

Pioneer Chapter Riders Club Meeting Minutes - SUNDAY 14Jan2024

*** Jim Rendahl sent invitations to join the meeting using Zoom. If you are interested in participating in our Zoom Meetings send your e-mail address to "jimi_x@comcast.net" so he can include/invite you to join our next meeting. You only need to send your e-mail address to Jim once and he will include you in future Zoom Meeting Invitations. If you don't see the invitation in your "Inbox" be sure to check your "Junk Mail". ***

- Dan Muller will called the meeting to order at 1PM at The Shed via Zoom.
- Membership Report Chuck Barsness Your Pioneer Chapter Riders Club (PCRC) Membership Dues can be paid anytime now. Our membership runs from Jan 1st thru Dec 31st each year and costs \$25. The Membership Gift for 2024 will be a PCRC Universal Socket 1/4"-3/4" (7mm-19mm). The Universal Socket will be mailed to all that pay their 2024 dues. Thanks to several that have already renewed their PCRC Membership.
- Treasurer's Report Doug Bruns Your \$25 2024 dues can be paid any time now! You can go online to join or renew your membership at "ehridersclub.com" and use PayPal to pay your dues. Or, you can make a check out to the Pioneer Chapter Riders Club for \$25 and send it to Doug Bruns, PCRC Treasurer, 19219 Estate Ave, Farmington MN 55024.

Agenda Items:

- 2024 Discussion was held. Election of a new PCRC Director and a new PCRC Secretary will be held in March. They are each two year positions. If you are interested and would consider either of these positions please let us know. Chuck is not going to run for Secretary again. It's time to pass the torch.
- A Holiday Get-Together and our Annual PCRC Luncheon Ride need further discussion. There were several ideas discussed for a Holiday Party. We are planning a party at the Shed and are considering having a grill and have a cook in/out the Shed, steaks, burgers, brats, hot dogs, whatever. We discussed having the party/meeting late afternoon on the second Saturday of April or May depending on your responses, to allow for out of town members to attend. Please contact Chuck, Dan or Jim if you are interested in joining us.
- The Luncheon Ride doesn't occur until July so there is time to plan that. Possible dates are July 13th or 27th. Let us know your thoughts!
- 2024 The 25th Annual PCRC Rally dates are 21-25Ag2024 mark your calendars. We will be returning to the Country Lodge Inn in Harmony MN for our Rally. Nancy is the contact at 507-886-2515. The riding in that area is great and Nancy is a Super Host.
- 2024 and 2025 Rally Pins and 25th Year Pioneer Chapter Pins will be ordered. The Pioneer Chapter Riders Club (PCRC) was organized in 2000 and will be 25 years old in 2025.
- Discussion continues about PCRC Administrative Duty turnover. Chuck is planning on taking a back seat from PCRC Administration after March.

- A Gift of Appreciation A gift has been purchased for Nancy for being a Fantastic Host for our PCRC Rally's. We purchased and assembled two Plant Theatre Wooden Adirondack Chairs for her use at Country Lodge Inn in Harmony. Thanks to Jim Rendahl and Dennis French for helping Chuck with their assembly. we plan on covering the chairs with teak oil over the winter months. They will be delivered to Nancy in the Spring.
- We currently have 9 Super Xs at the Shed. One is being worked on and one is waiting to be worked on. If you are in need of something let us know.
- Our next meeting will be Sunday February 11th, 2024 It will be held at the Shed at 1 PM via Zoom.

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*** This from Waz and the XH Riders Club ***

Hey all - welcome to 2024! As every new year will do, 2024 brings promise, anticipation and hope. But, to us owners and/or fans of the second generation Excelsior Henderson motorcycles, it also brings us our Silver Anniversary. Hard to believe that it's already been 25 years of these timeless machines. Certainly worthy of a celebration and celebrate we will! Our Silver Anniversary celebration will be held at the birthday place of these bikes: Belle Paine, MN over the third weekend in July. Please make plans to attend for the weekend or simply for a few hours to catch up with longtime friends or join us for a ride. Home base for the Silver Anniversary Celebration has been established as The Home Town Inn and Suites in Belle Plaine. We've got a block of 10 rooms for Thursday, Friday and Saturday July 18, 19 and 20th. Of course you can come earlier if you'd like. 952-873-6017 The block is under Excelsior Henderson Rider's Club. Book your vacation time as well as your room reservation now.