



**Black Hills Chapter**

**November 2021**

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

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

**November 21st, 2021 - 12 noon**

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### **Presidents Report:**

First, I want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. Then, I would like you all to think about what you have to be thankful for.

Our meeting is a week early for the next 2 months due to the holidays. So, hope to see you all at the meeting on Sunday, November 21st at noon, upstairs at the Side Hack.

### **Articles:**

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I also would like to you to think about all the freedom fighters that gave all for our freedoms. We are still fighting for our freedoms. We must remember the mission of our organization, to safe guard our way of life. This is not only in our motorcycling life but in our daily life.

Remember RIDE FREE and Ride Safe  
Darlene  
605-390-0787  
gilmo5@hughes.net  
Darlene Gilby

So, if you feel "burned out", take a trip up to the national cemetery and ask yourself " am I really ready to give up".

### **Affiliates:**

### **Advertisements:**

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to order from the  
menu.**

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**Products** - Vacant

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**Announcements:**

Dec 6th—BH Area Bikers Shopping for the Elderly—7 pm

Dec 7th—BH Area Bikers Wrapping for the Elderly—7 pm

Dec 9th—Rushmore Membership Meeting/Christmas Pot Luck—7 pm

Dec 11th—CMA Christmas Celebration—Country Church—6 pm

Dec 13th—BH Area Bikers Meeting—6:30 pm

Dec 19th—BH ABATE Meeting—Side Hack Saloon—12 noon

Dec 21st—Eagle Riders Meeting—7 pm

Dec 25th—Christmas Day

**November**

John Addy

Jackpine Gypsies

**December**

Dean Crisman

Earl Hirschert

Kirk Willard

Michelle Freidel

Melissa Meverden

**Current Membership:**

115 Members 24 Affiliates

## **Secretary's Report:**

The Black Hills ABATE meeting of 10-31-21 was called to order by Wayne. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Sgt. at Arms, Grizzley. Moment of silence and prayer led by CMA Barbie.

### **ROLL CALL**

Darlene is excused. LRC is open.

### **MINUTES**

The meeting minutes of 9-29-21 had no additions or corrections. Diane motioned to accept and Lisa seconded. Motion passed.

### **OFFICER REPORTS**

**Pres.** has Wayne subbing for Darlene.

**Vice Pres.** Diane is back. Yeah!!! We are glad you are healing.

**Secretary** Barbie asked if any mail was received. None received.

**Treasurer** Susan gave the financial report. No questions. Barbie motioned to accept and Mike seconded. Motion passed.

**Sgt. at Arms** Grizzley had nothing to report.

**State Rep.** report by Jack reminded all of State meeting in Nov. State is getting ready for Legislative Days in January.

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

**ASK** had no local calls.

**LRC** had Wayne share that there may be a special session in Pierre.

### **WORKING COMMITTEES**

Sno Ball is in need of silent auction items.

Dart tournament was successful. We had 30 players.

Whitewood Social Hour had Diane volunteer to do 50/50. Gate had Karline volunteer and she asked that we move the gate up to the picnic area. All agreed it would be a better spot. Beverages will be done by Jack and Wayne. Barbie has agreed to do food again.

Lost Member Ride had low attendance but was a good ride.

Meet In The Middle will have a route change, Wayne shared information.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Susan will write a new check to Jack for the Whitewood Social.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

The COC has asked us if BH ABATE would like to donate dates and \$40.00 for the calendar. Lisa motions that we do it and Jack seconds. Motion passed.

Pot Lucks were discussed. Wayne asked if we want a November and a December pot luck. Diane motioned to only do Dec. 19th. Barbie seconded. Motion passed.

Black Hills Area Biker report was given by Barbie. Much

discussion. Members will attend the next meeting.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Barbie had Rushmore ABATE Holiday Cash raffle tickets for sale.

Lee shared information on motorcycle safety courses. They may lose the course at Black Hills Harley because of construction. Instructors are needed.

### **AFFILIATES OF THE MONTH**

Nominated are Jack Pine Gypsies, Rice's Rapid Motorsports, and Keystone Convenience Store. Thank you for supporting Black Hills ABATE.

### **MEMBERS OF THE MONTH**

Nominated are Bob and Wayne for taking care of the Dart Tournament. Thank you!!

50/50 was won by Jack.

Coins for IMPAC raised \$10.80.

Barbie announced that SunCatcher is having their Chili and Soup Cook Off on Nov. 2nd.

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

Stay Healthy!! Stay Safe!!

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

GOD's blessings to all!!!!

Submitted by Barbie.... :o)

## Happenings on the State Level:

### Jack Hendrickson

The September Board of Directors meeting was brought to order by Jiggs.

The secretary and treasurers reports were given and accepted.

The State membership is up by 350 members.

The Social Hour was a good success. There were 121 attendees from 18 different states. The day of the social hour won't change. There was a petition going around to change the date. Most of the people wanted to stay with the current date of Thursday.

