

Powder Keg Chapter
Membership Meeting Minutes
July 15, 2025

(List of meeting attendees is included at the end of this document)

1. Ken Cornett opened the meeting at James Third Base Sports Bar and Grill by welcoming members to the June Powder Keg Chapter meeting.
2. Ken, assisted by Kelly Lee, led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Ken then recognized Military Service Veterans and Members, First Responders, parents of veterans and current serving military personnel and thanked them for their service.
4. At this time, there is no one from the dealership that is attending and no new members at this meeting. Ken welcomed Sherry Carter and expressed how well she is doing back on her bike and to also let us know that Mark Tucker was here and also doing better.
5. Ken then asked everyone to keep Robin Schmitz in their prayers and that they were moving her to Good Sam Hospital.
6. Ken and Mark Putnam asked Ron Hooven to come up and presented him with his road captain rocker.
7. Lee Pennekamp was invited up to talk about the Lebanon Warrior Backpack program and how it is helping local children kindergarten through 6th grades by distributing food for them to take home. Tracy Hooven then presented Lee with a check from our raffle drawing collections for the past year.
8. Frank came up to first thank all the road captains and sweeps for all their time and efforts in bringing us a great riding year and to introduce what is coming up,
9. Bob Cooney talked about the 2nd attempt for The KY Twisties ride, reminding everyone to pack a lunch for this ride. Also, reminding everyone that staging would be at Mason BP in front of Perkins.
10. Ken then talked about the Mott's Military Museum ride scheduled for July 26th in Groveport Ohio. This is a pack your lunch ride, where we will stop at a park that has a large pavilion area.
11. Jim came up to talk about the August 2nd, ride to Iron Pony, where he has scheduled about an hour and a half to spend there. Then we will go to G&R Tavern, which is famous for their fried bologna sandwich. He also reminded us that this is a cash only restaurant.
12. Jim then also talked about the August 9th Big Basket and AMA Motorcycle Museum ride. We will stop at the big basket then to an Amish style market and the Museum with about an hour and a half slated there to be able to spend time in the museum. Lunch will be at Tic Tac Taco at the BP.

13. Ken then talked about the Central Kentucky Civil War overnight ride, heading towards Bardstown, then to the Perryville Battlefield and museum. We will also go through Campbellsville and Danville. Dinner Saturday evening will be at the Cattlemen's Roadhouse.

14. Frank came up to talk about how Harley is no longer setting up the bikes for CB's and they are looking for affordable alternatives. They have the GMRS radio's in the beta stage. These are totally wireless and Bluetooth compatible with Sena and Cardo units. More information to follow as Mark and John do more testing.

15. Dano stood in for Rick for safety. This last weekend on the overnight, we crossed paths with deer and bears, but this was about what to do if you encounter a dog, more specifically an aggressive dog. You should slow down before you reach the dog, as they will anticipate reaching you, then as you get closer, carefully speed up to throw off the dog's timing. Whatever you do, never kick out at the dog as this could throw you off balance, and or give the dog a chance to catch your pant leg. Then Dano did the "take Rick's money" safety question on when to move when changing lanes; Lisa answered only after the bike in front of you begins to move, creating a zipper affect.

13. Ron then talked membership. We are currently up to 90 members in good standing; we then did the drawing with \$140 brought in.

- Free membership – Tammy Morris
- 1st \$25 Powder Keg gift card – Audrey Lee
- 2nd \$25 Powder Keg gift card – Dano Soha

14. Ken then thanked everyone for the turn out, reminding everyone of the next chapter meeting will be on Tuesday August 19, 2025 and then officially adjourned the meeting at 7:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted

Lisa Noble-McCoy

Secretary, Powder Keg Chapter

Next Meeting – Tuesday 8/19/2025

Attendance for July 15, 2025 Chapter Meeting

Edwin Amrein
Bob Bingham
Brian Brehm
Kimberly Brehm
Sherry Carter
Ken Cornett
Ralph Dixon
Frank Fuller
Robert Grooms
Ronald Hooven
Tracy Hooven
David Hubbard
Richard Hyland
Steven Isaacs
Dan Jacobs
Jim Lay

Robert Luhn
Kevin Morris
Tammy Morris
Lisa Noble
Wally Patton
Charles Phillips
Mark Putnam
Robert Riehm
Diana Roberts
Joshua Russell
Douglas Strief
Amy Sumner
Christopher Sumner
Fred Vanpelt
Michael Wagner
John Wright