

STAR – Chapter 363 Minutes  
April 24, 2008  
Ground Round Restaurant, Plattsburgh, New York

The meeting was called to order at 7:250pm by President Larry Duquette with 15 members in attendance.

Old Business:

Our Chapter Website is up and running at [www.star363.org](http://www.star363.org). Our ride schedule, meeting minutes, pictures of us having fun, etc. are on there.

Logo – Larry is getting frustrated with it. It needs to be optimized for color. Bob Pelkey will talk to a few friends about it and hopefully they can come up with something.

Chapter Banner – the price would be somewhere between \$40 and \$65.

New Business

Treasurer's Report: \$572.14 in our account. There is an outstanding patch order of \$200+/- which will be reimbursed when it comes in.

Upcoming Ride Schedule

Thursday nite rides – starting the first week of April – kickstands up at 5pm. In May, the start time will move to 6pm.

April 26 – Tune-Up Ride/Day – Morrisville School Parking Lot – meet at North End at 10:00am.

Possibly meet up with Chapter 406

May 15 – Escort Moving Wall to Saint Albans, Vermont

May 18 – Parade in Saint Albans leaves Houston Street between Lower Weldon and Main Streets

Leave from North End at 9:00ish and meet Chapter 406 just over Rouses Point Bridge at 10:45

May 17 – Chocolate Festival at the Inn @ Essex – 10am-5pm - \$10.00 admission

May 31 – Old Forge, Thunder in the Valley with a stop at Buttermilk Falls and Lunch at Long Lake. Leave from North End at 8:00am

June 1 - Blessing of the Bikes – Whiteface Mount - \$25 per person rider and bike/\$20 passenger includes shirt and lunch at the Turtle after.

June 2-7 – Americade. Friday morning (the 6<sup>th</sup>) is the STAR Breakfast.

STAR Breakfast has been moved to Dunhams Bay Resort on 9L. There will be no STAR trailer this year, no STAR sales, i.e. t-shirts, pins, etc, no Show 'n Shine. Ron Greene wants to have a meeting with local Chapter Presidents regarding the future of STAR at Americade. The Saratoga Chapter has not arranged anything for Americade this year either.

Bob Pelkey will be riding down that morning - leaving from North End at 6:30am.

Larry will be heading down on Tuesday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> (and coming back that evening) and Wednesday, the 4<sup>th</sup> staying until Saturday – leaving from North End at 8:00 am.

June 14 – Green Mountain Corvette Show in Stowe - Leave from North End at 8:00am

June 20-22 – Rally in Colebrook, NH – with a Blessing of the Bikes on the 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1pm at the Shrine – Our Lady of Grace - Leave from North End at 7:00am

June 28 – STAR Picnic in Messina – staying over night, going to the rally at Alexandria Bay the next day.

July 12 (rain date – the 13<sup>th</sup>) – Rally at Mad River Glen, Kenyon's Field in Waitsfield - Leave from North End at 9:00am.

July 19 – Leaving for Arkansas for STAR Days. Meet at Friendly's or Perkins at 7:00am for breakfast, get on the road at 8:00am. At this time, Larry, Tammy, Mark, and Mickey are definitely going. Dan is still in consideration.

August 7-9 – Champlain Valley Motorcycle Rally at Clinton County Fairground. Larry has agreed to help assist with venues or whatever we can.

August 10 – Folk Music Festival – Schroon Lake from 12noon – 5pm. Leave from North End at 10:00 am  
August 17 – Children’s Miracle Network Ride – more details to follow  
September 13 (Rain date on the 14<sup>th</sup>) – Fall Foliage Ride to Adirondack Museum through Blue Mountain  
Lake - Leave from North End at 8:00am  
September 20 – Balloon Festival – Glens Falls - Leave from North End at 10:00am – enjoy 6:00pm balloon  
Launch.  
September 27 – with Chapter 406 – Bridge to Bridge via Lake Placid. More details – time, place to meet  
up with them to be announced

Ladies Night at North End – Wednesday, May 7, 2008 – 5-7pm  
Open House at North End – Saturday, May 24, 2008 from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

50/50 Drawing - \$91 collected - \$46 was won by Bert, who donated \$22 back to the Chapter.

Motion was made to adjourn by Jill and seconded half the membership – agreed unanimously and  
adjourned our meeting at 8:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ronni Allard