



Gulf Coast Diva Angels Meeting Minutes compiled by Dotty Thompson

**October 15, 2019 @ 7:00pm
Rincon Cubano**

Mission: To share in the love of motorcycling and develop a special bond and camaraderie that is solely unique to women. Assist in empowering and enabling other women to ride and help them experience the joy that biking brings. Promote safety and responsible riding and set a good example in the community. Help others who are less fortunate than ourselves through fundraising events. And never, ever forget the fact that **WE ARE HERE TO HAVE FUN AND RIDE!**

The Power of One Each of us possesses the inner ability to do great things and inspire other people. But when these individuals combine with others who share similar passions and beliefs, positive synergy occurs and truly amazing things are accomplished that would not have been possible by ourselves. A journey starts with just one step but a journey of a lifetime involves other people. The Diva Angel organization is a journey of a lifetime with each one of us taking that first step at some point in our lives. The **Power of One drawing** is to acknowledge those members who inspire others to attend meetings and join our incredible group of women. One life really can make a difference. That one life is YOU!

1. Welcome, New Member, and Guest Introductions...hey Diva's , please welcome are new Diva Angel....
Serena Armstrong

Attendees: Serena Armstrong, Amy Barco, Cindy Davant, Donna DeFant, Kathie Minidis, Dotty Thompson

2. Diva News and Updates...for those that have friends that want to ride with the Diva Angles need to sign a waiver. there are two waivers,... One is for those under 18 and must have a helmet and be a passenger to ride! Another one is for over 18 years of age need to have proof of insurance and endorsement license.
 - Ideas for anniversary activities/speakers? Looking for ideas for our 15 year anniversary party? Please notify Kat with any ideas.
3. Sister Chapter Support & Participation...
 - Anniversary Event basket... looking for items to put into the basket please contact Donna. Basket Theme: Gulf Coast / Siesta Key (rum)
 - Mileage contest – 3rd quarter readings... Mileage readings have been received. We have fallen to 3rd place but hope to ride a lot in the final quarter.
4. Marketing / Media.... Feel free to write a blog about our diva Angels, send it to Kat
 - 💡 Diva banners: Haps has hung one of our banners. Need to get the other 3 somewhere. Possibilities: Peggy's, Scarpino's, Stottlemyers, Bert's Black Widow, Dan's
 - 💡 Website news- Face Autism, Making Strides, Hope Family Services, Diva Rides
5. Charity / Fundraising / Volunteering
American Cancer Society – Making Strides Against Breast Cancer... looking for ladies to join this Saturday 6 AM till 1 pm to help out with this function.
 - Ask Me ? Contact KatHope Family Services – www.hopefamilyservice.org

- Drop boxes for toiletry / clothing donations... we are still collecting donations for this organization will be scheduling a drop off date this month. If you have items that you would like to donate contact Donna.
6. Safety Briefing – ride concerns, questions, tips... please if you gonna ride in the rain go slow wear a helmet, if it's raining too hard pull over and find shelter, be safe out there diva angels.
 7. Treasury Report.... Balance..\$ 1073.94 Petty cash\$15.00.... Activity check for \$100.00, payable to autism fund.... Ending balance \$973.94
 8. November Elections... officers positions up for election please ladies get involved we need Divas to get involved.
 9. Upcoming activities & events:
 - 10-19-19 Making Strides Against Breast Cancer (Ask Me ? Girls) contact Kat if you're interested in helping out
 - 10-20-19 Satchel's Last Resort Hogs & Dogs Poker Run
 - 10-26-19 HAPs event – Jolly Roger Poker Run
 - 10-27-19 Stottlemeyer's Smokehouse Sunday Funday
 - 11-02-19 Charlotte's Web Halloween Bash
 - 11-02/03-19 Arcadia Bikefest
 - 11-17-19 11:00am Q4 Adopt-a-Road
 - 03-28-20 Gator Harley Sisterhood Ride (weekend)
 - 04-03-20 Jacksonville All Female Ride (weekend)
 - 04-TBD-20 NiteTrain Event for Angelman's Syndrome
 - 06-19-20 15-Year Diva Angels Anniversary Party (weekend)
 10. Good news sharing...
 11. Adjourn minutes for the meeting 7 PM to 8 PM

Gulf Coast Diva Angels Officers

Director – Kathie Minidis
 Assistant Director – Donna DeFant
 Treasurer – Susan Goslin
 Secretary – Dotty Thompson
 Membership – Kerri Wilkinson
 Media/Marketing - Donna DeFant
 Activities – Kathie Minidis
 Fundraising – vacant
 Clothing/Accessories – Amy Barco
 Road Captains: assigned for each ride
 Sergeant at Arms: Alyssa Bickler
 Sunshine: vacant
 Scrapbook: vacant
 Website – vacant
 Safety – vacant