

★ Assisting those who deserve ★

A.I.M.

ASSOCIATION FOR INJURED MOTORCYCLISTS

March, 1985

Newsletter

#5 of many

Thanks to...

... All the members who volunteered assistance to distribute information on A.I.M. at the Motorcycle show at B.C. Place, Jan. 19, 20.

... Len Creed, for the fine article published in the Feb. issue of Cdn. Biker.

... Easyriders for promoting our cause in the Mar. issue.

... All the members who helped staff the Black Valentines Ball. Special thanks to the Bar Staff, Ticket Sales, The Door Staff and of course the Clean-up crew.

... The success of these events are only made possible with your participation.

Assistance given to...

... Gordon Groth, re: Legal Aid.

... Peter Allan, re: Legal Aid.

... Gregory McLean re: Legal Aid and moral support by members and A.I.M. paid for T.V. rental.

DONATIONS

... Peter Allan \$ 10.00

... Royal Cdn. Legion
Branch 209, Rmd. \$100.00

... Trev Deeley Motorcycles for donating a Leather Jacket, a mens Sweat Shirt and a womens Sweat Shirt, raffled at the "Black Valentines Ball".

A Brief Summary of our past "Support Group Meetings"

... The "Rockabilly Night" being held at Park Lodge, 29th and Rupert on April 13th, will be restricted to 1985 members and escorts only. Admission is free and new memberships will not be sold at the door.

... Motion was passed at the Annual General Meeting March 26th, that the current Director's who founded A.I.M. being Ray D. Leadbeater, Alan J. Walker and Warren H. Stuart hold office for the current 1985 year.

... Several letters have been received mainly due to write-ups in Easyriders and Cdn. Biker from people requesting assistance and from people offering to help our cause. Letters have been received from: Phoenix, Arizona; Lockport, New York; St. Catharines, Ont; Yakima, Washington; Minatare, Nebraska; Springfield, Ohio; Kamloops, B.C.; Rock Hill, S. Carolina; Toledo, Ohio and Prince George, B.C.

... The membership commended Trevor Baxter for his time and results he has achieved on the Visitation Committee.

... Lawyer-Member George Geraghty Reported that I.C.B.C. are now becoming aware of our existence and George has explained our purpose to them.

... It appears that an American version of A.I.M. has been started dealing strictly with Legal Aid. A bumper sticker spotted in a H.D. Dealership in Southern California is show below. (More on this at a later date.)



Have you ever felt that something was missing from the motorcycling scene? Get it together — Join A.I.M.!

Aid to Injured Motorcyclists



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A LAW CORPORATION



Legal Department

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

George Geraghty
603-796 Granville St.
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Drew S. Plaxton
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... All the above are actively involved in accident/benefit claims.

Businesses Offering Discounts With Presentation of Membership Card

10% discount on parts and accessories at:
Gus's Shop, 13539 King George Highway;
Trev Deeley Motorcycles,
606 E. Broadway, Vancouver.
Discount on items purchased at:
H.D. Buckles, 202 Carrall St., Vancouver.

UPCOMING EVENTS



April 13 - Rockabilly Night" with Herald Nix, Canada's Finest Rockabilly Band at Park Lodge Hall, 29th and Rupert St., Vanc. (1985 members & escorts only.)

April 20 - John Lee Hooker at the Commodore.

April 24 - Group Support Meeting 8:00 p.m., Park Lodge Hall, 29th and Rupert St., Vanc. (Happy Hour will commence at 7:00 p.m.)

May 12 - "Women on Wheels" -for women only Rally, for information call Sue or Doug at 594-8132.

May 18, 19, 20 - Kootney Pig-out, Salmo, B.C.

June 8, 9, 10 - Ride for Sight, Vernon, B.C.

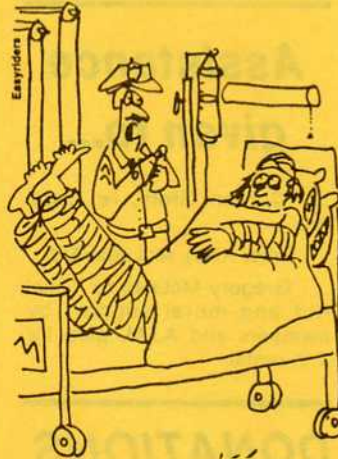
Best Times...

Feb. 23 - Black Valentines Ball held at Kensington Community Centre, was a great success and netted a profit of \$2784.65.

Watch For...

... A.I.M.'s promotional article published in Cdn. Biker magazine, probably in the April or May issue.

... Bumper Stickers and Lapel Pins which will soon be available to members.



Welcome new members

1985
Membership
as at
March 31st = 190.



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**

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