

June 2022

A.B.A.T.E. of OREGON



Mission Statement:
Promoting motorcycle awareness, education, safety & liberty through
community involvement and legislative action.

2022 ABATE EVENTS

date	event	chapter
06/04/22	Poker Run	Hub City
06/12/22	Poker Run	WaCo
6/11/22	Poker Run	Central Oregon
6/17 to 6/19/22	Information Booth	LinCo
06/25/22	Poker Run	North Coast
06/25/22	Poker Run	Douglas County
06/26/22	Swap Meet	State event
7/8 to 7/10/22	Camp-out	JoCo
07/16/22	Scavenger	WaCo
08/06/22	Poker Run	JoCo
8/12 to 8/14/22	Camp-out	LinCo
08/20/22	Poker Run	S.E. Portland
08/27/22	Celebration	Douglas County
08/27/22	Poker Run	WaCo
09/10/22	Training Meeting	State event
09/17/22	Picnic	S.E. Portland
09/17/22	Poker run	Hub City
09/17/22	Toy Run	Central Oregon
10/01/22	Toy Run	JoCo
10/09/22	Swap Meet	State event
10/15 or 10/22/22	Static display	Hub City
11/19/22	Dinner	North Coast
11/20/22	Toy Run	WaCo
12/03/22	Toy Run	S.E. Portland
12/04/22	Parade	Two Rivers
12/10/22	Toy Run	North Coast

****EVENTS TIMES AND DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE, STAY TUNED****

State Board & Chapter Meetings

STATE BOARD MEETING

2nd Sat noon Ciddici's Pizza, Albany -----
www.abateoforegon.net Join on ZOOM or call in:
Dial in number: 253.215.8782, Meeting ID: 882 2022 4742,
Passcode: 421459

CENTRAL OREGON (CentOr)

2nd Sun 11:30 am Pappy's Pizza, N. Hwy 97 at Maple, Redmond -----

DOUGLAS COUNTY (DC)

3rd Thurs 6:00 pm Bikers of Christ clubhouse, 1332 SE Stephens St, Roseburg -----

HUB CITY (HC)

3rd Thurs 6:00 pm social hour
7:00 pm meeting Pop's Branding Iron, 901 Pacific Blvd SE, Albany -----

INDIAN CREEK (IC)

1st Mon 7:00 pm ZOOM Video Conference Meeting -----
online- use ID#: 990 3994 7156 password: abate
phone- call (253) 215-8782 ID#: 990 3994 7156 password: 265523

JOSEPHINE COUNTY (JoCo)

3rd Wed 6:00 pm Fruitdale Grange, 1440 Parkdale Dr., Grants Pass 541.659-8715

LINCOLN COUNTY (LinCo)

3RD Tues 6:30 pm America Legion Hall, 424 W. Olive St., Newport 541.265.9017

NORTH COAST (NC)

3rd Tues 5:30 pm Moose Lodge, 420 17th St., Astoria -----

RIVER CITY (RC)

1ST Tues 7:00 pm Shiloh Inn, 3223 Bret Codfelter Way, The Dalles 541.298.5502

SOUTHEAST PORTLAND (SE-PDX)

1st Sun 12:00 noon M&M Restaurant & Lounge, 137 N. Main, Gresham 503.285.43293
3rd Sun 12:00 noon Rotten Roger

TWO RIVERS (TR)

4th Wed 6:00 pm Roaring Rapids Pizza, 4006 Franklin, Eugene -----

WASHINGTON COUNTY (WaCo)

2ND Mon 7:30 pm Prime Time Restaurant, 4450 Pacific Ave, Forest Grove -----
4th Mon 7:30 pm Hillsboro Elks, 21865 NW Quatama St., Hillsboro



*If you keep doing the same thing,
don't expect different results*

Frequently Asked Questions

What is A.B.A.T.E.?

We are a State Motorcycle Rights Organization (S.M.R.O.) dedicated to educating riders, drivers, and elected officials about issues affecting motorcyclists. We help fund a political action committee (BikePAC) that directly interacts with the legislature about motorcycles issues and bills that affect us.

What does "A.B.A.T.E." mean?

A.B.A.T.E. Stands for A Brotherhood Against Totalitarian Enactments. The organization was formed when legislators passed bills adversely affecting riders without consulting them. We also do business as A Brotherhood Aimed Towards Education.

What is BikePAC?

Founded in 1988, BikePAC members track legislation, brief officials, and report to A.B.A.T.E. about issues affecting motorcyclists.

Everyone who plays a role in motorcycle safety is considered one of the "Team" in Team Oregon.

ABATE is an active motorcyclists rights organization in Oregon that reimburses its members up to 50% of the cost of a training class.

Did you know?

ABATE was key in helping get TEAM Oregon "on the ground" in 1984. And some of our very first instructors were ABATE members!



To learn more about ABATE of Oregon or to join, visit www.abateoforegon.net.

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A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon, Inc. Membership Form

Name _____

E-mail _____

Address _____

City _____ ZIP _____

Primary phone () _____

Plus-1 and/or "more family" under 18 residing at same address:

Plus-1 name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Membership benefits: membership card, *A.B.A.T.E.* patch,
AD&D insurance, event discounts, 50% off Team Oregon

Supporting organization/business benefit: Certificate of appreciation

referred by: _____

New ? _____ Renew ? _____

Member # _____

Chapter _____

	Individual	Plus-1	Family (minors)	Supporter / Business
1 yr	\$ 30	\$ 45	\$ 5	\$ 100
2 yr	\$ 55	\$ 80	\$10	
3 yr	\$ 80	\$ 125	\$15	
5 yr	\$ 125	\$ 200	\$25	
Life	\$ 400			

Total # members _____ Date _____

Join additional chapters _____
(\$ 5 each per year)

Donation to Oregon A.B.A.T.E. \$ _____

Total included \$ _____

Send your application here →
or bring it to any Chapter Meeting
or go to www.abateoforegon.net

A,B,A.T.E. Of Oregon
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<https://www.abateoforegon.net/>

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- q Annual Industry Council Membership \$100



- q 3-Year Individual Membership \$95
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- q Freedom Fighter Donation \$10 \$25 \$_____

Motorcycle Riders Foundation
PO Box 250 Highland, IL 62249

Phone: 202.546.0983
www.mrf.org

mrfoffice@mrf.org

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Central Oregon chapter report

Hello All,

Well, it must be election time by the way the political paper pile is larger than the bill pile in the mailbox. This can be a good thing as we need to have some change of our state government elected officials, and for most of them I use that term about as jokingly as they apply OUR best interests to their tasks at hand to make our state a better place to live. So please read up on who you choose to vote for and pick the best choice to bring our state back to a good place to live, ride and raise families. Thank You.

By the time you read this we will have clean our section of highway that some of you ride down when visiting our side of the state. I hope it looks good when you are here. I recently had to re-do our permit for this, since it needed updated, they said. It has been in place since 1995. That is a long time to stay committed to cleaner roadways in our world.

