

STAR Touring Chapter 153  
Meeting Minutes  
May 17, 2008

**I. Call to order**

President Janet Sturkey called to order the meeting of the General Membership of STAR Touring Chapter 153 at 9:00 a.m. on May 17, 2008 at PCP Motorsports on Florin Road.

**II. Roll call**

Secretary Mary Jeruss had everyone present sign in on the sign in sheet. There were 19 members present at this meeting.

**III. Approval of minutes from last meeting**

The minutes will be emailed to the officers for approval. Once approved, the minutes will be forwarded to the West Regional Directors.

**IV. Items Discussed**

- Guest Ray Green introduced himself to the group. He rides an 1100 VStar and lives near Excelsior and Calvine roads.
- Vice President Eric Rhetta announced the upcoming rides:
  - May 24<sup>th</sup> – BONUS Ride – STAR Knights. Proceeds will benefit the Yountville Veterans Home.
  - May 31<sup>st</sup> – Grizzly Ride – Cost is \$35 riders/\$10 passengers if riders pre-register.
  - June 5-6<sup>th</sup> – High Sierra STAR BQ.
  - June 21 – BONUS Ride – Modesto Poker Run.
- Treasurer Kim Lahn announced that she has patches and flags for sale. She also announced that the picnic raised \$457.00 and after expenses, the chapter would like to donate \$112.81 to STAR Knights. A motion was made, seconded, and approved by members present to donate the money to STAR Knights.
- Disney Mike was presented with his “Past President” rocker. Current President Janet Sturkey asked other past officers to see her if they would like “past officer” rockers.
- President Janet Sturkey announced that the June Meeting will be held at Coco’s on Arden Way across from the mall at 7:00 p.m. Members will have an opportunity to vote on whether this is a permanent change of location for the general membership meetings or whether they wish to stay with the present location.
- Members who wish to have a safety check today were asked to leave their keys in their bikes. A checklist will be placed on their bikes after the safety check is complete outlining any areas of concern.
- Raffle tickets will be sold during the break between class instruction and the obstacle course. Debi Crawford donated a free admission to the Ride for Hospice on June 28<sup>th</sup>. PCP Motorsports donated three \$25 gift cards as well – THANK YOU PCP!

- A motion was made to reimburse LOS Representative Marilyn Long \$304.19 for expenses for the Jamestown picnic. The motion was seconded and approved by members present.
- Shepherd Jim Long made a motion for reimbursement related to the picnic which was also seconded and approved by members present.
- President Janet Sturkey had an expense of \$50 for Jamestown raffle prizes which was also seconded and approved by members present.
- President Janet Sturkey asked that today's participants email her with comments and constructive ideas to improve future Safety Day presentations.
- Vice President Eric Rhetta stated that today's ride is around the Delta, approximately 100 miles, just under two hours long and will end back at PCP Motorsports.
- The raffle was held and the following prizes were awarded:
  - Free Hospice Ride Admission – Dan Martin
  - \$25 PCP Gift Card – Bill Bispo
  - \$25 PCP Gift Card – Disney Mike
  - \$25 PCP Gift Card – Mary Jeruss
- Treasurer Kim Lahn collected a total of \$50 for the 50/50 and the \$25 split was won by Eric Rhetta.

**V. Adjournment**

The meeting ended and the Safety Day Presentation began around 10:00 am.

**Minutes submitted by:** Mary Jeruss, Secretary