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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.

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SOUTHWEST CHAPTER MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 2014

September 3, 2014

The President, Steve Head, called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM.

Officers present were Steve Head (President), Martin Cataldi (Vice President), Donna Ashbaugh (Treasurer), Linda Maimone (Secretary), Mike Cary and Mark Gebhard (Trustees) and Frank C. Maimone (State Rep).

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, sisters

Bob Bray prepared dinner in honor of Congressman Jon Runyan's visit. We ate prior to the start of the meeting. We provided the Congressman with a plaque to honor his support.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The copy of the Secretary's report was provided in the newsletter, a motion was made that it be accepted. It was seconded and approved by the membership.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's report was acknowledged. Net profit for the Tom Gordon Run was \$298.10, a motion was made to give the State \$300.00. It was seconded and approved by the membership.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

BY-LAWS;

The revised By-Laws have been signed, notarized, have been published and are available on the WEB site for review.

RIDE & EVENTS;

The **NEW Toy Run t-Shirts** are available. **Short sleeve (black\green or gray\black) are \$10.00, Long sleeve (black\green or gray\black) are \$15.00, size 3X are \$1.00 more.**

Roar to th Shore, Wildwood, need help Friday 9am and Saturday.

The Tom Gordon Run was discussed and some new ideas for next year.

Two sided Business card for **Toy Run Oct 12th** are ready. Jon Runyan will be the Grand Marshall.

At the events meet, **Sep 24th**, we will be planning for the **Oct Toy run**. The Start and End point are confirmed. The Williamstown VFW will donate the water and soda.

The **32nd Annual Toy Run** will start in Hammonton and end at the VFW in Williamstown on **Oct 12th**, same band from last year. We spoke to "Chef" about the food.

Jodi Smith's daughter has offered Peach Country Tractor, which has a large parking lot, as a site to use as a run stop.

This month's Events meeting will be held on September 24th, at the Williamstown VFW @ 7:30 PM.

DATE	2014 EVENT
Oct 5 (Sun)	St John's Masonic Lodge 115 MRC, Deptford
Oct 12 (Sun)	ABATE & Archway's 31st Annual Toy Run for Special Needs Children, Hammonton
Oct 25 (Sat)	20th Annual Cooper Kids Toy Run by Chromeriders, Paulsboro
Nov 2 (Sun)	34th Annual DeVal ABATE Toy Run, Phila, PA

LEGISLATIVE;

Sen Norcross has requested that Sen Sacco bring up the "Motorcycle Only Checkpoint (MOC)" bill in the Transportation Committee for review before end of session.

The MRF is not supporting the new Bill HR 2414 (Black Box), this bill endorses "black boxes" in all vehicles, including motorcycles.

What do you do when an emergency\police vehicle or tow truck is stopped on the road? You must slow down and move over (if possible).

Frank asked that anyone with a social network connection (Facebook, Bike-or-Not, Etc.) post the events information.

Check the WEB site for contact info!

MEDIA RELATIONS;

Check next month for new info.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT;

SouthWest has a Total of 305, 107 active and 198 expired.

NCOM NEWS;

The latest info is on the NCOM WEB site (www.aimncom.com).

PRODUCTS;

The NEW Toy Run t-Shirts are available. Short sleeve (black\green or gray\black) are \$10.00, Long sleeve (black\green or gray\black) are \$15.00, size 3X are \$1.00 more.

Old t-Shirts were used for Tom Gordon's as giveaways.

We are looking into purchasing cling-on & stick-on ABATE logos. SW will procure them and the State will help sell them. We will get prices for them and also patches and pins (Frank).

Need to look for State ABATE pins

When we fix up the trailer it was suggested we put up a list of the poles and their assembly order.

ITEM

DONATION

Safety & Awareness Banners

\$ 25.00

Look Twice, Save a Life Lawn Signs

\$ 5.00

SouthWest Chapter has the following items for sale:

Vest and light Jacket embroidery, embroidered Denim Jackets and/or Vests, with the approved ABATE emblem are now available. Here is a price list:

Embroider Denim Vest or light jacket	\$ 43.00
Add Chapter name to Left Front Chest w/embroidery	7.00
Embroidered 4270 Denim Vest w/Chap Name on Left Front Chest	68.00
Adult XLarge	71.00
Adult XXLarge	72.00
Adult XXXLarge	73.00
Embroidered Lee Denim Jacket w/Chap Name on Left Front Chest	78.00
Adult XXLarge	82.00
Adult XXXLarge	83.00
Embroider Left Front Chest w/Chapter name only	10.00
Black Baseball Caps, w/ABATE of the Garden State and an outline of the State	15.00
Black Knit, Ski Caps, w/ABATE of the Garden State and an outline of the State	15.00
A.B.A.T.E. Pins (NEW)	5.00
Patches for Tom Gordon, Jimmie (Buddha) Bock and Bryan Cary	5.00

NEWSLETTER;

Last month's newsletter is available at [August 2014](#).

RIDER EDUCATION;

Check next month for new info.

E-BOARD REPORT:

Check next month for new info.

