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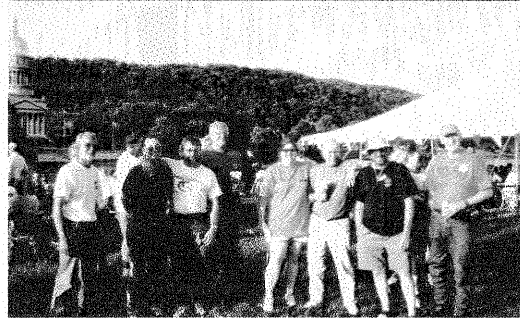
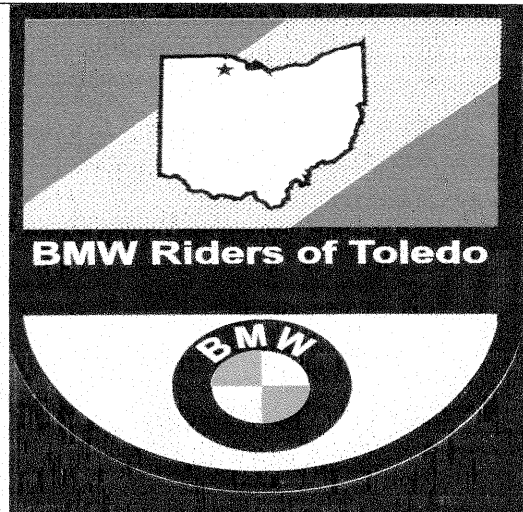
**August campout with  
meeting at East Harbor  
State park. August 22-24.  
The campout of the year!**

Campout begins Friday evening. Dinner  
ride on Friday at 6:30pm to Jolly Roger.  
Saturday meeting at 7:00pm after dinner.  
Dinner for nominal donation Saturday  
night. Self guided rides! Great scenery  
and people don't miss it! Map enclosed

Meetings are held the second Tuesday of  
each month with the exception of a club  
function.

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# **BLACK SWAMP BEEMER**

## **BMW RIDERS OF TOLEDO July/August 2003**

### **Minutes For June 2003**

*Minutes for May were accepted as printed in newsletter.*

*Delbert called meeting to order.*

### **Presidents Report**

Delbert thanked everyone for coming!  
Delbert welcomed new members. The turn out for the campout was great success.  
Delbert and Julie went to the Buckeye beemers poker run Julie won high point.  
Micro rally quite a few members from our club were there. The Cleveland Fall foliage rally will probably be moved back one week because it conflicts with RA national. The national is to be spread out.

### **Vice-President Report**

Michel no vice report this month. The laughs rolled.

### **Secretary**

Newsletter is printed. Cut off for September newsletter will be August 27th. Please!  
Please submit an article. Usual happenings.

### **Treasurer Report**

Sonja gave report. Report accepted as given.  
52 active members. We now have a  
Campout fund for dinners at our 2 campouts.

### **Road Captain**

Gary is MIA.

### **Webmaster**

We got a website! Wade brought statistics.  
Questions bulletin board do we want people from outside the club to use our for sale board. Leave up to Wade's discretion.  
Newsletters how far back do you want to go? The suggestion was 6 months.

### **Membership**

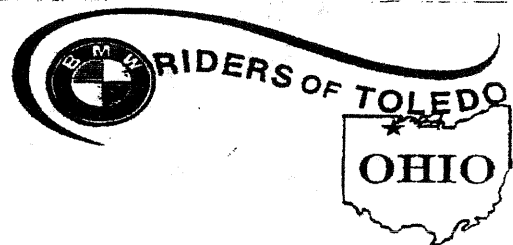
Welcome Frank Crawford. He was voted back in he was a previous member. No nay because Gary absent.

### **Old Business**

Name tags. For anyone who wants a nametag please contact Ed Cook 419-691-5766 the badge master. Cost is \$5.00. Club patches still available \$5.00. Club banner will be expensive if we do not make it ourselves estimates \$400 to \$450. Too expensive. Looking for volunteers to make new banner Old banner missing. If you were at last August campout look for it. Shirts silk screening set fee \$125.00 then \$13.50per shirt cost to make per shirt total 17.50 too expensive for our treasury right now.  
Anyone who would like to check into shirt for a 3<sup>rd</sup> bid. Nametags still available call  
Badge master Ed at 419-691-5766

