



BMW RIDERS OF TOLEDO

OCTOBER, 1981, NEWSLETTER

Well, since our last newsletter did not get out at all, I will get this one out a little earlier than usual. As most of you know by now, Bob Peck has decided to expand his horizons and relocate in Pennsylvania. I'm sure we all wish the Pecks 'Good Luck' on their new venture and thank Bob for the excellent job he has done. I volunteered to take over the November and December newsletter until our new editor can show us his/her stuff. Since most of you know how mechanically inclined I am or how well versed I am on motorcycles, I've decided to write an in-depth article on all those cute motorcycle fashions. Ha. Ha.....How about 'How I spent my summer vacation with Uncle Montezuma'?.... How about getting down to business? Good idea!

August meeting: Seventeen members were present. Frank Shirey was nominated Rally Chairperson. Frank has decided to put on a 'Back to Basic Rally'. Any suggestions on the rally site, rally ideas or Committee volunteers, please contact Frank.

Club Picnic: Leslie Braun did a fantastic job of cooking and organizing our meal. The picnic was on Sept. 12-13 at East Harbor and we had a pretty good turn out. It was also a unanimous decision to make Dale Foster our Galloping Gourmet for next year.

September meeting: Five guests and 19 members present. After months of being forgotten Conrad Pritscher was unanimously accepted as our newest member. Conrad resides in Perrysburg, teaches in Bowling Green and is the proud owner of a 1977 600 BMW, 1974 900 BMW and a 50' roll of orange reflective tape. Welcome aboard Conrad, hope to see more of you and your tape. We also nominated our new 1982 officers. The list of all

accepting is on the official ballot enclosed. Nominated for Road Captain, but declining was Bob Klear. He said something about needing to rest up for the weekends????

Mileage Contest 1981 Flash! Due to no September newsletter, Smitty has decided to extend the contest to November 10, 1981. If you entered last April call Smitty before the 10th with your list of states visited, events attended and odometer reading. The awards will be presented at our annual banquet.

Annual Christmas Banquet: Saturday, December 12, 1981 8:00 P.M. Harley House at I-75 and Miami Street in Rossford.

Menu includes: Swiss steak, Chicken, rice Pilaf, Mexicorn, broccoli, oven roasted potatoes, relishes, tossed mixed salad, fruit salad bowl, cole slaw, three bean salad, deviled eggs, macaroni salad, Waldorf salad, jellos, fresh bread, beverage and fancy desserts for those first in line.

Cost: \$13.16 per person which includes tax and tip. It has not been decided if the club will pay for a portion of the bill. I'm sure it will be discussed at our next meeting. We will also decide on having a cash bar or not. Don would like to have your applications in by Nov. 30, 1981 so if you don't make it to the November meeting you may want to check on the price as our next newsletter may not be out by then.

For Sale: 1981 RS BMW Red, Krauser Bags, Reynolds backrest, Red Eclipse tank bag/Weenie bags, Heat shields, tall wind screen 2800 miles \$6,000 FIRM Mike Brickner at Schiets.

A.M.A. Charter: If our club wishes to remain an A.M.A. chartered club, it is mandatory that all of our officers are A.M.A. members. Also, if we should in the future decide to hold any poker runs, we should join the NWOMA. There is a 6 month probation period and the cost is \$15.00. The decision is yours.

Next meeting: Tuesday, Nov~~10~~, 1981 8:00P.M. See you then.
Happy Pumpkin. 'til next month this is your temp editor signing off.

M. Kelly