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These are the Minutes of the 169<sup>th</sup> AMCC meeting held in the Crystal Room at the Holiday Inn McArthur Airport on Saturday, 3/17/12, in conjunction with the Long Island Raven's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Run weekend in Ronkonkoma, NY.

### **CALL TO ORDER**

President Steven James called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

### **ROLL CALL**

**Present:** The Bucks MC, Centaur MC, C.O.M.M.A.N.D. MC, DC Bear Club, DC boys of Leather, Empire City MC, Excelsior MC, Harbor Masters of Maine, Iron Guard BC, Long Island Ravens MC, Pennsmen, Philadelphians MC, Pocono Warriors, ShipMates Club of Baltimore and Twilight Guard.

**Proxy:** SNC London (to AMCC President)

**Absent:** Highwaymen TNT, Knight Hawks of Virginia, NE Pennsylvania Leathermen, Pocono Warriors, Potomac MC, Reading Railmen and TBLC

**Guests:** boy martin (Keystone boys of Leather)

Quorum was present.

### **MINUTES**

A proposal to accept the Minutes of the 168<sup>th</sup> meeting was moved by Excelsior MC, 2<sup>nd</sup> by DC boys of Leather - **motion passed.**

### **OFFICERS' REPORTS**

**Secretary's report:** The Secretary distributed minutes of the previous meeting and the updated contact sheet to Council members in attendance. There was a reminder to Council members present that 2012 Annual certification documents are due.

**Treasurer's report:** The Treasurer indicated as of 2/29/12, Council had a cash balance of \$1,772.39. Treasurer has AMCC patches for sale for \$3.00 each.

**Vice President's report:** Nothing to report at this time, except under Outreach committee.

**President's report:** A moment of reflection was observed for Jeff Cheeseman & Wayne Himes

Welcomed all and offered thanks to the Long Island Ravens for hosting Council.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **Outreach Committee:**

- The all AMCC barnight is set for 8/11/12 at the DC Eagle in Washington DC. Though Saturday night is the main event, the DC Eagle has offered up Friday night to help raise additional monies for AMCC. The weekend is being organized by all 7 DC/Maryland area Council members – There is limited housing available, if needed. Those in need of Hotel information, please contact Rick Hutchings. A request for raffle items was also solicited from Council.
- Facebook Page – Anyone needing assistance with posting events or general information about linking to page should contact John Loesch, Joe Aiello, Chaz Antonelli or Rick Hutchings.
- Outreach Committee reinforced they are open to discussing and welcome all constructive ideas that in turn can be filtered through Council – Outreach meetings are open to all Council members and interested parties.
- Motorcycle Outreach Committee – Mike Conley solicited Council Clubs to provide him with a list of all riding membership by Club for 170<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**Historian's Committee:** No report at this time. *(However, there was a "Birth" announcement as Sean Campbell just learned he became an Uncle).*

**Web Committee:** Paul Rose noted it was time for a change and graciously stepped down as Webmaster. After a complete overhaul technically and aesthetically, Sean Campbell helped develop & launch the new AMCC website in 2/2012. President then announced that Tom Buckley (Centaurus) would be appointed Webmaster and that Chaz Antonelli would serve as a liaison to interface new site with Facebook content. Sean asked that Clubs review content and take a look at their individual listings, websites links and test programming (there are known problems with the Highwaymen, Knight Hawks and Pocono Warriors links).

Please submit sanction (via Secretary) and non-sanction (via VP) events through existing channels as well as any other general info that you would like posted.

Secretary asked for assistance in sharing AMCC events via Facebook without affecting individual Club event pages – Sean Campbell agreed to help.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **Amendments and additions to the 2011 sanction calendar –**

June 1-3 = Pennsmen "Trailer Trash II" a 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration (Woods Campground, PA)  
July 13-14 = NEPA – Mr Hillside Leathet and leatherboy contest – (Hillside Campground, NY)  
July 27-29 = TBLC Campout/Bears in Heat (Burkeville, VA)  
August 31 – Sept 3 = Centaur MC Olympia XXII "Occupy this....." (Camp Saginaw, PA)  
November 2-4 = COMMAND MC 24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Mr. Maryland Leather 2013 (Baltimore, MD)  
November 24 = Bucks MC – Santa Saturday 40 (Asbury Park, NJ)

**2012 sanction calendar** - A proposal to accept the amended 2012 Sanction calendar was moved by DCBC, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Excelsior MC - **motion passed**. A request was made to each member Club to advertise the AMCC meetings/sanctioned events on respective club websites.

### **OTHER OLD BUSINESS**

At the time of the 169<sup>th</sup> meeting, only seven 2012 AMCC certifications were received. A reminder to all Clubs to submit 2012 certifications to the Secretary will be sent after this meeting with a 4/15/12 due date.

