



ABATE

Black Hills Chapter

September 2020

"News You Can Use"

Side Hack Saloon (Upstairs) in Sturgis

September 30, 2020 - 6:30 pm

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Presidents Report:

I want to Thank everybody that participated in our Supper rides. They were good rides and fun company. We will do them again next year so watch the calendar.

The Meet in the Middle was a great ride, the weather was perfect, the food was great and the fellowship with our other ABATE brothers and Sisters was wonderful. We had 18 riders for our ride. We are looking forward to next year

This is our last Wednesday night meeting this year. In October, we go to the last Sunday of the month. Meeting will now go to noon in October so mark your calendars.

I want to welcome our all our new members. You are greatly appreciated. Please bring your new ideas and

enthusiasm to our meetings. We look forward to seeing you or hearing from you if you can't make the meeting.

Our Dart Tournament is this Saturday, September 26th at the Side Hack. Sign up is from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Come and join us for a fun time.

See you all at the meeting Sept 30th at 6:30 PM, upstairs at the Side Hack.

Ride Free and Ride Safe

Darlene

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[We're on the Web—
<http://www.blackhillsabate.net> **]**

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- Side Hack Saloon
- Spearfish Butcher Shop
- Sturgis Harley Davidson
- Sturgis Motorcycle Museum
- Tattoo Cellar
- Thrashes Living Art Studio
- Uncle Louie’s

Announcements:

- Sept 24th–26th—Meeting of the Minds—Indianapolis, IN
- Sept 26th—BH ABATE Dart Tournament—Side Hack Saloon
- Sept 28th— CMA Meeting—N Haines Hardees—6:30 pm
- Sept 30th—BH ABATE Meeting— Side Hack—6:30 pm
- Oct 6th - Rushmore ABATE Meeting— Eagles— 7:00 pm
- Oct 12th— BHAB Meeting—N Haines Hardees—6:30 pm
- Oct 12th— *Columbus Day*
- Oct 15th—18th— Biketoberfest—Daytona Beach, FL
- Oct 24th— Rushmore Halloween Party— Kickstands
- Oct 25th—BH ABATE Meeting— Side Hack—12 noon
- Oct 26th— CMA Meeting—N Haines Hardees—6:30 pm
- Oct 31st — *Halloween*

Memberships Expiring:

September

Ron Waterland Side Hack Saloon

October

Rick Jensen Susan Lettau
Wayne Lettau Auggie Minzlaff

Current Membership:

81 Members 27 Affiliates

Secretary's Report:

The BH ABATE meeting of 8-26-20 was called to order by Pres. Darlene. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lee. Moment of Silence and Prayer led by Chaplain Auggie.

ROLL CALL

All here!!

OFFICER REPORTS

President Darlene said nominations of officers needs to be done. Members will do this later in meeting. Susan introduced the new members. We introduced ourselves.

Vice President Diane is feeling better.

Secretary There were no additions or corrections to the last meeting. Bob motioned to accept and Diane seconded. Motion passed. Congratulations to Wayne and Susan for being inducted into the Sturgis Museum Hall of Fame. Another Whitewood Social is done. Low attendance.

Treasurer Susan gave the dollar reports. Lee motioned to accept and Diane seconded. Motion passed.

Sgt. at Arms Dave reported that all map boxes are full. Thanks Dave.

Membership Secretary Susan reported 84 members and 27 affiliates.

State Rep. Jack said we need to order our Legislative Day shirts soon.

Road Captain Wayne said dinner rides are done. Discussion on different times for these events. Maybe a weekend breakfast or brunch run. Nothing decided.

Road Hazzard had three local calls.

LRC is vacant. Wayne shared that not much is going on as of yet. Hard Tail's speech at the Whitewood Social Hour was very good.

WORKING COMMITTEES

Sno Ball dance is Feb. 13th, 2021

Dart Tournament is Sept. 26th at the Side Hack. Bob shared information on setup and possibly extra dart boards. Darlene to do the poker hands.

Whitewood Social Hour information shared. There were 88 people from 13 different states. Barbie said there was a food complaint at having chili dogs.

Lost Member Ride had 13 attend. They ate at Spearfish.

Meet In The Middle is Sept. 20th. Meet at Flying J at 9:30 am.

Products had information shared on the raffle quilt.

Mileage contest is going.

OLD BUSINESS

Banner is still working. Wayne said we need to trim

down our mission statement.

Supper rides were discussed. Meet up time will still be 6:30 pm.

State donations was discussed. We gave to State ABATE twice in 2019. One for 2020 so far. Wayne motioned to donate 300.00 and Bob seconded. Motion passed.

Lee said the **Braking and Cornering class** has some openings. www. S.D. Safety Council. org is the site to sign up on.

