



### 2024 Officers Elected / Installation Dinner

Empire City MC is pleased to present our NEW officers for 2024, our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Year!

Officer	Office Holder
President	Gary P.
Vice President & Road Captain	Chaz A.
Secretary	Erik R.
Treasurer	Lewis K.



Congratulations to the new and returning officers! Our Installation Dinner will be held in New York City on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 18:00. To be invited to the “dutch-treat” dinner and ceremony, please reach out to any ECMC member, or e-mail at [ECMC@EmpireCityMC.com](mailto:ECMC@EmpireCityMC.com)

### The Baltimore Shipmates 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

The AMCC-Member Club Anniversary Run that no one knows about!

Upon the horizon (19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> April 2024) is the Baltimore Shipmates’ 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Weekend Run, but sadly, there doesn't seem to be much of a presence online anywhere... including the Baltimore Shipmates’ very own website! If you “google” it, you’ll only see the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary information on a stale facebook page.



Remember: The Shipmates are NOT a show club! 😊

Therefore, in an effort to help them promote their run, here are the links to both the run application and the special rate at the host hotel. If you want to save some money I would strongly recommend putting two to four in each of the hotel rooms:

**RUN APPLICATION** – cost per person: \$180.00 (optional ‘Lost Ark Distillery’ tour, add \$25)  
Pay your run fee/distillery tickets here: <https://bit.ly/Shipmates50th>

**HOST HOTEL** – cost per room: \$350.15 for the whole weekend, all-in.  
Reserve a room: <https://bit.ly/Shipmates50thHostHotel>

### It's Girl Scout Cookie Time

Please help my friend’s daughter sell 100 boxes this year!

<https://bit.ly/GirlCookies2024>

Only \$5/box



# UPCOMING EVENTS & RIDES

## Some Featured Rides & Events from our calendar:

**Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Jan, 20:00 – 21:00:** SOCIAL MEETING: we host a social teleconference the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All are welcomed. We discuss ride and event ideas, current events, other useful stuff. Enter the gathering with this link: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Social>

**Sat 27<sup>th</sup> Jan, 18:00 – 22:00:** EVENT: ECMC Installation Dinner in New York City!

**Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Jan – Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Feb:** Beef Dip Bear Week 2024 in Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, Mexico.

**Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> – Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Feb:** See the giant ice and snow sculptures and skate the world's longest outdoor skating rink (the Rideau Canal!) at Winterlude in Ottawa, ON, Canada! (Pending 10 days below freezing beforehand!)

**Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Feb, 17:30 – 19:00:** EVENT: 9/11 Memorial Special - Newly Re-Installed Tribute. Free admission for bikers: <https://bit.ly/911bikes>

**Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Feb, 20:00 – 21:00:** OPEN GENERAL MEETING: Empire City MC's monthly Open General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 8pm to 9pm by teleconference at: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Meeting> All interested parties may attend. New officers!

**Sat 10<sup>th</sup> & Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Feb:** Chinese New Year hosted by K.K. – Prosperity toss in Queens and Manhattan!

**Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Feb, 20:00 – 21:00:** SOCIAL MEETING: we host a social teleconference the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All are welcomed. We discuss ride and event ideas, current events, other useful stuff. Enter the gathering with this link: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Social>

**Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Mar, 20:00 – 21:00:** OPEN GENERAL MEETING: Empire City MC's monthly Open General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 8pm to 9pm by teleconference at: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Meeting> All interested parties may attend.

**Wed 20<sup>th</sup> Mar, 20:00 – 21:00:** SOCIAL MEETING: we host a social teleconference the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All are welcomed. We discuss ride and event ideas, current events, other useful stuff. Enter the gathering with this link: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Social>

**Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> – Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Mar:** EVENT: Long Island Ravens' 4x8 Anniversary - Girth or Length. More information coming soon.

**Fri 29<sup>th</sup> Mar – Mon 1<sup>st</sup> Apr:** EVENT: Easter in Berlin. More information here: <https://blf.de/easterberlin/> (warning: strict dress codes)

**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> – Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Apr:** EVENT: ShipMates Club of Baltimore 50th Anniversary (*see page 1 for information*)

**Thu 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Tue 28<sup>th</sup> May:** RIDE: ECMC's 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Biker Weekend in Pittsburgh with Sight-Seeing/Riding around PA! Thursday we'll meet in Harrisburg, Monday night, we'll stay in the Philly area... full plans yet to be determined.

**Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Jul – Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Jul:** RIDE: ECMC's 60th Anniversary Summer Ride. This ride, proposed to go to Maine, will be our SECOND week-long ride for our 60th Anniversary! Yes, we're considering TWO week-long rides in 2024!!!

**Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Oct – Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Oct:** EVENT: Empire City MC's 60th Anniversary Weekend in New York City, NY. Details in 2024!

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**REMEMBER:** There are plenty of other events and rides added to our official calendar on a regular basis, especially day rides! Be sure to bookmark <http://calendar.EmpireCityMC.com> and come along with us on some great rides! Our physical mailing address is: **Empire City MC, 10 W 15<sup>th</sup> St, Suite 609, New York, NY 10011-6821.**

For membership information, visit <http://empirecitymc.com/membership.php> to view and download our constitution, bylaws and membership application. We're on social media at <https://mewe.com/join/empirecitymc> where you can chat with us.

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