



Sangre De Cristo Chapter #3502  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
Board Minutes for July 11, 2018  
\*(Meeting held at Casa De Herrera's in Pecos)

Officers Attending: Glen Post, Director & Communcations; Gilbert Gurule Jr., Asst. Director & Treasurer; Doug Fairfield, Secretary; Becky Schreiber, Activities; Bob Parnell, Safety; Natalie Gurule, Membership; John Shannon, Historian; Fritz Besch, Photographer; Caroline Kline, LOH

Officers Not Attending: David or Debby Pearson, SFH-D Dealership Liaison

Chapter Members: Pete Hippauf, Rob Lunn, Nina Post

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Meeting Called to Order: 5:33 p.m.

\*Following reports in order per Director's agenda.

Treasurer's Report: Gil reported the following monthly balances with corresponding data:

March	\$1573.67	
	Norscot patches	-\$236.15
	Bank fees	-\$ 8.67
April	\$1328.85	
	Norscot patches	-\$270.00
	Bank fees	-\$ 8.00
May	\$1050.85	
	Memberships	+\$391.00
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	Norscot T-shirts	-\$603.20
	Bank fees	-\$ 8.67
June	\$1357.98	

Asst. Director's Report: Gil alerted the Board to a handful of upcoming rallies.

Top O'The Rockies Rally, Paonia, CO	July 19-21
Rough Rider Rally, Las Vegas, NM	July 27-29
Sturgis, Sturgis, SD	Aug. 03-12
Salute to Am. Vets Rally, Cripple Creek	Aug. 17-19
Bavarian Mountain Rally, Sipapu, NM	Sept. 07-09
Golden Aspen Rally, Ruidoso, NM	Sept. 19-23

Membership: Natalie reported 90 members including new members John Gensinger, Marcella Phelps, Douglas Rice, and Carl Siel.

LOH Caroline reported that her designated Sunday rides thus far have generated no interest and recommended that Ladies of Harley be suspended until further notice.

\*Motion (by Fritz): Ladies of Harley for the Sangre De Cristo Chapter shall be suspended until further notice with Caroline remaining as LOH Director to the end of the year.

Numerous voices 2<sup>nd</sup>-ed the motion, motion carried unanimously.

Secretary's Report: No formal report from Doug. But Doug recommended to the group - and particularly to the activities officer - that more mid-week rides be considered due to the fact that the majority of members who repeatedly show up for rides are retired. Consequently, traffic and restaurants and special destinations would/should be easier to contend with.

There was a general consensus that this made sense for the current "active" membership with weekend rides still in the offing.

Activities Report: Becky (and John) presented a number of rides for consideration, which generated much discussion (and much confusion regarding timelines). Surprisingly, the group stayed on track and carved out meaningful timeframes for upcoming rides - some still subject to change. As of the Board Meeting:

July 14-15 Ouray, Colorado  
July 22 Chama, New Mexico  
July 28 Rough Rider Rally, Las Vegas, New Mexico

August 3 or 14 Conchas Lake, New Mexico  
August 11 Jeanne Brooks Ride, Cedar Crest, NM  
August 18 Rancho De Taos, New Mexico  
August 29 Ride Home to Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Sept. 16 Los Ojos, Jemez Springs, New Mexico  
Sept. 20-23 Silver City to Pinetop (NM and AZ)

Oct. 12-14 Roswell and Carlsbad, New Mexico  
Oct. 23 Wolf Awareness Ride (Arizona)

\*\*Check Chapter calendar for details and changes.

Safety Report:

Bob, Bob, Bob said something but no one listened. A couple of members reminded Bob that Glen Post and Rob Lund had riding accidents in 2018.

Photographer Report: See Bob, Bob, Bob's report.

Director's Report:

Glen supported Doug's suggestion to consider more mid-week rides given the makeup of the "active" riders; i.e. retired riders.

To generate more participation in Chapter rides, Glen suggested a monthly "Mystery Ride" wherein he or another officer would plan a ride and "Give out the least amount of info possible and keep the actual locations of the ride(s) secret. Provided would be: Miles to be ridden, one-way ride or loop ride, if there's going to be food, approximate time the ride would take, and number of stops." Glen provided an example to clarify his thinking.

Glen's "Mystery Ride" suggestion generated some discussion and generally positive comments, but nothing was decided. Glen may or may not follow up on it.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:51 p.m.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 3 (Time and Place TBD)

Reporting: Doug "Minute Man" Fairfield, Secretary