



# MOTOR CITY CUSHMAN CLUB

Newsletter – Aug / Sept 2017

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**Meeting Minutes for August**

President Tim Brandt called the meeting to order at 4:00 P.M at the bicycle museum on Grosse Ilse, Michigan. Tim thanked everyone for coming and thanked the hosts Mike and Colleen Niefert.

Tim asked for a motion to accept the minutes from the June / July meetings as written in the last newsletter. Mike Niefert made the motion and Frankie Hayes seconded. It was passed by a majority show of hands.

**Treasurer's Report**

Diane gave the Treasurer's Report. Donna Renton made the motion to accept the minutes and Frankie Hayes seconded. It was passed by a majority show of hands.

**Old Business**

Keith Stieber reported that it would cost a member \$10.00 to embroider your shirt or hat. Minimum of 12 hats must be ordered at one time.

The website to order shirts, jackets, etc. for silk screen printing **[cheeptees.com](http://cheeptees.com)**

### **New Business**

There is a change of hosts for our annual Thanksgiving Dinner. Mike and Colleen have generously offered to do so. The event is still being held at the Big Bear Lodge on Sunday, November 5 at 2:00 P.M.

### **Adjournment**

A motion was made by Colleen Niefert to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded by Lynda Mitchell. The motion passed by a majority show of hands.

### **Meeting Minutes for September**

President Tim Brandt welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order on September 10, 2017 at 2:25 P.M. at the Dorsey House Restaurant in Clyde, MI. There were 12 members present. Tim thanked Al Copp for hosting.

### **Treasurer's Report**

The Treasurer's Report was given by Diane Brandt. Lynda Mitchell made a motion to accept the report as read. The motion was seconded by Rita Drugich. The motion passed with a majority show of hands.

### **Old Business**

Joe Drugich reported that he was very sorry, but his event on October 7 will be cancelled.

### **New Business**

The next event is the annual Thanksgiving Dinner. It will be hosted by Mike and Colleen Niefert at the Big Bear restaurant in Brownstown Twp on November 5.

### **50/50**

\$30.00 was collected and \$15.00 of it was won by Rita Drugich – Congratulations Rita!

### **Adjournment**

A motion was made by Al Copp to adjourn and was seconded by (Mitch)Harold Mitchell. The motion passed at 2:42 P.M. with a majority show of hands.

### **Dues**

**2017 dues are past due now. Please make out your checks to Diane Brandt for \$10.00 and send to her at the address above.**

### **Motor City Cushman Club: 2017 - 2018 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.*

**November 5, Sunday: Motor City Cushman Club – Thanksgiving Dinner and Meeting**

Hosted by: Mike and Collen Niefert

Place: Big Bear Lodge, 25253 Telegraph Rd, Brownstown Twp. MI 48134

Time: 2:00 P.M.

R.S.V.P. By October 29 Mike or Colleen at 734-676-1522 or 734-306-1051

**December 10, Sunday: Motor City Cushman Club – Christmas Dinner and Meeting**

Hosted by: Tim & Diane Brandt

Place: Uno's, 44805 Mound Rd, Sterling Heights, MI 48314

Time: 2:00 P.M.

Notes: Desserts at the Brandt's house afterwards

R.S.V.P. Tim or Diane 586-254-1278 or Tim 586-206-6789

**January 2018: Motor City Cushman Club - Planning Meeting - Volunteer host needed.**

**Birthdays:**

Jim Monthie – Oct 2

Sandy Monthie – Oct 10

Maggie Meister – Oct 10

Larry Edmondson – Oct

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Sharon Brandon – Oct 16

Frank Sottile – Oct 18

Keith Stieber – Oct 19

Paula Cline – Oct 28

Judy DeVito Oct 30

Darlene Brablec – Nov 2

Brianna Niefert – Nov 5

Joan O' Brien – Nov 7

Linda Milanov – Nov 8

Dave Clline – Nov 12

Donna Renton – Nov 13

Joanna Copp – Nov 22

**Motor City Cushman Club Website by Paul Jones:** [www.MotorCityCushman.com](http://www.MotorCityCushman.com)

**Want Ads**

**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.