



# Illini Free Spirit Riders

Honda Riders Club of America Chapter 0151



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## ***NEWSLETTER & EVENTS***

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**December 2014**

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### **Rides and Information**

The Club Christmas party is scheduled for 7pm Friday December 12<sup>th</sup> at Old Towne Pub & Eatery 201 W. State Street Geneva, IL

Club Officer Elections are coming. The offices are President, Vice president, Treasurer, Secretary, and Admin/Editor. Bill has asked for someone to take the President position, as he has held it for 2.5 yrs. and feels it's time for a change. I invite anyone who is interested in any of the positions to throw their hat in the running. If you are interested in taking care of the website and/or the newsletter I would be glad to give someone else the position.

*Note* – Any information on the rides would be greatly appreciated. The info can come from the ride leader or a participant. A line or two is all that is needed. Thanks – Editor, Ron Dougherty

### **Members Corner**

We are hoping to get members to write articles for the newsletter. This article can be about whatever you, the club member wants to write about. Things like informational editorials, ride reviews etc. you get the idea. Please send your articles to [webmaster@freespiritriders.com](mailto:webmaster@freespiritriders.com) or [ifsr.secr@yahoo.com](mailto:ifsr.secr@yahoo.com) or bring your submission to a meeting, or leave it at Fox Valley Cycles in the club mailbox.

### **President's Message**

Officer election will be held at the clubs December meeting. The club grows and evolves best with new ideas and leadership. Come to the meeting and take part in the future of our club. I have enjoyed my time as President, and look forward to being an active member of the club for many years to come.

*Bill Hay*  
President

### **Calendar**

No more scheduled rides... Remember to think of places you would want to go on the bike, and then bring the ideas or completed ride plan to the yearly Ride planning Meeting. More info to come at a later time.

Dinner Locations for December...check the [calendar](#) for details

Dec 3 Roundup Sports Bar & Grill 1942 U.S. 30 Sugar Grove, IL

Dec 10 Meeting Dinner after at O'Malley's Aurora

Dec 12 Christmas Party Old Towne Pub & Eatery 201 W. State Street Geneva, IL

Dec 17 Dinner The Town Bar & Grill 2681 E New York St #117, Aurora

Dec 24 Christmas Eve No Dinner

Dec 31 New Year's eve No Dinner

\*The Wednesday Dinner Schedule for the upcoming month is decided at the monthly meeting. Please come to the Monthly meetings and make recommendations on the dinner schedules.

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## Illini Free Spirit Riders Meeting Agenda November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014

- Opening
  - Thank you to all for attending
  - Recognition of guests & new members
- Secretary's Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Old Business
  - Past Club Rides Reviews
    - SW Michigan Wine Tour      Glen G.      10/11
    - Grist Mill                      Bill H.      10/19
    - Anyone do anything interesting last month?
  
- New Business
  - Fox Valley Cycle News
  - Select upcoming dinner locations
    - Tonight – Meeting Night – O'Malley's - Aurora
    - November 19<sup>th</sup> – Ray's Evergreen – St. Charles
    - November 26<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Eve – Larry's Diner – Plainfield
    - December 3<sup>rd</sup> –
    - December 10<sup>th</sup> – Meeting Night –
    - December 17<sup>th</sup> –
    - December 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Eve – no club dinner
    - December 31<sup>st</sup> – New Year's Eve –no club dinner?
  
  - Christmas Party Date —December 12<sup>th</sup> – Old Town Pub Geneva
  - Officer Elections Next Month
  - Additional New Business?
  
- Upcoming Events, Next Meeting—December 10<sup>th</sup>
- Closing
- 50/50 Drawing



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## Meeting Minutes of October 8, 2014

### Opening

President Bill Hay opened the October meeting of the Illini Free Spirit Riders Motorcycle Club at 6:10PM. Twenty-one members were in attendance.

### Secretary's Report

Minutes from the September meeting were distributed. Bill asked the members to review the minutes. A motion was made by Lee Lasseigne to accept the minutes as submitted. The motion was seconded and a vote was taken. The minutes were unanimously accepted.

### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Bob Crawley presented his report. Michael D'Aversa motioned to accept the report. The motion was seconded and a vote was taken. The report was unanimously accepted.

### Business

#### Old Business

- Ride reports were presented for the New England, Cheese Days, Galesburg and Red Wing Rides.

#### New Business

- In the Fox Valley Cycles' report, John Conley reported on their planned booth at DuKane A.B.A.T.E. Toy and Food Run, October 12, 2014. John also stated that rebates are available on choice Honda models and winter storage and Service deals are also available.
- No date and place for the 2014 IFSR Christmas Party has been secured due to the Venue's double booking mishap. Dave Moore will check back on Thursday, October 9, 2014 and report back. Treasurer Bob Crawley advised those present that a Christmas Party Sign-up Sheet will be available at the November Club meeting. Sign-up and give Bob your \$10 per person "deposit". Ron Dougherty made a motion that "the Club (IFSR) pay for the Christmas Party". Michael D'Aversa motioned that "the terms to pay for the party be the same as last year." Both motions were seconded and were passed unanimously.
- Final scheduled rides are the Southwest Michigan Winery Ride and the Grist Mill Ride.
- Upcoming dinner locations were decided. 10/8 (after the Meeting) ... Elmer's -Montgomery, 10/15 ... Ray's Evergreen - St. Charles, 10/22 ... Firehouse - Oswego, 10/29 ... Sharko's - Naperville, 11/5 ...Mike & Denise's - Aurora, 11/12 (after the Meeting) ... O'Malley's, 11/19 ... Ray's Evergreen - St. Charles and 11/26 ... Larry's Diner - Plainfield.

### Adjournment

With no additional New Business, President Bill Hay asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ron Dougherty made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded and President Bill Hay closed the meeting at 6:43PM.

Members met at Elmer's for the post-meeting dinner.

Ken Kutschke  
Secretary