



**Black Hills Chapter**

**June 2021**

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

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

**June 30th, 2021 - 6:30 pm**

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### **Presidents Report:**

Boy oh boy, has it been hot! Be sure and keep hydrated in this heat. It is very easy to get dehydrated when you are out enjoying a great ride. Remember water is best!

Moonlight ride to the Badlands on July 24th. Come and join us for some great rides and fellowship.

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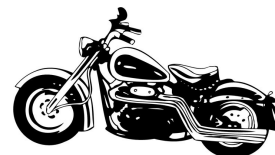
The ABATE Breaking and Cornering class was a great reminder to refresh your skills for the summer of riding. If you couldn't attend the last one, be sure and attend a future one. Remember, ABATE members are reimbursed for the cost of the class.

See you all at the next meeting. It is on Wednesday, June 30th at 6:30 pm upstairs at the Side Hack.

Ride Safe and Ride Free  
Darlene  
605-390-0787  
gilmo5@hughes.net

We had our supper ride Wednesday night, good food and good company. We also got to visit with some old friends of ABATE, it was good to see you.

Our next event is our meeting on June 30th. Then, another dinner ride July 21st, then our



### **Affiliates:**

### **Advertisements:**

- \* Black Hills ABATE Dinner Ride
- \* Black Hills Moonlight Ride thru the Badlands

**Come join us for the meeting and enjoy the Taco Bar!!**

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<http://www.blackhillsabate.net>

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**Announcements:**

June 24th—Rushmore ABATE Dinner Ride—Eagles—6:30 pm

June 25th & 26th—Oahe Fun Run

June 28th—CMA Meeting—6:30 pm

June 30th—ABATE of the BH Meeting—Side Hack—6:30 pm

July 1st –3rd— ABATE of Iowa Freedom Rally—Algona, IA

July 6th—Rushmore ABATE Meeting—Eagles—7 pm

July 10th—DAV Ride for Veteran's—8 am—BH Harley Davidson

July 11th—Devils Tower Run—8:30 am—Baken Park

July 12th—BH Area Bikers—6:30 pm

July 13th—Rushmore ABATE Dinner Ride—Eagles—6:30 pm

July 15th–17th—Beartooth Rally—Red Lodge, MT

July 17th—Moonlight Madness Run—Rice Rapid Motorsports

July 17th—State BOD Meeting—Moose—Ft Pierre—1 pm CST

July 20th—Eagle Riders Meeting—6:30 pm

July 21st—BH ABATE Dinner Ride—6:00 pm—Sturgis Harley Davidson

July 24th—BH ABATE Moonlight Ride—8 pm—Flyer J

July 26th—CMA Meeting—6:30 pm

July 28th—BH ABATE Meeting—6:30 pm—Side Hack Saloon

**June**

Jean Higheagle  
Handyman HQ  
Indian Motorcycles Sturgis  
Oasis Bar/Fireside Lounge

**July**

Tiffany Koski  
Ken LeBon  
Linda LeBon

**Current Membership:**

113 Members 26 Affiliates

## **Secretary's Report:**

President Darlene called the Black Hills ABATE meeting of 5-26-21 to order. Pledge of Allegiance was said by all. Moment of silence & prayer led by CMA Barbie.

### **ROLL CALL**

Wayne & Diane are excused. Sgt. at Arm, Dave, is absent.

### **MINUTES**

April's minutes had no additions or corrections. Bob motioned to accept & Jack seconded. Motion passed.

### **OFFICER REPORTS**

Pres. Darlene asked if BH ABATE information boxes are out & filled. Yes! She asked if a person can still sign up for the B&C class on June 6th. She was told to go to SD Safety Council site & check.

Vice Pres. Diane is recovering.

Secretary Barbie reported over 50 CMA bike & vehicle blessings done at Pierre for Awareness Ride.

Treasurer Susan gave the dollar reports. Barbie motioned to accept & Bob seconded. Motion passed.

Sgt. at Arms, Dave is gone.

Membership Secretary Susan gave numbers of 112 members and 25 affiliates.

