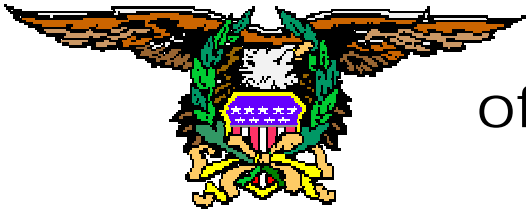


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(A.B.A.T.E.)

of the Garden State

SOUTH WEST CHAPTER

A New Jersey Motorcyclists Alliance Organization



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SOUTHWEST CHAPTER'S MISSION STATEMENT

The A.B.A.T.E. of the Garden State, SouthWest Chapter's intended purpose is to enhance the common good and general welfare of the motorcycling community, by promoting education, awareness, safety concerns, and to foster a general understanding by motorcyclist and motorist alike. Furthermore, we investigate any legislation concerning motorcyclist locally, statewide or nationally. Finally, we will engage in charitable activities befitting our organization, and benefiting both the motorcycle community and society at large.

THE PRESIDENTS VIEW

by Frank C. Maimone

Well, all of our Chapter's events for this year are over. We have helped needy children, we are sending some money to the Amish families and we still have some money left in the coffers for the organization. Normally we run pretty tight, but with the moderate successes of our events, and the ever increasing membership, we should be able to breathe a small sigh of relief. Unfortunately, we need to start thinking about next year, and we need to start now.

We are a motorcycle RIGHTS organization, and we can't lose sight of that. We always help with humanitarian efforts, but we need to keep reminding ourselves that our primary objective is legislative reform and motorcyclists rights. Starting with the New Year we need to resolve that for those that haven't been active, you need to start participating. The only money available to us, to fight for motorcyclists rights, comes from our membership dues, events profits and donations. This is how we fund responding to Washington and Trenton's infringement on our rights. So, for the New Year, let's try to get more members and participate in our events.

Frank

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SOUTHWEST CHAPTER MINUTES FOR OCTOBER

October , 2006

The President, Frank Maimone, called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

There was a:

- Salute to our American Flag
- Moment of silence for all of our fallen Brothers and Sisters
- Welcome to all of our brothers and sisters

Officers present were Frank Maimone (President), Gerald Bahn (Vice President), Kim Smith (Treasurer), Elaine Dzeima (Secretary) and the Trustees (George Williams, Joe Cataldi and Danny Coleman).

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Secretary's report was accepted as published in the newsletter, without correction.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer's report was read and approved by the membership.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

EVENTS:

There was great support for ABATE of the Garden State, SouthWest Chapter's Toy Run, thanks to all who attended. The Junk Yard Dogs played for free, and deserve our gratitude. We had a motorcycle police escort.

ABATE T-Shirts and Toy Run Shirts are on sale for \$10 each.

Frank found \$230 from the Campover.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Date	EVENT
Nov 5 (Sun)	-ABATE of PA Toy Run 856.768.3096
Nov 12 (Sun)	-8 th Annual Veteran's Toy Run 609-646-5940
Dec 6 (Wed)	-Events Critique Meeting & X-Mas Party

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LEGISLATIVE:

Meeting w/Sweeney, Madden, Turkis, Rudy and Cape May.

Meeting w/Lautenburg in his Washington, DC office

The Legislative committee needs to get "position" letters out to Senator Menendez and Mr. Kane to establish their concerns with motorcyclist's rights.

Riders Ed of NJ wants to work with us and get a Grant for rider education. They have already trained 48,000 bikers in NJ.

"Help Us Help You", the 10 points to help all motorists, is out!

MEDIA RELATIONS:

The WEB site still cannot use Pay Pal to sign-up members, re-new memberships, take donations and sell products.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT:

We signed-up 8 new people in Wildwood, and 6 more since then. Two new members were at the meeting, Bob Brasefield and Walt Picard.