Darlene said **SunCatcher** can use the \$100.00 donation that members voted on at last meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Elections--Nominated were--Diane for Vice Pres. and she accepted, Barbie for Secretary and she accepted, Dave for Sgt. at Arms and he accepted. Nominations were closed. Wayne motioned to accept nominations and Bob seconded. Motion passed.

AFFILIATES OF THE MONTH are Sturgis Motorcycle Museum, Sturgis Harley Davidson, Dave's Pub in Vale, and Dakota Battery. Thank you all for supporting BH ABATE.

MEMBERS OF THE MONTH are all those that volunteered at the Whitewood Social.

IMPAC raised \$14.86.

50/50 of \$25.00 was won by Barbie.

Thanks to Side Hack for making pizza.

There being no further business or discussions, Bob motioned to adjourn with all in favor.

Be Safe!! Watch out for deer!!

GOD's blessings to all!!!!

Submitted by Barbie :o)

Happenings on the State Level:

Jack Hendrickson , State Rep

Meeting was brought to order by Jiggs. Secretary and treasurer reports were given and approved.

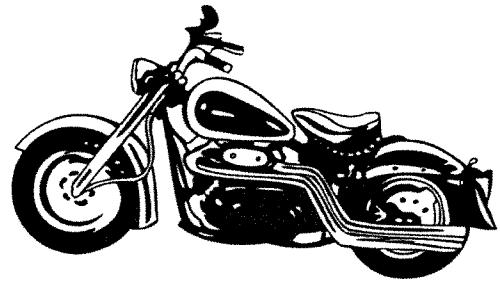
We have sold 765 tickets for the fundraiser. Everything is a go on that.

We no longer have to worry about a state treasurer. Syndi Holloman stepped up and took the position. Thanks Syndi. You are a peach!

The state donated \$5000 to the MRF.

Legislative Days might be put on hold because of Covid. We will have to wait and see how things go come January. We'll let you know later on what will happen.

All for now,
Jackson



BLACK HILLS CHAPTER RIDER CONTEST

This contest is open to all members of the Black Hills Chapter. The contest runs from January 31, 2020 to December 29, 2020. Prizes will be awarded for: Most Miles, Least Miles, 0- 5000 miles and 5001 miles and above. This form will have to be verified by an officer if you trade or sell the motorcycle listed. Once verified another form will be made out and will include the miles ridden on the previous motorcycle and starting mileage of the new motorcycle.

Date: _____			
Name: _____	Address: _____	City: _____	State: _____
Phone # _____	Email: _____		
Motorcycle Information:			
Make: _____	Model: _____	Year: _____	Color _____
Current Odometer: _____	Ending Odometer: _____	Total Miles Ridden: _____	
Rider's Signature: _____			
Officer's Signature: _____			

Chaplains Corner:

I have been asked many times this past year what's up with the new Road Name, NOBODY? Several folks have asked me to explain. The meaning behind it is, don't focus on me because I am just a NOBODY & here I am focused on me. Let me digress...

Way back when, there was a cartoon about 1960 called Auggie Doggie & Doggie Daddy. They were two dogs that got into all kinds of mischief. When they would get caught, they would have this deep laugh & go on to the next thing to get in trouble about. In High School, in 1960, my friends started calling me Auggie Doggie. I don't really know why, but maybe I was that trouble maker like in the cartoon that just laughed it off. That name stuck with me for 59 years. By the way, my Mother hated it & refused to call me by that name.

Fast forward to the winter of 2019. Sunshine passed away in 2018 & I had lots of time to reflect on things & think & one of the things that kept popping up in my thoughts was my name. It just didn't fit anymore. Road names are usually given to you by the people you hang with & care about you. I was reading John 1:21 & it was about John the Baptist. He was doing baptisms & the Jewish Leaders asked him who he was? Are you the Messiah? His answer was I am not the Messiah in fact I am not even worthy to unbuckle his sandals. Basically, he was saying he was a NOBODY & telling them to focus on Jesus who was coming. This registered with me at the time but I blew it off.

I listen to KSLT radio in my truck, in my hot rod & in the house. It seemed like every time I turned it on I was hearing one particular song by a Christian Rock group called Casting Crowns. It kind of goes like this:

I'm just a nobody,
Trying to tell everybody,
All about somebody,
That saved my soul,
Ever since you rescued me,
You gave my heart a song to sing,
I'm livin for the world to see,
Nobody but Jesus!

Here is the entire song to listen to.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1yBzIt_z8oY

My goal in life is to be a comfort to all the folks I meet & spread God's word & let you see Jesus in me. I mess up just like everyone else but don't concentrate on me. Just see & put your trust in Jesus. It finally dawned on me, it was God giving me my new road name & I wear it proudly because after all, I'm Just a NOBODY, It's all about Jesus!

So now you know.

Until next month, Ride safe and Ride often.

