

## Hartbauer/McBride Memorial Foundation, Inc. "Bikers Helping Bikers" www.bikershelpingbikers.com

### **Quarterly Newsletter – September 2020**

#### **CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE**

Hello fellow Bikers. As the Chairman of Hartbauer/McBride I want you all to know a few things. First thing I want to express, this is a different organization than it was 10 years ago. We have grown, added different board members, and after the application has been accepted, we turn the application around in 10 days, not six months as it used to be. I also try my best to hand deliver the checks to the applicants. If I cannot, one of the Board members will. I do have to ask some very personal questions, but I assure you that I am the only person to see those answers as well as the application. As you can see by the Treasurer's notes, we have already assisted 15 motorcyclists this year, even with the pandemic! The need truly never stops, and we need your support now more than ever. Each year, we normally only do 4 fund-raising events, although this year we included a raffle for a freezer with \$600 meat gift cards. We cannot help you if you do not help us. Please like us on Facebook, and visit our website. Most importantly, try your best to attend our four events. Sign up for our newsletter and stay informed.

We do not discriminate for any reason: we don't care what you ride, what race, what gender, religion, or anything else. All we ask is that you are obeying the laws and to be truthful with us.

Ride safe, be free,-Hope to see you out there on the rides!

THANKS TO ALL WHO ATTENDED THE POKER RUN. WE HAD A GOOD DAY!

**Bones Parker** 

#### **TREASURER'S NOTES**

Since the first of this year, we have provided assistance to 16 bikers and their families. We had 5 in the last 2 months. This quarter, we received donations from Bikers for Backpacks, Chariots of Fire, FORR Local 42, Family Affliction, and Meyer family. We thank all of them for their continued support.

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#### **SECRETARY'S CORNER**

Please reply and let us know if you no longer want to be on our mailing list or if you have received this as a handout, let me know if you want to be added. We're just getting this off the ground, so it may take a few months to get the distribution solid.

Email: h2osjk2281@gmail.com Kathy

#### **EVENTS**

Due to the virus and restrictions in both Missouri and Illinois, many events have been canceled.

**Sep-?:** Hartbauer/McBride Brick Dedication and Bike Blessing, Roxana Park, Date TBD pending Lynn Mathews' Brick being received.

If you would like us to share your club's events, let us know.

























#### WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Hartbauer/McBride Memorial Foundation (HMMF), Inc. as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, private corporation is to provide financial assistance to bikers in need. Our definition of a "Biker" is a licensed owner of a "street legal motorcycle." To receive assistance, the applicant's financial situation must be a "true hardship" arising from any type of emergency, be it accident, illness or catastrophic loss such as flood or fire. Every case is carefully evaluated to determine if it meets the Foundation's guidelines to receive assistance. In some cases, family members of the qualifying biker may be included.

The Foundation is not an insurance company, does not pay death benefit or supplement unemployment. The Hartbauer/McBride Memorial Foundation, Inc. provides limited assistance on a case-by-case basis and is not an alternative for taking personal responsibility for your own actions or paying your own bills when you can. The Hartbauer/McBride Memorial Foundation, Inc. is simply "a helping hand in a time of need." When every little bit helps!

The Foundation, made up of a Chairman, Officers, Liaisons and Representatives are all unpaid volunteers who perform their duties out of their love of motorcycles, those who ride, and the lifestyle of the "Biker"; hence the name: "Bikers Helping Bikers."

The goal is to be the first assistance a Biker In Need receives.



Spread the word to those who don't know about us.

We encourage your club or organization to send a representative or liaison to attend our meetings which are held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month (except when this falls on a holiday), starting 7:00pm, at Shady Jack's Saloon, 1432 North Broadway Street, St. Louis, MO 63101.

#### You can contact us at:

HartbauerMcBride.com, BikerHelpingBikers.com, or contact Chairman Bones Parker or any of our Board Members.

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# THANKS TO ALL WHO ATTENDED OUR POKER RUN! HAD A BEAUTIFUL DAY, SAFE RIDE, AND GOOD ATTENDANCE AND A LOT OF FUN! IT SURE WAS GOOD TO SEE EVERYONE AGAIN

THANK YOU TO ALL THE SUPPORTERS WHO PURCHASED A SPOT ON OUR POSTER — WE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO VISIT YOU!

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