State Rep. report was given by Susan who sat in for Jack. Nominations are open for State ABATE officers. State Raffle ticket sales is going slow. Information was shared on how an ABATE chapter feels the tickets weren't drawn right. Information was given on the SD ABATE Awareness Ride Poker Run.

Road Captain report by Susan. Brunch ride had bad weather.

Road Hazzard or ASK had Barbie report on all the road construction on Hwy. 212 from Gettysberg to Faulkton. No local calls were received.

LRC had Susan report that MRF Hard Tail, Gary K & Dave D. came to S.D. for prairie dog hunting.

### **WORKING COMMITTEES**

Sno Ball is confirmed. Side Hack is for sale. Susan said The Oasis has remodeled.

Dart Tournament information shared by Bob. Sept. 24th at Side Hack.

Other summer events are all confirmed. Whitewood Social, Moonlight Ride, Lost Member Ride & Meet in the

Middle.

Products had Susan report that there are one or two awareness signs left. Bob would like three BH ABATE rockers.

Mileage contest is on. Ride!!

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Strider is on hold.

Raffle gas tickets are for sale. Sell!!

June 19th is the Southern Hills Spring Blast Poker Run.

BHAB report by Darlene & Barbie. Much discussion was had on this meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**—Pamphlets are in the boxes. Dinner ride is June 16th.

### **AFFILIATES OF THE MONTH**

Bullwackers Saloon & Sturgis Harley Davidson. Thank you for supporting ABATE.

### **MEMBER OF MENTION**—None.

50/50 none.

Coins for IMPAC raised \$9.78.

Thanks to The Side Hack for the taco bar.

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

Stay Healthy!! Be Safe!!

GOD's blessings to all!!!!

Submitted by Barbie.. :o)

## Happenings on the State Level:

### Susan Lettau—Subbing for Jack Hendrickson

The meeting was called to order by Coordinator Jiggs Cressy with 10 board members & 2 subs. All officers were present.

Treasurer's report was given & approved.

Membership Secretary reported that there are 1657 state memberships and 56 business supporters.

Newsletter Editor reported that this last month was the first time that the newsletter was 40 pages. This was due to so many advertising flyers. She is going to do a cost analysis to make sure that the additional pages are being covered in the cost of printing and mailing the newsletter.

IMPAC reported that Black Hills chapter has everything set up for the Whitewood Social hour.

Carl was absent but Syndie reported that they went to the Aberdeen bike show and the sales were really good. Carl has applied for another grant for 300 more signs. He is looking for a new t-shirt design. We will use the 2021 Legislative t-shirt next year since we weren't able to use it this year.

Jiggs reported that after Syndie has had sometime to settle into the treasurers position, they will be doing a membership cost analysis.

The website is going well. We maybe setting up a memorial page on it but Jiggs needs to visit with Marci about it.

Jiggs, Hilary and Karline reported on going to Heartland STEAM. There was an attendance of 160 people. It will be in Springfield, IL in 2022.

We need to push the sales for the State Raffle. All

tickets need to be sold by the July meeting.

Phil reported that they raised \$235.00 on the May Awareness Run. 1st place of \$120 went to Vince with Zzen, 2nd of \$75 went to Darlene Gilby and 3rd place of \$40.00 went to Cal Stainbrook. Both Vince and Cal donated all of their winnings back to the State.

Jiggs reported that they may have some additional airline costs. It was voted for the State to cover the additional costs.

Syndie had the Hall of Fame tickets. They are all spoken for.

Nominations were held. Jiggs was nominated for Coordinator, Karline for Membership Secretary and Geri for Secretary. All of the nominations were accepted. Nominations closed until next meeting.

After the meeting was adjourned, some of the chapters announced their member of the year awards. Jiggs announced the Board had decided to give Jan Weismantel a Lifetime Membership for all of her years of service. He also announced the winners of the Coordinator Award this year are Mike and Karline Clark.

Wayne announced and passed around the award for Marcia Kaup for all of her years and work on the IMPAC Committee. She has stepped down and will definitely be missed.

