



March 19, 2013
Meeting Minutes

First time members or guests:

We had 21 members attend and 2 new guest; Lisa-Yamaha 1300, and Cindy-Harley Davidson Sportster.

Note: Prospective members; 1) can attend 3 GCR events after that must join WOW; and 2) have ridden 1000 miles on current motorcycle before participating in a monthly ride.

Reports/Presentations:

- 1. Sending sign-up sheets for Attendance & Monthly Rides, almost there - 3 months to fill**
If you would like to coordinate a monthly ride there are two months available; July & November please contact Elsa.
- 2. Any concerns last month's minutes?**
No replies.
- 3. Board Meeting---- Elsa, Wow By-Laws, GCR By-Laws, better understanding of our club**
The board met on Mar. 2, 2013, and voted to create by-laws, which will minimize problems, create more structures and give new members more guidance. Will present once completed.
- 4. Report on March Ride --Lynn**
There were 20 attendees. The ride started in Folsom and traveled through the farmlands to Lodi. The weather and roads were great. A&W was very happy to have us and did a special raffle just for us and Alison won an A&W t-shirt. They also put our group picture on their Facebook. Lynn expressed how much time is required to plan a ride and thanked Jeanie, Max and Charlotte for assisting in all the pre-ride planning.
RCB Rider skills improvement day - Lynn is coordinating a track day sponsored by RCB club. Our own Sue C. and DeeDee will assist at this event. It will be held in Fernley, NV. on 6/23, a fee of \$185 will cover track time and includes lunch and free camping. The women's group will ride on the C track and there will be three 20 minute sessions. If interested contact Lynn. She will post a link to the website.
RCB Iron Butt Ride---- Lynn also is inviting anyone who interested in doing a CA Saddlesore 1000 on 6/8, if interested contact her.
- 5. April Ride-----Fran**
An email was sent out regarding the ride. It will start in Dixon to Winters to Lake Berryessa, via Pope Valley Rd to Middletown and to Clear Lake for lunch. Refer to email for detailed route.
- 6. Tech Day Report-----Jill**
RCB had a Tech day at A&S and Lynn invited GCR. Those attended liked that Bobby/A&S Tech covered various topics, and they also checked breaks, oil, tires, plugged tires, had lots of fun and it was very empowering. This will be done again in the fall.
- 7. Badges-----Vicki**
Tonight was the last time to order a badge. The order will be sent in to ensure you receive your badge for the WOW Ride-in.

8. Lights-----Sue C.

Sue C. shared info regarding Clearwater lights, which she had installed on her motorcycle. With your headlight and these two lights they create a triangle that is very noticeable by other vehicles. She had the Darla 2000 lumens w/ dimmer installed. Clearwater is located in Rancho Cordova off Mercantile. Mention GCR and get the group rate of \$399, they will install which take about 1½ hrs. Check out their website- www.clearwaterlights.com

9. Dee Dee & Lynn-----updates on getting Appt. to go to Snell Helmet Plant?

To make this 3hrs tour worthwhile for the volunteers at Snell we need at least 15 attendees. But now that the weather has gotten nicer, which means more riding, DeeDee doesn't want this to conflict w/ planned rides so it was decided to hold off till fall.

10. Spring Fling May 17,18,19 ----- Sarah & Tinker should be contacted about anything regarding this event, pointers, no cap on who can come, it is first come first serve- any other info (New members welcomed)

Sarah reported everything is on track. 26 attendees and 2 maybes, contact Sarah if you didn't get the flyer and she will send one to you. Please RSVP for dinners for both nights. There will be three planned day ride opportunities on Sat.; 1) trinity alps 200 mi ride. rate 2-3. very scenic; 2) Lava beds hi desert, picnic lunch, bring headlamp or they provide flashlights; and 3) Burney Falls.

11. Billings Montana -----Reminder -Register- now open up until May 6, 2013 (cheaper) Anyone want to share how their plans are coming ?

If you plan to attend and need accommodation or a ride partner contact Elsa, Director. Tammy suggested viewing this web site www.Visitmt.com for free maps and Montana info.

12. Anything else?

- Nina is offering a deal on Scala G9 & G4 Intercom systems.
- Remember Apr. 1st the WOW mileage contest starts up. Fran has volunteered to collect mileage, so expect to hear from her come Apr 1.
- Tammy shared that there is a WOW photo contest on May 3 and a chapter picture can be submitted, which will be voted as "Best of Show". An email will be sent out with details.
- If you would like a copy of the video distributed at the Holiday party contact Tammy.
- Jeanie and Tammy attended the Orange County Spirit Riders, WOW chapter meeting.
- There was a discussion regarding the waiver forms and it was decided that Linda S. will notate on the member list an asteric by their name, which notates that they have signed the waiver and also list their emergency contact info. On future rides the waiver form will only be signed by new members and guest.