Hope all the MOMs had a great day. As I sat here and watched it snow off and on for most of the day. It reminded me of my first Fossil Campout, when we held it on Mother's Day weekend, in the beginning. It was at Sheldon Wayside campground, a little way toward Service Creek from the current Bear Hollow Campground. No tent, just park your kickstand on corner of you sleeping bag and you were ready for camping. Well, this particular year it chooses to snow, I woke up covered in the white stuff, but at least I was warm. That was the start to many years of good fun at Fossil Campout. Hope to see everyone there this year. I will only be able to come up for the day, as I have to tend to the animals, while the Misses goes to Idaho for our Granddaughter's birthday.

Ride Fast

Ride Free

Ride Far

Ed Miller

Central Oregon Chapter Coordinator

Douglas County chapter report

Hello riders in the wind:

Douglas County has thundering waters coming up June 25 and this is one of our annual yearly runs for Douglas County this is a fantastic ride all the way up the Umpqua to Dimond Lake and back this is a fun ride all are welcome to come to this event and help support support Abate of Oregon.

Also we have the fossil run in fossil Oregon was a fantastic time lots to do and happening was a great event... I hope everyone had fun...

I Want to THANK all of the state officers and members for helping and providing a fantastic great event at fossil!!! Ride safe out there folks and enjoy your summer..

We have our meetings once a month every third Thursday at 6 PM at Biker's at Christ on Southeast Stevens in Roseburg Oregon all are welcome to this meeting..

Joy Reyes / Coordinator Douglas County / Ass: Coordinator for Southern Oregon

Hub City chapter report



Hopefully you are getting some riding in, at least on the few sunny days. Mother Nature is being a bit disagreeable for comfortable riding still. Come on sun!

May is motorcycle awareness month and I would like to NOT hear of anymore motorcycle accidents. Way too many already and it seems the drivers are getting worse. Be safe, they're all out to get you!

We have our June Roll N Ride coming up on June 4th. This will have an adventure bike route and a street bike route. It starts in Philomath at Independent Motorcycle Works and ends at Corvallis Elks. Hoping to see lots of people there of all riding styles.

We have moved our meeting time and place to Pops Branding Iron on Pacific and Madison at 7:00pm on 3rd Thursday of the month. Social hour starts at 6:00pm. Come out and join us. Run Committee meetings are still at Ciddici's South on Sunday before the regular meeting at 6:00.

Kris Burns

Treasurer

Josephine County chapter report

no report

Lincoln County chapter report

no report



River City chapter report

May 3rd, 2022 meeting called to order by Rick at 7:05pm, 6 members were present. Treasurers Report \$10, 174 in Savings account and \$2, 233 in Checking account Total \$12, 407.16 total.

50/50 drawing at Teddy Bear Parade took in \$106 and brought in 97 Teddy Bears.

Proceeds were given to Lynn to buy more Teddy Bears to donate to hospital.

We had a long talk about Bike PAC and their reluctance to sponsor a Helmet Bill.

Five out of 6 in attendance thought they should.

Rick is opening the Mary Hill Loops Road at 10 am May 14th. I will close at noon.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Next meeting will be June 7th at 7pm.

Gene Mortimore

Secretary

North Coast chapter report

June 2022 Chapter Report:

Hope to see you join us on this great run!!!!

Greetings from the North Coast...

Happy June...It's Summer or almost...come on Sunshine and warm temperatures!!

Our **Spring Fever Run** held at the end of April was a dry one, had a good turnout with 35 bikes on the road. Good times were had by all. Many thanks to everyone and the run stops who helped to support the run, greatly appreciated!

Wow...we had 31 folks attend our most recent Chapter Meeting and we are now 81 North Coast members strong.

Next up is our **28th Annual Around Saddle Mountain Run on Saturday June 25th**, see the flyer in this fine newspaper for more information and our North Coast ABATE Facebook page.

Our good friends across the Columbia River the **Pacific County Chapter of ABATE of Washington** will host its **24th Annual 101 Run** on Saturday June 11th, the run starts at the Pub Monte in Montesano, WA, last stop Chinook, WA. Sign up between 9-10 AM, with the run leaving at 10 AM, \$10 per person for more information contact John at 360.484.3114. Hope to see you there!!

Dates for our 2022 events are as follows:

Around Saddle Mountain Run - Sat June 25th; Spaghetti Dinner & Auction - Sat Nov 19th; Holiday Run/Chili Feed - Sat Dec 10th

All the best from the North Coast Chapter...and above all...please be safe out there..

Al Jaques

"JAM" Just another Member..



State Membership Report

As you read this report I am in Arkansas visiting my great grandchildren and attending graduations. JeanneMarie Brady has stepped in to do the job of State Membership Secretary in my absence. I have hopes she will want the job next year as this will be my last year in this position. I still plan to be active in ABATE and work in other areas.

In March we welcomed 26 new members: 4 in Hub City, 1 in Josephine County; 2 each in Douglas County and Washington County; 3 in North Coast and 14 in the SE Portland Chapters. In March 15 members renewed their membership. We now have a total of 676 active members and 60 newly expired members. Total Statewide is 676 members. 35 members are in multiple chapters.

These numbers reflect applications received thru March 31st.

Nine chapters have signed up 47 new members since the first of the year. That is really great news. The contest for the gold goes till May 31st. Let's get out there and recruit some more. Invite your friends to the meetings and to participate in the runs.

Using Paypal is still the fastest way to join or renew by using the link on the ABATE of Oregon web page, abateoforegon.net.

State Membership Secretary

Jackie Kilpatrick

Membership@abateoforegon.net



State Board Minutes

**May Minutes can be found at
www.abateoforegon.net**



State Sanctioning Report

No report

"Doesn't matter what you ride, give respect to get respect"

Political "Ah-Ha"

Towards the end of the 1970s, a lot of folks began to become aware and uneasy about the approach of the year, 1984, because of a novel by the same name written by George Orwell. (They may have been tramitized by having the book inflicted as required reading in school.) The author (who's real name was Eric Blair) was against totalitarianism, which should make him the darling of A.B.A.T.E. and BikePAC members.

The story was about a time when world society is in a state of perpetual war while thinking and actions are rigidly controlled. In 1978, a British science fiction series premiered called Blake's 7. Set in the future, it involved a galactic totalitarian state in which the public was brainwashed and conditioned into sheep-like conformity. A group of escaped political prisoners use an alien space ship to sabotage and challenge the existing police state.

While rewatching a Blake's 7 episode recently, a thought emerged that the show was still quite relevant, despite more than forty years passing. Somehow that fact seemed reassuring. With alarm that thought then suddenly rearranged itself — things hadn't changed in forty years. Why not?

With people actively striving to make things better, how could situations remain unchanged for so long?

A realization began to crystalize: If things don't change despite people's best efforts, that must mean that some mechanism is at work to prevent change. Why would that be the case?

Because leaving things as they are benefits someone or a group. What does that mean to A.B.A.T.E. and BikePAC members?

It indicates that when our legislative efforts fail to effect change over an extended period of time, that means that someone or group is benefiting from things as they are. They don't want things to change, but their resistance is veiled by political maneuvering.

