

Mid-Maine Lewiston HOG, Chapter 1980
Monthly Chapter Meeting – November 3, 2018

10:05am - Official meeting opened with Pledge of Allegiance; 37 members and guests present.

October volunteers were recognized – thanks to all who helped with the cookout after the October meeting.

Member of the Month: Greg Foster

New Bike deals – Dennis Rogers 2010 Tri-Glide, black

Treasurer – Frank Welch, Jr. – provided balances

Assist. Director – Janis Tanguay – hotel registration now open for 2019 Regional rally in VT.

- Greg Davis is looking for anyone who would like to share a room

Membership – Greg Foster

- Member birthday's recognized
- 2019 membership dues is due – see Greg for membership forms

LOH – Anita Maheux

- LOH holiday party 12/14, 6pm @ Schmenges in Lewiston – sign up

Activities Coordinator – Sandra Bruno

- 12/1 L-A Holiday Gift Wrapping begins (Saturday's in December) – volunteers needed
- 12/8 L-A Breakfast with Santa – volunteers needed Friday for set-up and Sat. for the even and clean up
- 1/12 L-A Blood Drive – volunteers needed Friday for set-up and Sat. for the even and clean up
- Check our Hotline at (207) 758-0633 for updates, and times for events

Guest Speaker – John Dillingham

- John reviewed the differences between a fuel stabilizer (K1000) that is used during normal running conditions and a stabilizer (Stabil) that is used for winter storage. Stabil will not clog filters and puts a protective coating on motor parts.

Dealership Update – John Story

- John provided an update on new marketing strategies to attract customers from outside of L-A Harley business district.
- L-A Harley is ranked 95th dealership in the world, 2nd in New England and #1 in Maine.

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- John thanked all members present and said without the help and support of the HOG chapter, the dealership would not be able to host a lot of the events that it does.

Old / New Business/Open Issues

- Only one nominee accepted the nomination for the following 2019 Primary Officer positions -
 - Director – Frank Welch, Jr.
 - Treasurer – Greg Foster
 - Secretary – Teri Lewis
- Voting for Asst. Director will take place following the meeting thru 11/24. Nominees are –
 - Les Gibson
 - Richard Lewis
 - Janis Tanguay
- Contact Sharlena to sign up for Volunteer Secondary officer positions. These are two year positions.
- 12/1 Holiday Party – Pedro's in Lewiston, \$15/pp includes 2 drink tickets and meal, entertainment by Denny Breau, optional \$25 Gift Swap
- Overnite ride planning and potluck after today's regular HOG meeting.
- Grand Prize winner for Chapter Mileage Challenge – Don Gabriel
- John and Sharlena will be having Thanksgiving at the Ramada. If anyone would like to join them, please notify Sharlena so that she can make reservations.
- Meeting time change November thru April – 1st Saturday of month begins at 10:00am

Be sure to:

- Check L-A Harley Website for dealership sponsored activities

NEXT MEETING: December 1st, 10:00am

Minutes by Karen Tanguay, Secretary