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Hog Wash

November 2013



Chapter Meeting
November 17, 2013
Red Zone, Milton, WI
10:00 a.m.
Christmas Party December 14th
sign up by November 30th

2012/ 2013 Chapter Officers

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I just wanted to drop you all a note and thank you so much for the beautiful mum plant and all your prayers and well wishes that were sent our way during my little ordeal I went through in September. I'm getting better each day, and there's no paralysis what so ever. It's nice to know we have so many friends. That's what gets you through things like this. Jenny Alwin

Directors Corner----David Miser

Well the riding season is about done for another year and it is time to clean them up, change the oil, and put them to bed til spring. It was a good riding season, one filled with memorable rides with friends to places we will look back on till the next ride comes along. I hope all of our members enjoyed the time we spend on our Harleys.

At the October meeting we held our election of officers. I would like to thank Don Carson, John Harris and Phil Muth for stepping up and taking on the responsibility of being an officer. I would also thank the other chapter officers who are staying on for the next term. With dedication like this, it keeps the South Central Chapter a place where Harley owners want to join us and participate in our activities. Our next meeting is November 17th at the Red Zone in Milton. Who will ride to this meeting? See you there.

Assistant Director---Lisa Radant

Hey y'all! My life has finally slowed down enough for me to be able to write a few words. I saw my daughter married, went to Milwaukee for Harley's 110th Anniversary Celebration (where I saw some awesome bands), and all of my critters have seen the vet for their shots. I still have my bike ready to go. I'm waiting for that one almost warm day to take one last ride before I have to put it away for the winter. Sigh...

Anyway, it's great seeing so many of you at the meetings. I look forward to the meeting every month so I can catch up with what everyone has been up to. If you haven't been attending, why not come to the next one? We would love to see you! And don't forget about the Christmas party. I didn't get to go last year due to work taking me out of town for 10 straight days so I have some catching up to do this year! That is all I have for now. Take care and I hope to see you soon.

Secretary----Deb Duncan

David Miser, Director opened the meeting at 10:10AM; location Bobblhead's with 73 members in attendance. Thanks to Sherry and her crew for the wonderful breakfast.

Brief discussion relative to communications provided via email to chapter members. We only provide chapter business and communication(s) from our charities we sponsor. If you are receiving emails and wish to be removed, please let either Deb Duncan or Mary Jackson know.

Officer elections were held with the following volunteering to serve a two year term, effective January 2014:

Position	Name	E-mail*
Activities Officers	Phil Muth	phm6660@yahoo.com
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A motion to accept these volunteers was made by Shiela Lund and seconded by Merlene Thomson. (Note: the Director, Assistant Director, Treasurer and Secretary are appointed by the Dealership in accordance with HOG rules.)

Shiela Lund talked about Gold Canyon candle sale for Friends of Noah. She is taking orders.

Dave Alwin, MDA Committee Lead: Tickets for Hawaiian Vacation are available. Please pick up your books and help sell. Discussed briefly why the change from a Harley to a vacation, with the hopes to sell all 5000 tickets this year. Running the guessing game again this year, if you have ideas as to where to place it, please contact either Dave or Donna Casey. Deb Duncan presented \$156.75 from the Irish Bike Night Bake Sale to Dave to add to the MDA fund.

Lisa Radant, Assistant Director – Interest in 2015 State Rally in Janesville? Will talk to Gary to see if there is interest.

John Hedegaard, Treasurer: Read the treasurer's report.

Deb Duncan, Secretary: Talked about the Christmas party. Points will be in the back of the Chapter book by October 24th. Need 25 points to attend free, if you do not have sufficient points it is \$25.00 for your meal and two drink tickets. Details will be forthcoming via email.

John Lange, Activities Director: After meeting ride today with Jeff Wild. Thanks to Phil for stepping up to take his place. Also thanks to all who attended his rides over the last two years.

Mary Jackson, Editor: Enjoyed being editor, now time to move on. Will hold a meeting after November chapter meeting to discuss LOH activities.

