



# MOTOR CITY CUSHMAN CLUB

Newsletter – December 2013

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## Treasurer's Report for December 2013

Balance Forward	\$527.00
Dues	30.00
50/50	44.00
Fed Ex Office Copies & Roster	<u>-34.87</u>
Ending Balance	\$566.13

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## Meeting Minutes

President Tim Brandt called the meeting to order at 4:20 P.M. on December 7 at the Box Bar & Grill in Plymouth, MI. Tim and Diane wished everyone a Merry Christmas. 29 members were present which included Steve and Jan Jeffers and Joanie and Joe O'Brien from Illinois. Tim thanked Tom and Vicki Tucker for hosting today's meeting.

A motion was made by Colleen Niefert to accept the minutes as written in the last newsletter and it was seconded by Mike Niefert. The motion passed with a majority show of hands.

## **Treasurer's Report**

Diane Brandt gave the treasurer's report with an ending balance of \$566.13. A motion was made by Mike Dupuis to accept the treasury report and it was seconded by Diana Edmondson. The motion passed with a majority show of hands.

## **Old Business**

Colleen Niefert wanted to let everyone know she still has hats and t-shirts for sale.

Diana Edmondson wanted to remind everyone that the planning meeting is Sunday, January 12, 2014 at 1 P.M. Pizza will be provided. Bring an appetizer or dessert. Bring your calendars and ideas for hosting rides and events for the year. If you cannot make the meeting but would like to host a meet/ride please call or e-mail Diana Edmondson so that we can save your date.

## **New Business**

Joe O'Brien wanted to remind everyone that this year's National's is going to be in Springfield, Illinois from June 15 - 20. Please check the magazine for more details on rides, outings etc. Volunteers are still needed, if you would like to help.

- There will be a ride on Sunday, an ice cream social with Abraham and Mary Lincoln.
- A ride to New Salem, a Military scooter ride, games and a banquet.
- Trolley rides for \$10.00 and you can ride the whole day with 7 different stops.
- Camping is available on the fairgrounds; they have 300 sites available. Motels are available, but please make reservations early.

Happy Birthday, Tim – Thank you!

Membership rosters are available.

The New Vice-President Mike Niefert thanked everyone for letting him be V.P. starting in January 2014 – You're welcome!

## **50/50**

50/50 was won by Tim Brandt for \$34.00 – Congrats!

## **Adjournment**

A motion was made by Donna Renton to end the meeting at 4:43 P.M.; it was seconded by Larry Brandon. The motion passed with a majority show of hands.

## **Motor City Cushman Club: 2013- 2014 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.*

**January 12, 2014: Club Planning Meeting - Flat Rock, Michigan** - Larry and Diana Edmondson will host. If interested in going, please contact Diana. 734-783-4927. Meet at 1:00 P.M to plan the rides and events for the coming year. Please come with your calendars and ideas.

### **Birthdays:**

Frank Meister – Jan 1  
Rita Drugich – Jan 13  
Sandy Phillips – Jan 13  
Gary Schoeff – Jan 14  
Cheryl Miller – Jan 24  
Daniel Stucky – Jan 24  
Kelly Hayes – Jan 25  
Gary Schoeff – Jan 14  
Felix Hurt – Feb 6  
Jan Jeffers – Feb 12  
Terry Babenko – Feb 21  
Carl Douglas – Feb 27

**Motor City Cushman Club website:** [www.MotorCityCushman.com](http://www.MotorCityCushman.com)

### **Want Ads**

**For Sale:** Vanguard Cushman Scooter (Yellow Bird), 2 speed, 16 hp. +60 mph, 10” wheels, \$5,000. Call Charlie Bob Mels 586-354-4929.

**For Sale:** Vanguard Cushman Scooter (Chief Slo Mo), 2 speed, 16 hp. +60 mph, 10” wheels, \$5,000. Call Charlie Bob Mels 586-354-4929.

Buy both scooters above for \$9,500.

**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.