



ATLANTIC MOTORCYCLE COORDINATING COUNCIL

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These are the Minutes of the 148th AMCC Meeting held at the Harrisburg Holiday Inn & Conference Center in Harrisburg, PA on February 26, 2005.

CALL TO ORDER

President, Al Lawrence at 1:07 PM, called the Meeting to order.

ROLL CALL

Present: The Bucks M.C., C.O.M.M.A.N.D. M.C., Centaur MC, Defenders NY, DC Boys of Leather, DC Bear Club, Entre Nous, Excelsior M.C., MC Faucon, Harbor Masters, Highwaymen TNT, Iron Guard B.C., Knight Hawks of Va., Long Island Ravens MC, Pennsmen, Philadelphians M.C., Pocono Warriors (proxy), Potomac M.C., Shipmates Club of Baltimore, Spartan MC, Twilight Guard, SNC London (Proxy to AMCC President)

Absent: Empire City M. C., Enforcers Rhode Island, Griffins M.C., Hartford Colts, Promethean Guard, Reading Railmen, Richmond Leather Club, S.T.A.R.S. M C., TBLC of Virginia, Utica Tris

Guests: Northeast Pennsylvania Leathermen

MINUTES

Motion by Highwaymen TNT, **Seconded** by Pennsmen, to accept the minutes of the 147th Meeting: **APPROVED**

OFFICER'S REPORTS

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Victor Skolnik passed out AMCC Packets, containing the Minutes of 147th Meeting, an updated AMCC Roster, Agenda for 148th Meeting. Victor asked that if any Club had their 2005 Certification of Membership to please give it the Secretary after the Meeting. Victor also announced that he had Certification Letters and Roster Change Forms available. The Clubs can send the letters back by mail if unable to sign them now. AMCC Roster changes can be e-mailed to Victor at vic400@aol.com so Roster can be updated. Victor also mentioned that if the REP sees the letter 'C' on the envelope, it means that we have their Club's letter of certification for 2005. If you do not see the letter 'C', please see Victor after the Meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Our Treasurer, Peter submitted a Report. We have a balance of \$3,451.35 as of the start of this Meeting. Peter indicated that we need to renew our incorporation papers

VICE PRESIDENT' REPORT:

Mel informed the membership that the Non-Sanctioned Calendar is posted on the AMCC Website one week prior to the AMCC Meeting. It contains upcoming events for the next 6 months. If you have Non-Sanctioned events that you would like to add to the Calendar, please send 30 days prior to AMCC Meeting.

Mel also expressed his thanks to each member of Council for their support over the last three years as we welcomed new Clubs into Membership and made some enhancements. The help I have received is very much appreciated.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Today we will count the ballots as we select the new AMCC Officers to lead us over the next two years. The AMCC is 36 years old with myself serving as the 18th President. I have served the AMCC over the last 12 years. It has been a pleasure serving and I have made lots of friends.

I would like to thank the Delegates, the AMCC Officers that have served with me, and Paul Rose. We have developed new methods and new ideas to help, not only, the existing Clubs, but also the new Clubs. As President, I have received many calls asking for help and advice.

Let's continue in good Brotherhood and welcome the new President whoever that may be.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

OUTREACH COMMITTEE:

The Run Survival Kit has been presented for a final vote. The Outreach Committee has been proactive in reaching out to new Clubs, to bring them in to Council and welcome them. The Outreach Committee would like to be just as proactive internally. Please be aware that the Outreach Committee can be called upon at any time to lend a helping hand.

WEB COMMITTEE:

No Report

HISTORIAN'S REPORT:

Paul talked about submitting Club Histories. It is important to write and preserve your Club's History. Get in touch with some of the older members. Write your Club's History in your own words. There is no special format to follow. We have received the Pennsmen's Club History.

OLD BUSINESS

CHANGES TO THE 2005 SANCTIONED CALENDAR

There are no changes to the 2005 Sanctioned Calendar at this time. The calendar appears at the end

THERE IS NO ADDITIONAL OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

LOCATION OF THE 149TH MEETING

The Shipmates of Baltimore will host the 149th AMCC Meeting on June 4, 2005 during their weekend at Camp Ramblewood in Md.