That means that we need to recognize what is happening, play detective to find who is blocking changes and how, then expose them publically to strip them of their misused power over us.

With changed perception, we may be able to see our way to greater legislative successes.

-- Rot Path, c.o.f.e

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Promoting motorcycle awareness, education and safety



A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon, Inc.
Central Oregon Chapter



**All Motorcycles & Riders
are Welcome!**

**80% of proceeds donated to the
Motorcycle Riders Foundation**

Rocks, Lakes, & Bridges Run



June 11, 2022

Dice hands \$15.

High Roller Wins \$150.

Low Hand Wins \$50.

50/50 Drawing

****Must be present to win.***

Start: Hub City Bar & Grill

2498 Hwy 97

Redmond, OR

First Bike out at 10:00

Last Bike out at 11:00



End: Pump House Bar & Grill

8320 US97

Terrebonne, OR

Last bike in at 3:30



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541-241-4498**

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541-550-0912**

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ROLL N RIDE
June 12, 2022

Starts at PrimeTime

4450 Pacific Ave
Forest Grove 97113
503-357-3684

\$10 For one hand
\$15 For two hands



Check-in time
9:30 am
Kickstands up
10:00 am

For information Contact Greg Vaughn @ 503-502-4229



A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon
Washington County
Chapter

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North Coast Chapter ABATE of Oregon
28th Annual
Around
Saddle Mountain
Saturday June 25, 2022

All motorcycles and riders are welcome to enjoy
the scenic ride, meet new friends & riders

Starts at Bubba's Sports Bar**

78 E Harbor Drive

Warrenton, Oregon

Registration Starts at 9 a.m.

Stops include:

Tom & Jerry's - Taylorville**

All in Pub - Vernonia**

Jewell Meadows Wildlife Area - Hwy 202

Astoria Moose Lodge**

****Food Available**

\$20 Registration

50/50 • Prizes • Games

Proceeds support Clatsop Community Action food banks

Kickstands up at 10 a.m.

The Astoria Moose Lodge is preparing

Pulled Pork Sandwiches and Coleslaw

for us \$10.00

For more information, visit www.northcoastabate.com

E-mail info@northcoastabate.com

or call Doc Holiday at 503.791.8829

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The poster features a background image of a river flowing through a lush green forest. In the center, there is a large, stylized white graphic of a motorcycle. A blue banner with white text is draped across the motorcycle, reading "SATURDAY June 25th 2022".

THUNDERING *Waters*

Run
\$15/per biker
\$5/per extra hand

Start & End at
Glide Community Center
20062 N Umpqua Hwy, Glide, OR

**Winning
Prizes**

**BBQ
Brisket**

Registration 11:00 AM
Start 12:00 PM
Contact Joy at 541-643-1798
for more information

Douglas County Chapter

The logo for the Douglas County Chapter, featuring a bald eagle with its wings spread, perched on a shield with a red and white striped pattern.

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A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon, Inc.

Motorcycle Summer Swap Meet

Sunday June 26, 2022

Admission 10 am - 4 pm

\$5.00 per person

Buy, Sell or Trade

Vendors

Setup 8 am - 10 am

\$30.00 per 10'x10' space

\$60.00 per Pull Thru space

Tailgaters

\$20.00 per space

Elks Lodge 142

13121 SE McLoughlin Blvd

Milwaukie, OR 97222

**Food
&
Drinks**



Contact: James - (503) 422-7986

Email: swapmeet@abateoforegon.net

www.abateoforegon.net

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Josephine County

at:

Martin Land and Cattle Co, 7331 Azalea Glen Rd, Glendale
(Between Exit 80 & Exit 86 west of I-5, follow the signs)

July 8, 9, 10

Gate opens at noon Friday



LIVE MUSIC:

Brass Alibi - Saturday
Brisbane Project - Saturday
Rockwork Orange - Friday

- **Bike Show**
- **Bike games**
- **Poker Run**
- **Vendors**
- **Food**
- **Camping & RV**

Weekend Tickets \$45
ABATE members \$40
Day Passes \$20
Twilight passes \$10 (6pm to midnight)

EVERYONE WELCOME !!!

family friendly

For more information: www.abatesosrun.com

Karen 541-660-8730, Spanky 541-659-8715 or for vendor info: Cathy 541-659-8206

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July 16, 2022

Scavenger Hunt

Cycle Gear Beaverton
11135 SW Canyon Road, Suite A
Beaverton, Oregon
97005

CYCLE GEAR

\$10 For one entry
\$15 For two entries

Check-in at 10:00am
Kickstands up at 11:00am

For information Greg Vaughn ☎ 503-592-1229

A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon
Washington County Chapter

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S.E. Portland Chapter

The 4th Annual

Joseph Anthony Selby

Downed Rider Memorial Run

Saturday July 23rd, 2022

25.7-mile run. Starting with the Reading of Names Ceremony. Each stop will include a Refill for a Driver for two, a Popple and/or cash & gift cards. With a large coffee prize at the end. Refill tickets \$4 for \$5 or 20 for \$25. All day \$60/\$1. Admission \$10 per table. All proceeds to go directly to the Downed Rider Fund. Registration at 51st and 32nd Ave. The stops are as follows:

- ☀️ Selby's Subways Pub, Sandy Oregon ☀️
- ☀️ Chester's Pub, Gering Oregon ☀️
- ☀️ Redwood's Pub, Klamath Oregon ☀️
- ☀️ Celebration Pub, Rainier Oregon ☀️

Ending at Celebrities with Live Music and Dancing. Full menu available.

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44th Annual

Run to the Coast

Commonly known as the KNORRUP Semaphor Run for 25 years

Saturday, August 6th 2022

Sign-in starts at **10am** *One early and have Breakfast* *11am*

Sign-up at
JD's Sports Pub & Brewery
200 McLEOD HWY., BEAVER FALLS, OR

Sign-ups also at
Taylor's Sausage
202 S. REDWOOD HWY., GORE JUNCTION, OR

Ride ends in Brookings. Lunch available with donation.

Best Hand - \$200 • 2nd Best Hand - \$150 • Worst Hand - \$75

Buy In - \$10 First Hand, \$5 each additional hand

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forrest@forrest.com

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Lincoln County Chapter
August 12th, 13th, and 14th 2022



Beaver Creek Run 2022
A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon, Inc.

951 S. Low Road, Seal Rock, Oregon

Bike Games
Door Prizes
Food
Vendors
NW Bands
Adult
Entertainment

\$35 Entry Fee 12 and Under Free No One Under 18 Without an Adult

No Campfires, Fireworks, Fights, Firearms, or Attitudes

All Dogs on Leash Only No Potable Water Limited RV Space, No Generators

For More Information Call Shirley at (541) 563-6526

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A. B. A. T. of Oregon




End of Summer Poker Run
August 27, 2022

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National Coalition of Motorcyclists (NCOM)

U.S. PRESIDENT RECOGNIZES MOTORCYCLE SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH

As the month of May kickstarts the riding season around the country, and Motorcycle Awareness Month reminds drivers to watch out for us riders, so comes a welcome acknowledgement of our safety concerns by none other than the President of the United States, who himself has been spotted aboard a Suzuki Hayabusa and a Harley or two.

