

## FLYING TIGERS

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Our first meeting of the year was held Tuesday 9/2 at Kozmo's in Massillon. Our October meeting will be held at Kozmo's October 7<sup>th</sup>. Kozmo's is located at 37 First ST. SW in Massillon. We meet for dinner at 6:30 and the meeting starts at 7:30.

During our meeting we discussed the Treasurer's report that was presented by Jim Stalder. Jim reported on our income and expenses for the year 7/1/13 through 6/30/14. Jim informed the club that we have \$375.00 on hand as we start the new season. Please see Jim, Bill, or I if you want to pay club dues for this season.

During the meeting we discussed potential dates for the Flying Tigers Swap Meet, NOVI Snowmobile show, club sponsored safety classes, and our club Christmas Party. We will try to arrange for a swap meet in late October or early November only if we have a sufficient number of items to make our effort worthwhile. Please let Dave Friddle or I know, either VIA E-mail or at the October meeting, if you have items or vehicles that you would like to sell at the swap meet. NOVI will be held 11/7 through 11/9 this year so mark your calendar if you are thinking about heading up. Safety Director Chuck Cignetti will be conducting a club sponsored safety class this year so check with Chuck if you know someone who would like to attend this event. Our club Christmas Party will be Sunday December 7<sup>th</sup> at Kozmo's and the format will be similar to what we have done for the past couple of years. Look for more information on all of these issues in the next news-letter.

During our October meeting club member Tom Finley will be sharing photos and discussing highlights of his climb to the summit of Mt. Kilimanjaro. You will recall that Tom and his son made this trip earlier this year. Please plan to attend this meeting and share in the slides that Tom and Mary Halloran will present.

We will invite John Heiermann, our *AmsOil* representative, to our November meeting so please let me know if you would like John to bring anything special to the meeting that you may need. This is a good opportunity to stock up on oil for your car, truck, bike, or sled.

We will also discuss a club gathering at West Branch State Park for late October. Our date for this event may depend on when and if we conduct the swap meet. The event at West Branch will serve as an opportunity for club members to familiarize themselves with West Branch State Park, the parking area near the boat ramp, and the snowmobile trails which also serve as mountain bike trails during the Summer. Look for additional information on this event at the meeting or following the meeting.