

BLACKHAWK REGION BMW ASSOCIATION
MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 18, 2011 MEETING

Call to Order. Jeff Sluiter called the meeting to order. Twenty people were in attendance.

Visitors. Julian Opificus visited for the third time.

T-shirts. The t-shirt order is on hold until our new club logo is developed.

Club Logo. MOA has mailed information to local chapters with guidelines for new club logos. Paul Misik, Dan Scheub, Mike Gunderson and Jeff Sluiter are working on a design.

Treasurer's Report. Jim Maier reported a balance of \$XXXXXXX. He will send out a report showing the percentage of the budget we have spent to date this year. Earve Brauer made a motion, seconded, to approve the treasurer's report.

Steak Fry. Our annual meeting/steak fry will be at Fritz's Wooden Nickel in Stillman Valley on Sunday, October 16. Coals will be hot at 4:00 p.m. Anyone interested in an officer position should contact Jeff Sluiter. Jeff indicated there is no limit to how many tour directors we have and suggested that a rain date be scheduled in advance for each ride.

Imperial Palace. The September meeting will be held at Imperial Palace (State Street and Fairview) on Thursday, September 15. Dinner at 6:30, meeting at 7:30.

Upcoming Rides. Green County Barn Quilts ride will be on Saturday, September 17. A ride to the BMW Vintage Car Show in Vernon Hills will be on Saturday, September 24. Gary Ackerman announced a ride he will be leading to the Quad Cities leaving Friday, September 30 and returning on Saturday, October 1. We will be able to tour the Arsenal. More information on all these rides is available on the website.

Lee Parks Advanced Riding Course. Paul Misik took this class and would be happy to discuss with anyone who has questions.

Track Day. There will be a track day at Blackhawk Farms on Wednesday, August 24. Rolff suggested that members check the Southeast Sales website for discounted admission.

Charitable Donation. Our budget allows for a charitable donation to be made and Jim Maier asked that we consider giving to the Autism Project.

THANK YOU. Thanks were expressed to John and Lisa Tallman for hosting our cookout and meeting at their home.

Motion made, seconded to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Marlisa R. Gunderson