A clarification was made by the Secretary that the 168<sup>th</sup> minutes will be amended to reflect both the 2012 Mel Jacobs Award of Excellence & Torrid Tuber awards were presented to the **Twilight Guard and The Buttmunchkins**.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **Location of the 170<sup>th</sup> and subsequent meetings:**

-A request was submitted by Excelsior MC to host the 170<sup>th</sup> meeting of the AMCC. Being there were no other requests, the 170<sup>th</sup> meeting was awarded to Excelsior to host this meeting at their Lust for Life 37 run in Fire Island, NY on Saturday 5/19/12.

-A request was submitted by the Harbor Masters to host the 171<sup>st</sup> meeting of the AMCC. Being there were no other requests, the 171<sup>st</sup> meeting was awarded to the Harbor Masters to host this meeting at their Sailaway 2012 and 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary run in Ogunquit, ME on Saturday 10/20/12.

-There were no active requests to host the **172<sup>nd</sup> meeting**.

*(Requests for the 172<sup>nd</sup> meeting should be submitted in writing to the **Vice-President** no later than 30 days prior the 170<sup>th</sup> meeting and a member of the requesting Club must be registered on the event and attend the AMCC meeting at which the request is discussed).*

### **CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Bucks MC congratulations and thanked the Long Island Ravens for a great weekend. It was noted that Santa Saturday 39 raised in excess of \$20K for local AIDS charities in NJ & PA. The Bucks MC website has been corrected.

DC boys of Leather congratulated the Long Island Ravens on their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

COMMAND MC offered congratulations and noted that a list of their barnights was available on the website.

DCBC congratulated the Long Island Ravens on 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and on their fabulous, splendid event.

Empire City MC offered congratulations to the Long Island Ravens on their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Bikers christening is 6/1/2012 followed by the picnic on 6/2/2012 - location and time TBD.

Excelsior MC congratulated the Long Island Ravens on 20 years. Save the date for our 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Fire Island "Lust for Life" run - May 18-20, 2012.

Harbor Masters thanked and congratulated the Long Island Ravens on 20 years and thanked Council for grating them the 171<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Iron Guard BC congratulated the Long Island Ravens.

Long Island Ravens MC thanked everyone for coming and for their support.

Pennsmen congratulated and thanked the Long Island Ravens. Flyers are available for the Pennsmen run @ The Woods Campground.

Philadelphians MC offered congratulations and thanks to the Long Island Ravens.

Pocono Warriors congratulations on your 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

ShipMates thanked everyone for an enjoyable time. Keep an eye out for 38<sup>th</sup> Anniversary flyers and more info on our website.

Twilight Guard thanked & expressed to the Long Island Ravens what an honor it is to know them. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of every month is our barnight in Danbury, CT)

### **GOOD & WELFARE**

DCBC (Paul Rose) presented a t-shirt to Joe Aiello from Famous Dave's that stated "Is loving a Pig so wrong...) amidst much agreement and snickering.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The Long Island Ravens made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by DC boys of Leather - **motion passed**. The meeting closed at 11:28 a.m.

**AMCC SANCTIONED CALENDAR – 2012 (accepted by vote 3/17/12)**

November 2-4 = COMMAND MC 24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Mr. Maryland Leather 2013 (Baltimore, MD)  
November 24 = Bucks MC – Santa Saturday 40 (Asbury Park, NJ)

April

20-21 Ship Mates Club of Baltimore 38<sup>th</sup> Anniversary weekend – Baltimore, MD

May

18-20 Excelsior MC – Lust for Life 37 “Apocalypse my Ass” run – Fire Island, NY  
19 **170<sup>th</sup> AMCC meeting**

June

1-3 Pennsmen - Trailer Trash II”/ 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (Woods Campground, PA)

July

13-14 NEPA – Mr. Hillside Leather and leatherboy contest – (Hillside Campground, NY)  
27-29 TBLC Campout/Bears in Heat (Burkeville, VA)

August

31 Centaur MC Olympia XXII “Occupy this.....” (Camp Saginaw, PA)

September

1-3 Centaur MC Olympia XXII “Occupy this.....” (Camp Saginaw, PA) cont’d  
15 Iron Guard - 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary - New York, NY

October

19-21 Harbor Masters – 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary run - Ogunquit, ME  
20 **171<sup>st</sup> AMCC Meeting**

November

2-4 COMMAND MC 24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Mr. Maryland Leather 2013 (Baltimore, MD)  
24 Bucks MC – Santa Saturday 40 (Asbury Park, NJ)

December

8 Empire City MC – Toy Drive and Trim-a-Tree party – NYC, NY