

**Muletown H.O.G.**  
**August 14, 2017 Officer Meeting**  
**Minutes**

The Officer's meeting was held at Doc and Sheryl Ullrich house. Sheryl prepared a nice spread of appetizers, snacks, and desserts for the Officers to enjoy before the meeting. The business meeting was called to order at approximately 6:45 pm by Assistant Director, Ken Steverson. Attendees were Ken Steverson, Terry Fox, Doc Ullrich, Trish Shearn, Red Thomas, and Eddie(Zero) Fisher.

The agenda discussed was the Chapter Picnic, Charity Ride, Christmas Party, and next year's Officers.

**Picnic:** Doc and Sheryl will host the picnic again this year at their house on Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>. The ride portion will leave the dealership at 10am with the picnic starting at noon. Ken reminded us that this is a rain or shine event. Red suggested that we use Hwy 31 BBQ as the caterer this year, and he presented some preliminary information from them. All agreed that this would be a good vendor. Red will follow up with them.

Menu agreed on is as follows; bbq ( both pork and chicken or turkey), slaw, mac & cheese, baked beans. This is a BYOB event. Chapter members can volunteer to bring desserts and will have the option to drop them off at the dealership. We will need to supply cups, drinks, plastic and paper ware. Four gift cards will be purchased at \$25 apiece. Three for game awards and one for a member only drawing. It was agreed that the gift cards could be Harley or other such as gas or restaurant.

Ken will pick up the picnic supplies and gift cards, Red will pick up the BBQ and food, and Doc will meet members at the dealership to transport desserts to his house. Eddie Mann will be asked if we can use his corn hole boards as one of the games. Doc stated he has a smaller set if Eddie's is not available. An egg toss will be the other game played. Zero will send out an Evite as we get closer to the event requesting a reply by one week before the event date.

**Charity Ride:** Maury County Veterans will be the recipients of our annual charity ride to be held on October 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00am. Ken will talk to James Patterson of the M.C.V. to see if we can coordinate presenting the donation with a lunch activity that the Veterans may have planned. This could possibly affect our ride date. If the Veterans have nothing planned, our original date will stand and we will ride to a restaurant destination.

**Christmas Party:** The Christmas party will be held on 12/9. Fox has secured the Stoneybrook Golf Course Club house for us again this year. The golf course has a caterer now and Red and Fox asked her to quote us a price for catering the party. As of this meeting the caterer has not got back to us about prices. It was discussed that this vendor may not be too interested in getting our business. (Note – Party was changed to 12/16 due to a scheduling conflict at the club house)

We discussed that the catering to last year's party by Carlene was a great success. All agreed to have Fox check with her about catering the same rib eye dinner again this year. Fox will be getting an update on pricing.

Activities will again be Dirty Santa and an Indoor Poker Run. There will be awards for the Participation Contest, and a drawing for a gift card for members only. Zero brought up the idea of having some new activities, and the left, right, center game was discussed. All agreed to stick with the traditional activities we have done in the past.

Cost of the party to the membership and their guests was discussed as well as collecting money in advance. Last year we had a few members who signed up for the party who were no pay / no shows. Trish suggested we have people pay at the November chapter meeting. No concrete plan was put forward. More information and discussion to follow. Zero will send out an Evite as we closer to the date of the party.

**Next Year's Officers:** Ken asked the question of who would like to stay on for next year in their current position. He shared with the group that Dave Payne would not be serving as the Head Road Captain. Red said he was on the fence at this time being the Activities Officer. Ken said he would not be filling the Asst. Director's position and asked for volunteers to take this spot. All other Officers said they would continue in their current position. It was discussed if the chapter would continue to exist if no one took on the responsibility of the Asst. Director, and if there was not enough involvement from the membership. Ken will bring up Officer opportunities at the next chapter meeting.

**Other Business:** Zero stated we have \$1,177.04 in our account. Doc said that newsletter articles are due on 9/16/17. Doc passed out Road Captain cards and gave Membership Business cards to Fox so he could place them at the dealership.

It was discussed and agreed to raise the dues next year to \$20 for early sign-up, and \$24 for late sign-up. This will help offset some of the club's expenses as we have no fund raiser other than the 50/50 drawings.