NEWSLETTER:

Some browsers and mail systems (AOL, etc.) are blocking the newsletter, and some other distribution. Add our email address (gsabatenevents@comcast.net) to you Email phonebook, contact list and Trusted sites. If you're using a "spam blocker", add the address to the list of accepted email addresses.

There was some discussion about converting the Chapters newsletter to a State and all Chapter newsletters.

Biff mentioned that some of what we are printing takes up space w/old info and wastes money. He suggested we streamline the newsletter.

Linda Maimone offered to proof read the newsletter before it is distributed.

NCOM NEWS:

There was nothing new to report.

PRODUCTS:

Toy Run T's were ready.

RIDER EDUCATION:

Instructor training for Riders Ed has been postponed until March, April and May, 2007, probably at Camden County College. Requirements include clean driving record for 2 years, at least 2 years of experience, and are able to give 2 weekends a month.

E-BOARD REPORT:

Motions generated were addressed under "New Business"

STATE BUSINESS:

The State meeting is the last Tuesday of the month, at the Pic-a-Lilly on Rt 206.

The State still needs a good CPA to set-up the proper accounts.

Andy Prince, Esq has volunteered to help start the State A.B.A.T.E. by attending the next State meeting. Andy and Jerry Friedman are bikers and friends of bikers willing to help.

OLD BUSINESS:

A motion was made by Sideshow to suspend meeting food, temporarily, to save money, 2nd by Biff, and approved by the members.

Rudy is working on selling ABATE of the Garden State products and accepting memberships on our web site. Frank has contacted Rudy, and has a service that can handle this effort. No delivery charge if picked up at meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Tom Gordon made a motion that the organization join the MRF, it was seconded and approved by the membership.

A motion was made that we have plaques for Joe Sway, Jr (Atco Raceway), Zac Grassiano, the Junk Yard Dogs and Motorcycle Escort Officer Salvatore.

George Stietz owes us a letter saying the trailer is "Paid-in-Full", this is necessary so that we can get it registered.

Tom and Rudy requested a copy of all the motorcycle magazines for mailing purposes.

Diane made a motion that we send money to the Amish, in Lancaster. We put a collection jar at the Toy Run, and agreed to "round-off" the collection at the next meeting and send a donation to the Amish and the family of the murderer.

Ruth Ann suggested a dollar lottery for the general meeting. Guidelines will be approved by the Executive Board in time for the January meeting.

Randy suggested increasing event costs to cover a membership. This will be discussed by the Executive Board.

Nominations for elected offices were opened:

The current officers are:

President: Frank Maimone

Vice President: Gerald Bahn

Secretary: Elaine Dzeima

Treasurer: Kim Smith

Trustees: Danny Coleman

George Smith

Joe Cataldi

Nominator

Biff Crossley

Tom Gordon

Greg Stern

Diane Cournoyer

Bob Hicks

Bob Hicks

Bob Hicks

Nominated

Gerald Bahn - Declined

Gerald Bahn - Accepted

Elaine Dzeima - Accepted

Kim Smith - Declined

Janet Bahn - Considering

Danny Coleman - Accepted

George Williams - Accepted

Joe Cataldi - Accepted

GOOD AND WELFARE:

Bob Hicks identified a man who had a motorcycle accident. He was going to research the name so we could send a card or a basket if he's a member.

The Meeting Adjourned at 9:05 PM, with 33 members in attendance. Diane won the 50/50.

