

May 2014 Blue Knights Meeting  
KC Metro Chapter

The Blue Knights, KC Metro Chapter, met at Morgan's Restaurant, Odessa, Missouri. We gathered at the Quick Trip on at Parvin Road and 435. We rode to Odessa using back roads to Odessa. Fourteen members and guests were present.

Before we started the meeting Jeff Jones, former Odessa Police Officer paid us a curtsey visit. He had been injured when responding to an active shooter call. In his attempt to make entry he sprained his ankle. The injury failed to heal eventually requiring him to have the ankle amputated. It was good to see Jeff and we wish him well.

The meeting was opened by Sergeant At Arms Dusty Wallace. The meeting was conducted by Vice President Tim Hicks. Vice President Hicks reported that we had a very good representation on the ride to the Law Enforcement Memorial on May 3rd in Jefferson City. We had twelve motorcycles in the group and others followed in a vehicle bearing the wreath. After the memorial service we gathered at the Prison Brew for a good lunch and a nice ride home. Also we had a good representation at the City Union Mission Charity event the next day, May 4<sup>th</sup>. We had ten members present. As always we enjoyed the event that this year included a breakfast and donuts.

Treasurers Report: Richard Weidemeyer reported we have money.

Secretary Report: On June 8<sup>th</sup> we will assist in hosting the PAL ride. In conjunction with the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department we will lead the ride and may need to control traffic at a couple of intersections. We will meet at the Brass Rail and proceed there. Complete details are on the website. Also coming up is the Fallen Officers Memorial Ride in St. Joseph. Again the details are on the website. Also upcoming is the Spring Conference to be held in Davenport, Iowa. On May 25<sup>th</sup>, the Heaven One Memorial Ride will go to Catfish Charlie's in Wellington, Missouri.

Past President's Report: No Report

Quartermaster's Report: No Report

Sergeant at Arms Report: Dusty Wallace provided "Watch for Motorcycle" magnetic signs and window stickers for display on our vehicles and homes.

For the Good: Discussion concerning the T-shirts and additional possible vendors.

The next meeting location will be determined.

The Meeting was adjourned by the Sergeant At Arms.

Respectfully Submitted  
Richard Gooch, Secretary