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JUNE 1992 NEWSLETTER

GREETINGS & SALUTATIONS

Hi! Hello! How are you? Hope your doing fine. It's the end of May and probably the beginning of June. Everybody, is, I'm sure, out enjoying the spring weather and their motorcycles.

This month we have a few rally announcements and some long distance correspondence.

We've received an announcement from the BMW Riders Assn. of Western New York for their Niagra Region, Bullfrog Rally. And another from the Pure Stodge Touring Assn. for the Iowa Rally. Copies are enclosed.

For those of you out touring and camping I've included a piece on tick borne diseases. Remember, if you find that just right out of the mainstream camping spot some deer or other such animal probably has also. So read this important warning under **Hints an Tips**.

Projects and Tech Events isn't very entertaining this month, so reread last months column for a laugh.

Ride Safely

Motorcycle Rider Course Schedule

Penta County Voc. School, Oregon Rd. Perrysburg, (419) 666-1120 ext. 286
Basic skills course, Motorcycles provided
\$15 registration (refunded aft. completion)

Friday, Saturday, Sunday Classes

Fri. 6PM - 10PM

Sat. & Sun. 8AM - 5PM

May 8,9,10 June 26,27,28

July 24,25,26 Aug. 21,22,23

Sept. 25,26,27 Oct. 23,24,25

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Classes

6PM - 9:35PM

May June
4,5,6,11,12,13 8,9,10,15,16,17

July Aug.
13,14,15,20,21,22 3,4,5,10,11,12

Sept. Oct.
7,8,9,14,15,16 5,6,7,12,13,14

(Toledo Courses on page 3 & 4)

ACTIVITIES

See attached flyers for other events.

June 8: Jackson Ice Cream Ride

Organized by the Blue Knights this ride is to the Jackson Allstar Dairy in Jackson, Michigan. Meet at Ray Smiths in Sylvania @ 6:00pm. Anyone that is interested should call Ray at 885-5619.

June 9: Monthly Meeting

7:30pm at Rob and Debbie Piechocki's home, located at 6436 Scarsdale Rd.

June 26: BMW RA International Rally

Pineola, North Carolina
near the Blue Ridge Parkway.

July 16: BMW MOA 20th Anniversary Rally

July 16-19, Du Quoin, Illinois.
Southern Illinois State Fairgrounds.

I'm sure that many of our members are planning on attending this National Rally, as it is so close to our area. Southern Illinois is very interesting terrain which will provide excellent rides and scenery for all that go.

Aug. 1: Amish Dinner Ride

This is another ride organized by the Blue Knights. Meeting time and place to be announced for this ride to Der Dutchman Restaurant in this small town just east of Columbus.

Hints & Tips

PROJECTS & TECH EVENTS

FOR SALE

Gunfighter Dual Seat. Fits 85 R-80 and other models. Good condition. \$80

Jim, (419) 473-3900

Corbin Dual Touring Seat. Fits 86 and later K-bikes. \$150.00 or BO. Ray, (419) 885-5619

**Eclipse Tank Bag, Good Condition \$50/BO,
Fox Boots, Black, Good Condition \$40/BO,
Rob, (419) 865-6065**

Monthly MEETING MINUTES

The May 1992 meeting of the BMW Riders of Toledo was held on 5/12/92 at the Peiffers on Ottawa Cty. Rd. 14 near Gibsonburg.

Call to Order: At 8:02pm by president Don Smith.

Roll Call: The roll call was conducted by sign-in and was accepted as written. Those in attendance were:

Cande Crowne (guest)	Jan Smith
Mike Crowne (guest)	Ray Smith
Tim Crowne (guest)	Dale Foster (V.P.)
Ed Cook	Ernie Richards
Don Smith (Pres.)	Owen Marshall (new app.)
Carol Smith	Ron Berry
Leo Peiffer (Treas.)	Wade Kemp (new app.)
Phillis Peiffer	Rob Piechocki

Minutes: The minutes from the previous month were read and a motion to accept them without changes was made by Ed and seconded by Don. Motion passed.

Treasurers Report: Leo reported there is \$1060.01 in the treasury. A sum of \$50.00 was sent to the Secretary for postage. Ray motioned to accept the report as stated and Ed seconded. Motion accepted unopposed.

V.P. Report: No report.

Secretarys Report: No report. Absent.

Road Captain: No report. Absent.

Old Business: No old business.

New Memberships & Applications: Owen Marshall presented an application for membership at the meeting.

New Business: Dale asked for any suggestions to increase our revenues. The subject was opened for discussion. Rob suggested the sale of club T-shirts or like items to benefit the club. Ed and Don both noted that most attempts to increase the treasury ended in a "break even" situation at best.

Dale also suggested that if a Rally is in the clubs's future, insurance may be obtained from the AMA if we charter with them.

A letter from Dan & Mary Braun was read to the group (copy included).

Don mentioned that a new BMW dealership has opened in Detroit (Warren). Ed noted that the new dealership was present at the Mini-Rally with 2 demo bikes. An announcement is enclosed. Several compliments were made to Leo and Phillis on the progress on their new house and the food provided for the meeting.

Jan asked about the prospects of a progressive dinner. Don suggested that such an event would be held later in the year and the subject was tabled for now.

Dale mentioned that our Road Captain, Gayle Snively will enter Toledo Hospital on June 3. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Gayle.

Wade noted that the MDA benefit at Hine's Farm is Fri. May 15th - 17th.

June Meeting: Will be on Tuesday June 9 at Rob's house on Scarsdale Rd. (map included).

Ed made the motion to close the meeting and Ray seconded.

The Meeting Closed at 8:26pm

RIDE SCARED, RIDE SAFE
It's a good way to stay alive!
Frank