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FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

We are approaching the end of June, so our riding season is well underway, and we have had some great rides so far! Thank you to those that have volunteered as road captains and sweeps for those rides - it's greatly appreciated. Unfortunately, we have had to cancel a couple of rides to date due to bad weather - let's hope that pattern doesn't continue! Reminder to everyone that our [ride calendar](#) is on our website, check it out to see what rides you might be interested in going on. Also be sure to check the hotline the Friday before a scheduled ride to find out if the ride will be on Saturday or Sunday.

I hope everyone has been able to enjoy the nice weather when we've had it, and I look forward to seeing everyone on a ride soon!

Reminder that there is no chapter meeting in July. If I don't see you on a ride, I hope everyone has a safe & wonderful 4th of July.

Ride safe and have fun,
John



Officer Updates

Treasurers Report – Don Gabriel, Treasurer

As of May 31, 2024

Beginning Balance Checking.....	\$	3,341.64
Checking Deposits.....	\$	0.00
Checking Expenditures.....	\$	(835.41)
Ending Balance Checking.....	\$	2,506.23
Beginning Balance Savings.....	\$	3,215.94
Savings Deposits.....	\$	0.00
Savings Withdrawal.....	\$	0.00
Savings Account Dividend.....	\$	0.13
Ending Balance Savings.....	\$	3,216.07

Motorcycle Tips from the Safety Officer – Tony Bruno

- Motorcycles have the same rights and privileges as any other vehicle on the roadway.
- Allow your motorcycle a full lane width. Although it may seem as though there is enough room in the traffic lane, remember your motorcycle needs room to maneuver safely.
- Always signal your intentions before changing lanes or merging with traffic which will allow you to anticipate traffic flow and find a safe lane position.
- Always make a visual check for traffic by checking mirrors and blind spots before entering or leaving a traffic lane or intersection.
- Proceed with caution when approaching a vehicle with flashing turn signals as people sometimes forget to turn them off.
- Remember road conditions can pose a hazard such as potholes, gravel, wet/slippery surfaces, pavement seams, railroad crossings and grooved pavement. You may need to adjust speed and lane position.
- Remember to follow the rules of the road ~ red lights, stop signs, and emergency vehicles.

*Have an enjoyable and safe riding season,
Tony Bruno*



Happy Birthday to the following Chapter members*:

* Apologies to those we missed. Please contact Karen Tanguay so she can update our database

April

May

June

Susan Partridge 5/11
Terri Lewis 5/15

John Biron 6/11
Brenda Holden 6/19
Dave Nadeau 6/21
Sonny Bailey, Jr. 6/27

HOG Corporate News

Get Rewarded for Visiting H-D Dealerships

With the Ride 365 Dealership Check-In Challenge, members can visit authorized Harley-Davidson dealerships around the world and submit photos to earn prizes, including pins, patches, and gift cards. For more details or to enroll in this challenge, visit h-d.com/ride365.

The other two dealership check-in opportunities can be accessed using the [H-D App](#). As part of the H-D Membership rewards program, every H.O.G. member who visits and checks in via the H-D app at participating H-D authorized dealers receives 100 reward points, which can be accumulated and redeemed for purchases online at H-D.com or at participating dealers. The third way members can be rewarded for dealership visits is by participating in a monthly H-D App riding challenge. For example, to unlock the achievement of June's Rev Max Riding Challenge, participants must ride 550 miles and check-in at 5 H-D dealerships.

On the Calendar: H.O.G. Rallies and Check-Ins

The events season is in full swing and in addition to hosting regional and touring rallies around the country, the H.O.G. team will be attending many additional motorcycle events to welcome and greet you at H.O.G. Check-Ins. **Full details and registration links for all H.O.G. rallies are available on the [H.O.G. Rally Map](#).**

H.O.G. Touring Rallies

- Run to Daytona H.O.G. Touring Rally, February 25-March 1, Pelham, AL to Ocala, FL
- Spring Heat in Arizona H.O.G. Touring Rally, March 29-April 2, Irvine, CA to Mesa, AZ
- Tour of Valor H.O.G. Touring Rally, May 15-24, Pensacola, FL to Dumfries, VA
- Rally Up Laconia H.O.G. Touring Rally, June 3-7, Columbus, OH to Rochester, NH
- East Meets West H.O.G. Posse Ride, August 18-September 2, North Hampton, NH to San Diego, CA
- Texas Independence H.O.G. Touring Rally, October 14-19, Tyler, TX to Victoria, TX