"My Administration remains committed to ensuring the safety of everyone who rides a motorcycle and all who travel across our Nation," President Joe Biden wrote in a letter dated May 1, 2022.

The acknowledgment comes on the heels of the new Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, intended to benefit and modernize America's highways, roads, and bridges. "All of us who travel America's roads have an important role in securing a safe motorcycle-riding environment," added Biden.

"The Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) has worked closely with the Department of Transportation (DoT) and the Biden administration to bring issues facing motorcyclists to the forefront," commented Scott Schloegel, senior vice president of government relations for MSF.

"This administration has placed a priority on reducing highway deaths and on educating the motoring public," Schloegel continued, "and we appreciate that this presidential recognition is one of many ways they are working to accomplish that goal."

TRAFFIC DEATHS TOP 16 YEAR HIGH

Traffic fatality figures for 2021 were the highest in 16 years, with nearly 43,000 people killed last year as Americans returned to the roadways following the coronavirus lockdowns and travel restrictions.

A 10.5% jump over 2020 numbers was the largest percentage increase since the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration



(NHTSA) began its fatality data collection system in 1975.

"Exacerbating the problem was a persistence of risky driving behaviors during the pandemic, such as speeding and less frequent use of seat belts, as people began to venture out more in 2021 for out-of-state and other road trips," analysts told the Associated Press (AP) in a May 18th report.

U.S. Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg said America faces a crisis on its roads, and urged state and local governments, drivers and safety advocates to join in an effort to reverse the trend.

Preliminary figures recently released by the agency show that 42,915 people died in traffic crashes last year, up from 38,824 in 2020. Final figures will be released in the fall.

Forty-four states as well as the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico had increases in traffic deaths in 2021 compared with the previous year, led by Texas, California and Florida. Posting declines were Wyoming, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Maryland and Maine.

Americans drove about 325 billion more miles last year, 11.2% higher than in 2020, which contributed to the increase.

TEENAGERS MORE LIKELY TO DIE IN A CAR CRASH THAN BY COVID

Teen driving is nearly four-times deadlier than CoViD-19, and the "100 deadliest days" of summer are most dangerous of all with a 21% spike in teen traffic deaths between Memorial Day and Labor Day weekend when kids are out of school, on the roads more, and we have more daylight hours.

Those contributing factors mean an estimated 1100 to 1600 young people will die on our roads, as compared to estimates that fewer than 400 could lose their life to coronavirus.

That's why the National Road Safety Foundation has created a virtual campaign designed to remind young people on social media that when you're behind the wheel,

distractions by your friends, your phone, or your radio could get you killed.

Tips focus on driving safely and being responsible, and talk about everything from speeding to distractions to how to select a driving school.

You can find out more by looking up teen driving tips at The Safest Summer Ever.

SADD, which stands for Students Against Destructive Decisions has also teamed up for the program that runs through Labor Day.

EUROPEAN MOTORCYCLISTS FIGHT TO PROTECT RIDER DATA

Envisioning a world where your motorcycle tracks, records, and reports your departure and arrival time, speed, and GPS location, the Federation of European Motorcyclists Associations (FEMA) is taking proactive steps to address the potential issues at stake.

Far from fantasy, automotive manufacturers and legislators are actively considering privacy bills to protect vehicle owners' data from misuse, as autonomous, vehicle-to-vehicle (V2V), and vehicle-to-everything (V2X) advancing technologies allow manufacturers and consumers to turn over more of the driving responsibilities to computers.

To combat misuse, several states in the U.S., including California, Virginia, and Colorado, have introduced bills regulating the collection and use of such data, but FEMA wants to get ahead of the curve internationally when it comes to motorcycles.

On one hand, autonomous motorcycles may be a long way off, but V2V and V2X tech would certainly improve a motorcyclist's visibility to fellow motorists, greatly enhancing safety, but while such future technologies present clear benefits, the privacy issues may be a deal-breaker for some riders. In a prepared statement, FEMA explained that, "The owner of the motorcycle must be in control of the data and be able to decide who gets access to it."

For those familiar with computers or smart devices, this type of permissions-based check is the norm. Whether collecting browser cookies or accessing your phone's photo gallery, firms must ask for the user's approval before gathering data. FEMA recently sent a letter to the European Commission (EC) expressing that the same standard should apply to your vehicle's data.

NEW HAMPSHIRE OUTLAWS MOTORCYCLE PROFILING

THE AIM/NCOM MOTORCYCLE E-NEWS SERVICE continued....

It is now illegal in New Hampshire for law enforcement to pull over, search or arrest anyone simply because that person "rides a motorcycle or wears motorcycle-related paraphernalia.

"CALIFORNIA MAY ESTABLISH PILOT NOISE CAMERA PROGRAM

In mid-May, 2022, the California state legislature passed a bill that would create a pilot "noise camera" program to target excessively loud motorcycles and cars. The bill now goes to Governor Gavin Newsom for his signature -- and if he signs it into law, the pilot program will officially go into effect on January 1, 2023 and run through December 31, 2027, after which point it will be repealed.

Under the language of SB-1079 as passed, a total of six yet-to-be-determined cities across California would implement a pilot program,

using automated, so-called 'noise cameras' to "capture vehicle noise levels that exceed the legal sound limit."

Complicating matters, the legal sound limits for cars and motorcycles in California have been in place for years, and are inexplicably different, with a limit of 95 decibels for cars and 80 for motorcycles built after 1985.

Noise cameras have been used in Europe and came to the United States last fall when New York began piloting their use. Earlier this year, Knoxville, Tenn., also began testing a noise camera, and Newark, NJ is currently exploring their use.

NCOM NASHVILLE - BE THERE IF YOU CARE

The 37th annual NCOM Convention in Nashville, Tennessee will draw hundreds of

bikers' rights activists from across America to "Music City, USA" from June 17-19 at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Nashville Airport, 10 Century Blvd. (615-871-0033 for room reservations), to discuss and develop legal and legislative strategies regarding issues of concern to all riders.

For more information, or to pre-register (by June 10), call the National Coalition of Motorcyclists at (800) 525-5355 or visit www.ON-A-BIKE.com. ALL motorcyclists are welcome and encouraged to attend!

QUOTABLE QUOTE: "When all's said and done, all roads lead to the same end. So it's not so much which road you take, as how you take it."

~ Charles de Lint (b.1951), Canadian writer

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Southeast Portland chapter report

Well, we have a real horse race going on with our Membership Drive with a few members truly going for the gold. We shall see who wins but there is some serious competition going on. I wonder if it will be like the most recent Kentucky Derby horse race where the long-shot Rich Strike blasted ahead all the others to win the race? Quite an upset it was for sure! Is there something like that afoot here as well? Is there a dark horse that will emerge as the winner at the last minute? We shall see...

Also, along with our membership drive and the number of new members we have added, the Southeast Chapter is a major contender to win the State level contest as well. It has been fantastic work everyone! And it has been fun as well. We shall see how this contest goes as well.

