

ECMC Open General Meeting Agenda, 5th July 2017

- Call to order (President, Chaz)
- Roll Call (Secretary, Aaron)
- Introduction of any guests (Secretary, Aaron)
- Approval of June 2017's meeting minutes (Secretary, Aaron)

Officer's Reports

President's Report (Chaz)

- Please bookmark <http://calendar.empirecitymc.com/> and use it.
- Bouncy Castle and motorcycle rides at Leake & Watts was fantastic! The kids loved it!
- Blue Knights NY2 (Bronx chapter) were also in force at Leake & Watts, ECMC invited to Suicide Run

Vice President's Report (Evil Ed)

- Upcoming events:
 - o 8th July – 4th of July BBQ at Mel & José's
 - o 9th or 10th September – GLBT Expo at Javits Centre
 - o 15th-17th September – Black & Blue Party at Oneida Campground (membership & admission fees)
 - o 29th September – 1st October – Mates Leather Weekend, P-Town, Massachusetts
 - o 1st December – Excelsior MC's Trim-a-Tree at The Eagle, 10pm
 - o 2nd December – Empire City MC's Holiday Party and Toy Drive
 - o ECMC events are posted on our calendar <http://calendar.EmpireCityMC.com>

Road Captain's Report (Brian)

- Upcoming Rides:
 - o 13th August – Blue Knights NY2 (DA Bronx) Annual Suicide Run
 - o 17th-21st August, Montreal Pride in 2017
 - o 14th-17th September – Ride for the Cause (Boston to NYC)
 - o 29th September – 1st October – Mates Leather Weekend, P-Town, Massachusetts
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Secretary's Report (Aaron)

- Mail call
- Next newsletter is the _____ edition, to be published on _____. Please submit newsletter articles, photos, commentary, etc by _____
- Meet the Member remaining to be interviewed: Loki, William

Treasurer's Report (Michael)

- Presentation of finances

Committee Reports

AMCC Representative (Eddie)

- Next AMCC Meeting in Portland, ME at the Harbour Masters' Run.

ECMC Archive Project (AG, CA, DS, EC, JM, MM, MW)

- Need to re-establish connection with LA&M to arrange handover of documents, photos and materials, Ed C.?
- Chaz: Sorting and scanning documents (still in sorting process)
- Chaz: Developing website for trophies/banners (raw images uploaded)

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2017 Biker Weekend (CA, EC, BV, ...)

- Bike blessing was great! Aiming the bikes *inward* was a great idea!
- Biker Picnic was cancelled due to extreme weather, post-mortem from Eddie (if at the meeting)

53rd Anniversary Dinner (EC, ...)

- 7th or 8th October 2017
- We need to lock in a venue, 44½ and Matilda's were suggestions.

54th Annual Holiday Party (EC, ...)

- 2nd December 2017 date locked in and sanctioned with AMCC
- Stonewall Inn 2nd Floor locked in for the event (thanks Ed!)

Old Business

- Investigating less expensive source for cheese-graters (EC)
- ECMC to present a plaque to thank Albert & Dan for their generous support (EC)
- Photo Booth did not happen due to lack of planning on their part. (CA)

New Business

- Leake & Watts buddy rider ride! It was suggested that all ECMC members comfortable with buddy riders coordinate a day ride (possible to the Catskills) to give rides to Leake & Watts employees – discuss.

Comments on the record (good & welfare)

- The next Open General Meeting will be Wednesday, 2nd August 2017 from 8pm-9pm at The Centre on W 13th St.
- The next club member's teleconference call will be Wednesday, 19th July 2017 from 8pm-9pm. We will discuss upcoming rides, events and committee issues. Dial in toll-free at 1-877-384-0533 and use passcode 737806435.

Comments off the record

Motion to close meeting

Adjournment

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