

ATLANTIC MOTORCYCLE COORDINATING COUNCIL SECRETARY'S REPORT

109TH COUNCIL MEETING

FEBRUARY 26, 1994 BOSTON, MA

10:30 AM
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REDWOOD INN
PITTSBURGH, PA

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- I. The 109th meeting of the Atlantic Motorcycle Coordinating Council was called to order at 1:25 P.M. by President Joe Laing at the Club Cafe, Boston, MA.
- IIA. PRESENT: Centaur MC, Empire City MC, Entre Nous, Excelsior MC, MC Faucon, Griffins MC, Hartford Colts MC, Highwaymen TNT, Iron Guard, Long Island Raven, Lost Angels, Philadelphians MC, Pittsburgh MC, Pocono Warriors, ShipMates Club, Spartan MC, and Vikings MC.
- IIB. PROXY: Bucks MC, C.O.M.M.A.N.D., Crucible MC, Cycle/Wheels, Pennsmen, Scorpion MC, Vanguards MC, and SNC London.
- IIC. ABSENT: Reading Railmen.
- III. GUESTS: Joe Morris, Spartan Vice president.
- IV. On a motion by the Centaur MC (second by Spartan MC) the minutes of the 107th meeting were accepted as mailed.

V. OFFICER REPORTS:

- A. PRESIDENT: No Report.
- B. VICE PRESIDENT:

 Marshall reported visiting all over. He suggested a possible AMCC white water rafting trip social in August. This would not be a sanction event. Two possible sites are near Valinor Farms or Hillside. More information to follow.
- C. TREASURER: The treasurer's report was presented. The current balance is \$350.69. AMCC patches are available. (Copy attached) On a motion by Lost Angels (seconded by Excelsior) the Treasurer's report was accepted.
- D. SECRETARY: Attention was called to the updated roster. Corrections and changes were requested. A fifteen month sanction calendar was distributed.
- VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS: NONE

VII. OLD BUSINESS:

A. Proposed changes to The Articles of Agreement: The Griffins quoted the Articles of Agreement. It was noted that a vote to amend the Articles could not be taken by mail ballot and each Article had to be voted upon separately. The Griffins challenged the vote. There was discussion. There was a motion by Entre Nous (seconded by The Spartan MC) to distribute the mail ballots to the representative/proxy holders for a revote. The president asked if the council preferred a secret ballot or show of hands. The motion passed on a show of hands.

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A roll call vote was taken on each change to the Articles of Agreement.

- Articles III, sections D as mailed. Passed.

- Article VIII, section D as mailed. Passed.

- Article VIII, section E as mailed. Passed

- Article IX, section B as mailed. Passed

There was a challenge to the vote with reference to the proxy of SNC London. There is no current proxy to the chair. The Long Island Ravens related conversation with SNC London which is under the impression they have an active proxy to the chair. The Spartans noted that the changes passed without SNC London's proxy. The Lost Angels expressed concerns over the difference between the ballots mailed and the vote being taken. It was noted by the Chair that the difference was a mute point unless the Lost Angels desired to change their vote. The Centaur MC moved (second by Lost Angels) to discard all votes and return changes to the clubs for revote. There was discussion. The Motion was withdrawn.

The Lost angels moved (second by Excelsior) to invalidate the vote and return the revisions to the club for a section by section vote. There was no discussion. The motion failed.

- Article VII, Section A (Sanction dates). The Centaur MC made a friendly amendment to change the second line of the proposed change to read: A club may request a sanction at any meeting held at least three and not more than twenty-four months prior to the date requested. There was a second by The Philadelphians MC. Discussion ensued. The chair noted that acceptance of the friendly amendment would cause the revision to be returned to the clubs for reconsideration. Entre Nous as co-sponsor of the original proposed revision did not accept the friendly amendment. The revision as mailed proceeded to a roll call vote. The amendment failed.
- B. Changes to the Sanction Calendar.

- Hartford Colts, July 15-16-17 for 9th Anniversary

- Empire City MC, October 8-9-10 for 30th Anniversary Motion to accept addition and changes to sanction (Spartan/Centaur) passed

The proxy letter from Cycle/Wheels also included a release of their sanction dates of May 6-7-8, 25th Anniversary.

C. Location of 110th Meeting.

The Vice-president announced two requests for the 110th meeting of the Council. Pittsburgh MC, April 22-23-24 and Highwaymen TNT, May 13-14-15.

- There was discussion on the 60 day rule. The PMC Anniversary is less than 60 days from the 109th meeting. There was discussion. The Vice-president ruled that PMC was not excluded. The 110th meeting will be in Pittsburgh, PA.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Location of the 111th meeting: The Vice President reported one offer to host the 111th meeting from Empire City MC. There being no other offers, the 111th Council meeting will be in New York City during Empire City MC, 30th Anniversary, October 8-10.