We had a very successful swap meet. We hit the trifecta – good weather, lots of vendors, and tons of people. Our apologies to the

vendors that were turned away - we simply ran out of room. Parking was a challenge as well but many chose to park their vehicles in the Tri-Met Park & Ride next door. It all worked out. Many rode their motorcycles. It was a really great day all in all. Thanks much to those who helped with the swap meet. Much thanks to Jim Niece for his good work setting it all up.

In late April several of us attended Gregory Grenon's memorial art show. It was a great evening of meeting Gregory's family, chatting it up with folks we hadn't seen in awhile, viewing Gregory's amazing body of artwork, having some good food and drink, as well as listening to cool tunes being played on an awesome sound system. Gregory's Panhead (a work of art in itself) was also on display. May Gregory rest in peace. Gregory's family and his artwork lives on.

We attended the May Motorcycle Awareness Rally. The weather was very "iffy" – so much

so that many riders chose not to travel to Salem. The rally turned out pretty well just the same. The BikePac folks did a good job of setting it up and being prepared. There were some very engaging speakers as well. A few Southeast Chapter people rode home together and had a very nice ride home with lunch along the way.

Just a reminder of what is happening....

Fossil Campout – Memorial Day Weekend
State ABATE Swap Meet – 6/26
Downed Riders Memorial Ride – 7/23
Summer Poker Run – 8/20
Southeast Chapter Picnic – 9/17
Shriner's Toy Run 12/3

May God's face shine upon you,
Ride safe,

Mike Friend
Chapter Chaplain, Secretary



Two Rivers chapter report

Cancellation of ALL Events for Two Rivers Ch for 2022.

The Casino Night (July 23) and the Labor Day Run (Sep 4 or 5) to be put on by the Two Rivers chapter of ABATE of Oregon have been CANCELLED. We must concentrate on Recruiting More Members for our chapter. Current Manpower does not allow for events. (RE: No Rhody Run as we did Not have Enough people to Put On the event.)

Bill Foster - Coordinator Two Rivers sgtsouth@abateoforegon.net

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ABATE's BikePAC
representative: Bert Johnson

Washington County chapter report

Hell all riders and friends who read this.

So, I sit here at my desk early in May and realize that you will be reading this fine newspaper after some of our events have happened. Let us have hope that we will be riding on dry roads late in may and early June.

Too bad about inclement weather interfering with the May Awareness Rally causing many to not show. That was held on Saturday the 7th of May 2022 at the park across the street from our Oregon State Capitol building.

The Fossil Motorcycle Campout has been promoted in advance giving all who are interested time to plan, prepare and go to it. This will be running from Friday May 27th to Monday May 30th, 2022 (Memorial Day).

I can't help but chuckle as I mention a NON ABATE event called "Strip Poker Run" which in the past has been a well attended, successful motorcycle event held in Portland, Oregon. The date is: Saturday June 4th, 2022. I give that information here with the attitude of trying to spread our ABATE message to all riders everywhere. A flyer with information is available online.

One more non-ABATE event starting Wednesday May 25th, 2022 at PIR. That's Portland International Raceway in north Portland. This will be the return of the "Beaches Restaurant" Car and bike show. It is scheduled to happen every Wednesday afternoon all summer long until the end of September.

We of the Wash. Co. Chapter of ABATE will host a "Roll and Ride" event on Sunday the 12th of June 2022 (see flyer). Then Saturday July 16th, 2022 a "Scavenger Hunt" will be held (see also flyer when posted). Let's put in a plug for the Hillsboro Elks Lodge Car Show (which includes motorcycles) to happen on Saturday July 23rd, 2022.

Saturday August 27th, 2022 we will hold our "End of Summer Run" (look for future flyer). Our biggest event of the year is the annual "Stan Johnson Memorial Toy Run" on Saturday the 19th of

November 2022. We then will plan to end the year with a Christmas party in December. We've got plenty of time to plan for that one.

This is the end HAIL YES!!! What do you do when you get caught in a hail storm? Yeah, it happened to some of you a few weeks ago, hunh? Always very scary for me. I slow down and think about stopping. Maybe I stop, maybe I don't. The decision kind of depends on how much hail is coming down and is there a safe place to stop like under a bridge, etc, etc.

Thanks, Cooper



home to state board meetings





Editor's Comments

Hello to all the brothers and sisters of ABATE and those that want to be!

Thank you for reading the newspaper! Remember this is a volunteer position, and although I would love to put everything in the paper, there's only room for so much. Wouldn't it be nice to read the paper in a size 20 font? Yeah, that would be awesome! That's why ours newspaper is published on our website ...BOOM...make that sucker as big as you need to read comfortably! If you're computer challenged, you are a small minority of the population, it's 2022 after all.

I am listening to your comments and welcome ideas. If you see something in an issue you would like to reference later, be sure to save that issue! Duffy's List is back for this issue...woot! Chapters—if you see anything that needs updated, please let me know.

If you're looking for stuff like forms, please go to our website, they might be available for download.

Please share the paper with friends or new acquaintances and encourage

them to join. We need the support of the motorcycle community! I encourage members to be our voice and get others to support what we love, freedom and liberties.

Annual membership dues are so small, less than a meal out for two, 3-4 lattes, or a couple gallons of gas. Small price to help stand behind our motorcyclists rights.



I'm working hard to support A.B.A.T.E. keep the newspaper fun and interesting for everyone, new, old, and for our riding comrades.

Ride safe, ride often!

See ya in the wind~
"T"

State of ABATE Newspaper Editor
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Motorcycle Enthusiast
Safety & Training Advocate



June 2022 AMA National and Regional News

Washington, D.C. —The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration *has released its early estimate of traffic fatalities for 2021.* NHTSA projects that an estimated

42,915 people died in motor vehicle traffic crashes last year, a 10.5% increase from the 38,824 fatalities in 2020. The projection is the highest number of fatalities since 2005 and the largest annual percentage increase in the Fatality Analysis Reporting System's history.



The full-year estimate of 2021 traffic fatalities also provides a look at state-level estimates during the pandemic. As in 2020, all 10 NHTSA regions are estimated to see increases in fatalities. Forty-four states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico are all projected to have had an increase in traffic deaths, as compared to 2020.

Preliminary data reported by the Federal Highway Administration show that vehicle miles traveled in 2021 increased by about 325 billion miles, or about 11.2%, as compared to 2020. Data estimates show the fatality rate for 2021 was 1.33 fatalities per 100 million VMT, marginally down from 1.34 fatalities in 2020. While the fatality rate continued to rise in the first quarter, it declined in the other three quarters of 2021, compared to 2020.

Additionally, [the traffic fatalities in the following categories](#) showed relatively large increases in 2021, as compared to 2020:

- Fatalities in multi-vehicle crashes up 16%
- Fatalities on urban roads up 16%
- Fatalities among drivers 65 and older up 14%
- Pedestrian fatalities up 13%
- Fatalities in crashes involving at least one large truck up 13%
- Daytime fatalities up 11%
- Motorcyclist fatalities up 9%
- Bicyclist fatalities up 5%
- Fatalities in speeding-related crashes up 5%
- Fatalities in police-reported, alcohol-involvement crashes up 5%

When these estimates are finalized, it may mark a grim milestone for motorcyclists, the first time more than 6,000 motorcyclists were killed on the nation's roads since NHTSA has begun tracking them.

