundred and seventy-nine This celebration of Lore will be Saint John Lutheran Church at six-thirty in the evening 209 Southwest Boulesard Belledue, Ohio

Ronald Raymond

Reception immediately following County Road 46 Marywood Hall