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- B. The Long Island Ravens commented on the need for communications with clubs outside of AMCC. It was noted there are five clubs in Arizona. The L.I. Ravens moved (second by Warriors) to have AMCC establish a permanent outreach committee to communicate with non-member clubs. There was discussion. The motion was withdrawn and the matter deferred to good & welfare.
- C. The Highwaymen moved (second by Griffins) to require an interpreter at all future AMCC meetings. There was extensive discussion. The motion passed after it was determined the absence of an interpreter would not invalidate a meeting.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- A. Excelsior MC: 19th Anniversary in NYC, May 20-21. Excelsior also offered their services as a conduit for information about Stonewall 25. The contact people are Jerry or Rodney. Check roster for telephone numbers. March 26th Club night at The Long Island Eagle.
- B. Entre Nous: There will be a club night at The 119 Merrimac from 5-9, March 29th. Equinox 94 will be held in FL, March 16-21. The Bucks MC were thanked for allowing Entre Nous to hold a inter-club function on July Fourth weekend, (Buck's Sanction date). The 119 Merrimac welcomes out of town clubs. Club nights can be Friday or Saturday, independently or partnered with Entre Nous. Contact Bob Kavin for more information.
- C. Long Island Ravens: March 11-13 2nd Anniversary. They will distribute the money raised for various AIDS organizations.
- D. Highwaymen TNT: 16th Anniversary, May 13-15 in Washington, DC. Flyers are available. Included as a part of the weekend is The DC Bear/Cub Contest.
- E. Philadelphians MC: There will be a bar night Sunday, March 6th, at The Bike Stop from 4-8 PM. APRIL 15th, the Philadelphia area clubs will host Leather Pride. The Mr/Ms Leather contest will be held.
- F. Pittsburgh MC: PMC Thanks the council for being chosen to host the 110th meeting. Flyers for the weekend were passed out. July 9th at L.I. Eagle.
- G. ShipMates Club: Celebrating 20th Anniversary, April 8-10. Flyers are available.
- H. Griffins MC: April 2nd, a joint bar night with BLADEAF at The Baltimore Eagle. June 23, The Deaf International Mr. Leather contest will be held in NYC.

X. GOOD AND WELFARE:

A. The L.I. Ravens requested the appointment of an outreach committee with a member from each region to chaired by the vice-president. The members are Al Lawrence (Ravens), Paul Rose (Spartans), Rick Rogers (Philadelphians), Seamus Cramniteh (Entre Nous) and Hugh Gage (Centaurs).

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- B. The Secretary advised the Council the stationery supply was exhausted. New stationery will be purchased.
- C. The Spartan MC congratulated the Viking MC on their 25th Anniversary and thanked the club for hosting the meeting.
- D. Excelsior MC announced th passing of Kevin Coughlin and Jeff Britton. A Memorial Service is being planned for April. Details to follow.
- E. The Philadelphians MC announced they have held sign language classes in the past and plan to do so again in the future. Interested persons should contact the club.
- XI. On a motion by Vikings MC (second by Iron Guard), the 109th meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

C. B. Miller, Secretary

1994 AMCC SANCTIONED CALENDAR (AS OF FEBRUARY 26, 1994)

FEBRUARY		
18-19-20	17TH ANNIVERSARY	PENNSMEN MC
MARCH		
11-12-13	2ND ANNIVERSARY	LONG ISLAND RAVENS MC
APRIL		
8-9-10	20TH ANNIVERSARY	SHIPMATES CLUB
22-23-24	10TH ANNIVERSARY	PITTSBURGH MC
23	110TH COUNCIL MEETING	PITTSBURGH, PA
MAY		
13-14-15	16TH ANNIVERSARY	HIGHWAYMEN TNT
20-21-22	19TH ANNIVERSARY	EXCELSIOR MC
JUNE	NO SANCTIONS	
\underline{JULY}		
2-3	POW WOW	BUCKS MC
15-16-17	9TH ANNIVERSARY	HARTFORD COLTS MC
AUGUST		
12-13-14	COUNTRY LEATHER WEEKEND	POCONO WARRIORS
26-27-28	MIGRATION XVII	MC FAUCON
SEPTEMBER		
2-3-4-5	OLYMPIA 13	CENTAUR MC
16-17-18	GRIFFINFLIGHT-94	GRIFFINS MC
25	ROUND ROBIN - DC	SCORPIONS MC
30/10-1-2	16TH ANNIVERSARY	READING RAILMEN
<u>OCTOBER</u>		
7-8-9	c509DAYOINHVERSARY	EMPIRE CITY MC
8	111TH COUNCIL MEETING	NEW YORK, NY
14-15-16	25TH ANNIVERSARY	VANGUARDS MC
21-22-23	P-TOWN PILGRIMAGE '94	ENTRE NOUS
NOVEMBER		
11-12-13	6TH ANNIVERSARY	C.O.M.M.A.N.D. MC



ATLANTIC MOTORCYCLE COORDINATING COUNCIL TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer's Report Feb. 24, 1994 109th Council

Opening Balance as per meeting 108/approved		\$345.17
Expenses: Postage/ October mailing C.B. Miller Postage/ December mailing C.B. Miller Copies last report/ Rodney J. Knowles Postage UPS Pennsmen patches	14.40 32.98 3.35 5.00	
Less	55.73	55.73
New Balance less expenses		\$289.44
Income: Patches sold Iron Gaurd 10@ 1.75 Pennsmen 10@ 1.75 Empire City 15@ 1.75	17.50 17.50 26.25	
Plus	61.25	61.25
New Balance plus income		\$350.69

Total patches available 91

Respectfully submitted

Rodney J. Knowles Treasurer 1993-1995

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