**Our Intended Purpose Is To Educate Motorcyclists, Motorists, and Legislators
(Not Necessarily In That Order)
Concerning Things Motorcyclists Care About.
*If You Love To Ride, Enjoy the Road, and Feel That Removing Motorcycles
From The Road Is Not Only
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1. Your Name _____ Your Email address _____
2. Your Phone Number _____ Model and Color of your Bike _____
Ride Notices _____, Email Newsletter _____, Both _____

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL OUR FRIENDS BORN IN NOVEMBER:

Joseph Smith	11/2	Angela Dietrich	11/6	Elaine Dzeima	11/6
Walter J Jones	11/12	Debbie Kleine	11/14	Bob Lill	11/16
Gloria Kaiser	11/30				

HAPPY BIRTHDAY & BEST OF LUCK IN THE FUTURE

ATTENTION ATTENTION

**OUR NEXT ORGANIZATION MEETING WILL BE AT
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South Jerz Riderz Monthly Meeting

7:00 PM, First Thursday of the Month

Top Dog, Rute 70, Cherry Hill

PLEASE, IF YOUR LISTED BELOW YOU NEED A NEW CARD!!!

The following members either need to renew their Membership, or provide their Membership information (Card Number, Date, Etc.) as soon as possible:

2005

Scott Brown	1/31/2005	Lee Rappaport	1/31/2005	Anthony DiTizio	3/31/2005
John Petamis	3/31/2005	Don Farrar	4/30/2005	John M Hosier, Sr	4/30/2005
Earl Stump	4/30/2005	Barbara Frable	5/31/2005	Maddie McDonald	5/31/2005
Lori Patti	5/31/2005	Toni Banner	6/1/2005	Joe Scheithauer	6/1/2005
Curtis Burg	6/30/2005	Stan Proskornia	6/30/2005	Dennis Harrigan	7/31/2005
Albert Holt	7/31/2005	Carl Kaiser	8/31/2005	Louis Settimi	8/31/2005
Robert West	8/31/2005	Ted Lowden	9/30/2005	Jerry Meredith	9/30/2005
Larry Craner	10/31/2005	Wayne Shambo	10/31/2005	Vincent Tosti	10/31/2005

2006

Rachelle Sher	1/30/2006	Peter Bartholomew	1/31/2006	John DelBrocco	2/1/2006
Ray Cole	2/28/2006	Charles Kenney	2/28/2006	Michael Kepner	2/28/2006
John Eger	3/31/2006	Walter J Jones	4/30/2006	Alan D Price	4/30/2006
Michael R Allen	6/30/2006	Dennis Dietrich	6/30/2006	Kelly O'Brien	6/30/2006
Chrome Riders	6/30/2006	Fr.Paul Van Sant	6/30/2006	Ralph Fleming	8/31/2006
Jeffrey France	8/31/2006	Doug Morrone	8/31/2006	Mark Murdy	8/31/2006
Joseph Thiel, Jr	8/31/2006	Joe Bernato	10/31/2006	Chuck Bramble	10/31/2006
Robert Brasfield	10/31/2006	Joseph Cataldi	10/31/2006	Dave Dost	10/31/2006
Chris Gamm	10/31/2006	Jim Henry	10/31/2006	Elwood Holzbaur	10/31/2006
Marjorie Kleiman	10/31/2006	Dominic Napoli	10/31/2006	Bruce Nelson	10/31/2006
Arthur Pdonsky	10/31/2006	Matt Pendleton	10/31/2006	Walter Picard	10/31/2006
Bob Pollard	10/31/2006	Arthur Polonsky	10/31/2006	Rail Ranger	10/31/2006
Len Romano	10/31/2006	Maryann Vasilieff	10/31/2006		

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We will list the business name, address, phone number and one line of info.
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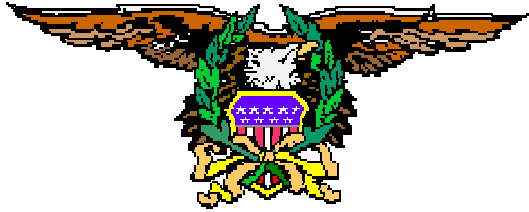
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NOVEMBER 2006



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5 ABATE of PA Toy Run Bob 856.768.3096	6	7 LAST PATROL Blackwood VFW	8	9	10	11
12 8th Annual Veteran's Toy Run 609-646-5940	13	14	15	16	17	18
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