

ECMC Open General Meeting Minutes – 3rd September, 2014

Present: EC, CA, GP, GK, EM, MW, ED(a), MM(a)
Absent: GD, WC, SL, DS

Phone: JM
Guests: TP, TP

Meeting called to order 8:02 PM by President EC.

Motion to accept July 2014's Meeting Minutes made by GP, EM 2nd (passed)

Officer's Reports

President (EC)

- Iron Guard 39th Anniversary Dinner at East of 8th, 13 September 2014 at 6:30PM, \$50
- ECMC 50th Anniversary Weekend Run – We all need to promote sale of dinner cruise and full weekend tickets
- Our 51st Annual Holiday Party will be 6th December; we need to start work in this.

Vice President (EM)

- Summarized Tail of The Dragon week-long ride, booking 1st-9th August, 2015 made.
- Summarized Sunday poolside ride at The Raven on 17th August
- Summarized the AMCC/Philadelphians Labour Day Weekend Celebration
- Upcoming events discussed:
 - o 24th-26th October: Harbour Masters' Run in Ogunquit, ME
 - o All ECMC events are in our calendar at <http://calendar.EmpireCityMC.com>

Road Captain (JM)

- Upcoming rides discussed:
 - o 6th September: NY Eagles Covered Bridge Ride
 - o 10th September: Ground Zero Midnight Ride
 - o 13th September: Hawk's Nest Ride
 - o 16th September: Ear Inn Biker Gathering
 - o All ECMC rides are in our calendar at <http://calendar.EmpireCityMC.com>

Secretary (CA)

- Mail Call – Iron Guard 39th Anniversary Dinner
- Mail Call – Fund-raising company
- September's newsletter to be transmitted 12th September – please submit any articles.

Treasurer (MW)

- Presentation of finances made
- Patch provided to our newest associate member, Mike M.!

Motion to accept officer's reports made by EM, MW 2nd

Committee Reports

ECMC 50th Anniversary Weekend

- Remember to wear dark black pants/jeans and gold dress shirt for the dinner cruise!
- Gold dress shirts will be at October's meeting (less than \$20 per person), Ed showed one off.
- Dinner cruise menu was reviewed, discussed and finalised.
- Plaque for both Ty's and Rockbar to be presented aboard the dinner cruise.
- EC making a photo collage video to be shown on the dinner cruise with help from Mel Flythe.
- Gabriel's audio CD to have review by EC for final approval.

Please join our monthly teleconference, held only once a month on the 3rd Wednesday at 8PM. The next teleconference will be 17th September at 8PM.

ECMC 51st Annual Holiday Party

- Planning to start soon
- Venue for Holiday Party to be decided by next meeting

AMCC Representative (Eddie M.)

- No news from AMCC
- Next meeting at ECMC's 50th Anniversary Weekend
- EM to gather AMCC requirements for meeting for CA

Social Committee (CA, JM, EM)

- None this month

Old Business

- EC reports that we'll pursue friendship pins following the 50th anniversary.

New Business

- GP donated an American Flag which flew over the U.S. Capital on the 10th anniversary of 9/11 for use by the club, preferably on the dinner cruise. Have all guests sign it with a sharpie?

Comments on the record (good & welfare)

- Did anyone notice GK's flying sparks from his foot pegs on the Tail of the Dragon?
- MM made a public YouTube challenge to all ECMC members that they perform the "Ice Bucket Challenge" prior to the next meeting (1st October) in the buff or jockstrap.
- The next Open General Meeting will be Wednesday, 1st October, 2014 from 8pm-9pm at The Centre, 208 W 13th St in New York City.

Comments off the record

- Not recorded

Adjournment

Motion to close meeting made by CA, MW 2nd

Meeting closed at 8:55 PM