The Boom a Rang ATV Club

**Meeting Minutes—August 21, 2023**

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Steve Wulgaert on Monday, July 31, 2023, at the Boom Bay Bar & Grill @ 6.58 p.m. following the AED training. **Minutes of the July 31, 2023,** meeting was approved as distributed electronically. No **new members** were present.

**The Treasurer’s report** was approved as presented.

Training on the **A.E.D. device was completed** at the Boom Bay Bar w/ 12 club members. The training focused on when & how to use it (completion of the training did not result in certification). We’ll have a future discussion on possibly having Gold Cross conduct CPR training along w/ certification for the A.E.D.

A future discussion topic will be centered on what we should do w/ the map boxes that we have distributed and collected money for the maps.

Reminder that the Winchester Fireman’s fund raiser is on September 9, 2023, as our club donated $500 to the Winchester Fireman’s Auxiliary to help offset some costs of their fund raiser. If attending, club members are encouraged to wear our club shirts/hats.

Julie Bump gave an update on events:

1. **Saturday, August 12**—11 members rode to JD’s Café.
2. **Saturday, September 23rd**—Scavenger Hunt in Winchester, Winneconne, and Omro areas. Julie shared that this scavenger hunt will be different than last year. Start time TBD. Up to $500 in prizes will be given away (in proportion to the participation). This event is for club members only. Members must let Jule Bump know w/ an RSVP by September 9th.Julie’s email is JKbump48@yahoo.com as we will be having a meal at the Village Pub at the end of the event.
3. **October 6-8**—Trip down to Wisconsin Cheese Trail in Lafayette County. Sign up for a cabin at Trailview Cabins 608-482-2934 in Darlington, WI. Located right on the trail.
4. **October 14**—Trip to The Waters for lunch in New London. Departing the Boom at 11 a.m.

Aaron gave **a Boom A Rang ATV Club website update.** Access the site w/ boomarangatvclub@gmail.com. He will be sending a separate email regarding the Google email listing.

**The Town of Wolf River Board has an agenda item on whether to open the roads to 24/7** rather than the current 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Club members are again encouraged to attend the Town of Wolf River Board meeting at 7 PM on Monday, August 28th.

A discussion was held regarding **sponsorship ideas** for the club. A sponsorship committee of Ruth, Julie, Steve, and Aaron reported back on a strategy for sponsorship. Julie shared a letter that was approved by those in attendance to be sent to the current club sponsors.

A brief fund-raising discussion was held. Ideas ranged from having a fall Poker run, potentially charging for ride participation, 50/50 raffle—which other clubs are doing. This item was tabled for consideration in the fall of 2024.

The club will be donating $250 to support the Fremont-Wolf River Fire Dept’s fishing tournament for kids ages 3-13 which will be held on September 16, 2023. We will also revisit this topic in 2024 to see if a larger sponsorship donation should be considered.

Meeting adjourned @ 7:37 PM. The **next meeting is scheduled to be held on Monday, September 25, 2023 @ 6 P.M.**

Submitted by:

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