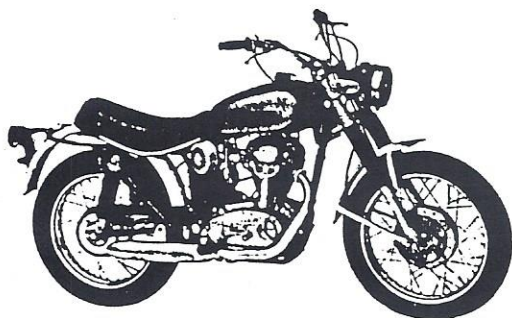


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SEASON'S GREETINGS



THE ANTIQUE MOTORCYCLE CLUB OF MANITOBA

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President's Note

'Tis the season to be shopping, but try not to get too frazzled, folks! Take time to relax and enjoy the lights, etc.

I've found that an old motorcycle, tastefully decorated with lights and located in a central area of the house, can be a joy to behold.

Speaking of relaxation and enjoyment, a number of people made it to the December meeting on Dec 2 at the new Boston Pizza. In attendance were Bert Bentley, Ed Pauch, Ed Noakes and his daughter Lynn, also John Krahn and Marvin Cooper (Thanks for making the drive and coming out). Last but not least Siggie Klann, Bill Smerchanski, Bill Watt, and myself. We had a pleasant evening of conversation, food, and a few ales. Bill Watt brought along a few pictures of his AJS 500 Twin at a winter event at the Bergen Cutoff.

The event was a 1950 hill climb. Other photos showed a river bank climb at Mount Royal, on the Assiniboine River. Bill ran his AJS summer and winter and found it to be quite economical, reliable and sporty.

Does anyone have photos of our scooter enthusiasts and their machines? I would like to borrow them and print the photos in this great newsletter of ours.

All the best to everyone.

Bye for now!

Jim H.

Meeting Notice

Next meeting is at Woodhaven Community Club, 7.30 PM

Meeting date: JANUARY 27, 1998

Next month: FEBRUARY 24, 1998



Merry Christmas

Editors Note

Gosh, the last issue of our twentieth year!

It was a great year, not only in the fact that the club has endured for 20 years.

We are slowly gaining our membership strength, and we had a successful Anniversary Show in July. The Corn Roast had superb weather (again), and the December meeting really capped things off.

On a sad note, we lost a long time member and a good friend when Irv Loewen passed away, and he is sadly missed.

We are pleased to again welcome Craig Kraft to the fold after an absence of a few years.

I went to the November meeting of MAAC only to find that it had been rescheduled to the night of our meeting, and they had not informed me - We'll try again for the next meeting.

All in all, I feel it was a year to be thankful for, and I want to thank all the members for helping make it the great time it was.

Hopefully we can have a good number of fun activities in 1998.

All the best of the season and have a prosperous new year.

Ed P



Special NOTICE#1

T-SHIRTS are in - still some not claimed. Unclaimed by March 1 will be sold!

ALSO: We have some Anniversary posters left- these look great on the garage wall, framed in the rec room, or even for gasket material (just kidding) - If you want one or more, contact Ed Pauch at 832-0255 or the next meeting.

Special NOTICE#2

CLUB EXECUTIVE ELECTIONS!

WE WILL HOLD (OR TRY TO) ELECTIONS AT THE JANUARY MEETING.

COME OUT AND HELP UNSEAT THE RAGGED BAND OF LAGGARDS LEAD BY THE NOTORIOUS JIM "HOFFA" HARRISON!

