BLUE GOMET MG NEWSLETTER

August

2022



MEMBER NEWS!!!



Blaze and Thor toast to the good news! CHEERS!!

On August 1 we had a hearing with the Skippack Township Zoning Board regarding our request for a variance that will allow us to build our new clubhouse. This was a make or break moment! If denied, we would have one option left, an appeal in court. After a presentation by our legal representation, myself as primary witness, and some resident comments and discussion, the Zoning Board UNANIMOUSLY voted to approve our request!

Ladies and Gentleman, we are building a building!! Stay tuned for more updates!!! Thor

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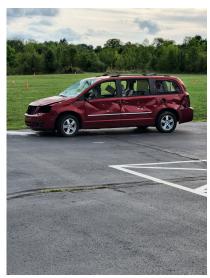


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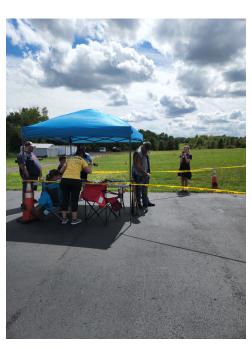


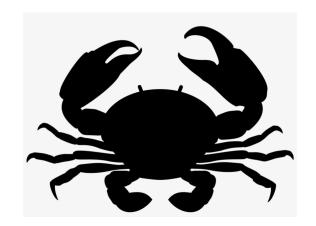
On August 6, Team Forss for Good held their 6th annual car smash for suicide prevention on our grounds. I am happy to report that they had a great turnout and a successful event! BCMC members also voted unanimously to host their event at the club next year! A great event for a very worthy cause that is close to this author's heart for sure.











BCMC ANNUAL CRAB RUN WOODY'S NORTH EAST MD AUGUST 7, 2022

On a sweltering summer day, 20 BCMC members and a couple of guests braved the 100 degree temps for our annual crab run to Woody's in Maryland. Bill McLead was our RC. Despite the heat, we had a beautiful ride and a great meal!!









Hustler and Seth enjoying a father/son day!



Jim, Sparky and Wrench



Purple trying to decide on what she wants for lunch while Heinzie orders a beverage





The waiter bet Firecracker the cost of this dessert if he could finish the entire piece!

He came SOOOO close!!

It was a valiant effort for sure.

BCMC 85TH ANNIVERSARY CLUB PICNIC AUGUST 13 2022

A HUGE thanks to the picnic committee for their hardwork making this a FANTASTIC picnic!!! We celebrated 85 years with our BCMC family. Here's to the next 85 and beyond!!















THOR TAKING THE DAY TO RELAX AND ENJOY A BEYERAGE AND A CIGAR



EVEN THE DOGS NEED A FROSTY BEVERAGE ONCE IN AWHILE



SPARKY AND MOM RELAXING IN THE PAVILION.



JADEN AND MEL ENJOYING THE WARM SUNSHINY DAY!



JERRY BROUGHT THE GUNS! CAN ANYONE SHOW HIM WHERE HE CAN FIND A GOOD TARGET?



Let's Make a Deal-BCMC style!!

Thanks for the idea and all the work put in by Keith Who, Grasshopper, Firecracker and of course we can't forget to give a shout out to Boots for her innovative costume design for Firecracker's suit!







Rosko and his winnings... is his new passenger full of hot air??



Bill reminiscing the 1980s with his "boom box" prize!

BCMC CAR AND TRUCK SHOW 2022









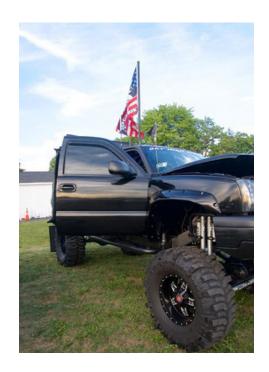




















The Winner's Circle



















LDMM PISTOL POKER RUN 2022

Hustler led a group of 21 BCMC members for LDMM's pistol poker run on Saturday August 20. It was another hot one, but we had a great run! Both Wonka and Leggz came away with 1st and 2nd prizes for their poker hands, and a few of us won some great raffle prizes! Juggs managed NOT to win the booby prize this year!!!



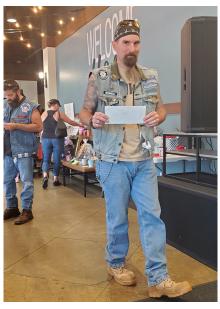












SOCIAL RIDE TO MOM'S REAL ITALIAN WATER ICE

Hustler led us out for some cold refreshment at our last social ride.





POW/MIA RIDE FOR FREEDOM

On Sunday, August 28, 2022, the, POW/MIA Forget-Me-Nots, Reading Motorcycle Club and various other Veteran and motorcycle groups, including BCMC, were involved with the Twenty-Ninth Annual "RIDE FOR FREEDOM".

The purpose of the ride is to promote awareness of our Prisoners Of War and those still Missing In Action. As of May 12, 2022 there are still 81,600 missing and unaccounted for from all the wars we have been







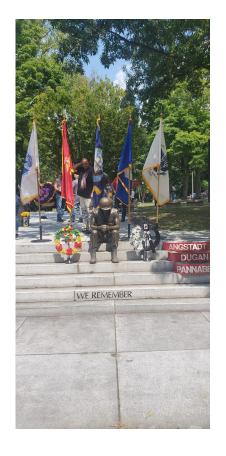
















BCMC HISTORY AND GREY RULES CORNER

We will be taking our club photo on September 24. The photo will be taken as close as possible to the spot this photo was taken way back in the day!

Make sure you're there to be a part of a historical photo for future generations of BCMC members to re-enact in another 100 years!





At the last Grey Rules meeting, Russell brought this relic in to show the new members what the older members wore while out riding. If anyone had one of these jackets 40some years ago, you know they do NOT breathe! So cool to get a glimpse back into the past of the club, while continuing to move towards the future! Thanks Russ!

From R.O.N.

So many rules! So many clubs have come and gone, but we're here celebrating our 85th anniversary! As our club continues to grow, reach out to our new people! Their sponsors are doing a good job, however all of us should make an effort to make them feel welcome.

Next Grey Rules meeting is Wednesday Nov 9
@ 7:30

All are welcome, required for new and probationary members!