## Approved Minutes from Meriden TOMCC Meeting Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2017 **Committee**

<u>Chairman:</u> Steve Bradwick, <u>Secretary:</u> Julie Taylor, <u>Treasurer:</u> Steve Malin, <u>Membership Secretary & Temporary Branch Scribe:</u> Ian Ellis, <u>Runs Captain:</u> Keith Snell, <u>Social Secretary</u>: Len Taylor, <u>Communications:</u> Derek Moxon, <u>Web Master:</u> John Nelson, <u>Librarian:</u> Bob Smith.

8.41 pm The Chairman opened the meeting

Apologies: Steve Malin, John Nelson.

The Minutes from the last meeting were unanimously approved.

The Meeting in October was cancelled on the night due to not enough Committee Members present

Matters Arising from last meeting

- a) Christmas Meal Julie tried to book online as instructed. Wasn't able to do so. Went in person instead and booked Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December for 50 people at 7.30pm. Julie paid £50 deposit she will contact Steve M. For a refund.
- b) Talk by NABD we could arrange for 18<sup>th</sup> December, the Committee agreed £70 for the talk as a donation to their charity and a buffet for 30 people. John Young to visit on this evening also to market the 50/50 Challenge he has helped to set up for 2018.
- c) We have to be careful when booking the large room at the Social Club from now onwards due to a Band Practicing in there every other Monday.
- d) Talk by Bill Fannon and Daryl Pendlebury with Buffet. When date arranged Julie to notify other Branches as well as Roy Shilling.
- e) 10 pin bowling, possibly in Leamington Keith agreed to look into this as Julie is busy with arranging to move house and Job.

## **Any Other Business**

- a) Julie and Len suggested both a Curry Night and a Thai night. There is more support for the curry night, possible due to the cost. Both will be arranged again this year and we will see how many Members are interested.
- b) Julie and Len were invited by the Rotary Club to a presentation by Paul Sinclair (of Motorcycle Funerals) titled 'would you been seen dead in a sidecar'. It was suggested that we could invite him over to give us a talk at some time maybe in 2018
- c) The new Hinckley Factory Visitor Centre is open, the cost per person to tour the factory is £15 and is payable in advance if we make a group booking. Julie to look into this and arrange a visit for 2018.
- d) Julie and Len will be very busy over the next few weeks, the Committee agreed to postpone the December Meeting until January.
- e) Ian has the advertising for our AGM in hand.