Want and Don't Want Ads

Wanted: Petrol (gasoline) tank for 1957 Ariel 650 twin

Contact Ed Pauch (204) - 832 - 0255

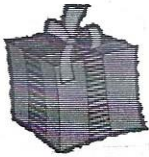
Wanted: Mini bikes or parts- Keystone, Artic Cat, Fox, Moto-Skeeter, Rupp, etc. Also Yamaha YDS6 250cc parts or parts bike. - Craig at 669 - 6047

For sale: Replica Lucas battery cases, standard bike and Square 4 sizes- Also bearing babbitting, fiberglass replica parts- Inquire- Contact Ed Pauch (204)- 832 - 0255

For sale: 50 cc Harley Davidson from the 1960's. Not complete or running but with NOS parts included. Open to offers. Call Rex at 895-0640

For sale: 1973 Honda 500-4, 1800 miles Call Pete Spratt 257-4911

For sale: 1967 Honda 174 twin, runs, \$200-300 Harrington @ 783-0188



Minutes of November 25, 1997 meeting

Seven members attended, during which Mike and Ed unofficially chaired together.

We discussed upcoming elections and hoped some new members would step forward, to prevent stagnation of ideas.

One suggestion put forward was to appoint or elect an Activity Chairman for next year as one of our officers.

Ed attended Oct, meeting of M.A.A.C. He recommended joining as they represent a lot of Motor Hobbyists. Some of their concerns are: Antique Plates

Environmental concerns

Scrappage programs

Ed made a motion for us to join (as a club). Seconded by Bill W. Passed by all members. He has volunteered to be on their Autopac Committee.

Library Draw #1 Dennis Robidoux winning a small pile of bike decals.

Draw #2 Marv Cooper for the fancy cookies.

Sorry, I couldn't make it for the December Social Event. See everyone in January, or sooner.

Respectfully submitted by,
Mike, the Bike.

Merry Christmas and Happy
New Year.



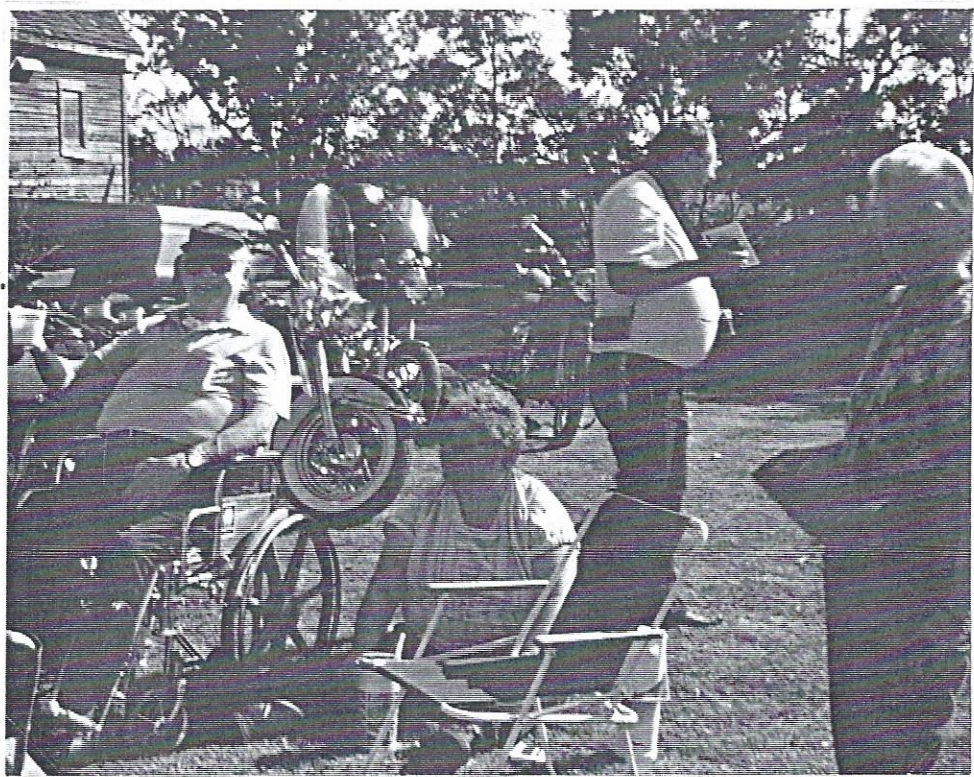
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Left to right: At our corn roast;
Tiny, Lisa, Brian, Jan.



Happy Holidays,
Jeni Harrison
Dec. '97