

Mid-Maine Lewiston HOG Chapter # 1980

March 5, 2022

Our Meeting was called to order at 10:10 by our Director Frank Welch.

We said our Pledge of Allegiance and we also had a moment of silence for one of our chapter members Walter Tarbox that has recently passed, we offered our condolences to Rita.

Frank passed out bandanas that were Free from Harley.

We had 30 members in attendance with no new members or guest.

We had a brief discussion on how we were all probably going to be riding our bikes more due to the price of gas currently being at average of \$4.20 right now.

Frank discussed the Dealership updates as to what is and will be going on coming up. Today is Rockford Fosgate speaker installation at 10:00am.

On March 12th is St. Patrick's Day Party (Shepard's Pie, Drinks served by McAvoy's and the Christie Ray Trio from 1:00-4:00.

On March 19th is \$6.00 Taco Day, at 12:00 noon.

On March 26th is \$6.00 pulled pork at 12:00 noon.

Frank appreciated the volunteers that came to help with the Beach Party and 50/50. The 50/50 payout was \$345.00.

We are hosting the Red Cross blood drive on Saturday March 26, 2022.

Ride planning meeting is April 2nd at 10:00am, which means our Chapter meeting will start at 9:00am for April and the rest of the spring/summer meeting dates. Frank said he will try to remember to send out a reminder before the meeting.

Officer updates:

Scott Tanguay says there is a lot going on at the Dealership.

Reminder to get your vin and mileage to Scott for the Ride 365. Availability of bikes and parts may be an issue coming up.

Greg Foster our Treasurer gave ending balances for March was: \$2000.46 in Savings and \$4354.22 in Checking. Earned on 50/50 was 345.00.

425.00 was taxes, Taxes are done.

Karen Tanguay stated that we are currently at 51 Regular members.

Still waiting on a few more on the name badges to order, and she is going to order chapter flags.

March Birthdays : Greg Foster, Albert Golden, Mark Leigh, Rita Moffett, Richard Partridge, Janis Tanguay.

Newsletter is quarterly, any news or information has to be to Karen by March 15th.

Sandy and Anita Reviewed upcoming events for the Chapter, March 20th is Bowling, March 26th is the Red Cross blood drive, April 2nd, Ride planning session.

Don Gabriel reported on the web page updates, officer photo and asked Lisa (secretary) to email the minutes to him. The Iron Rally meetings are March 19th in Boston with it being live on Facebook and the April 16th meeting is here at LA Harley. There is not a lot of representation from our chapter as of yet.

Tony Bruno with safety updates said you shouldn't be out riding yet, but if you are be safe, we will not go see you in the hospital.

Betty King our Ladies of Harley rep., is asking for a list of our ladies and waiting to plan a ride on the April 2. ride planning session.

An idea was thrown out there by Fred for the web site, to have members take a selfie with their bike with their name. Janice suggested putting a #mmlhog on your picture to tie it in.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45

