

January 2011

# BADGER MOTORCYCLE WRAP-UP



## December Meeting Notes:

Reported by Lisa Skaleski

### Members in attendance:

• Ann Becker, Ken Becker, Kevin Birr, **Howard Blades**, Curt Boettcher, Lisa Boettcher (Skaleski), John Bollig, Bob Borkowski, Keith Brei, Chris Collar, Doug Dahlke, Ty Dobbins, Jim Eng, Mark Everson, Mary Everson, **Dale Geske**, Dick Glaser, Gail Glaser,, **Glen Hartjes**, Janet Haskins, Keith Haskins, Don Jarek, Debby Jentz, Jim Jentz, Megan Kerrigan, Ken Kilgas, Jim Klas, Ed Lennop, **Keith Lennop**, Ron Limberg, Ken McHugh, Wayne Nankervis, Arlene Neumann, **Al Paltzer**, Jim Paltzer, Sandy Paltzer, Debbie Panzer, Jim Panzer, Rodney Pettit, Bob Rueckl, Rod Roller, Tom Running, John Schomisch, Carl Van Dera, Vicki Van Dera, Eugene Vandenberg, David Wiener, Tom Wilson

*(official attendance has not been verified at the time of this letter)*

### Meeting called to order:

- President Al Paltzer called the meeting to order
- The meeting was held at the Primo Resaturant, Oshkosh.

### Prior meeting notes & treasurer's report:

- No Prior meeting notes or Treasurer's report was given.

### Guests/New Members:

- Many members had guests in attendance. My sincere apologies that I don't have that information complete. This is my first attempt at the "newsletter updates". Hope I don't get fired!

**Next Meeting:**  
**Thursday January 6th**  
**7:00 PM @ Primetime in Menasha**  
**PLEASE NOTE NEW MTG TIME!**

## Meeting Topics

### Club Elections

- - Al Paltzer will be returning as club President, for a fourth year in a row.
  - Howard Blades was voted in as our returning club Vice-President.
  - Lisa Skaleski will step into the role of Secretary.
  - Curt Boettcher will take on the Treasure Position.
  - Jim Jentz was elected Sgt at Arms
  - Ken McHugh was voted in as our "new" Club Ambassador.

This year's club charity was voted to be Troop Support.

Another item on the ballot will be the club meeting start time.  
Results of the ballot vote amended the meeting time to 7:00pm

### **Badger Mileage Contest Results**

- Al Paltzer announced the winners of the Badger annual mileage contest. Again I apologize for not having the results available at the time of this letter. I will get the correct info from Dale Geske very soon and will publish it in the next letter. Should you need specific information sooner please contact Dale directly.

### **Annual Auction:**

- The annual Auction was a SUCCESS! This being my first time attending I thought it was quite the hoot. Those caramels are sure the Hit! And the homemade cookies too. Thanks to all who donated as well as Bid. It's my understanding that the Wilsons , #16, out did themselves again this year!

### **Meeting adjourned:**

- A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded.

### **Reminder Badger Club Dues are due by January 1st, 2010:**

- For those of you who haven't paid your club dues, the deadline is January 1<sup>st</sup>, as the club voted. A \$5.00 late fee will be charged to those who pay their dues after January 1<sup>st</sup>. Please send checks, made out to "Badger Motorcyclists", to the secretary/treasurer Dale Geske - N1496 Meadow Park Dr. - Greenville, WI 54942

### **Updated Club Roster for 2011:**

- I should have an updated club roster available in time for the January meeting. There are a few people who haven't renewed their membership yet and they still have two weeks to send it in.

## **Noteworthy Items**

### **National Motorcycle Museum:**

- We touched on the subject of the "National Motorcycle Museum" is on highway 151 in Anamosa, Iowa. The museum's address is 200 E. Main St. in Anamosa, Iowa. Phone is 319-462-3925.

Sat. Hours: 10:00AM to 4:00 PM

Proposed dates: Jan. 14-15 with a snow date of Jan. 21-22

Please be ready to commit to the trip at our Jan. meeting. AmericInn is the most convenient motel for the museum. Standard rate for the museum is \$8 with a \$1 discount if you are over 60. Howard Blades will check on a group discount once we know the number of attendees. Depending on the number of vehicles taken, we can decide about meals Friday night and after our tour on Sat. Any suggestions on planning the trip will be appreciated

### **Good of the Order Raffle:**

- Was not held at the December gathering, everyone need their xtra \$'s for the auction.

## Future Rides and Events for 2011:

### Schedule your event:

Anyone interested in holding a pizza party, club ride or other special event, please bring them up at an upcoming meeting. Remember, we can have more than one ride a month.

This month is filled with events! No reason for the "Winter Blues" here!

### January

- **7<sup>th</sup>, Friday** Jim & Deb Jentz are hosting the first fish fry of the year. It will be at the Riverrail Bar, N5549 State Rd76 Shiocton. Social hour starts at 6pm and we eat at 7pm. We will need to get a good idea of the number attending to plan for the event. Salad Bar will be included.
- **14-15<sup>th</sup> or 21-22<sup>nd</sup>** - Proposed Motorcycle Museum visit, to be determined.
- **29<sup>th</sup>, Saturday**- This will be the first Pizza Party of the year. Village Pub, Main Str. Winneconne, in the Party Room. We will need a good idea of attendance for this as well. Social hour 6:00pm Dinner at 7:00.

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## **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!! TO THE JANUARY BIRTHDAY BADGERS**

*Dave Grinsel - January 1*

*Glen Hartjes - January 4*

*Larry (Joe) Mohler - January 5*

*Dick Glaser - January 12*

*Howard Blades - January 31*

Remember when you attend a meeting on the month of your birthday, the club will buy you a drink. See our your birthday, the club will buy you a drink. See our Sergeant at Arms prior to the meeting for your free drink ticket.