Several of the Board members then went to Lily Park to join up with the participants of Oahe ABATE's dice run.

## BLACK HILLS CHAPTER RIDER CONTEST

This contest is open to all members of the Black Hills Chapter. The contest runs from January to December. 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:

Sometimes we struggle with problems in this world because we don't ask God for help. God promised He would help us. All we have to do is ask Him. So today simply ask him for guidance and help and move forward.

Here we are in the middle of the hot, dry, summer riding season. Be safe my friends. Over the years the articles I have written had the theme to stay on course in your life with God and ask Him for guidance and help. He says he will never give us more than we can handle and He will never leave us, nor forsake us.

As we travel and pass through life, stay on course, and ask the Lord for guidance and help. We will then all reach our heavenly home together, one day, which should be our destination. God bless you and keep you.

Until next month ride safe and ride often.

In His service,  
Chaplain, "NOBODY"



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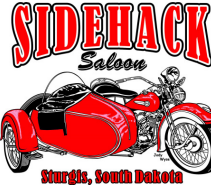
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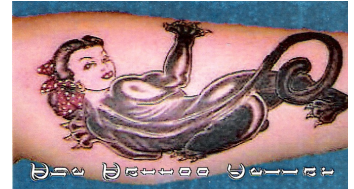


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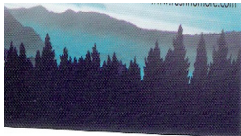
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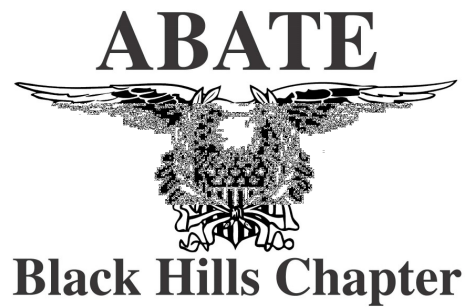
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
20	21	22	23	24 Rushmore ABATE Dinner Ride –Eagles 6:30 pm	25	26
					Oahe Fun Run	
27	28 CMA Meeting 6:30 pm	29	30 BH ABATE Mtg 6:30 pm Side Hack			

# July 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
				ABATE of Iowa Freedom Rally		
4	5	6 Rushmore Meeting 7:00 pm Eagles	7	8	9	10 DAV Ride for Veterans 8 am—BH Har- ley Davidson
11 Devils Tower Run 8:30 am— Baken Park	12 BH Area Bikers Mtg 6:30 pm	13 Rushmore Dinner Ride 6:30 pm Eagles	14	15	16	17 Moonlight Madness Ride
				Beartooth Rally—Red Lodge, MT		
18	19	20 Eagle Riders Mtg 6:30 pm	21 BH ABATE Dinner Ride 6 pm—Sturgis Harley Davidson	22	23	24 BH ABATE Moonlight Ride 8 pm Flying J
25	26 CMA Meeting 6:30 pm	27	28 BH ABATE Mtg—6:30 pm Side Hack	29 Rushmore ABATE Dinner Ride 6:30 pm	30	31 Low Balls Ride++





## **2021 Ride and Event Schedule**

<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Event/Meeting</u></b>	<b><u>Time</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
<b>June 30th</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>July 21st</b>	<b>Dinner Ride</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Sturgis Harley Davidson</b>
<b>July 24th</b>	<b>Moonlight Ride</b>	<b>8:00 pm</b>	<b>Flying J - Rapid City</b>
<b>July 28th</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>August 12th</b>	<b>Whitewood Social</b>	<b>Noon - 3:30 pm</b>	<b>Whitewood City Park</b>
<b>August 25th</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>August 28th</b>	<b>Lost Member Ride</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Eagles—Rapid City</b>
<b>September 19th</b>	<b>Meet in the Middle</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Flying J - Rapid City</b>
<b>September 25th</b>	<b>Dart Tournament</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon</b>
<b>September 29th</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>October 31st</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Noon</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>November 21st</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Noon</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>
<b>December 19th</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Noon</b>	<b>Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs</b>