Dave McDonald, Safety: If riding, be careful of wet leaves, deer, critters and leaf watchers.

Karen Hedegaard, Merchandise: Ordered shirts will be here for November meeting. Help by purchasing current merchandise.

Paul Brunsell sent a suggestion regarding next years overnight ride. Will be more discussions held.

50/50 winners: \$62.00 each: Judy Smith and Norma Franklin. Gene Klingberg won two pork chop dinners donated by Dave Miser.

Activities Officer--- John Lange

As the end of my term has arrived, I'd like to thank all of you who joined me on rides over the past two years. Even when I'd get stressed out prior to the ride, as soon as I saw people arriving, the stress went away and another enjoyable day of riding began. We've had some great times together and I look forward to riding with you guys next year. We've shared some great roads, some pretty good food, lots of laughs, and terrific companionship. That's what it's all about. I apologize for missing the last three rides, it really wasn't the way I pictured the end of my term happening.

I hope you all support Phil as he takes over the position. The thing that makes it worth doing for the Activity Officer is when people take part.

I know that we are all different regarding schedules, experience, riding styles and preferences. Some like to go fast, some not so fast, some like to ride far, some not so far, but our common bond is that we like to ride. I think we all did a pretty good job of being able to mix all that together and make adjustments within the pack so that we all got from A to B with everyone having a good time. I'm sure Phil will experience the same sense of satisfaction that I did when his is the tail light we all follow around the countryside. Thanks for stepping up, Phil.

P.S. On October 23rd, I was finally able to slide my boot over the swollen ankle. Had been trying for a couple weeks before that with no luck. So, I took it back off, leathered up, fired up old Black Pearl and took off down the road. What a fantastic feeling! Of course with the weather being a little cool (37 degrees), Pearl was feeling her oats and gave me quite a ride. It took a bit to adjust back to the acceleration differential between the bike and the truck, but I noticed a new feature on the bike – the more I twisted the throttle, the wider the grin got on my face. Even when I hit a couple of rain showers and a snow shower or two, the grin stayed there. I was only out for about an hour and half, but it was the best hour and half I've had in the last two and half months! Sure glad I didn't follow through with my thoughts earlier of converting her to a trike. I'd really miss that lean that she does so well.

Stay warm, ride safe and I'll see you soon. Oh, and Happy Turkey Day everybody!

Editor---Mary Jackson---Don Carson

Fall splendor, so beautiful yet so brief..

As another riding season draws to a close,
Mother Nature brings summer to its repose.
Get out and hop on your bike for another spin
To miss the beauty that awaits you would be a sin

As each October I wait for its morning chill,
to proclaim the start of autumn's will.

It seems so sudden, the warmth has given way ,
to the cool brisk air on this peaceful fall day.

It's a beautiful day for a backcountry ride
Even if a little chilly, I must confide.

As summer's green canvass begins to turn duller,
yielding its way to fall's blazing rich color.

Along the lake colors explode in the late afternoon light.
its shimmering reflection doubling the viewer's delight.

A canvass of color now covers the land,
but sadly short lived for soon winter will be at hand.

As the winds of fall stir briskly through the trees,
gently stripping branches of their neon colored leaves.

A carpet of color lies now underfoot as branches begin to bare,
the sweet smell of autumn permeates the air.

Little cyclones grab clumps of confetti colored leaves lifting them into the sky,
then so gracefully they float back down as the breeze passes by.

As the last trees lose their colorful pallet, and the carpet of color begins to decay
once again we must bid farewell to fall's glorious display...

Don Carson

Historian---Jeff Robbins

The history is trickling in but we need more especially from the past so we can rebuild it. Thanks to all of you that have given me what you have so far, its really appreciated! I'm looking forward to what is our future as well as what was in our past. Thanks again and ride safe!

