



MOTOR CITY CUSHMAN CLUB

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Treasurer's Report for August – September 2014

Balance Forward	\$527.69
Dues	235.00
Donation	10.00
50/50 (Don Frasure – Portland)	39.00
Fed Ex Office Copies	<u>-13.99</u>
Ending Balance	\$797.70

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Meeting Minutes for September

The meeting was called to order at 1:10 P.M. on Sept 21 at the "Somewhere in Time" car show in Elizabeth Park, Trenton, MI by President Tim Brandt. Tim thanked Colleen and Mike Niefert for hosting the day's event. A motion was made to accept the minutes as published in the newsletter by Tom Milanov and was seconded by Linda Milanov. The motion was passed by majority show of hands.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurers report was given by Diane Brandt. She reported an ending balance of \$797.70. A motion to accept the report was made by Tom Tucker and seconded by Mike Niefert. The motion passed by a majority show of hands.

Old Business

We are going to the Big Bear Lodge for Thanksgiving Dinner. Meet on November 9 at 2:00 P.M. You must R.S.V.P. by Oct. 25. Call Colleen or Mike Niefert at 734-676-1522 or email at mnief3406@hotmail.com.

We still have hats and Green club shirts available. Contact Colleen Niefert at 734-676-1522, if interested.

Tom Tucker gave an update on the Trailster ride and handed out a packet of information about the area that was very informative. (Thank you for all your hard work, Tom and Vickie!)

New Business

Larry Edmondson wants to get a group ride together to ride the states that he has not ridden a Cushman. Those states include Idaho, Montana and Oregon. Contact Larry at 734-783-4927 if interested in doing this long distance ride in 2015.

"A Christmas Story" is playing at the Redford Theatre on November 21 at 8:00 P.M. and November 22 at 2:00 and 8:00 P.M. Tickets are \$7.00 If anyone is interested.
<http://redfordtheatre.com>

The next meeting will be at the Brandt's home. Please note the DATE CHANGE. It has been changed from Saturday, Oct. 11 to Sunday, Oct. 12. Please R.S.V.P. Tim or Diane at 586-254-1278.

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The drawing was won by Tim Brandt in the amount of \$23.00. Congrats Tim!
Tim's Note: Thank you!

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Tom Tucker and was seconded by Tom Milanov at 1:25 P.M. The motion was approved by a majority show of hands.

MCCC Club dues are due now - Please make out your checks to **Diane Brandt** – 2636 Forest Mead Dr., Sterling Heights, MI. 48314

Motor City Cushman Club: 2014- 2015 Schedule of Events

Listed below is the approved schedule for this year as voted on at the Planning Meeting. Any additions or changes to the schedule can be submitted to the president or proposed at a club meeting. If attending an event, please RSVP to the Host as soon as possible to make their job easier.

October 12: Motor City Cushman Club - Cider Mill Ride - Sterling Heights, MI

Tim and Diane Brandt will host this event from their home at 2636 Forest Mead Dr., Sterling Heights, MI 48314. Meet at 1:00 P.M. Ride - weather permitting. Bring a dish to pass, chairs, and your beverage. R.S.V.P. 586-254-1278

November 9: Motor City Cushman Club - Thanksgiving Dinner and Meeting - Big Bear Lodge, 25253 Telegraph Road, Brownstown Twp, MI 48134. Colleen and Mike Niefert will host this event. Meet at 2:00 P.M. You must R.S.V.P. by Oct. 25. Call the Niefert's at 734-676-1522.

December 7: Motor City Cushman Club - Christmas Dinner and Meeting - Sterling Heights, MI - Tim and Diane Brandt will host this event. Dinner at a local restaurant will be followed by desserts at the Brandt's home at 2636 Forest Mead Dr., Sterling Heights, MI 48314. Bring a dessert to share. R.S.V.P. 586-254-1278. More information will be available in future newsletters.

January 11, 2015: Motor City Cushman Club - Club Planning Meeting - Flat Rock, Michigan - Larry and Diana Edmondson will host at their home at 27665 River Lane, Flat Rock, MI 48134. The meeting starts at 1:00 P.M. We will be planning the rides and events for the coming year, so please come with your calendars and ideas. Pizza is provided. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. If interested in going, please contact Diana. R.S.V.P. 734-783-4927

Birthdays:

Joe O'Brien – Sept 6
Don Barnhizer – Sept 7
Frankie Hayes – Sept 10
Diane Brandt – Sept 14
Lee Philips – Sept 15
Jan Sottile – Sept 17
Carl Hayes – Sept 26
Diane Jones – Sept 29
Jim Monthie – Oct 2
Maggie Meister – Oct 10
Sandy Monthie – Oct 10
Larry Edmondson – Oct 12
Sharon Brandon – Oct 16
Frank Sottile – Oct 18
Keith Stieber – Oct 19
Judy Stucky – Oct 26
Judy Devito – Oct 30

Motor City Cushman Club website: www.MotorCityCushman.com

Want Ads

For Sale: Vanguard Cushman Scooter (Yellow Bird), 2 speed, 16 hp. +60 mph, 10" wheels, **New reduced price - \$4,000.** Call Charlie Bob Mels 586-354-4929.

For Sale: Vanguard Cushman Scooter (Chief Slo Mo), 2 speed, 16 hp. +60 mph, 10" wheels, **New reduced price - \$4,000.** Call Charlie Bob Mels 586-354-4929.

Ed's Cushman Shop carries a full line of Carpenter reproduction parts and we have many used parts and truckster parts. We also have some scooters for sale. We do repairs on scooters; rebuild motors, transmissions, and carburetors. We have a source to repair flywheel keyways, crankshaft, keyways, end's and turn crank throws. **Hours are Monday -Thursday 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.** C.S.T. Ph: 217- 874-2771, 430 W. Main St., P.O. Box 195, Dalton City, IL 61925. We accept Visa & MC. We ship UPS daily. Please call before coming as we go to different shows and meets.