



# Chapter Meeting

## January 16

### Northenders VFW

Social Hour at 6:00 PM  
Meetings start at 7:00 PM

January 1  
Brass Monkey Run  
KooKooS2

State Seminar  
January 19-20  
Northfield Center

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January 20  
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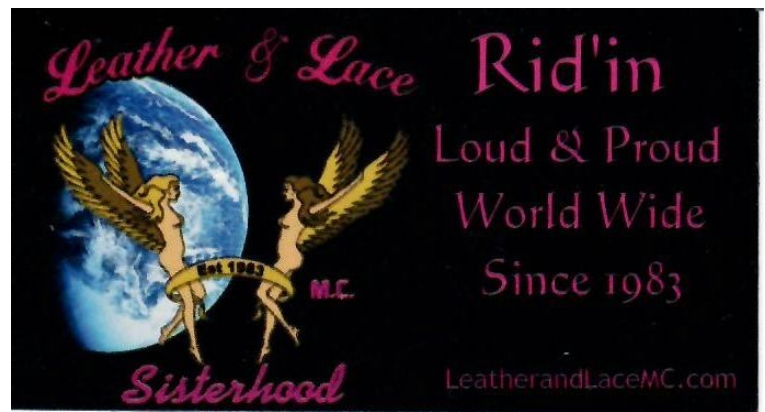
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Hello Lincoln Land members and welcome to the new year! I am Cassandra (Sandy) Cantrall your new president. I have been working side by side with Rudedog this past year to become prepared for this important role. I am beyond grateful for the opportunity to step into this position and continue the mission of ABATE. Let's make 2024 the best year yet. We have some new officers and some officers that have changed positions for the new year. Please help me welcome them and extend our gratitude for stepping up to a role of leadership in ABATE. With that we say goodbye to a treasured president, Dwyane "Rudedog" Rudolph. He is going to take some much-needed time with his family but will still be available to those of us who need him. I'd like to thank him for the years of service he has given to Abate in many roles but lastly as a leader, mentor, friend, and brother to many of us who served on the BOD with him.

As this new year begins, we have great hope that we are forging into greater things and each year is better than the year before. We had a great year with activities last year and hope this will continue to flourish this year with a new activities coordinator, Vince Hutchens Sr. Our new membership coordinator, Jason Duff has many membership events already in the works. Our new products coordinator, Jennifer Van Cleve has already started getting orders for awesome ABATE gear and thinking about what the membership would want ordered next. The new Vice President, Brian Burton and I have already started working together to create an action plan for making 2024 a wonderful year for riding, fellowship, and supporting our fellow bikers. With the new people elected there will be new ideas and learning happening simultaneously.

The year ahead won't be slowing down. We will have familiar events and hopefully more will be added to the calendar as we go. We always start our year off with HUD'S (& KIM'S) Brass Monkey Run. It is tradition to support this event as they have and were always strong supporters of our chapter. This goes to not only support their cause, but it also supports the local VFW 10302(Our VFW). Soon after that ride comes the State Seminar where the BOD and any member who wants to attend gets a better understanding of ABATE and training to better our organization. Followed by the rest of our usual ABATE, AHE, SJMC, Leathernecks, Marine Vets, Band of Brothers, Vintage Iron Riders, Legion Riders, VFW and on and on. Let's be there for all of them this year and have an awesome time doing it. I'm excited for the year ahead and all it has to offer all of us.