MDA Tub Run Update----Dave Alwin

Happy Turkey month to you all!!!! Where did the year go? I want to start this month out with a big thank you to DeAnn and Phil Muth, and to Mike Blood. Mike donated his 50/50 winnings from the August Chapter meeting. Forty-eight smackers!! You da man Mike! Now here's a story about the Muths. DeAnn & Phil tied the knot this past summer. Congrats to you Mr. & Mrs. Muth. They've been a couple for a long time and decided to take the plunge. They really didn't need anything, so they made a request that they didn't want any gifts. You know how some people are; they're still going to bring a gift. So they made a second request. If anyone still felt they needed to bring a gift, they requested that the gift be either cash or a check made out to the MDA Tub Run. They gave us \$215.00 towards next year!! How cool is that? Again, thank you very much to the three of you.

I only have one more thing for you this month, the February Raffle. First off, the tickets are now out at Kutter at the parts counter. Please stop out and pick a couple of books up. You'll get five Chapter points for every book you sell. Sell four books and attend five Chapter meetings, and you'll have enough points to go to the Christmas Party. We're hoping that new Grand Prize will help us sell out the 5,000 tickets, so please stop out and do your part to help us sell tickets and hit our goal of \$2 million next year! Say what? You don't know what the Grand Prize is? Well let me tell ya, it's a trip for four to Hawaii!!

I'm glad you mentioned the trip above, that's a good lead into the next topic. At the last Chapter meeting, it was expressed that some Chapter members are upset that we're doing the trip instead of the bike. It's been at least six years since we've sold all 5,000 tickets. We feel that the new prize will help us achieve this. That's one benefit. The second benefit is to give the Chapter a break in selling raffle tickets for bikes. Think about it, you're selling bike tickets for nine months out of the year, and one right after the other. How many times can you go to the well before it dries up?

The third benefit is we can start selling the Chapter bike tickets sooner, because we won't have to wait until the February raffle is done. Chances are, because of the numbers being down this year, we won't be in the top three in the nation and not get the 883 Sportster. That leaves only one bike you'll have to sell tickets for. Those of you that are upset, please don't let this stop you from selling tickets. We're trying something new, and if we don't get the expected results, we'll try something else, or go back to the bike next year.

Thanks for taking the time to let me explain the raffle. Take care, be safe, and enjoy life people. It's too short and too precious to take for granted.

November

Date	Event / Location	Time	Contact	Open / Closed
Nov 2	Hog Chapter Officer Planning Meeting, Milwaukee Grill	9:00 am	David Miser	Closed
Nov 17	Hog Chapter Meeting	10:00 am	David Miser	Closed
Nov 25	Newsletter Deadline		Mary Jackson	

December

Date	Event / Location	Time	Contact	Open / Closed
Dec 7	Kutter Open House Janesville		CeeCee Philipps	Open
Dec 7	LOH Gift Wrapping at Kutters Open House	10-2pm	Mary Jackson	Open
Dec 14	Chapter Christmas Party Road Dawg, Beloit	6:00pm-?	David Miser	Closed

- Closed Events** are those chapter events, which are open to chapter members and one guest per member.
- **Member Events** are events that are open only to H.O.G. members.
 - **Open Events** are those chapter events, which are open to chapter members, national H.O.G. members, and other guests as desired.



SCWHOG Christmas Party

Please sign up in HOG book by November 30

Saturday, December 14, 2013

Patti's Road Dawg Pub

2956 Milwaukee Road

Beloit, WI

Cocktails: 6:00 pm ~ Dinner: 7:00 pm

Door Prizes and 50/50 drawings with 100% pay back.

Music DJ – Red Hot Ken Scott/WJVL Radio

Admission – Under 25 points - \$25.00 per person

25 points and over – No Charge

A \$10.00 donation is required of each person.

Donations are used to assist needy families in Rock County to assure they will have a Christmas

Rooms are available at Roadway Inn, 2956 Milwaukee Road, Beloit, WI for \$43.99.

(Hotel is connected to the Road Dawg Pub)

Check in: 2:00PM – Check out: 11:00AM

To receive special rate, mention HOG Chapter Christmas Party.

Phone No: 608-364-4000

Deadline to reserve a room is November 30.