LOCATION OF THE 150TH MEETING

Entre Nous will host the 150th Meeting during their 35th Anniversary Weekend in Provincetown, Mass. The date of the Meeting is October 22, 2005. Please note that this will be the last meeting for 2005.

AMCC AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

The following Clubs have been nominated to receive the AMCC Award for Excellence:

D C Bear Club for Lovebutt Cocktail Party at Olympia
DCBC, Shipmates, Potomac M.C., & Highwaymen TNT for La Shabat
Potomac M.C. for their Tri-Cen Cocktail Party
Highwaymen TNT for their TSA Cocktail Party at Olympia
DCBC for their e-bay Auctions Fund Raiser

The Winner is DCBC for their Lovebutt Cocktail Party at Olympia

RUN SURVIVAL KIT

The Run Survival Kit was motioned by the Outreach Committee. The Motion passes

VOTE FOR MEMBERSHIP INTO AMCC

The Northeast PA Leathermen was presented for Membership into AMCC. Their Sponsoring Clubs are The Long Island Ravens and The Pennsmen. The NEPA Leathermen have been around for 8 years and have over 10 members. They have expressed their interest in joining the AMCC. Vote taken and The Northeast PA Leathermen are welcomed into AMCC.

TORRID TUBER

Paul Rose gave a brief history of the Torrid Tuber. The Torrid Tuber was a hot potato. Any Club could receive it at any time. That was the fun of it. It took on its current format in 1976, when the AMCC decided to "award" it annually at the end of each year.

The Torrid Tuber has been described as comical; it's fun, but what happens if it hurts.

A Motion was made that we retire the Torrid Tuber into the hands of Potomac M.C., who so desperately wanted it. Motion Passes.

Twilight Guard and DCBC presented to Peter Lloyd of Potomac M.C. a "Crown" to serve as the new Torrid Tuber for them to proudly wear.

CLUB CERTIFICATIONS

The AMCC Secretary has received all but 12 of the 2005 Club Certifications. The Secretary will send a letter to each of the Clubs and include the Articles of Agreement Section. Each Club is required to submit a Letter of Certification each year no later than the second AMCC Meeting. If not received, that Club will lose their voting privilege until the Certification has been received. SNC London is exempt.

LETTER BY ENTRE NOUS

Entre Nous submitted a letter expressing their concern about a possible conflict with The Hartford Colts. Al indicated that he has received phone calls from both Clubs about the October 21-23, 2005 weekend. Entre Nous has the sanctioned weekend and The Hartford Colts had planned to do The Mr. Connecticut Leather Contest the same weekend. The Colts was able to change their Weekend to November 11-13, 2005.

Entre Nous is still concerned that The Colts would go back to the October date. Al indicated that he will, once again, speak with The Colts expressing the concerns of the Letter.

THE NEW AMCC OFFICERS FOR 2005-2007

The following people have been elected to serve as our new AMCC Officers for 2005-2007. They will take Office on April 5, 2005.

President	Mel Jacobs (Centaur M.C.)
Vice President	Steven James (Pennsmen)
Treasurer	Peter Lloyd (Potomac M.C.)
Secretary	Sandy Steever (Twilight Guard)

OTHER NEW BUSINESS

With the welcoming of The Northeast PA Leathermen into AMCC, Spartan M.C. moved, seconded by Pennsmen that we Sanction April 15-17, 2005 as NEPA's Sanctioned Weekend as they celebrate their 8th Anniversary. Motion Passes.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Bucks M.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
- C.O.M.M.A.N.D. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary.
- Centaur M.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman. Thanks to all for support of Mid-Atlantic Leather.
- D C Bears Club Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
Thank you for the AMCC Award for Cocktail Party @ Olympia.
- D C Boys of Leather: Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
Join us on March 19th for a Flea Market at Titans in D C. Also join us on the 2nd Monday of each month at The D C Eagle for a SM Workshop with SIGMA.
- DefendersNY: Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
- Entre Nous Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
- Excelsior M. C.: Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman. Join us the weekend of May 20-22, 2005 for our 30th Anniversary celebration on Fire Island. Please join us on Saturday, March 5th as Excelsior will be at The Bike Stop for a Barnight.
- M C Faucon Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
Join us for Migration during the weekend of September 2-5, 2005 for Mr. Montreal Leather.
- Harbor Masters Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers. Join us March 19th @ The Blackstone for a Leather Weekend with Entre Nous.
- Highwaymen TNT Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
If in D C, please join us on the 2nd Wednesday of the month @ The D C Eagle for our "Hot Jock Contest". First Prize is \$50.00. Also join us on the 3rd Sunday from 6pm – 9pm for our Beer Blast. Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers. Ask a Highwaymen about the After Hours Party on the 3rd Floor of The Eagle.
- Iron Guard B.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers
- Knighthawks of Va. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.