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Sandy



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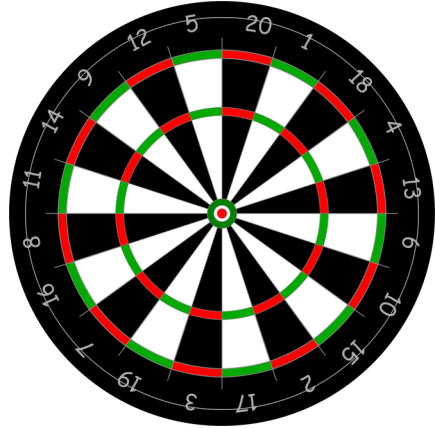
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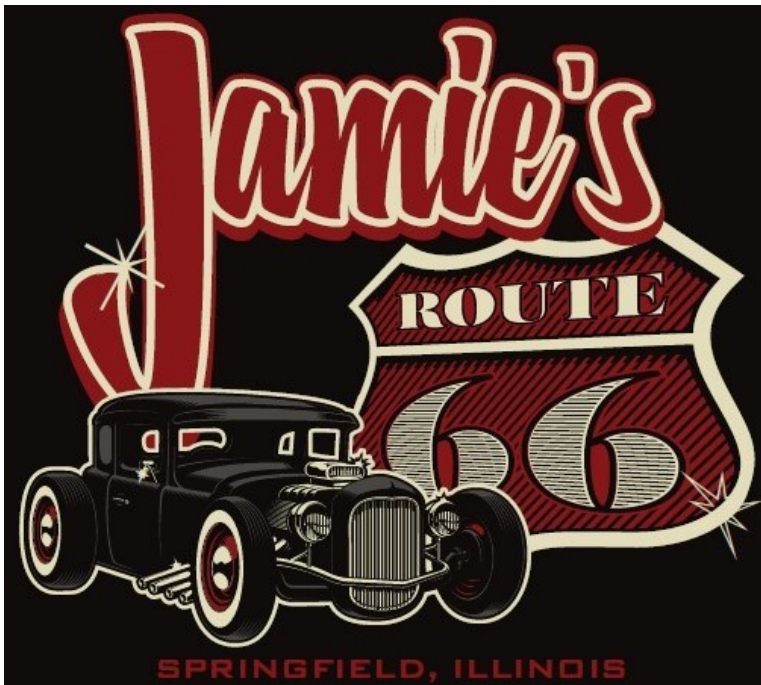
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### Downed Rider Benefit

We have gotten some auction and door prize items but always looking for more.

Howard is in the middle of getting T-shirt designs. They are busy with Christmas stuff, and won't get back to him to the middle of January.

Remember our past sponsors when you are out doing business.

Too many motorcyclists were killed in Illinois in 2023. It is all of our jobs to promote motorcycle awareness whenever we can.

Thanks  
George



Flannel Shirts with the State Logo are available in Blue, White or Black. The Two tone black flannels do not show up with in the newsletter photos, but they are rather sharp looking in person.

New Clothing options with bright colors will be available at the Northfield Center on January 20 during the State Seminar.

ABATE of Illinois Legal Services will be writing Wills for all members at no cost. This service is generally a \$350 expense. But it's one of the many benefits for ABATE of Illinois members.



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Monday January 1st 2024 \$10 a hand

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Kickstands up at 1PM, this is a short  
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217-638-2013

### Members due in January

Robert Anders  
 Robert Buckles  
 Tommy Croft Jr  
 Angie French  
 Scott French  
 James Greene  
 Rick Gudgel

Dave Hazen  
 David Hults  
 William Ingersoll  
 Bruce Martin  
 Leigh Matthews  
 Coni Mclaughlin  
 Michael Mclaughlin

Micah Miller  
 Patricia Miller  
 Fred Schmulbach  
 Janet Schmulbach

### Members due in February

Steven Anderson  
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 Dave Boysel  
 Jeff Christen  
 Lisa Christen  
 Mick Cody  
 Connie Cox  
 Mark Cox  
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 Dustin Downs

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 Greg Horn  
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 vJeremy Moughan  
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 Don Mueller

Gary Ori  
 Jerry Patterson  
 Eddie(Watty) Roscetti  
 Anthony Rossi  
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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: ILLINOIS Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Voter? (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date (MM/DD/YY) (1) \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

eMail Address(es): ( 1 ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( 2 ) \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Renewal Fee: ( ) \$25.00 per year, Single ( ) \$45.00 per year, Couple ( ) State PAC \$1

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**Pay via Check, please.**

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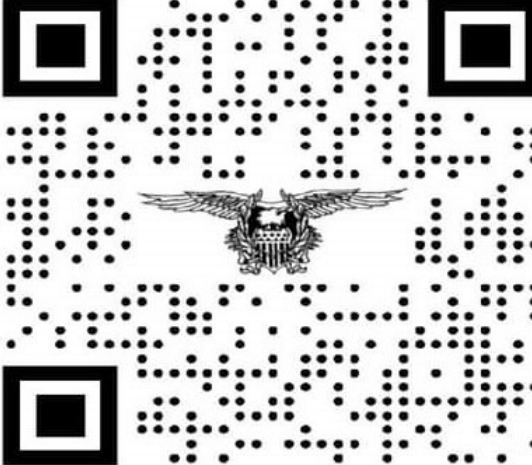
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<b>JANUARY</b> <span style="float: right;"> <b>ABATE MEETINGS - 3RD TUESDAY</b>  <b>VFW- 2349 STOCKYARD RD - SPRINGFIELD</b> </span>						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 Brass Run brrrr	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	LLA Chapter Mtg 6:00 Social 7 00 Meeting	17	18	19 STATE SEMINAR	20 STATE SEMINAR
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3