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THE PREZ SEZ...



Hello fellow AMBUCS™!

As we move into September, I think our ramp building and Amtryke® activity will be starting up again soon. We did not have much of these activities last month, but I know we have some things brewing. I hope we see you at some of those AMBUCS events soon. We will send out communications when dates for those activities are known.

Another AMBUCS activity that happens in the fall is branding time. This will take place in October and November, which is not far away. Think about your friends and acquaintances who might be finding they have some time on their hands, and invite them to one of our monthly meetings. I hope to have a new member orientation in the near future, so it would be great to have a few new members to entertain.

Don't forget that our October monthly meeting will be on Oct. 10, instead of Oct. 3, since several board members will be at the national convention. By the way, if you are interested in attending the national convention, there is still availability. Just ask a board member how to sign up.

It's a great day to be an AMBUC!

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Upcoming Events

Next Saturday Event

When: Saturday, September 15, 2018
 Time: 7:00 a.m.
 Place: Shannon's Restaurant

Next Noon Meeting

When: Wednesday, October 10, 2018
 Time: Noon
 Place: Monical's Pizza (by Best Buy)



Bill Buchie's Babbles...



Hey, all you ramp-builders -

No pictures.. no lumber.. no ramps?! What's up with that, you say? Well, we were not able to build any ramps in the month of August but we still have several potential ramps "on the books" for this fall. Several changes in circumstances, waiting for repairs to homes, and waiting for funding have delayed our projects but we will continue to work towards some solutions so we can build some ramps and make more smiles this fall. Keep those gloves handy and don't put away that toolbelt just yet as I'll be e-mailing you for your assistance in September, I hope. Stay tuned and we'll be back in business soon.

Thanks for your patience and I'll see ya' at the next one!

Bill McHie

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Notes From Al...



Amtrykes®

Our Amtryke activity has picked up a little this month. I fitted a young girl last week at the Colfax Elementary School on an AM-16. She did very well on the bike. This is a bike that was returned to us and will only need a couple parts to make it work for this special girl. Watch for pictures in next month's newsletter.

We also have a request from The Baby Fold for a AM-16 hand and foot powered bike. This would be the second bike we have in stock and hopefully it will not need many modifications.

As usual, please continue to send us the contact information for anyone who could benefit from one of our therapeutic bikes.

Thanks.

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Check out what our neighboring AMBUCS™ club is doing. Here is the link to the Pekin club's newsletter: <http://www.pekinAMBUCS.org/newsletter.html>