

The regular monthly meeting of the Blue Moon Cruisers was held on Tuesday, August 1, 2017, at 7 p.m. at Rod and Jodi Wert's home, Annville, PA. President Dana Moore asked for a roll call of officers and board members, all members were present. President Moore welcomed everyone and thanked Rod and Jodi Wert for providing a picnic dinner for those in attendance. The minutes of the July meeting having been posted on the club's website were approved.

The Treasurer's Report for July 2017 was distributed and read by Glenn Martin, BMC Treasurer, and reviewed by the board and BMC members present. President Moore asked for a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as read, Josh Sigman made the motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as read, and the motion was seconded by Don Anderson. All present voted in favor of approving the Treasurer's Report as presented.

President Moore asked if there were any new members present tonight: Dave and Sharon Duncan introduced themselves as new members and were welcomed by President Moore

#### Guest Speakers:

Paul Gettle spoke about the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sherman's Valley Heritage Days in Blain, PA. The event will take place October 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be an old fashion parade on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in participating meet Paul at the AutoZone on the Harrisburg Pike in Carlisle at 9:00 a.m. He plans to leave at 9:30 a.m.

Bob Hylton from the Country and Town Baptist Church (C&T), Mechanicsburg, PA spoke about a Car Show & Block Party on Saturday, September 2, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Proceeds will go to support the Adam Schoeller Foundation. The show will be held on the C&T Grounds at 220 Gettysburg Pike. Tim Williams made a motion for the Blue Moon Cruisers to donate \$100.00 to the Adam Schoeller Memorial Fund. The motion was seconded by Cheryl-Ann Beetem and all present were in favor.

Norm Zoumas spoke about the 250<sup>th</sup> Lower Paxton Township Family Celebration at George Park on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>. A parade will start at 10:00 a.m. and the cars will be staged near the beginning. The parade will begin near the Lower Paxton High School (now a church) and the cars will have designated parking at George Park.

Bill Brognia spoke about a Wine, Wheels, and Beer event hosted by The Vineyard and Brewery at Hershey on Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Proceeds benefit the Middletown Public Library.

Secretary Alan Hiler read correspondence received in July.

President Moore thanked Tim Williams for all of his hard work in coordinating this year's Fun Run. Tim provided a report that he called "Fun Run Reflections". The 2017 Fun Run was a record breaking day. Listed are some of the highlights that Tim covered.

- 425 cars registered
- 240 cars registered by 9:00 a.m.
- 130 cars were pre-registered /295 cars were registered the day of the show
- 186 cars belonged to BMC members
- ~60 members volunteered at Fun Run
- Silent Auction sales: \$1,531

- Ice Cream sales: \$871
- Bake Sale: \$154
- Apparel Sales: \$860
- 50/50: 1,887
- Special Auction profits (art work, banners, etc.): \$731
- BMC Banner: \$325
- BMC Engine: \$2100

Tim mentioned that he had just received the drone footage from the Fun Run and would have it at the next meeting. He also commented on the following:

- Tim thanked everyone that helped with the Fun Run and recognized individual contributors for their time and efforts.
- Discussed lessons learned and suggestions.
- Reviewed preparations that were made to make the show the success it was.

#### Committee Reports:

Membership Committee: John Kaufman reported that there are currently 520 members. We are at license plate number 122, and John showed everyone one of the license plates. If you are interested in a license plate, see John or Glenn Martin.

John thanked several people that sponsored new members.

This year's Halloween Parade will be held on October 10<sup>th</sup>. The Blue Moon Cruisers will be in the first 25% of the parade. A sign-up sheet will be available at the next meeting.

The GTO Cruise that Paul Gettle set-up went well. There were 19 cars and 32 people in attendance.

13 people joined the club at the Fun Run and 20 pints of blood were collected for the Central Pennsylvania Blood Bank.

Bylaws Committee: Bill Lowe had nothing to report.

Apparel Committee: Bill Lowe thanked the people that assisted him at the Fun Run. He has 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary shirts available, if interested please see him at the break.

Advertising Committee: Alan Hiler had nothing to report.

Newsletter: Steve Thumma reminded everyone that the September / October newsletter deadline is August 21<sup>st</sup>.

Education & Scholarships: Vicki Seeger was not present.

Helping Hands: Carol Martin was not present.

Website: Kim and Jenny Baer were not present.

Sunshine Lady: Barb Bloom reported on cards and flowers. She also passed on thanks from the Grantville Fire Company for a donation from the club.

50's Dance: President Moore explained that Kyle and Elaine Bonds will be chairing the dance.

Membership Cards: Ron and Donna Savidge had nothing to report.

Road Cleanup: Glen Keller had nothing to report.

Christmas Party: Nothing to report.

#### Cruises:

Jenny and Paul from J & P Winery spoke about a Blue Moon Cruisers Cruise in on September 16<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. The winery is located in Grantville.

John Rudy spoke about a Fly-In/Drive-In at the Capital City Airport in New Cumberland on September 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. There will be a \$5.00 entry fee that includes a box lunch. Proceeds from the show will benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Ride into The Sunset: Rick Meisel reported that 14 people attended the Ride into The Sunset at the Front Street Diner in Harrisburg on July 19<sup>th</sup>.

Rick provided details for 2 upcoming events:

- Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6:30 p.m. at Baker's Diner, 515 US Rt15, Dillsburg
- Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. at Skyline Restaurant, 7510 Allentown Blvd., Harrisburg

Bill Morrison spoke about the Corvettes at Carlisle Downtown Parade. The parade will begin at 7:00 p.m. on August 26<sup>th</sup>. Bill is seeking support from members to help park Corvettes along the parade route. A sign-up sheet is available for those interested in participating.

A copy of Old Car's Weekly was presented to Josh Sigman. The magazine shows a 1956 Chevy 4 door hardtop that belonged to John Kaufman on the cover.

Rich Stees reported on TMI Meltdown. There is talk of the film moving from a documentary to a feature film. The producers have spoken with the mayor of Harrisburg about filming in the city. No definitive schedule has been set.

Patty Williams reported that Freysinger Detail Center donated a 2<sup>nd</sup> special detail package for the Fun Run. There were flyers on the table up front that detailed their grand opening special.

Patty also explained that one of the new members that she spoke with suggested selling apparel on the website. This will need to be investigated by the board and website committee.

Charles "Moose" Kihm mentioned that The Lititz Lions Club is hosting its annual Car Show Cruise on Tuesday, Aug. 16 from 5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. on East Main Street, from the Square to Water Street. The parade will be held rain or shine. 200 plus vehicles will be on display.

A 10-minute break was taken at 8:10 p.m.

The 50/50 drawing was held. Jodi Wert won \$102.

President Moore reminded everyone that the next meeting would held at Bruce Larson's on September 5<sup>th</sup>.

President Moore asked for a motion to adjourn tonight's meeting, Nelson Berlin made the motion to adjourn tonight's meeting and the motion was seconded by Don Anderson. All present voted in favor of adjournment. Meeting adjourned @ 8:20 p.m.

Meeting Minutes Respectively Submitted by Secretary Alan Hiler