Duffy's List - please save!

Stick in your saddle bag, or take a picture and keep it handy on your phone!
You never know when you'll need a friend :) !

A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon Duffy's Revived Road List

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Doc Holiday	(503)-791-8829	North Coast	X	X	X		X	X	X	
Bruce Wwsterland	(503)-468-8248	North Coast	X	X	X				X	
Nick Carnes	(206)-409-6112	North Coast	X	X	X				X	
Jake Kelly	(503)-791-9200	North Coast								
Todd Milliren	(503)-469-8425	North Coast	X	X	X		X		X	
Craig Jones	(503)-739-6020	North Coast	X	X				X		
Mick Innias	(503)-791-0146	North Coast	X	X	X				X	
Central Coast area										
Bob	(541)-265-7586	Newport	X							
Jack	(541)-272-0789	Toledo	X						X	
Jim & Deb	(541)-563-3125	Seal Rock	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Shirley	(541)-563-6526	Seal Rock	X	X		X	X	X	X	
Gary	(541)-563-3520	Seal Rock	X	X			X		X	
Geoff	(541)-270-9845		X	X		X	X	X	X	
Stan	(808)-385-1405	Depoe Bay		X	X	X	X		X	
South Coast area										
Sherrn Acord	(541)-888-6672	Cocs Bay		X	X	X	X			
Tom Curran	(541)-888-2572	Charleston	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Brian Bryan	(541)-269-2934	Cocs Bay		X	X	X	X	X	X	
Charlie Hill	(541)-759-2388	Lakeside			X		X			
John Ireland	(541)-572-4300	Bridge/ Myrtle Point	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Bob Kudma	(541)-759-4164	Lakeside		X			X	X		
Greg McNair	(541)-396-6477	Coquille	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Brian, Paula St. Louis	(541)-572-6108	Myrtle Point	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Mike Richards	(541)-396-2609			X	X	X	X	X	X	
Ross Pipe Works	(541)-290-1958	Coquille		X	X		X	X		
Bill, Judy Shineflew	(541)-269-0553	Cocs Bay	X	X	X	X	X	X		
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Chuck Jeffcoat	(503)-649-7344			X						X
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Ted and Jill Tracy	(503)-819-8113		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X X
Roger Yarnell	(503)-810-0625			X						X
Portland area										
Roy Kirk	(503)-730-69983	Portland	X	X				X		X
Ken	(503)-860-2793	Birkenfeld		X				X		X
James Nece	(503)-775-2203	Portland		X		X	X			
Scott Tutthill	(503)-630-2419	Estacada	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Richard Ives	(503)-960-2407	Milwaukie	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Salem area										
Michelle Fitzhenry	(503)-588-4149	Salem						X	X	
Rot Path	(503)-838-6893	Independence						X	X	
Willamette Valley area										
Michael Boggs	(541)-367-0728	Sweet Home	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ted	(541)-338-8380(c)			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Rich "Snake"	(541)-929-4589	Philomath	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Nic	(541)-487-5570	Alsea area		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Gary	(541)-974-7056	Millersburg	X	X	X				X	X X
Southern Oregon area										
Pat "Spanky" Allen	(541)-659-8715	Grants Pass	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Judi Berglin	(541)-272-7505	Rogue River							X	X
Bob Heilman	(850)-294-5316	Grants Pass	X	X				X	X	X
Perry Kilpatrick	(541)-660-3856	Grants Pass	X	X					X	X
Roger	(541)-406-1029	Grants Pass	X						X	X
Ron Wright	(541)-660-5242	Grants Pass	X						X	X
Central Oregon area										
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State Board Monthly Meeting

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May 14, 2022

Pledge of Allegiance led by Pete (N. Coast chapter), followed by a moment of silence for any downed brothers and sisters and our military.

Welcome all. This meeting was called to Order by Coordinator Troy Stevens

@ 1203. Nine (9) chapters were represented. Nine (9) of the Ten (10) chapters in attendance were eligible to vote.

Chapters Excused: Central.

Unexcused: None.

Guests &/or first time attendees Glenna Grossen membership secretary for WaCo., Paul Hering (WaCo) and Rotten Roger, Coordinator for SE Portland chapter.

Welcome everyone. Motion to accept last meeting's minutes?

Bob from Hub City chapter made a motion to accept the minutes printed in last month's monthly ABATE newspaper. Second by Karen from the JoCo chapter. Accepted Yes. Corrections? None.

Note: (EB) = **Executive Board**

(EB) **Coordinator:** Troy Stevens coordinator@abateoforegon.net Troy asks the guests if they wanted to talk about why they joined our meeting today? Paul Hering stated he was unhappy with the direction ABATE seems to be heading.

(EB) **Vice Coordinator (N):** **VACANT**

(EB) **Vice Coordinator (S):** Joy Reyes vcs@abateoforegon.net Joy mentioned she has been having a blast at the different ABATE events she has been to. She is now a new member of BikePAC. She wants to touch base in Klamath Falls in the hopes of starting a new chapter there. Thundering Waters poker run is coming up on June 25th. The Easter poker run went well.

(EB) **Vice Coordinator (E):** **VACANT**

(EB) **Recording Secretary:** Deb Rheault-Kasner secretary@abateoforegon.net *For the last couple of years I have been requesting to everyone, who gives, or feels they have to give a report at the monthly Board of Directors meetings, to email me those reports before the next month's meeting, so I can get it into these "agenda notes". So far there have been two to three officers who have acknowledged this. That would be our membership secretary and our treasurer and auditor. I've asked this at almost every monthly meeting until I'm blue in the face. If you really want these meetings to run faster and not take up our whole Saturday, email me your report or email me "NOTHING TO REPORT". ALSO if you are not going to be here, LET ME KNOW, in advance, atleast 5 days before the scheduled meeting (This does not include Fossil or any State event happening at the time). Any questions?*

There were no questions.

(EB) **Membership Secretary:** Jackie Kilpatrick membership@abateoforegon.net

I am still on vacation visiting with my 22 great grandchildren and attending graduations.

My thanks to JeanneMarie Brady for stepping in to do the job of State Membership Secretary in my absence and making it possible for me to make the trip. I hope she will want the job next year.

In April we welcomed 20 new members 4 each in Hub City, North Coast and SE Portland Chapters. 2 each in Central Oregon, Douglas County, Josephine County, and Washington County Chapters. In April 34 members renewed their membership.

We now have a total of 666 active members and 111 newly expired members. Total Statewide is 732 members. 35 members are in multiple chapters. These numbers reflect applications received thru April 30th.

The contest for the gold goes till May 31st and the results will be in the July newspaper.

I will be back in Oregon May 30.

