

THE SCENT-INEL

Newsletter



MOUNT CLEMENS STINKERS

Chapter #98 of the FCRV

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February 2005

MT. CLEMENS STINKERS CHAPTER 98 Meeting Minutes for January 12, 2005

President Barb Matthies **called the meeting to order** at 7:05 p.m. at the Hometown Macomb Community Center. The next meeting will be held on February 9, 2005. Cramer and Hartley will be the hosts for next meeting.

Judy De Keyser took **Roll Call**. Eighteen members were present.

Judy read the **minutes**. M/Jack Matthies s/John DiSalvo to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried. Judy asked for **reimbursement** for one ream of paper (\$2.50) and 50 stamps at .37 each (\$18.50.) M/Jan Specht s/John DiSalvo to have the club reimburse her. Motion carried.

Ron Marsh gave the **Treasurer's Report** prepared by Bumper Brown. The report was also printed in the monthly Newsletter. The balance as of December 2004 was \$1,657.60. M/John DiSalvo s/George Garabedian to accept the report as given. Motion carried. Annual dues of \$20 are due.

Names were drawn for the meeting, social and campout hosts for the entire year. Barb asked for volunteers for the various committees. Judy will prepare a listing of hosts and a 2005 roster. Judy passed around the current roster for everyone to review and make additions or deletions or corrections.

Judy will have the **Super Bowl Party** (with Hudock's help) on February 6th. She asked if members would bring their own drinks and a dish to share. A sheet was passed around for members to sign up.

Jan and Clem discussed the Club's lack of involvement with FCRV. They commented on the 2005 campground listing which does not include any FCRV campouts. As MSA representatives, they bring back information, but there is poor representation at the events. They are thinking of dropping out of the Club and will consider writing a letter indicating their intentions. They asked if the members are going to pay the \$5 subscription fee for the FCRV magazine. We would greatly miss them if they leave.

Diane Garabedian gave the **Camping Report**. She said they are having problems with the water wells at the Holly State Park, which is scheduled for May 13 – 15, 2005. The Club will consider another campground if not corrected by next month. Diane collected deposits. Ron Marsh advised the amounts listed on the schedule are for two-day weekends and the camping fee will be more on long weekends.

The Officer duties were discussed. The list was printed in the January 2005 Newsletter for members to review. Discussion took place. Changes are:

- 1) #3 under Secretary "Send copies of the regular and board meeting minutes to both the editor and president."
- 2) #7 under Board of Directors "Board members are exempt from all holiday campout hosting responsibilities for a period of one year."
- 3) #5b under Sunshine Chairperson "death – send flowers or memorial of approximately \$75. for members or immediate family."
- 4) The approved date will be January 12, 2005, the date of this meeting.

MEMBERS

Any words, thoughts, or issue you may have can be put in this newsletter.

Please feel free to submit them.

2005 Officers of the Mount Clemens Stinkers

President: Barb Matthies

Vice President : Diane Garabedian

Secretary: Judy DeKeyser

Treasure: Ron Marsh



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

CHAIRMAN: John Disalvo

Jean Marsh

Arlene Williams

M/Gene LaBelle, s/Doris DiSalvo to accept the Officer Duties listing as prepared with the above changes. Motion carried.

Member reports: Cindy Trombley will have a hysterectomy on January 24. John DiSalvo had foot surgery and is okay now. Diane Garabedian had knee surgery and is doing well. Roger and Cindy's home flooded from a broken pipe when they were in Virginia for Christmas. All of the walls, carpets, floors, furniture and more are damaged either by the water, the condensation that followed or mold. Also, Cindy's father had esophageal cancer, however, since the chemotherapy treatment, the cancer seems to be gone. The Cramer family also has a new grandson.

Barb gave the **Sunshine Report and collected** for birthdays/ missing vests.