STATE BUSINESS:

State WEB site is better.

Lifetime Membership were approved. We need to provide a list of names and some words about the individuals.

Road guard education will be discussed at the State meeting in January.

The ABATE drop box on line. You can drop your pictures, with a caption, thereto be published on the WEB site.

You can sign up on a state web site to receive Email notices when bills come up.

(www.njleg.state.nj.us/bills/BillsSubscriptionLogin.asp)

The State needs legislative help and help signing up supporting clubs.

OLD BUSINESS:

We are waiting for East Coast Biker to provide/apply their ad decal on our trailer.

A motion was made to purchase ABATE stickers for inside window cling and outside window sticker. The motion was seconded and approved

NEW BUSINESS:

The large ABATE sign in the truck has been fixed.

A motion was made to provide a \$100.00 basket for the Williamstown VFW, Ladies Aux. Doona Head and Marty Cataldi would put it together. It was seconded and approved by the membership.

GOOD AND WELFARE:

Casino bus trip Nov 23 bus trip. More info later.

Mark Gebhard's product of the month was Mark has buy one tire get one free. His other products are still available.

The Meeting Adjourned at 8:50 PM with about 30 members.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL OUR FRIENDS BORN IN OCTOBER:

Mike Printz	10/1	Harry Taraskus	10/1	Antonette Banner	10/6
Brenda Danner	10/8	Jim Barton	10/12	Bob Bray	10/12
Janet Bahn	10/16	Eric Bray	10/21		

HAPPY BIRTHDAY & BEST OF LUCK IN THE FUTURE

PLEASE SEND YOUR BIRTHDATE (MTH/DAY) TO

newsletter@gsabatesouthwest.org or LEAVE THE INFO @ 856-753-5552

YOU MAY NEED TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

List below are individuals, who are currently listed as members of the ABATE of the Garden State, SouthWest Chapter, but may have memberships dues required in the next month. The membership information is what has been supplied to the SouthWest Chapters' Membership Committee, according to the States records. The SouthWest Chapters records indicate that these members either need to renew their Membership **OR** provide the Chapter Membership Chairperson with the correct information as soon as possible!

This information is used to verify your membership for voting privileges. Members must be listed on the Chapter Sign-In Sheet, with a current date to have Chapter/voting privileges. Any Chapter member who has a question or comment/complaint should make us aware by email to the Membership Chairperson at newsletter@gsabatesouthwest.org or call, 856.753.5552 with a copy to the Chapter President at president@gsabatesouthwest.org.

Karen Chew	08/01/14	Michael Chew	08/01/14	Bruce Nelson	08/01/14
Dan Grabow	09/01/14	Doris Jones	09/01/14	Gregory Stearn	09/01/14
Susan Stearn	09/01/14	John Cook, Jr.	10/01/14	Brian Dunnigan	10/01/14
Cindy Hubler	10/01/14	Joe Jacoby	10/01/14	Duane Jones	10/01/14

We apologize if the information is not correct, but with your help it will be corrected.

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A Veteran/Law Enforcement Support Organization
PO Box 363, Franklinville, NJ 08322
Meetings are held on the last Friday of each month, American Legion Post 252, Williamstown, NJ
Membership Contact "Wolfie" (609) 206-3652

A.B.A.T.E. of the Garden State Membership Application

A.B.A.T.E. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
 (Please print legibly)



Single: One Year \$ 15.00 _____ Three Year \$ 35.00 _____ New Member _____
 Couple: One Year \$ 25.00 _____ Three Year \$ 60.00 _____ Renewal _____

Name _____ Address _____ Expiration Date _____
 City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ County _____
 Phone _____ E-Mail _____ M/C Owner _____ Yes _____ No _____
 Partner Name _____ E-Mail _____
 Chapter Preference _____ Occupation (optional) _____ Registered Voter _____ Yes _____ No _____

RETURN WITH DUES TO: A.B.A.T.E. of the Garden State
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www.gardenstateabate.org

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ATTENTION ATTENTION

THE CHAPTER MEETING IN **AUGUST** WILL BE AT

The AMERICAN LEGION HALL

41 Rt 561 (Berlin-Haddonfield Road)

Gibbsboro, NJ 08026

COME ONE & ALL

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

OCTOBER 1st @ 7:30 PM

GS ABATE "Yellow Pages"

These listings are free to our members who own a business. We will list the business name, address, phone number and one line of info. (Maximum 5 lines, 40 characters per line)

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Jeff Miller
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West Berlin, NJ 08091
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Cherry Hill, NJ 08002
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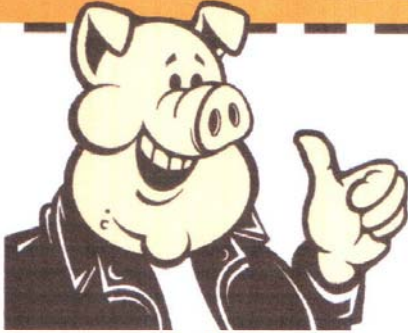
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**A.B.A.T.E. of the Garden State
SouthWest Chapter and
Archway Programs**