The L. I. Ravens: Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
Join us the weekend of March 11-13, 2005 for our 13th Anniversary Weekend at The Holiday Inn in Ronkonkoma. Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers.

Pennsmen Thanks for coming to our 28th Anniversary Weekend. Welcome to NEPA.
Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers.

NEPA Thanks for welcoming us into AMCC. We are having a GREAT Time. Join us on the 3rd Saturday of the Month for our Barnight.

Philadelphians M.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers and to DCBC for winning the AMCC Award for Excellence.

Potomac M.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast Pa Leatherman.
Congratulations to DCBC. Thank you all so much for the HAT.

Shipmates Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
Join us for Keelhaul on June 3-5, 2005 as we host the 150th AMCC Meeting. If you are interested in doing a Barnight at the Baltimore Eagle, you can contact Gabriel Saavadra, Manager

Spartan M.C. Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary. Many More. Welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman. Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers.

Twilight Guard: Congratulations to The Pennsmen on their 28th Anniversary and welcome to Northeast PA Leatherman.
Congratulations to the Outgoing AMCC Officers and Congratulations to the new AMCC Officers. Join us on Saturday, March 5, 2005 at The Cedar Brook as we begin a new style. The area of the Bar used for our barnight will to closed to non-Leather & Bear Traffic. The dance crowd will have to use the other door. We can now do more.

GOOD AND WELFARE

Happy Birthday to Michael Flowers of C.O.M.M.A.N.D. M.C.
Good luck to Rich D'Amico of Philadelphians M.C. who is taking a six-month leave of absence.
Prayers to the members of Highwaymen TNT on recent family loses.
Thanks to the Pennsmen for Hosting the 149th Meeting.

Motioned to adjourn by Spartans M C, **Seconded** by Twilight Guard. Motion passes.

Adjournment at 3:05pm

AMCC 2005 SANCTIONED CALENDAR

JANUARY 2005

JAN. 14-17

CENTAUR M.C.—MID-ATLANTIC LEATHER

FEBRUARY 2005

FEB. 25-27

PENNSMEN—28TH ANNIVERSARY AND 148TH AMCC MEETING

MARCH 2005

MARCH 11-13

L I RAVENS—13TH ANNIVERSARY

APRIL 2005

APRIL 8-10

APRIL 15-17

**S.T.A.R.S. M.C.—11TH MR. EMPIRE STATE LEATHER
NORTHEAST PA LEATHERMEN 8TH ANNIVERSARY**

MAY 2005

MAY 7

MAY 20-22

**UTICA TRI'S ANNIVERSARY BANQUET AND BAR NIGHT
EXCELSIOR M.C.—30TH ANNIVERSARY ON CHERRY GROVE, FIRE
ISLAND**

JUNE 2005

JUNE 3-5

SHIPMATES CLUB OF BALTIMORE

JULY 2005

AUGUST 2005

AUGUST 5-7

POCONO WARRIORS—100 MEN IN THE WOODS

SEPTEMBER 2005

SEPT. 2-5

SEPT. 3-5

SEPT. 9-11

**M. C. FAUCON—MIGRATION & MR. MONTREAL LEATHER
PHILADELPHIANS M.C.
PROMETHEAN GUARD**

OCTOBER 2005

OCT. 14-16

OCT. 21-23

**READING RAILMEN
ENTRE NOUS—35TH ANNIVERSARY IN P-TOWN**

NOVEMBER 2005

NOV. 4-6

NOV. 4-6

NOV. 26

**C.O.M.M.A.N.D. M.C.—MR MARYLAND LEATHER & 17TH
ANNIVERSARY
HARBOR MASTERS—23RD ANNIVERSARY
BUCKS M.C.—SANTA SATURDAY**

DECEMBER 2005

DEC. 10

EMPIRE CITY M.C.—42ND TOYS-FOR-TOTS