### **New Business**

Challenge letter from BMW riders of Eagan Minnesota they challenge all BMW riders to donate to the national rally charity for this year. Discussion was that we are not able too. The club treasury is small a motion was made to not present donations for the club treasury to make but to bring them up as presented to the individual. So bring them up if you want to donate individually you know about it and you can donate. At next campout we need a registration table to know who is coming to our rally. This is to be an organized rally scary. Dale brought up an event at Metcalf airport in June. Wade brought cards for club members to pass out to BMW riders you see around Toledo.  
Good Idea. Hopedale ride in September on 13<sup>th</sup>. There will be a regular meeting on the 9<sup>th</sup> of September. It will be at Wally's.  
Blackberry corners not open on Tuesdays.



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## **BMW RIDERS OF TOLEDO July/August 2003**

### **The Editor's Column**

For every rally there's a story they say this years national rally is no different. As you can see from the front of the newsletter there were several members at the national that got together and had a beer. Those pictures were taken on Friday night. Thursday evening was quite a different picture around the rally. Early in the evening 70-mile an hour winds came through the rally and blew the beer tent away. It also took out several tents that blew into the river. There were a few people injured when the beer tent came down but all are now doing fine. The rally was chopped up that was a pain in the butt. Those who chose quite camping on magic Island ended up under water and 3 inches of mud. The meeting for the presidents ended up being a big bitch session. But despite all the bad the rally ended up good for the most part. Over 7000 BMW riders showed. There were wonderful roads to ride. Hawk's nest state park had some wonderful views. The roads were awesome. There were moments of rain but overall the rides were wonderful. The gorge bridge is a great engineering feat as well. I met people from all over. We camped near the Cleveland club Pam and Tim were there they are doing fine. I met some people from Florida, the jokes just rolled on the street corner we were camped on. When the beer tent closed the party continued to the early hours of the morning. We talked about the Blue Ridge Mountains and riding up the scenic highway. Everyone there trying to live in the moment and hang on to

the laughs that were going around the circle. It's tough to come home after a relaxing vacation and go back to the grind. I try not to think about it.

The weather this season is a whole other story every time I look at the sky it seems to be raining I guess if you like to ride in the rain this is the season for you. We won't be worrying about a drought. I've been getting very few days off lately overtime is just all over, kind of funny considering the economy is bad. The bad part is every time I have a day of it rains. What is up with that! There are lots of people riding though despite the rain.

Well weather rain or shine I hope your riding season is going well. Till next time ride safe!

Beth S.

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**BLACK SWAMP BEEMER**  
**BMW RIDERS OF TOLEDO July/August 2003**

**Calendar of Events 2003**

•August 15-17<sup>th</sup>: Four Winds Rally  
contact Nancy Barret 724-941-1543  
or e-mail seanbarr@adelphia.net

•August 16<sup>th</sup>: Zodiac riders  
Southington Ohio at 6pm 330-638-  
2597

• **Aug 22-24 Toledo**  
**BMW Riders Summer**  
**Camp Out at East Harbor**  
**State Park (group area)**  
**Meeting 7:00pm Saturday**  
**August 23<sup>rd</sup>. This is the place**  
**to be!**

•August 29-September 1: Finger  
Lakes Rally. Contact  
[www.fingerlakesrally@yahoo.com](http://www.fingerlakesrally@yahoo.com) or call  
585-798-9185

•September 5-7<sup>th</sup>: B.S. Rally put on by the  
buckeye beemers. Enjoy southeast Ohio's  
scenic highways. Campout at Lake Snowden  
Campground 5 miles west of Athens pre  
registration \$30 gate \$35 contact Eric Nyrop  
at 614-444-9409 or  
<http://home.columbus.rr.com/buckeyebeemers>

•September 6: Wheelers Fostoria first  
bike out 1pm. Poker run. Phone 419-435-  
6881

•September 7<sup>th</sup>: Travelers poker run. First  
bike out 1pm. Dorr st. Toledo.

•September 9<sup>th</sup>: BMW Riders of Toledo  
meeting at Wally's Restaurant. Food  
6:30pm Meeting at 7:30pm.

•September 13<sup>th</sup>: BMW Riders of Toledo  
meeting and ride to Memorial. Meeting  
place Denny's restaurant Fremont. Map  
enclosed. Meet at Leaving at 9:00AM.

•September 14<sup>th</sup> Blackhawk poker run:  
Harvest run first bike out 1pm Sarah  
drive just over Michigan line.

