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July 2018 Minutes



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Crosswicks Community House
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Club Calendar **[New or Revised]**

July 20, 2018	TK's Cruise #4
August 13, 2018	Barbecue at 7 pm. The Club meeting follows immediately after the BBQ
August 17, 2018	TK's Cruise #5
September 10, 2018	Club meeting at 7 pm
September 21, 2018	TK's Cruise #6
September 22, 2018	Screaming Hill Brewery Cruise (Tentative Date)
October x, 2018	Working Dog Winery Cruise (October 6)
October 8, 2018	Club Meeting at 7 pm
October 13, 2018	Allentown Harvest Festival, 9:30 am – 3 pm
October 20, 2018	Historic NJ Cruise (Rain Date October 27)
November 12, 2018	Club Meeting at 7 pm
December 10, 2018	Club Meeting at 7 pm



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The July 9, 2018 meeting was held at TK's Ice Cream Shop. Jimmy called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm. 11 members and no guests attended the meeting.

Jimmy thanked the attending members for turning out with their collector cars to accompany his father's procession to the cemetery.

Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report was presented by John Tiene.

John is establishing a new financial account to receive funds donated to the Club **in Jim Spence's memory**. The Club will use these funds to create a **special award**. The criteria for selecting the awardee will be different from the criteria that our club uses for our yearly scholarship awardees. These criteria will be formulated soon. Doug is contacting the ATC to make them aware of this special award.

June's Meeting Minutes: The minutes of the June meeting were presented by Secretary Doug Watt. Kevin Wright made a motion to accept the minutes as read, which was seconded by Jimmy Spence.

After the club meeting concluded, an ice cream dish was enjoyed by all.

Correspondence: A letter from Ray Bouchard, dated July 9th, was received:

Hi Thanks for reaching out.

My wife and I will be traveling extensively and most likely relocate to our beach house. After more than 30 years I have decided to resign my membership. I wish everyone good luck and good fortune.

Ray

A note to Ray:

You are a valued member in our club, and we have appreciated all of your contributions that you made on behalf of our club. When your journeys bring you back into the area, please stop back to say hello. We all look forward to "catching-up" with you.



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OLD BUSINESS

TK's Cruise: The weather finally cooperated, and we enjoyed a beautiful day for our 3rd club cruise event at TK's Ice Cream Shop. The 4th cruise is scheduled for July 20th. Members should plan on arriving between 4 and 4:30 pm to set-up signs and other preparatory tasks.

Winery and Brewery Tours:

Kevin Wright updated the membership on the status of these events.

Kevin noted that the brewery tour remains on track. The cruise to New Jersey's Farm Brewery, the Screaming Hill Brewery in Cream Ridge, is currently scheduled on September 22.

Members should plan to arrive around 11 am. The Club will bring the fixings for lunch, which will be enjoyed before the brewery tour at noon.

Our cruise to the Working Dog Winery in East Windsor is being scheduled for October 6th. Similar to the arrangements made for the brewery cruise, members should plan to arrive around 11 am. The Club will bring the fixings for lunch, which will be enjoyed before the winery tour at noon.

NEW BUSINESS

Nominations of members, to fill the Vice President position, **are open.**

Tim Kuser's plans for the **historic New Jersey cruise** are firming-up. The cruise covers 32 miles. The location for lunch has changed. The lunch stop now will be at Gamblers Ridge. The cruise is being scheduled for October 20th or 27th.

Arrangements for our Club's BBQ meeting are still being made. The date for the BBQ meeting is set for 7 pm August 13th at the Crosswicks Community House.



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The Allentown Fall Harvest Festival

The Club Display at the Allentown Harvest Festival is scheduled for October 13th. Club cars will be staged on South Main Street between the grist mill building and High Street (SR 539). Members should arrive at 9:30 am.

4-H Fair at the Howell Living History Farm

The 4-H Club approached Tim Kuser to have our club participate in their 100th Annual Mercer County 4-H Fair. Interested members are to arrive at 10 am, and plan to stay until 2 pm on Saturday, July 28, 2018.

The club suggested that we should bring donation buckets for contributions to the scholarship fund.

The fair includes animal shows and exhibits, homemade ice cream, hay rides, pony rides, music, magic shows, and farm tours. Also, there will be displays by the Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County, Mercer County Wildlife Center Friends, and the Mid-State Beekeepers Association.

The Howell Living History Farm is located at 70 Woodens Ln, Lambertville, NJ 08530

Jimmy Spence made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:33 pm, which was seconded by Kevin Wright.

FREE: Kevin is offering a used **Mig welder** to someone in our club.