In His service,
Chaplain, NOBODY.

Are you a member of MRF? If not, please consider joining.

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- Annual Joint Membership \$60
- Annual Sustaining Membership \$100
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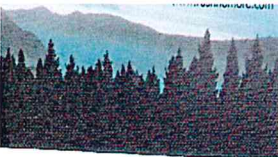
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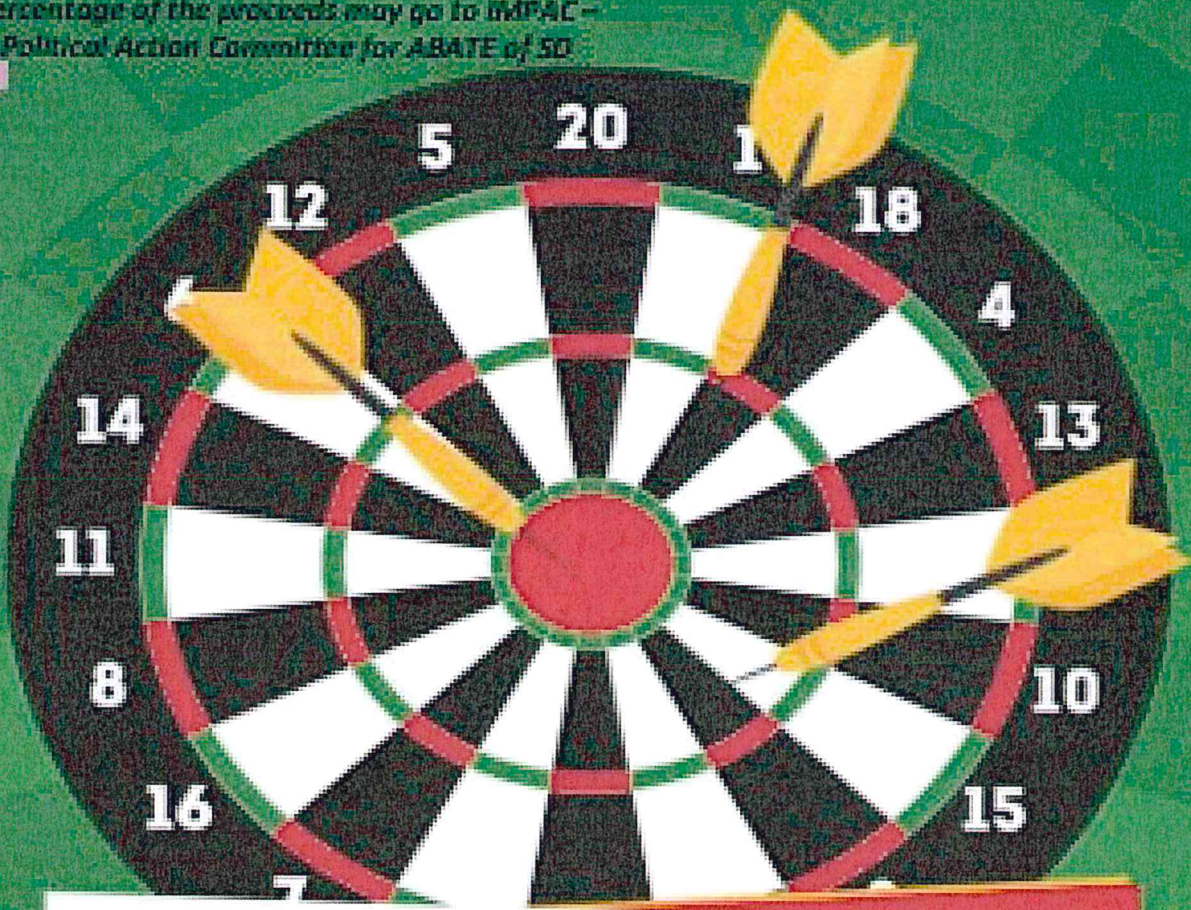
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			Meeting of the Minds - Indianapolis, IN			
27	28 CMA Mtg 6:30 pm N Haines Hardees	29	30 BH ABATE Mtg 6:30 pm Side Hack			

October 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6 Rushmore ABATE Mtg 7 pm Eagles	7	8	9	10
11 	12 BHAB Mtg 6:30 pm N Haines	13	14	15	16	17
				Biketoberfest—Daytona Beach, FL		
18 	19	20	21	22	23	24 
25 BH ABATE Mtg 12 noon Side Hack	26 CMA Mtg 6:30 pm N Haines	27	28	29	30	31 

A percentage of the proceeds may go to IMPAC -
A Political Action Committee for ABATE of SD



DARTS

**ABATE of the Black Hills
Dart Tournament**

SIDE HACK SALOON

Saturday

September 26th

Register
4:00 - 5:00 pm

\$5.00 per player

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