



ROGUE VALLEY WINGS
NEWS LETTER
DECEMBER 2007



WISHING ALL A HAPPY HOLIDAY
SEASON AND NEW YEAR!!

Rogue Valley Wings General Meeting
November 17, 2007

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

Bill & Lori Erickson

Birthdays:

Daryl Farrington--Dec.3

Teri Foster--Dec.5

Hans Raub--Dec. 7

Deanne Lebow--Dec.13

John Naughton--Dec. 14

Herb Votaw--Dec. 27

Jerry Jones--Dec 31

Anniversaries:

Wagy's--Dec.2

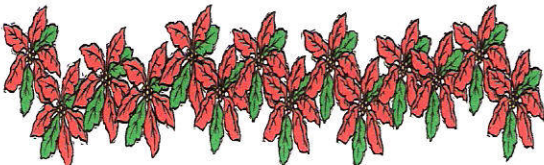
Ewing's--Dec. 28

Larry opened the meeting at 9:30 a.m. Bill and Lori Erickson were introduced as brand new members. They found us on the net so this was their first chance to meet any of us and go to a meeting. We welcome them..

Chuck addressed safety concerns. When joining a pack from a standstill, pull into the end of the line then pass the tail gunner when signaled to do so. There was a problem with another group and this scenario recently and it didn't go well. You can read about this on the net. Chuck and Don passed out safety patches to those who earned them.

Winter weekend West is coming up in March in Sacramento. Check the net for the length of time and cost. It should be fun.

The Christmas party is Dec. 7th at the Rivers Edge. It starts at 6pm with a no host bar and dinner at 7pm. Hope to see you there. Don and Judy Coons are celebrating Thanksgiving today at their home. It will be



great. At the time these minutes were written, I can say this party was a wonderful success. Thank you Don and Judy for all your hard work and providing so much hospitality.

There is a meeting on the 28th of this month at Hart's at 6pm. to outline good ideas for the light parade for state rally. All are welcome to come and have dinner with us and put in their ideas.

The state meeting was last month and mostly addressed the State Rally. There is a food drive going on now for the Madras area. Bring food each month and it will be donated to that area at the time of state rally.

Ken and Betty are nominated for chapter directors next year. Steve Riggs was also nominated. We will vote at the next meeting.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Don Wagy. Good gong Don.

Meeting adjourned at 9:55 am. Next meeting will be December 15.

Carmen Warren
Secretary

WISHING YOU THE BEST FOR THE HOLIDAYS FROM OUR HOUSE TO YOURS

Please don't forget that this is the holiday season and lots of celebrating is going on. People don't see motorcycles but after on office party many don't even see the road. Always remember that your best friend, your trusty steed, that shinny bike you own can kill you. While I hate to be so blunt if this message gets one rider's attention and possibly save his/her life then it's worth it. Roads are slick, windshields are fogged and vision is impaired and people are in a hurry so it's time for lots of extra precaution regardless if you're riding a bike or driving a car. Even parking lots are extra dangerous this time of year.

Just in this past week i have read or heard about several very terrible fatality accidents. Some of these involved some very young adults just starting out in life.

Spring and another great riding season will be here soon so we're looking forward to many more fun and exciting rides.

Wishing a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Exciting New Year to all, Don and Judy Coons



Carmen was kind enough to put together a Medial history chart to carry in our wallets. It is a great idea and hope it is something we all do.