Gary Trombley with support from someone (!) made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Judith A. De Keyser

*Secretary for the Mt. Clemens Stinkers
Chapter 98*

Camping Deposits Due at February Meeting

Maple Syrup (Mulligan's)	\$15.00	April 23-24
Birch Bark Tent & Trailer	\$30.00	July 15-17 (Canadian Money)
Lakeport State Park	\$22.00	July 22-24
Covered Wagon	\$26.00/\$28.00	Aug 5 - 7
Paradise Valley	\$30.00	Aug 12-14 (Canadian Money)
Hideaway R. V. Park	\$21.00/\$24.00	Aug 19 - 21
Algonac State Park (Encampment)	\$50.00 (W/E)	Sept 9 - 11
Groveland Oaks (Labor Day)	\$24.00	Sept 2-5
Valley Plaza (Halloween)	\$80.00 (W/E)	Oct 21 -23

Camping Deposits Due at March Meeting

Holiday Shores	\$25.00	June 24-26
Covenant Hills Camp	\$25.00	July 29-31
Covenant Hills Camp	\$25.00	Aug 26-28
Port Huron Township Park	\$20.00	Oct 7-9

Birthdays and Anniversaries



Jim Witt
Tammy Brown

March 3
March 5

Anyone else?

45th Annual Family Campers & Rvers Campvention
Hosted by Region 6
Lewisburg, West Virginia - July 10 - 14, 2005
Gates Open: 8:00 AM, Friday, July 8, 2005
(Friday & Saturday will be Early Bird days. Early Bird fee will be \$18.00 per night.)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Spouse or Guest's Name _____

Street Address _____ City _____ ST/PROV _____ ZIP/PC _____

E-Mail Address _____ Phone _____

Adults: _____ Teens: _____ Youth 9-12: _____ Youth 5-8: _____ Youth 0-4 _____

TEENS & YOUTH: Please list the names & ages of all youth & teens on a separate sheet and attach to this form.

Total # of Persons in Unit: _____ Is this your first Campvention YES _____ NO _____

TWO OR MORE FAMILIES ATTENDING THE CAMPVENTION IN ONE UNIT

Each family **MUST** submit a separate registration. The **additional** family must purchase a **Camp Pass**. Please indicate the unit owner's name: _____ Second family name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ ST/PROV: _____ ZIP/PC _____

Families staying off grounds must purchase a Camp Pass and complete a Registration Form

SPECIAL NEEDS INFORMATION

A Special Needs Site is requested: YES _____ Note: Special Needs area sites will have electric with water available.

(If a handicap site is requested a doctor's certificate, dated within the last 3 years, or a photocopy of your Handicap Hanger, or a copy of your ECRV Membership card that states you are handicapped, **MUST** accompany this Registration Form. There will be no Handicap sites available at the gate: You **MUST** be pre-registered.)

We would like to volunteer for the following jobs: _____

CAMPVENTION REGISTRATION

PAYMENT IN U.S. FUNDS ONLY

PARKING WILL BE IN DIFFERENT TIERS DEPENDING ON UTILITIES AVAILABLE.

ALL PARKING WILL BE "HOBO" STYLE

****NOTE**** There will be 151 full hookup sites. These will be assigned in order of receipt. If you apply for a full hookup site after the limit has been reached you will be assigned a **Water & Electric** site and placed on a waiting list for a full hookup site. If one does not become available, the difference will be refunded.

Fees for Registration postmarked between Jan. 1, 2005 and May 31, 2005. (Please indicate desired tier).

Full hookups: ~~\$185.00~~ **SOLD OUT**

Electric with water available: \$160.00

Dry Camp (24 hour Generators permitted): \$125.00

Dry Camp (No Generators): \$125.00

\$90.00

NOTE: All Registration Fees will be \$5.00 less

if your registration is **postmarked** by

Dec. 31, 2004, or if you **pay in person**

Camp Pass:

by Dec. 31, 2004.

Registrations postmarked after May 31, 2005, should pay Dry Camp Fee and will be assigned a Dry Camp Site.

Registrations **At The Gate** will pay **\$135.00** and will be assigned a Dry Camp Site.

Make checks or Money Orders payable to: **ECRV CAMPVENTION 2005**, in U.S. Funds only.

Mail to: Peter & Jane Brown
 304 Kentucky Avenue
 St. Cloud, FL 34769-2319

Have Questions?
 Contact them at: 407-957-7746
 or at: pierre304@aol.com

NOTE: If you register and are unable to attend for any reason, your full registration fee, minus a \$25.00 non-refundable charge, will be automatically mailed back to you.

Subscription Application for The Michigander

I would like to receive "The Michigander" at \$5.00 for a one year period.

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Please make checks payable to: **Michigan State Association**

Send check or money order to : Ed & Debbie Dietzel
 10275 Bradley Rd.
 Frankenmuth, MI 48734-9739

Note: There is a maximum subscription time of one (1) year.