

CHAPTER BUSINESS

Brother Darrell was at meeting to present certificate of appreciation for windshield wash.

Activities:

Aug. 24, 2013 Ryan's Ride sign in 12 - 1 at Jimmy Pete's in Humboldt, IL and ending at It'll Do in Arcola, IL. There is a \$5 entry fee and if you need more information please contact Doug Monfort 217-268-3063. This is not an ABATE function but it is in support of our ABATE brother, Ryan Monfort.

Sept. 14, 2013 Sunset Ride sign in 3 – 4 pm at Donny's Place in Mattoon IL and ending at Sonic in Mattoon, IL. A "just for fun" bike show Sonic will provide prizes.

Membership:

New face at meeting Dan Reible, longtime member – good to see you at the meeting!

We have 6 new members bringing our total to 117 members.

Please keep Diane Fearday in your thoughts and prayers as she has sustained a loss in her family.

The State raffle will be drawn on Labor Day. Joel and Carol Wannanmacher still have state tickets for \$20 a chance.

Alan Ferguson has volunteered to be Chairman of Anniversary party 2014 if anyone interested to help contact Alan.

Open nominations begin next meeting for 2014 officers at Sept. 8, 2013 meeting. Come to meeting to make your nomination.

Get your merchandise here! The products ladies have announced the following merchandise:

2013 Anniversary T-shirts	\$9
2012 Anniversary T-shirts	\$5
Ladies of Liberty T-shirts	\$10
Cozies	\$2
Patches	\$3

Yard Signs \$5

Make sure to check out our website. If you haven't visited the website it can be found at: <http://libertyabate.org/>

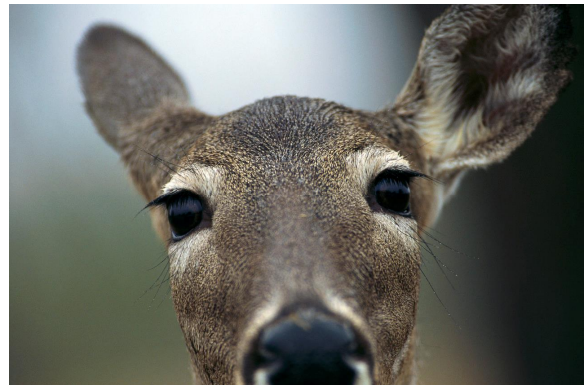
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If you have an email address please let me know at onfire@consolidated.net so I may email the newsletter to you. Let me know if there is anything you would like to see in the newsletter or anything you need posted.

SAFETY TIP

Use caution when approaching the intersections on the country road! The crops are tall and a lot of the intersections are blind intersections without stop or yield signs.

The deer are out and about so be on the lookout for them.



STATE RAFFLE RESULTS

1. 2013 HARLEY STREET GLIDE - BRAD FELL GALESBURG, IL
2. ARCTIC CAT 4 WHEELER - CHARLES RAY RANTOUL, IL
3. DIRT BIKE - KENT DONNERT STREATOR, IL
4. \$400 - BRETT KARTHEISER SHERIDON, IL
5. \$300 - KEVIN COOPER HARVARD, IL
6. \$200 - FRED PIERSON PRINCETON, IL
7. \$100 - SKIP HODSON VANDALIA, IL
8. 5 YEAR MEMBERSHIP TO ABATE - GREG CORWIN FREEPORT, IL

MEMBER APPRECIATION

This is a new feature which Glenn Brunson created. The idea is to increase our attendance at the meetings. Each month in the newsletter we will randomly select a member. If you see your name listed in the newsletter and come to the next meeting - the chapter will buy you a beverage of your choice. So the lucky winner for the September meeting is:

Lori Loop - come on down - you are the winner of a free beverage, of your choice, at our September 8 meeting. You must show up to our September 8 meeting to collect your prize.

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NEXT MEETING

**September 8, 2013 1:30 pm at the
Moose lodge in Mattoon, IL**