•September 20<sup>th</sup> Wheelers poker run first  
bike out 1pm. Chili bash, 3257 Stickney  
ave Toledo

•September 21: Continentals poker run  
first bike out 1pm in junction Ohio. Toy  
run no toys \$10.

•September 26-28 4<sup>th</sup> and last r90s Rally  
3 miles south of Shreve Ohio at  
whispering hills campground on SR 514  
Contact Alex at 330-872-3832

•October 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> National RA rally  
Barber Motorsports Park  
Exit 140 on I-20  
East of Birmingham, Alabama

•October 5<sup>th</sup> Fostoria golden eagles poker  
run. On county road 19. 419-435-6881

•October 12<sup>th</sup> poker run. Scioto valley  
state route 309 Kenton Ohio 419-673-2175

•October 14<sup>th</sup>: BMW Riders of Toledo  
meeting at Gary Haydel's house. It's the  
October feast! Meeting 7:30pm.

•October 18<sup>th</sup> poker run Lima. AT lima  
Harley Davison 419-227-7989 first bike  
out 1pm

•October 19<sup>th</sup>: Last Poker Run of the  
season. First bike out 1pm at Blackhawk  
Sarah drive Michigan.

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## RIDE TO HOPEDALE TO THE MOTORCYCLE MEMORIAL SATURDAY September 14<sup>TH</sup> MAP :

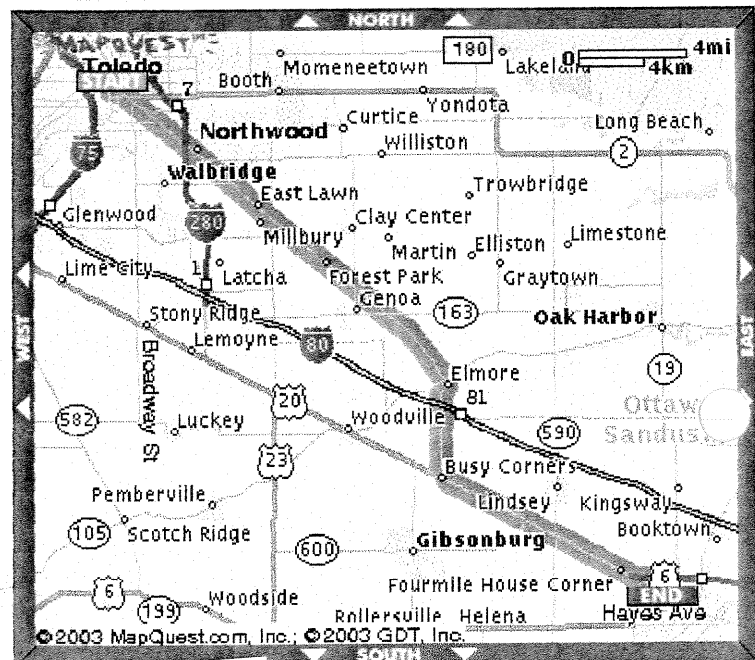
### DIRECTIONS

### DISTANCE

! There are 0.12 miles between the end of your directions and your destination. Use maps to get from the end of your route to your destination.

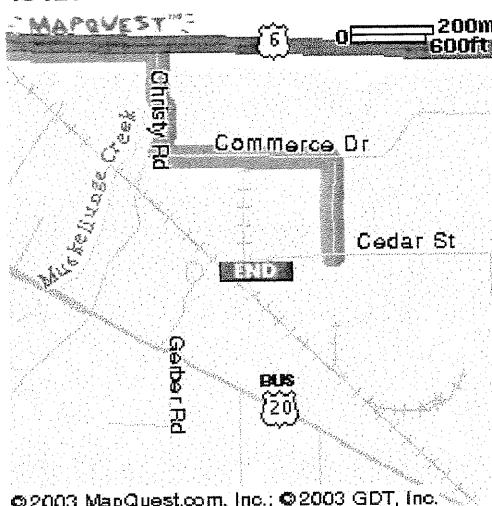
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| 1: Start out going East on GREENWOOD AVE toward YONDOTA ST.            | 0.22 miles  |
| 2: Turn RIGHT onto OAK ST.   | 0.09 miles  |
| 3: Turn LEFT onto WOODVILLE RD/ OH-2/ OH-51. Continue to follow OH-51. | 16.53 miles |
| 4: Turn RIGHT onto OH-51/ RICE ST. Continue to follow OH-51.           | 3.64 miles  |
| 5: Turn LEFT onto US-20 E.   | 8.82 miles  |
| 6: Turn RIGHT onto CR-57/ MUSKELLUNGE RD.                              | 0.16 miles  |
| 7: Turn LEFT onto COMMERCE DR.   | 0.25 miles  |
| 8: Turn RIGHT onto CEDAR ST.   | 0.16 miles  |