State Membership Secretary

Jackie Kilpatrick

(EB) **Sanctioning Officer:** Jimmy Kasner sanctioning@abateoforegon.net Absence Excused. Deb reported for Jimmy as best she could. FYI: The current Insurer for the Poker runs is now requesting the physical address of all poker run stops. I was actively helping Jimmy and Cindy call about insurance coverages and rates. When I asked my own insurance agent why it is becoming so difficult to get coverage for campouts she said that most of it has to do with the CoVid 19 pandemic and the tens of millions of dollars the insurance companies have had to pay out for so many life insurance policies. In the end the consumer is being penalized and having to deal with the lack of coverage and higher rates. This is a whole new ball game compared to the way it use to be. Trying to navigate this system isn't easy.

(EB) Treasurer: Karen Tolle treasurer@abateoforegon.net

ABATE of Oregon Inc.

Bank Balances March 12, 2022

ABATE of Oregon, account balances as of May 14, 2022 Checking Account Balance 19,394.70

Savings Account Balance 31,449.08

Paypal Account Balance

200.00

Grand total 51,043.78

Karen State Treasurer 541-660-8730

OLD BUSINESS: 1) Insurance for campouts and rate hikes. 2) Motion for new date for Planning session. 3) Request to add an Informative video link to our website for Drunk, drowsy and distracted driving made by the Law firm Meirowitz & Wasserberg. (T said she would view these and have an answer for us today). *1) We finally got insurance for Fossil. 2) New date for this year's Planning session is the 4th weekend in October. The 22nd & 23rd. This is for this year only due to state officers that will be out of town. 3) I hadn't had a chance to look at the videos as of this meeting. Deb was able to see them when they first came in last month and thinks we should add a link from our website. We'll see what T thinks.*

10 minute BREAK

Resumed meeting @ 1312

NEW BUSINESS: Guest from BikePAC Paul Hering invited Executive Director Doug Tiller to this meeting.. He was a no show. There was lengthy discussions regarding the annual donation to BikePAC and why some of the group feels we shouldn't donate any money until they put a helmet repeal bill before the lawmakers. This went on, back and forth for over 45 minutes until Larry finally had enough and asked for a show of hands regarding "how many of you bitchin are members of BikePAC?" Less than 1/2 attending were members. Larry told them if they wanted more say into which bills BikePAC puts efforts into, pay the \$15.00 a year and come to the ZOOM meetings on the 1st Saturday of each month & have a vote.

Rotten Roger stated that in 1987 a group called "The Citizens for Freedom of Choice" was formed. From this group, BikePAC was started. Is anyone in this room ready to take on this challenge and do what BikePAC is doing? (No one raised their hands) That's what I thought.

Jack spoke to us from a letter he wrote stating his thoughts and opinions on the issue. He gave me a copy for the paper. When I joined A.B.A.T.E 20+ yrs ago I was told Bike Pac were **reedom fighters now at best they are cherry pickers on that subject** **Bike Pac was formed as a means to get A.B.A.T.E.S FREEDOM message out and more specifically protect motorcyclest rights,after the helmet laws started in Oregon. Bike PAC has made it clear they are now a safety organization and riding w/o a helmet is unsafe so they can't support it as it might affect their reputation as a Safety organization. See attached Bike Pac form refer to hand written column A-L To Start note A. Helmet freedom is a right in 1/2 the states in the USA but that does not seem to be important to them or maybe we are not part of the all they are talking about? Just say'n! In all fairness they are right that anyone can submit a Bill or amendment to be concidered... you do not get the benifits of an organization money or numbers A.B.A.T.E can't give you money/compensation for this due to something to do with being a not for profit ! believe... Thats why**

hanow refer to D. F. and H. This is what Bike PAC is suppose to do with the money we have given them for the last 20 yrs + by recollection for the last several years 10 come to mind the bill was put forth by Don Mason apparently the last real Freedom Fighter out of his own pocket. he was a member of AR ATF and Bike PaC until he died. We need to wake up before we join him

Now refer to A.-L. **No where from A-L Does it say they are a safety organization**

NIIL

I believe they told our State Coordinator Troy that they are a seperate organization with a lean toward sáfety. True .. and they don't need us OK,sad but works for me ! If you want a safety organization give to Bike Pac..We A.B.A.T.E. of Ore have been fed a Decietful Narritive for a long time I would suggest they pay for their booth at A.B.A.T.E events and News paper adds Pins Posters and all the other things we have provided as requested We should cut our annual donation to be determined. I will end this with a quote from Abert Einstein thru Bike Pac If I were to remain silent, I'd be guilty of COMPLICITY respectfully submitted

Jack Wingfield Vice Coordinator Lincoln County

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WHO ARE THE MOTORCYCLIST OF OREGON!

- 1 We are citizens, constituents and voters.
- 2• We Work for a living and pay taxes.
3. We are adults with the right to choose and the intelligence to do so. :
- 4 We perform community work and help provide for less fortunate people.
5. We are concerned about the rights of our fellow riders.
- 6 We work within the political system to peacefully make changes.
- 7 We simply want our rights restored.

WHAT HAVE WE DONE TO INSURE SAFETY ON THE ROAD

- 8 We encourage our peers to ride safely.
- 9 We encourage each other to take the TEAM OREGON safety course.
- 10 We pay part or all of the cost of the TEAM OREGON safety course for those completing the course.
- 11 We voluntarily created a law to provide the funding for the TEAM OREGON programs.
- 12 • We voluntarily provide funding for their training equipment.
- 13 We teach beginning drivers in Drivers Ed programs to watch out for motorcycles, and provide funding for the program.

HOW DO WE INTEND TO ACCOMPLISH OUR AIMS AC

- 14 By bringing our issues to the Legislature.
15. By making sure that our issues are just and reasonable.
- 16 By gathering pertinent information and testifying on our issues.
17. By helping elect politicians friendly to our cause.

BikePAC is the registered political lobby for motorcyclists in Oregon. We work with concerned citizens and groups (i.6. A.B.A.T.E. of Oregon) to further motorcyclist rights and laws in Salem. BikePAC is a direct vote for you, as a rider, at the Oregon State Capital.

WHAT DOES BikePAC of OREGON

DO FOR YOU?

- A•We work hard to uphold the rights of all motorcyclists.
- B. We work with motorcyclists locally and nationally.
- C We keep our eye on the issues concerning motorcyclists. *
- D. We hire a lobbying team to represent YOU.
- É. We collect concerns from all groups and consider them. *
- F We introduce those ideas to our elected officials.
- G We watch for politicians who are friendly to our cause. *
- H. We help get them elected.
- I We watch the developments in the legislature and senate.
- J We keep our members and friends informed. *
- K We attend training sessions to be better managers.
- L We encourage grassroots participation in the political process.

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What does BikePAC need? We need your membership and your participation. Please Join/renewTODAY!

State Auditor: Larry Hassett auditor@abateoforegon.net This report wouldn't scan properly.

