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# RUST 'N PIECES

## Minutes of the August Meeting

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**President** Jim Reimer called the meeting to order and welcomed all & guests then, to everyone's amazement, had nothing to say.

25 people graced the meeting, 5 of which were guests. They were Shane, Jerry's son, Ron & John of Ducati fame, Dan & Tracy with a R75/7, & John from Winkler.

**Secs report** consisted of brief report rally, upcoming events & the ride for breast cancer.

The run ended at Morden where the town has put on a large vehicle show & shine. Unfortunately for those on the run, we were too late arriving to enter the displays. It was a beautiful day & there was a huge turn out at the show. Ross Metcalfe won best antique for the WD Harley.

On a sadder note had to report Ed Weibe, a long time member, passed away on 26<sup>th</sup> July aged 76.

Hats are now available to all that require replacements.

The website of Thunder Road racing (Ted, Siggie, Ross & Gary) was now operational & worth a visit at <http://www.metcalfemotorcycles.com/racer/>

**Our treasurer** was out spending money at Davenport so no update on finance available.

The long suffering Ed promised a newsletter before corn roast, his apple commodore having found some sign of life.

Jim also kindly donated a box of older (bike I think!!! ) magazines to the club.

That was it so a run to Sals for coffee was in order.



## September Meeting

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18 members graced the car park for some time before it was apparent our keeper of the (singular on purpose) key had forgotten what day it was so an emergency call to one of the caretakers of the hall resulted in a late entry. During the wait it rumoured that some members were putting pins in a doll but this cannot be confirmed.

It was resolved that there should be a second key holder to avoid the pins in a doll syndrome in future. Our pres will action.

One **new member Dan** was welcomed so the club still continues to grow & attract new blood. Membership was now at 50.

Our Pres did the usual welcome to all present, commented on the corn roast, as the last of the seasons "organized" riding activities, thanked John & Pat for putting on the event again, ranted on about commitment to our rally & generally had difficulty in keeping quiet in his normal shy manor.

Eventually, edgewise, we tried to get the other reports in starting with yours truly.

The **Corn Roast** was a little wet this year but there were some highlights. The first was seeing the Thunder Road Racing team's world record holder being ridden around the yard by Ted & Ross. Beautiful to watch & listen too. Well done to the team.

Secondly it was great to see Keith & Loraine out & about after their rather full schedule this year.

Having read of some problems in the CVMG & talked with many of the members, mainly from the western divisions over the summer, all noted that focus within the membership had changed. We wish the CVMG well in resolving these problems & look forward to hearing a positive outcome for the club as a whole in the near future.

**Mike the Book** donated proceeds of recent 50/50 draws had been put into the club general fund as he had not found any suitable (bike orientated) material to purchase of late.

Editor confirmed his computer was currently holding up, (we shall see !!!)

**Prop Manager** confirmed he had been very tardy of late so pre-empted Bills' question with no there was nothing to report on crests.

Hats were available though & several of these collector pieces were duly snapped up.

*Four boys from*

*Winnipeg set*

*World Speed*

*Record.*

*78.163 mph*

*Official AMA*

*World Record*



**World Speed Record**



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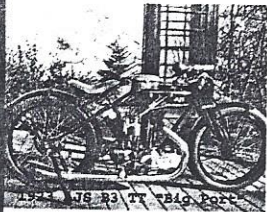
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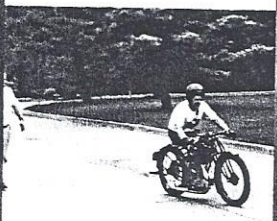
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**Treasurer reported** that the bank balance was around \$2200.00 which was up on this time last year.

**Rally:** A discussion on what should/could be changed at our rally to keep interest up ensued. Most present voted to keep the event going, but all agreed some changes were necessary.

Suggestions were: have separate (priced) events over the weekend to attract more day riders. A poker run, or something along those lines—Ross would organize if required, maps for the run(s) so that EVERYONE knew where to go! Food, did we need to do it? The consensus to this was still a yes but any ideas from the members would be welcome.

The need to get the date advertised a lot earlier. JT to work on poster for next meet.

Sears had asked if there were 4 bikes available for display Nov 10th or 12<sup>th</sup> at the Polo Park store. Need to clarify if they are roped off & supervised. A yes was dependant on security.

That was it so everyone fled to the sanctuary of Sals before Jim set off the alarm whilst trying to lock up.

Sec't John T.

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#### Upcoming Event

President, Jim Reimer is looking into booking the Players Golf Course clubhouse for our Christmas Party. More on this later.

AMCM Meeting Dates: Tuesday, October 25, and Tuesday, November 29, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. At Woodhaven Community Centre.

**Wanted:** front mudguard for '65 Matchless. If you know of one, contact: Tom Hesom, 67 Park Meadow Drive, Winkler MB, R6W 1E5, or: [tomles@mts.net](mailto:tomles@mts.net)





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