

# Rig Riders Meeting Minutes

August 20, 2016 – Sharkies Bar and Grill (Surfside, TX)

Chris Miller (President)

- Welcomed members and called the meeting to order
- Held Pledge of Allegiance
- Reminded everyone to sign attendance sheet and check email and contact information
- Check Facebook and Website for club information and calendar events
- 50/50 tickets being sold
- Welcomed guests
  - Keith Green
  - Kevin Green
  - Gabe Weiner
- No current prospects in attendance

David Lawrence (Treasurer)

- Reviewed financial position of club. Current cash balance is \$16,513.00
- Made \$525 in July from 50/50, Dues and Patches
- Will be donating \$5,000.00 to OHH next week

Tim Callais (Secretary)

- Reviewed minutes from previous month's meeting at Lug Nutz
  - Motion to accept by Marc Leblanc
  - Second by Dave Godfrey

Brandon Davidson (Ride Committee)

- Lone Star Rally coming up in early November
- Marc Leblanc will be planning the annual Fall Colors ride (dates to follow)

Mark Mabile (Sergeant-at-Arms)

- Safety Moment topics:
  - Good ride down to Surfside with no issues
  - Reminded everyone that if they bring guests on a ride to inform them of our riding formations and signals/rules
  - Marc Leblanc shared a story of a recent motorcycle accident involving the son of a coworker. Relatively low speed crash but resulted in head injuries due to not wearing a helmet. Discussed the ramifications that result for family members and friends when you make the decision to ride without a helmet and an accident occurs. Consider wearing a helmet.

## Chris Miller (President)

- Marc Leblanc has RR Rally patches available for purchase
- Discussed where we stand with our meeting with COC President prior to the next monthly COC meeting (State COC to discuss RRMCC patch approval) Hopes to meet with him next Tuesday or Wednesday
- Discussed the OHH check presentation on August 29<sup>th</sup> at Blackhorse. Group will meet at Buc EE's on 290 then ride in at 2pm.
- Marc showed a picture of the latest revision of the Veterans RR patch. We will wait for the COC meeting and patch approval prior to having the Veterans patches made up
- New Business:
  - Question was asked about possible payment plans for Lifetime Membership next year. It would be decided on a case by case basis.
- 50/50 winner Chris Miller (\$190)
- Next club meeting suggestions (September 17<sup>th</sup>)
  - Thirsty Parrot (16) – Meeting will be here
  - TJ's in Willis (2)
- Ride after meeting:
  - One group going to West of the Brazos
  - One group going to Galveston
- Closing prayer by Mark Mabile