

## **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

By Julie Veneskey

The meeting held on March 14, 2007 at Lindsay's Restaurant in Akron, Ohio was brought to order at 7:15 pm by Chapter Director Paul McWilliams. The two guests for the evening were introduced, Dick McKechnie and William Johnson. Paul read a thank you letter from the family of Aidan, the little boy who had brain surgery in October. Aidan is doing well and has not had any seizures since his surgery. Paul also mentioned that a group of them went to Chillicothe, Ohio to retrieve the Region D traveling plaque.

Cindy Jarrett talked about our auction to be held on April 28, 2007 at the Randolph Community Center. Each member is asked to donate 2 items for the auction. She also mentioned that she has the new chapter patches for \$3.00 each.

Mike Dorsey is collecting historical information on the belt buckle that is passed each year. If you have any one information please contact Mike.

Paul is looking for a volunteer to lead the first Mystery Ride of the season on April 4, 2007. If you are interested please let Paul know. Paul also reminded us that beginning on April 4<sup>th</sup>, we start meeting in the parking lot at Lindsay's for dinner rides. The group leaves promptly at 6:30 pm. Paul also mentioned that the Teddy Bear ride on June 24<sup>th</sup> was left off the event schedule.

Chapter Educator Robert Williams awarded the GWRRA travel mug to levels program participant Jim Veneskey. Robert reminded us that the Skills Day in Mansfield on May 12<sup>th</sup> counts as a rider's class toward your advancement to level II. He also mentioned that GWRRA sponsors rider's education courses similar to Motorcycle Ohio, but more geared toward Goldwing riders.

### Upcoming events:

- 3/17 – Open House at Midwest Motorsports
- 3/17 – Euchre Party at Ted and Beth Daniels' house. Call Ted for directions if needed.
- 3/31 – G-2 Chili Cook Off
- 4/21 – Chapter M Rigatoni Dinner
- 4/28 – Chapter T Auction and Dinner

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm.