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# A.I.M. ASSOCIATION FOR INJURED MOTORCYCLISTS

AUGUST, 1985

# Newsletter

#7 OF MANY

## Thanks to...

All of the members who helped staff the dance held on June 1st at Park Lodge. Special thanks to the bar staff, ticket sales, the door staff and of course the clean-up crew.

Drew Burns of The Commodore Ballroom for donating 12 tickets to the Back Doors concert August 3rd.

## DONATIONS

- ...Blaine Spencer \$10.00
- ...H.D. Buckle & More Co. 25.00
- ...Trev Deeley 240.00

Special thanks to all the above for their Support!

## Special Announcement!

Bumper Stickers & Lapel Pins are now on sale at General Meetings and at our office:  
3160 E. Norland Ave.,  
Burnaby, B.C.

"GET YOURS NOW"

## GOOD DEAL!

The British Columbia Motorcycle Federation offers excess Medical Expense Coverage Insurance Policy, with a maximum coverage of \$100,000 per incident, and is in effect 365 days/year while travelling outside the Province of B.C. Also a \$2,000 Accidental Death and Dismemberment coverage all for \$20.00 annual membership fee.

## Assistance given to...

...Gregory James Stephens - A.I.M. gave moral support and legal counsel.

...Al Maloney - A.I.M. gave legal counsel.

...Frank Melford Gallant - A.I.M. supplied a lawyer.

...Kathy Welde - A.I.M. supplied a lawyer.

...Sheri Creelman - A.I.M. supplied a lawyer.

...Fred Wall - A.I.M. gave moral support, legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Richard Brown - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Willie Petsche - A.I.M. gave legal counsel.

...Blair Bowen - A.I.M. gave moral support, legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Brian Generoux - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Gord Nielson - A.I.M. gave legal counsel.

...Bob Johnson - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Paul Gatt - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Larry Traverance - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...John Conroy - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Bill Rein - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Wm. C. Waterbeek - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Dan Tate - A.I.M. gave legal counsel and supplied a lawyer.

...Ambrose Duperon - A.I.M. supplied a lawyer.

...Grant Angus - A.I.M. gave legal counsel.

## Harrison Bay Campout

July 27/28, 1985 at Squawkum Park

### Thank You, Volunteers!

I want to take this time to thank everyone who participated in our 1st Annual Campout and for helping to make our first, a great success. This includes all who helped staff the bar, the Welcoming Committee, Security, Special Events and those who helped to prepare the food.

The weather was on our side which only helped make this, "The Overnight Sensation of the Summer" and I know that a great time was had by all who attended.

The winner of the Wet-T-Shirt Contest was Vivian Haworth.

Winners of The Ride in Bike Show were:

Best Custom	Gary Durant
Best Paint	Terry Lovering
Best Vintage	Dan Doodie
Oldest Bike	Dick Kurz
Youngest Rider	Donna Morrison
Best Rat Bike	Union Jack

The following is a rough break-down on how we did financially.

Revenue: (includes admission, food, beverage)	\$9,138.00
Expenses:	
Advertising	\$ 558.00
Beverage	3225.00
Campsite Rental	600.00
Entertainment	875.00
Food	550.00
Misc. (ice, cigarettes, equip. rental)	523.00
Special Events	230.00
	<u>\$6561.00</u>

NET PROFIT \$2577.00

What makes these activities successful is the appreciation of those who attended. It makes all of the time put into the preparation worthwhile. Thank You! **RAY LEADBEATER**  
PRESIDENT.

### Thanks also to...

...The Scowitz Indian Band for the use of their campsite, concession stand and equipment.

...The St. John Ambulance Service for being in attendance.

...Al's Hog Performance & H.D. Buckles & More Inc. for donating prizes for our Special Events.

...All the members of the G.V.M.C. who helped staff our Campout.

...Rob Nelson for the continuous tape music and a special thanks to our featured Blues Rock artists "Incognito".

...Lance MacLean our m/c for the Wet-T-Shirt Contest. (an inspiration to us all I'm sure)

...Crazy George and Len Creed for judging the Bike Show.

...Ambrose Duperon for being our m/c for the Special Events and co-ordinating the kids events.

...and a special thanks to Susy Roberts, who arranged and co-ordinated the food concession.

These people have done a great job!!



## Legal Department

The Association for Injured Motorcyclists is pleased to recommend the following Lawyer-Members for Legal Representation:

George Geraghty  
603-796 Granville St.  
Vanc. V6Z 1J6 (604) 684-8247

Jim McNeney  
100 W. Pender St.  
Vanc. V6B 1R8 (604) 687-1766

Allan G. Bird  
Ports O' Call Village  
San Pedro, California  
90731 (213) 547-9944

Paul McMurray  
157 Alexander St.,  
Vancouver, B.C. V6A 1B8  
(604) 682-3621

Bernard Simpson & Assoc.,  
750-999 W. Broadway,  
Vancouver, B.C. V5Z 1K5  
(604) 734-2272

... All the above are actively involved in accident/benefit claims.