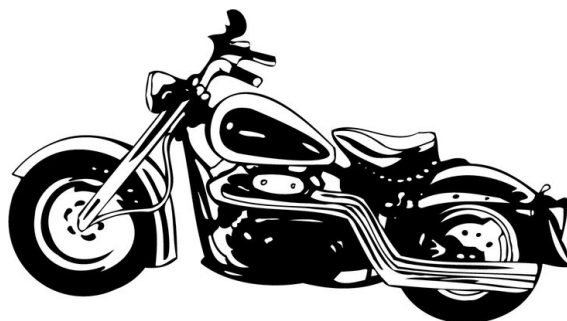
The State is going to give Barb extra money for her food. What a wonderful job she is doing.

The Meeting of the Minds will be attended by Jiggs and Brad. The State will contribute \$5,500.00 and a products donation for the silent auction was made.

We are going to rehire Dianna as out State Lobbyist this year again. She does a wonderful job.

That will do it for now.

Later,  
Jackson



## **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.

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: _____		Date: _____	

## **Black Hills Area Bikers**

Black Hills Area Bikers is an organization comprised of a representative from each of the motorcycle groups in the Black Hills area.

This AWESOME organization does fundraisers throughout the year to raise money to buy presents for the Forgotten Elderly in the Black Hills area. The definition of "Forgotten Elderly" is people in nursing homes that have no family to spend Christmas with.

Black Hills Area Bikers uses the money that has been raised to go shopping for the elderly on one night and the next night, the presents are wrapped and divided between those helping to be delivered to the residents.

This year, shopping will be done at the Walmart on Lacrosse Street in Rapid City. They will meet there at 7 pm on December 6th, 2021.

The following night, wrapping will be done at Black Hills Harley Davidson warehouse at 7 pm.

Black Hills Area Bikers are currently meeting on the 2nd Monday of every month at 6:30 pm at the DAV located at 101 E Madison Street in Rapid City.



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Phone: 202.546.0983  
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mrfoffice@mrf.org

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### The Knuckle Saloon

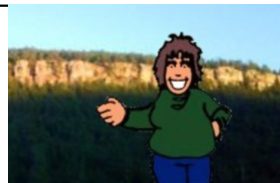
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Marci Tubbs

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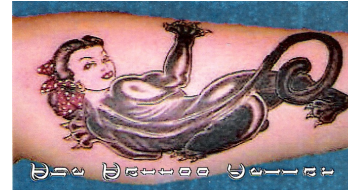


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1049 Main Street  
Sturgis, SD 57785  
605-347-7524  
Toll free 888-347-7524  
Fax 605-347-0102

Open 7 days a week

www.thetattoocellar.net tatrach2002@yahoo.com



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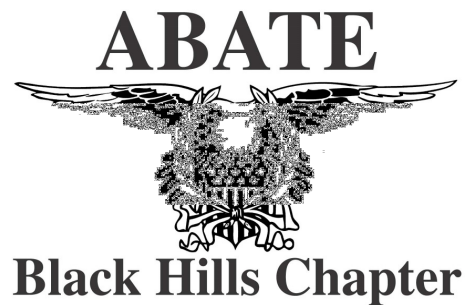
121 8th Street  
Newell, SD 57760  
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# November 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
21 BH ABATE Mtg 12 noon Side Hack	22 CMA Meeting 6:30 pm	23	24	25 	26	27
28	29	30				

# December 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 BH Area Bikers Shopping for Forgotten Elderly 7 pm	7 BH Area Bikers Wrapping for Forgotten Elderly 7 pm	8	9 Rushmore ABATE Mtg & Christmas Potluck 7 pm	10	11 CMA Christmas Celebration 6 pm
12	13 BH Area Bikers Meeting 6:30 pm	14	15	16	17	18
19 BH ABATE Meeting & Potluck 12 noon	20	21 Eagle Riders Meeting 7 pm	22	23	24	25 
26	27	28	29	30	31	



## 2021/2022 Ride and Event Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event/Meeting</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
November 21st	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
December 19th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
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January 13th—15th	Legislative Days		The Moose - Ft Pierre, SD
January 30th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
February 12th	SnoBall	7:00 pm	Side Hack Saloon
February 27th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
March 27th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
April 24th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
May 15th	Brunch Ride	10:00 am	Sturgis Harley Davidson
May 25th	Meeting	6:30 pm	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
June 16th	Dinner Ride	6:00 pm	Sturgis Harley Davidson
June 29th	Meeting	6:30 pm	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
July 16th	Moonlight Ride	8:00 pm	Flying J - Rapid City
July 20th	Dinner Ride	6:00 pm	Sturgis Harley Davidson
July 27th	Meeting	6:30 pm	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
August 11th	Whitewood Social	Noon - 3:30 pm	Whitewood City Park
August 31st	Meeting	6:30 pm	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
September 18th	Meet in the Middle	9:00 am	Flying J - Rapid City
September 24th	Dart Tournament	4:00 pm	Side Hack Saloon
September 28th	Meeting	6:30 pm	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
October 30th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
November 20th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs
December 18th	Meeting	Noon	Side Hack Saloon/Upstairs

**ABATE of the Black Hills  
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Sturgis, SD 57785**

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**The next meeting will be SUNDAY, November 21st, 2021**

**at**

**"Side Hack Saloon" (upstairs)**

**12 noon**

