



**Black Hills Chapter**

**October 2020**

## **"News You Can Use"**

**Side Hack Saloon (Upstairs) in Sturgis**

**October 25, 2020 - 12 noon**

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### **Presidents Report:**

I can't believe the snow already.  
Where did the summer go?

See you all there!  
Ride Safe and Ride Free  
Darlene

I want to thank all that participated in  
our dart tournament. It was great fun  
and we appreciate the support.

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### **Articles:**

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Please start thinking about the SnoBall.  
I know it is in February but we need to  
start gathering silent auction items.  
This is our biggest fund raiser so clean  
your closets of all those "gifts" that you  
didn't need or want and if you frequent  
a business please ask for a donation.

Our next meeting is SUNDAY, October  
25th, NOON upstairs at the Side Hack.

### **Affiliates:**

### **Advertisements:**

- \* Rushmore ABATE  
Halloween Party

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

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**Announcements:**

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*

Nov 3rd – Rushmore ABATE Meeting – Eagles – 7:00 pm

Nov 9th – BH Area Bikers Mtg – 6:30 pm – N Haines Hardees

Nov 11th – *Veteran's Day*

Nov 14th – Soldiers for Jesus Nine Ball Tournament

Nov 22nd – BH ABATE Meeting – Side Hack – 12 noon

Nov 23rd – CMA Meeting – N Haines Hardees – 6:30 pm

Nov 26th – *Thanksgiving Day*

**Memberships Expiring:**

**October**

Rick Jensen

**November**

Earl Hirchert

Spearfish Butcher Shop

Melissa Merverden

John Addy

**Current Membership:**

81 Members 26 Affiliates

## **Secretary's Report:**

The BH ABATE meeting of 9-30-20 was called to order by Pres. Darlene. Pledge of Allegiance was said by everyone. Moment of silence and prayer was led by Chaplain Auggie.

### **ROLL CALL**

Dave is excused. LRC is vacant.

### **MINUTES**

There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. Bob motioned to accept and Wayne seconded. Motion passed.

### **OFFICER REPORTS**

**President** Darlene had introductions. Start gathering auction items for the Sno Ball.

**Vice President** Diane had nothing to report at this time.

**Secretary** apparently there was no mail in the Sturgis post office box.

**Treasurer** Susan gave the number reports. Bob motioned to accept and Auggie seconded. Motion passed.

**Membership Secretary** Susan gave numbers of 27 affiliates and 81 members.

**State Rep.** Jack reported that Syndi Hollaman stepped up for State ABATE treasurer. State donated \$5,000 to MRF. The State ABATE raffle sold 765 tickets. Drawings are being held. Legislative Days might be put on hold because of the Virus. More information will be released later.

**Road Captain** Wayne had nothing to report.

**Road Hazzard** had no calls.

**LRC** had Wayne say a special S.D. congress session will be held on how to disperse the stimulus monies.

### **WORKING COMMITTEES**

**Sno Ball** dance needs auction items.

**Dart Tournament** was held. Bob reported that 18 teams participated. Two teams dropped, so 16 completed the tournament. Dollar report was given. Feed back from the players was they had a good time.

**Moonlight Ride** not set.

**Whitewood Social** volunteers set up so far are, gate-Auggie, beverages are Wayne and Jack, 50/50 is Diane, Food is Barbie, raffle, if we have one is Darlene.

**Meet in the Middle** ride was found out that is was expensive to ride through the Badlands. Discussion was had on changing the route. No decision was made.

**Products**--Any raffle ideas? Gas cards were discussed. Bob motioned we table till next meeting. Diane seconds. Motion passed.

**Supper Rides**--Do we do? Yes was the

vote. Brunch rides discussed for May and Sept.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Banner still working.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Darlene asked if we do chili for the SunCatcher chili fundraiser. Members voted no.

Auggie suggested we do a tri fold with our BH ABATE rides in it to be put in the BH ABATE map boxes. Members all agreed it is a good idea. Auggie will set this up.

Auggie has a BH ABATE hoodie, which will be put on our silent auction.

Wayne is challenging other ABATE chapters to sponsor money for a school for the Strider Bike program. He would like BH ABATE to donate \$250 to \$500 toward the program. Wayne or Darlene will get a hold of someone from Strider to come to our meeting to explain the program.

Calendar dates were worked on.

### **AFFILIATES OF THE MONTH**

Side Hack, Rushmore Office Supply, and Handyman HQ. Thank you for supporting BH ABATE.

### **MEMBERS OF THE MONTH**

Susan and Bob for running the Dart Tournament.

50/50 of \$22.00 was won by Diane. Congratulations.

Coins for IMPAC raised \$10.46.

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

Thanks to the Side Hack for the pizza.

BE SAFE! STAY HEALTHY!

GOD's blessings to all!!!!  
bie :o)

Submitted by Barbie

## Happenings on the State Level:

### **Jack Hendrickson , State Rep**

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

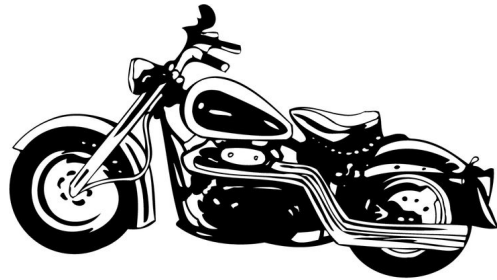
We have sold 765 tickets for the fundraiser. Everything is a go on that.

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:

Life is a journey. We should pray often and ask God if we are on the right road and right track while on this journey. Some times as we travel the road of life we stumble and fall. It is not the stumbling and falling that is important. It is the getting up and continuing on that is important. Sin might cause us to stumble. We need to repent and get back on track. Don't beat yourself up, instead ask for God's grace and forgiveness, try to do better and move forward.

Another thing to remember when on life's journey, if you are wise, is to focus on the road ahead. By looking in the rear view mirror instead of what is ahead, you may miss the next turn or curve and end up in the ditch. We

can only blame ourselves when that happens. So as we travel down the road of life we need to make wise decisions and ask Gods direction. As we travel the road of life and as we get closer to the end we need to be drawing closer to God.

In the bible Paul says doing good and drawing closer to God is very important when we consider that each passing day brings us one day closer to the last day. That is the day Jesus returns!

Until next month ride safe and ride often.

In His service, Chaplain NOBODY.



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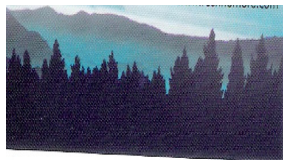


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# October 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
18 <b>Biktoberfest— Daytona Beach</b>	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 

# November 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Rushmore ABATE Mtg 7:00 pm Eagles	4	5	6	7
8	9 BHAB Mtg 6:30 pm N Haines Hardees	10	11 	12	13	14 Soldiers for Jesus Nine Ball Tournament
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22 BH ABATE Mtg 12 noon Side Hack Saloon	23 CMA Mtg 6:30 pm N Haines Hardees	24	25	26 	27	28
29	30					



# Rushmore ABATE

## Halloween Party

### Kickstands

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**at**

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**12:00 noon**