H.O.G. Regional Rallies

- Cajun Country H.O.G. Rally, April 11-13, Scott, LA
- Southwest Regional H.O.G. Rally, April 25-27, Yuma, AZ
- Great Lakes H.O.G. Rally, June 6-8, Chippewa Falls, WI
- The Last Frontier H.O.G. Rally, June 20-23, Palmer, AK
- Iron Adventure H.O.G. Rally, July 11-13, Jay Peak, VT
- Wild & Wonderful H.O.G. Rally, August 21-24, Charleston, WV
- Rocky Mountain H.O.G. Rally, September 5-7, Grand Junction, CO

H.O.G. Check-Ins

- Daytona Bike Week, March 2-9, Daytona Beach, FL
- Rolling to Remember, May 25-26, Washington, DC
- Laconia Motorcycle Week, June 8-15, Laconia, NH
- Harley-Davidson Homecoming, July 25-28, Milwaukee, WI
- Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, August 2-9, Sturgis, SD
- 8Bike, Blues & BBQ, September 18-22, Rogers, AR

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Rides are scheduled for the weekend identified below.

Please check the hotline, (207)758-0633, on the Friday evening before the ride for updates on whether the ride is on and whether it will be on Saturday or Sunday.

If only a single date is given below, that is the date of the ride.

April:

Date	Place	Road Captain	K/S Up
27	3 Robbers Pub , Bowdoinham	John	10

May:

4	Chapter Meeting		9
4	The Woodshed , Manchester	John	10:30
12	Young's Lobster , Belfast	Tony	10
18 or 19	The Red Barn , Augusta	Skip	10

June:

1	Chapter Meeting		9
2	Southern Maine Swap Meet and Antique Motorcycle Show, Cornish Fairgrounds (\$10 admission)	?	10
9	Damariscotta Fish Ladder , Damariscotta (lunch in Damariscotta)	John	10
15	WWF Railway , Alna \$46.50 per person includes train ride & BBQ (members are free)	John	10
29 or 30	Bridgton Food Truck Park , Bridgton (via the long way 😊)	John	10

July:

	No Chapter Meeting in July		
13 or 14	Stow Corner Store , Stow	John	10
21	Mystery Ride	Brent	10
27 or 28	Big G's Deli , Winslow	Rick	10

August:

3	Chapter Meeting		9
3	Mystery Ride (following chapter meeting)	?	10
10 or 11	The Clambake , Scarborough	?	10
17 or 18	Southern Maine Lighthouses	Scott	10
24 or 25	Golden Corral , Manchester NH	Rick	10
31 or 9/1	Five Islands Lobster , Georgetown	?	10

September:

7	Chapter Meeting		9
7	Mystery Ride (following chapter meeting)	Skip	10
14	Sally Mountain Cabins , Jackman Overnight ride, ride will include Canada (passports required)	Skip	9
21 or 22	Red Fox Bar & Grill , Jackson NH	?	10
29 or 30	Iron Tails Saloon , Acton	?	10

October:

5	Chapter Meeting		9
12	Jackman, Overnight at Bingham Motor Inn	Brent	10

Father's Day Ride

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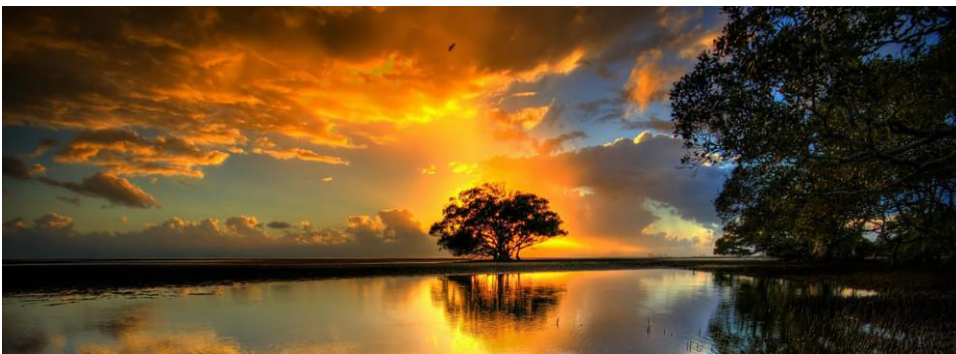


It was a perfect day for a ride to Alna, ME where we boarded the narrow gauge train at Sheepscot station for a ride through pine forests, farmlands and hamlets of the Sheepscot Valley to SeaLyon Farm for a railroader's BBQ provided by Moe's Original BBQ.



SeaLyon Farm, LLC is a service-disabled veteran owned farm growing lavender, vegetables and berries on a 21 acre farm in Alna Maine, growing all produce with sustainable, organic practices.





SEPTEMBER 14 JACKMAN OVERNIGHT

Scenic Road trip

Join your fellow HOG members as they journey northwest through scenic Coburn Gore, ME to Lake Megantic, Quebec for lunch and then on to Jackman, ME for an overnight stay at [Sally Mountain Cabins](#).



OVERNITE RIDE

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