Newspaper Editor: "T" Velazquez news@abateoforegon.net No report

Public Relations : Brian Stewart pr@abateoforegon.net Absence Unexcused. Position open

Web Page Editor: James Niece webmaster@abateoforegon.net . James posted the newly revised "Motorcycle Waiver" for all chapters to download and print for there poker runs. These are new and need to be filled out BEFORE your event. Send the completed form to the State Secretary and/or the State Treasurer after your event. And check out the new links on the website.

State swap meet Coordinator: James Niece swapmeet@abateoforegon.net Everything is good to go for the swap meet on June 26th in Milwaukee. He is planning on roping off the vendor areas to get a better handle on the people just cruising in without paying the required gate fee.

State run Coordinator (Fossil): Dave & Cindy Witmer fossil@abateoforegon.net Cindy was able to finalize the insurance for Fossil through the AMA. Approximate cost was around \$2,000.00. Dave has open heart surgery on Monday so they will not be at Fossil. Kathy Sahlberg, T, and Troy should be able to answer any questions at the Information booth during the event. Gene let us know that there should be food in the town of Fossil during the weekend. The fairgrounds will be open all weekend, the Royal Stagg restaurant may be open and Blendas Blessings will be open Fri/Sat.

Products Committee Chair: Jackie Kilpatrick products@abateoforegon.net No report

Education Director: Theresa Velazquez education@abateoforegon.net No report

Sergeant at Arms (N): Jimmy Kasner sergeantnorth@abateoforegon.net Deb let us know he will be at Fossil

Sergeant at Arms (S): Bill Foster sergeantsouth@abateoforegon.net Bill brought some older copies of "Roberts Rules of Order", free to whomever would like a copy. He spoke of how we might want to have a non officer become a parliamentarian for these monthly meetings. He also made a motion to have the "Stop form" placed back into the monthly newspaper, permanently.. T voiced her feelings on him making a motion out of it and said all he had to do was ask her. She said no and said she was done with this shit. Glenna stood up for her and wondered why there couldn't be some kind of link or QR code and people could print it up themselves. News Editor position will be vacant. Date is unknown.

Sergeant at Arms (E): Gene Mortimore sergeanteast@abateoforegon.net No report

Legislative Director: **VACANT**

Quartermaster: Gene Mortimore quartermaster@abateoforegon.net No report

ABATE's BikePAC Representative: Bert Johnson www.BikePAC.com He said pretty much what Larry had stated. If you're not a BikePAC member, then why are you complaining?

MRF Representative: Bert Johnson MRF@abateoforegon.net No report

COC Representative: **V A C A N T** CoC@abateoforegon.net

Historian: Deb Rheault-Kasner historian@abateoforegon.net Nothing to report at this time

Motions: There are three (3) motions: 1). Motion made by Karen (JoCo) To move the 2022 Annual Planning Session to the 4th week of October. (this year only). Second by Bill (Two Rivers). Nine (9) in Favor. Zero (0) Against. Motion Passed. 2). Motion made by Crow (WaCo) To notify Bike PAC that ABATE will stop funding pending Bike PAC starts to work on amending the helmet law. (Comments: Suggests over 21 years of age with 3+ years riding experience). Second by Rob (Lincoln county). Four (4) in Favor. Five (5) against. Motion Failed. 3). Motion made by Bill (Two Rivers) To make the helmet stop report be permanently put in the state newsletter every month. Eight (8) in Favor. One (1) Abstain. Zero (0) against. Motion Passed.

Closing comments: Troy reminds all chapters that when you send your request for Sanctioning into Jimmy along with your flier, that DOES NOT mean you are sanctioned. Don't Publicly post your flier on a wall or social media until you hear back from the Sanctioning officer that you are approved. Also don't forward your event to the newspaper editor or webmaster for publication. That comes from the sanctioning officer only. Thanks.

Announcements: Events in June- WaCo has there Roll & Ride June 12th in Forest Grove. Lincoln county has their information booth, Parade and Bike show in Waldport during the 66th annual Beachcomber Days event on June 18th and the State swap meet is in Milwaukee at the Elks Lodge parking lot on June 26th. Keep updated on all ABATE events at www.abateoforegon.net

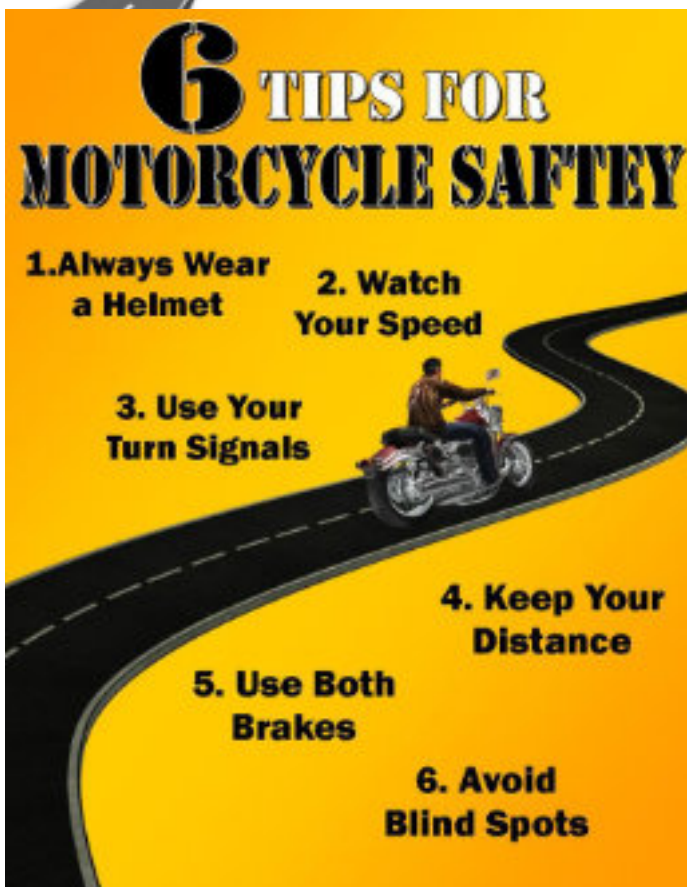
Motion to adjourn made by Paul (WaC0) Second by Rob (Lincoln county) .

Adjourn 1450 (2:50pm) .

Deb Rheault-Kasner

5/14/22

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State Membership Report

As you read this report I am in Arkansas visiting my great grandchildren and attending graduations.

JeanneMarie Brady has stepped in to do the job of State Membership Secretary in my absence. I have hopes she will want the job next year as this will be my last year in this position. I still plan to be active in ABATE and work in other areas.

In March we welcomed 26 new members: 4 in Hub City, 1 in Josephine County; 2 each in Douglas County and Washington County; 3 in North Coast and 14 in the SE Portland Chapters. In March 15 members renewed their membership. We now have a total of 676 active members and 60 newly expired members. Total Statewide is 676

members. 35 members are in multiple chapters.

These numbers reflect applications received thru March 31st.

Nine chapters have signed up 47 new members since the first of the year. That is really great news. The contest for the gold goes till May 31st. Let's get out there and recruit some more. Invite your friends to the meetings and to participate in the runs.

Using Paypal is still the fastest way to join or renew by using the link on the ABATE of Oregon web page, abateoforegon.net.

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