The V.A.I.M. has a new office located at:

3160 E. Norland Ave., Burnaby

Office hours: 10 am - 4 pm \* Come down for a coffee \*

## FOR SALE

73 Triumph  
500 Daytona \$700.00  
70 Triumph 500 Daytona,  
basket case motor \$250.00  
59 Triumph 500 motor & frame  
incomplete \$200.00  
Barry — 438-6271

## LOST and FOUND

Large set of keys, w/brass bar attached. Found at Harrison Bay Campout. A.I.M. - 291-9242.

Blue jeans, size 32, w/large belt buckle. Found at Harrison Bay Campout. A.I.M. - 291-9242.

## WANTED

Side-car to fit H.D. swing-arm.  
Neils — 731-7660

## Watch For...

An editorial in "Canadian Biker Magazine" on The Harrison Bay Campout.

## Upcoming Events.....

**August 11** — Motorcycle Speedway, Haney Fairgrounds.

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**August 28** — Group Support Meeting, 8:00 p.m. Park Lodge Hall, 29th & Rupert St. (Happy Hour will commence at 7:00 p.m.)

**August 30, 31, Sept. 1** — Corn Roast and Bike Show at the Hidden Creek Ranch, Salmo, B.C.

**August 31, Sept. 1, 2** — 1st Annual 3 Day Rock 'N Roll Party, Angel Acres, Nanaimo, B.C.

**Sept. 1** — Motorcycle Speedway, Haney Fairgrounds.

**Sept. 22** — Motorcycle Speedway, Haney Fairgrounds.

**Sept. 25** — Group Support Meeting, 8:00 p.m. Park Lodge Hall, 29th & Rupert St., (Happy Hour will commence at 7:00 p.m.)

## Best Times.....

The Memorial Dance in honour of Randy Baceda held at Park Lodge, Sat. June 1st was a great success and netted a profit of \$184.00 and was a good time for all who attended. **The Randy Baceda Memorial Fund** was set up and will be available for victims.

## A Brief Summary of our past "Support Group Meetings"

...The Dept. of Labour has given their approval on the Certified Motorcycle Apprentice Program all across Canada except for Quebec. This course will be in effect early September and provincial standards will be kept up for all motorcycle mechanics.

...The money order for \$54.50 that was sent to Easyrider's magazine for the purchase of two video tapes in 1984, has finally been traced and the money is back in the bank account.

...At our July 24th Meeting it was announced that a funeral wreath was sent to accident victims, Kerry Henkins and Debbie Scott. Member Bruce Currie attended funeral services in Gibson's July 16th.

...Our General Meetings May 22nd, June 26th and July 24th were dedicated to organizing and electing volunteers for the Harrison Bay Campout.

## MEMBER'S SERVICES AVAILABLE

Sunrise Painting Co., residential & industrial  
Phone Mike — 941-9986

George's Fix-it, Appliance repairs, Handyman & Scrap Metal  
Phone — 435-4150



Whether you are an accident victim or a sincerely interested party, please take our appeal earnestly. We are serious about our livelihood. WE NEED YOU... Become a member in 1985 and give us support for effective representation on all matters of concern to injured motorcyclists.

### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this application NOW with your payment in the amount of \$10 payable to:

**ASSOCIATION FOR INJURED MOTORCYCLISTS**

P.O. Box 82303, N. Burnaby, B.C. V5C 5P8 (604) 291-9242

## Discounts Offered TO MEMBERS OF A.I.M.

The following businesses are pleased to offer discounts with presentation of membership card.

Discount on items purchased at: **H.D. Buckle & More**, 202 Carrall St., Vancouver.

10% Discount on machining at: **H.G. Precision Balancing**, 516 Sharpe St., New Westminster.

10% Discount on chroming at: **Specialty Plating Co. Ltd.**, 2108 Front St., North Vancouver.

10% Discount on Parts & Accessories at:

**Gus's Shop**, 13539 King George Hwy., Surrey.

**Trev Deeley Motorcycles**, 606 E. Broadway, Vancouver.

**Stroker Specialties**, 14959 - 24th Ave., Surrey.

**Al's Hog Performance**, 2913 Spring St., Port Moody.

**Cdn. Chopper Distributors**, 8331 River Rd., Richmond.

**Honda Shop**, 1502 W. 3rd Ave., Vancouver.

**Valley Precision Cycle**, 2208 Fruitvale Blvd., Yakima, Wa.

10% Discount on photocopying or printing at:

**Agape Press/Knoll's Print Shop**, 4619 E. Hastings St., Burnaby.



## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

1985 Membership as at July 31 = 383.