**32nd Annual Toy Run
BENEFITING**

SPECIAL NEEDS CHILDREN

Remember ALL the children (ages 0 – 17)

Sunday, October 12, 2014

Grand Marshal Congressman Jon Runyan

Sign-Up 9 – 11:45 AM at Peachtree Plaza
(Old Jamesway Lot) Rt. 30 E. at Rt. 206 in Hammonton,

**Donation: \$15.00 per Person, \$12.00 per Passenger
+ Toy or CD or Video & 1 Canned Good**



Final Destination:

**Veterans of Foreign Wars. Post 1616
1940 N Black Horse Pike, Williamstown**

Donation provides admission to VFW,
Food and 1 Soda\Water (Add'l Beverages Available, Discounted, a La Carte)

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For More Information

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Contact Info for Archway:

Barbara Hill (856) 767-5757 x219, Barbara.Hill@archwayprograms.org



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TICKETS AVAILABLE AT:

Any SouthWest Chapter Member

OR

Lindenwold Moose - Lodge 548
2425 S. White Horse Pike
Lindenwold, New Jersey 08021

Pic-A-Lilli Inn
866 U.S. 206
Shamong, NJ 08088

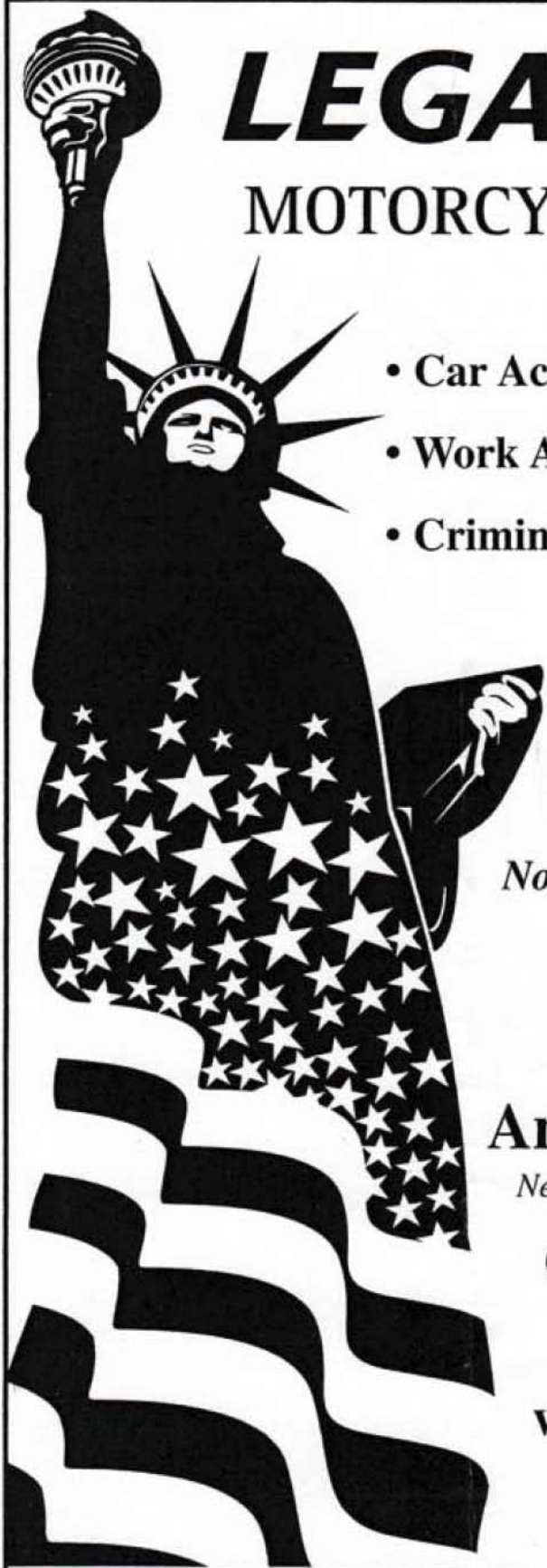
Barb's Harley-Davidson
926 Black Horse Pike
Mt. Ephraim, NJ, 08059

Manny's Last Chance Saloon
221 WHITE HORSE PIKE
CHESILHURST, NJ 08089

Williamstown VFW - Post 1616
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OCTOBER 2014



S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1 Executive Board Mtg @ 6:45 PM General Meeting @ 7:30 PM @ American Legion, Rt 561, Gibbsboro	2	3	4
5 St John's Masonic Lodge 115 MRC, 8:30 – 11:00 AM, Adelphia, Deptford	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 ABATE & Archway's 31st Annual Toy Run for Special Needs Children, Reg 9 – 11:45 AM, Hammonton	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 20th Annual Cooper Kids Toy Run by Chromeriders, Reg 9:00, Rocking Stone, Paulsboro
26	27	28 ABATE State Mtg @ 7:30 PM @ Pic-A-Lilly Route 206	29 SW Chapter Events Mtg @ 7:30 PM @ Lindenwold Moose 11	30	31	