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**Next Meeting  
Will Be Held On  
January 8, 2012 at 6:00 PM  
at the Castleton Community Center**



## Message from Dave



Hello Everyone- Hope you all had a great Christmas with family and friends and didn't over indulge in the goodies. We had a very good turn out for the Christmas dinner, it was nice to see everyone. I want to take a moment to thank the other Officer's for another great year and hitting the ground and running with me. We had our election's in December for the upcoming year and I would like to congratulate Tim Betit on becoming the new Sergeant at Arms. A big thank you to Monty for being Sergeant at Arms during my past 2 years as President. And thank you to Bill, Heather and Nancy, may this year be bigger and better. Now I would like to say a big thank you to the members of LRIR for electing me as President for the upcoming year, it has been a pleasure serving as President and I look forward to another great and exciting year for LRIR. Again thank you to everyone, it is because of you that LRIR is able to do all the good we do for the community and the other organizations we support through out the year. THANK YOU.

**Dave**

## Message from Bill

Hi everyone, Hope you're all well and had a good Christmas and New Years. Sorry I missed the New Years luncheon, had to work the weekend and couldn't get away.

I want to thank Monty for all he's done for this organization, as he has been with us since the beginning, and I'm sure he will still be a big part of all we do.

We're starting another year together and I feel it's going to be a good one. I would like to welcome Tim Betit aboard as Sergeant At Arms. I feel he will do a good job holding this position. Tim's participated in a lot of good things this past year, and I feel he will be a good asset to the organization.

Well that's all I have for now. See you all soon.

**Bill**



## Message from Tim

Happy New Year, I am excited about this upcoming year. Hopefully this year the weather will be kinder to us for our LRIR rides. We had such a great time this last year. The Toy Run was probably my favorite ride, rolling into Montpelier with the crowds all out there was pretty cool. Plus the added bonus of doing something great for all those kids. Sorry everyone missed the Jeff Wayman ride, just Bill and I have those stories... This year you should come with us, what a great party they have. And what an awesome cause. And we didn't even get lost. With all the terrible things that happened this last year we had plenty of opportunities to help, and the response from LRIR was tremendous. I don't know what this coming year has in store, but I am sure that you will be there to help. I am excited to serve all our LRIR members and our community. Best wishes for the upcoming year.

**Tim**

# Celebrate! Celebrations and Milestones

Happy Birthday to Pam Dugan on the 2nd!

Happy Birthday to Dean Minthorn on the 19th!

And a Happy Birthday to Eli Springer on the 31st!




*This section will be dedicated to birthdays, anniversaries, milestones such as graduations and other celebrations. If you have a special occasion or want to shout out a birthday wish to a fellow member please email info to lakesregion-independentryders@yahoo.com , mail it to LRIR, P.O. Box 654, Bomoseen, VT 05732.*

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# Calendar of Events

As we receive information of events we will be tracking them here in this section. If you have news of other organizational events please contact us so we can share that information here with our members.

You can mail the info to LRIR, P.O. Box 654, Bomoseen, VT 05732 or email: [lakesregionindependentryders@yahoo.com](mailto:lakesregionindependentryders@yahoo.com)

**January 8, 2012**  
**Meeting**  
**Castleton**  
**Community Center**  
**6:00 PM**

JANUARY						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
1 <small>New Year's Day</small>	2	3	4	5	6	7
8  Meeting	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 <small>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</small>	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 <small>Chinese New Year</small>	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				



## LRIR Basket Raffle

Coming in April!

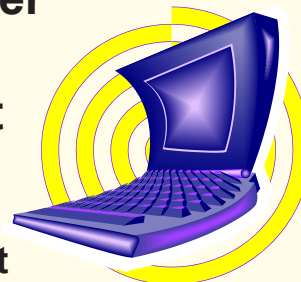
If you would like to collect Baskets or to help at the raffle please contact someone from the board.

### Story Ideas?

If you have any ideas or would like to share stories of rides or experiences with fellow members/riders.

Please email the info to [lakesregionindependentryders@yahoo.com](mailto:lakesregionindependentryders@yahoo.com), mail it to LRIR, P.O. Box 654, Bomoseen, VT 05732.

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On behalf of all Lakes Region Independent Ryders, Inc. members, we would like to welcome you to a non-profit organization dedicated to helping others in need.

## MEMBERSHIP DUES

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If you would like to share special occasions, such as birthdays, anniversaries, etc. with the members please list them here. \_\_\_\_\_

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