

**APRIL 2009**  
**MOCS NEWSLETTER**

The final organization and planning meeting for our annual Plain City meet was held in Irwin, Ohio with Jim and Norma Bennett hosting.

Approximately 24 members attended the potluck smorgasbord. After much visiting and consumption of food, the meeting was called to order by Adam Zengel, President.

Treasurer:

Bill Conard gave a detailed report of income and expenses for the past month. The club currently has 85 members with 76 of those having paid their dues to date. Second notices have gone out so if you want your discount on camping fees, please send those dues in!

Vice President:

Pete Trippel commented on our presence at Walnecks, saying there was a good turn out with over a dozen scooters. Publicity brochures for our meet were passed out. He recommended doing it again next year. Buzz Walneck declined an offer to pay for the vendor's spot so a motion was made by Marvin Mitchell, seconded by Bill Lipp to send him a \$25 gift card to Bob Evans in appreciation. Approval unanimous.

President:

Adam Zengel reported that insurance for the officers is still in limbo. He recommended that each officer get a rider put on their own insurance policies for their own protection with reimbursement from the club for this expense. This would provide protection if anything should happen at the meet which would result in a law suit.

Prior to the meeting, the agenda, which included an update of the seventeen committees, had been passed out to all those in attendance. Adam briefly reviewed each area and everything seems in order for the meet with few notable changes from the information presented last month.

Vince Weiss was added to the list of volunteers for Restroom Patrol.

The price of T-Shirts - With a motion by Dale Adkins, seconded by Bill Lipp, that they be sold for \$12 without pocket, and \$15 with a pocket regardless of size. Approval unanimous.

Phil Smith reports that name tags can be done up until one week before the meet if you still need one.

Paul Gerhardt thanks the club for the donation made to the Disabled American Veterans in memory of his father-in-law, Conrad Shuster.

Joe Cartmells's family sent a thank you note for the flowers that were sent to the funeral home for his father's passing.

The club again thanks the Bennetts for providing a place for this important meeting. Following adjournment, camping bags were stuffed and t-shirts were sold at a discounted price for members.

Submitted by Lynn Adkins

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

April 30 – May 2 – Swing Into Spring “The Plain City Meet”

June 15 – 18 – CCOA National Meet at Lowe's Motor Speedway, NC

June 25 – Quaker Steak & Lube – Details later

July 4 – Centerville Americanna Parade – Details later

July 14 – 17 – Vintage Motor Bike Club Meet in Portland, Indiana

#### Presidents Notes

Once again, our 14<sup>th</sup> year, we have assembled a group of dedicated volunteers. We all should be very proud of the reputation our club has gained over the years! I get a lot of feed-back from here and there about our meet, and I hear comments from fellow members who have received good comments also.

I feel that everything is in place at this time and all we need is a decent three days for a successful 14<sup>th</sup> meet.

For those of you who cannot make our monthly meetings, for one reason or another, we're counting on your help once more. We thank you very much for your help in the past and hope you will help again.

I'm making an appeal to members to host a ride this season. If you have a suggestion please let me know. I will present it at a meeting to see the response. Also, on this subject, if you have any other suggestions for the club, please let me know. All serious suggestions will be discussed.

Some members are talking about next year's 2010 Cushman Club of America meet. It will be in Sturgis, South Dakota on June 14 – 18. Please let me know if you are going and I will keep communication going in our club newsletter.

Hope to see all at the Plain City Meet!!

Adam