**Total Estimated Time:** To  
48 minutes

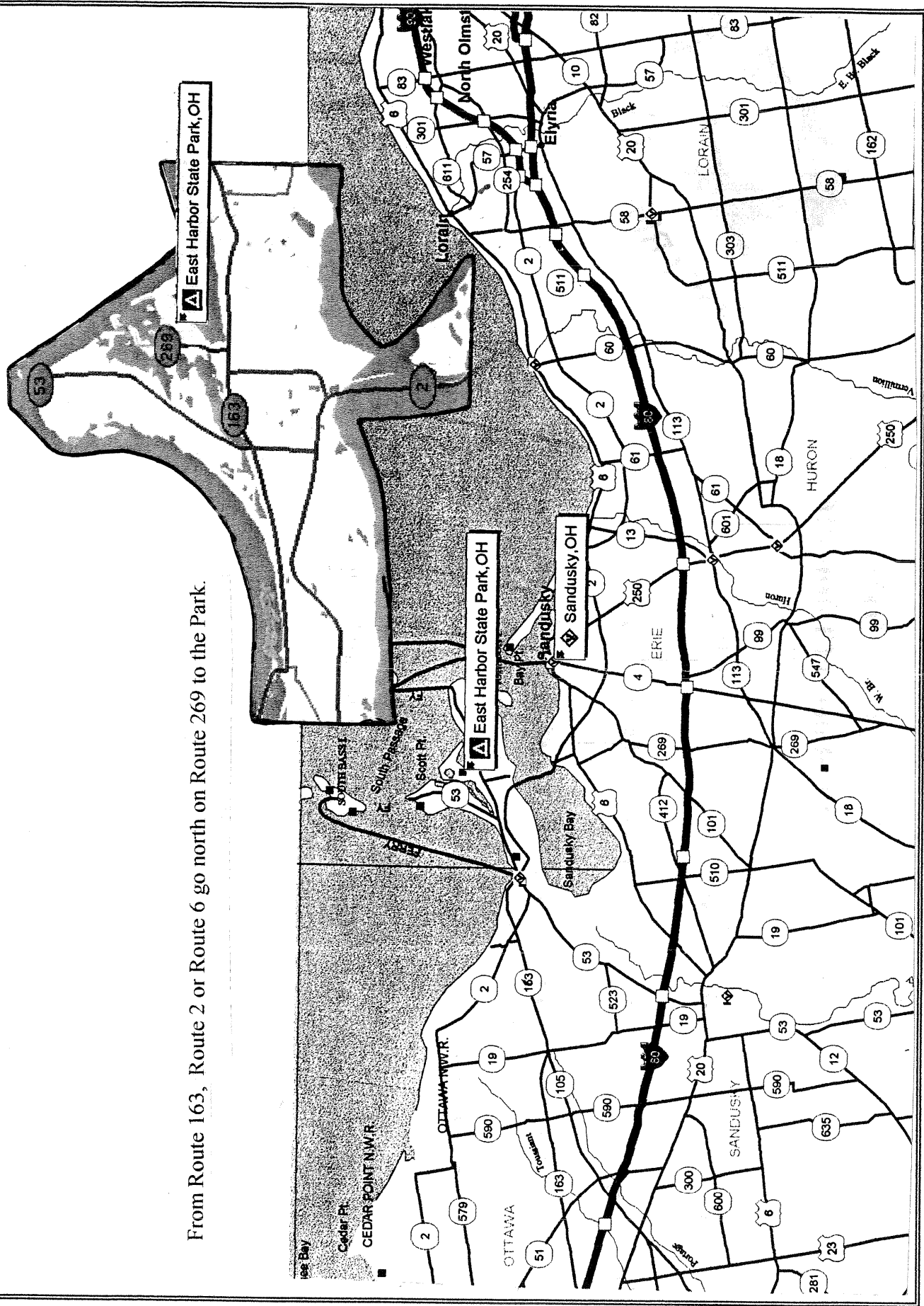


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