



# SQUEAKS & SQUEALS

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## WELCOME TO THE MID MAINE LEWISTON CHAPTER:

### Introducing our Officer's!

Director: Brett Jervis 577-7559  
Treasurer: Fred Leadbetter 576-3006

### Introducing our Secondary Officer's:

Board of Director:	Jerry Yergin	577-3996
Membership	Jocelyn Jervis	577-7560
Activities	Lorrie Stephenson	841-9066
Activities	Cindy Rogers	841-9121
Editor	Kathi Yergin	577-8896
LOH	Karen Schneider	577-1817
Safety Officer	Les Gibson	353-5194
Web Master	Kerry Sullivan	655-7559
Photographer	Fred Zikowitz	242-5651
Historian	Dan Conrod	786-5381
Head Road Captain	Joe Laliberte	240-5676
Raffle Master	Baer Jolin	783-8613

### ROAD CAPTAIN'S

Mike Bearce	Mike Blais	Mike Lance
Les Gibson	Brett Jervis	Dennis Rogers
Fred Leadbetter	Randy Radcliffe	
Ron Saindon	Jerry Yergin	

## NEXT CHAPTER MEETING

January 6, 2010

6:30 p.m.

Our thoughts are with  
the following  
members, hope you  
are feeling well soon!

Jocelyn Jervis

Lorrie Stephenson

Ron Theriault

Tamara Walker

## Mid Maine Lewiston H.O.G. Chapter

### Chapter Meeting

December 2, 2009

**Meeting:** 6:37 P.M.

#### **Pledge of Allegiance**

**Treasurer's Report:** There were two items that were not included in the Secretary's report. First one was the fact that John Story was present. And that Lori Stevenson was to take over Fred Leadbetter's position as the new Treasurer, as of January 1, 2010. Fred has to step down due to new comments with school and work. Fred will be missed and he did a great job. Thanks Fred. Motion made by Dan Conrod to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented with corrections made. Motion seconded by Greg Davis. Motion carried.

**Secretary's Report:** Motion made by Jerry Yergin to accept the secretary's report. Motion seconded by Dan Conrod. Motion carried

**Lori** will be listening on her cell phone. She and Cindy, Dennis and Jessie are in Florida.

**Brett:** As you can see Mary is temperately filling in as the Secretary tonight. Denise Neal has given her resignation and John Story and Brett have accepted it. It is too late at this time to have a vote for her position. So we will instead be taking names for this position and John and Brett will get together as to would be the best person to fill the position for the 2010 year.

Also Mike Blais' position as the assistant director is open he was asked to step down by John Story. John Story was to be here at the meeting but at the last minute he could not make it.

The positions will be filled and announced at the January meeting. Kathi Yergin will keep track of those who are signing up. Any questions see or call Brett 577-7559

**Visitors/ Guest/ New Members:** None present

**New Bike Deals:** None

**Old Business:**

**Newsletter Cutoff:** cutoff date will be Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 8:00 P.M.

**Christmas Party:** Kora Temple on January 23, 2010

Social Hour 5- 6

7 P.M. Dinner

Dance with DJ will follow

Cost will be \$15.00 paid by January meeting.

You may bring your Wife, husband or significant other as your guest.

**Please:** sign up by 1/15/10 Mike Blais will need a head count. So please pay by the January meeting.

**Bike Raffle:** Bear is looking for help selling tickets at the Dealership on Saturdays.

If you can help, please contact Bear. If everyone took 10 tickets to sell we would have them all sold in no time

**L.O.H.:** Karen thanked: Gayle, Bob Raymond, Kerri and Helen for coming in to do gift wrapping. She will be looking for voluntaries to wrap on Saturday's from now until Christmas. The L-A website does not mention that the L.O.H. will be doing the gift wrapping. This will be taken care of by Don Boucher.

**The ladies will be having a get together at DaVinci's on Wednesday December 12 at 6:30 P.M. Let Karen know if you are planning on attending. We will be exchanging gift cards of \$15.00 from any restaurant, store, etc. you can bring one friend.**

**Blood Drive:** still looking for a coordinator. If you're interested please let Brett know. The Blood will be on February 23, 2010

**State Rally:** The next meeting will be in January. The theme will be Wood Stock. The rally will start at L-A Harley. We will start with a pancake breakfast. We will be having a police escort from L-A to Sugarloaf. They will not have a chapter table this year. Instead each Chapter can submit up to 30 minutes of photos. These will be displayed continuously during the rally.

**Membership:** Just a reminder. Membership with the Chapter expires on December 31, 2009. Anyone who does not renew by January 31, 2010 will not continue to receive the newsletters or news flashes.

**Dealership Polar Ride:** They had 27 bikes showed up for the Polar ride. Some dressed as Santa's and Mrs. Claus. The ride left L-A Harley with a police escort to Schooner Estates in Auburn to Montello Manor in Lewiston. They had great public support. Let's hope next year's ride come with such perfect weather.

**New Business:**

**Historian:** Dan will be putting together on a flash drive copies of all the Squeaks and Squeals from 1980 to the present. He should have it ready by the January meeting.

**Webmaster:** Kerry asked if she is not at the meetings if someone would let her know if there's something she should be putting on the website. Cindy will be letting her know. Fred has not sent in any photos for her to post on website. He also has her zip drive.

**Merchandise:** Kevin needs 4 more names to be able to order name tags. Also the large patches are in. see Kevin if you would like to place an order.

**Shrine Pins:** Brett handed out pins to those who attended the ride to Springfield, MA in September. Anyone who went and did not attend the meeting may see Brett for your pin.

**Next Chapter meeting will be on January 6, 2010**

**Brett wished everyone a Merry Christmas**

**Meeting Adjourned: 7:14 P.M.**

Mary Gibson

Sitting in as Chapter Secretary

**Merry Christmas**

**Happy New Year**

**RAFFLE TICKETS AVAILABLE:**      CALL BAER JOLIN 783-8613

**MEMBERSHIP**



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!!!!  
RENEW YOUR LOCAL MEMBERSHIP

\$15 for the year

Membership expires 12/31/09

Dues are \$15 for the year and run from January 1, 2010 thru December 31, 2010.

Please contact the membership secretary to renew. Jocelyn is at each chapter meeting or can meet you at the dealership if you give her a call. You can also mail your membership form and payment to her at:

Jocelyn Jervis  
60 Androscoggin Way  
Greene, ME 04236  
207-577-7560



**LADIES OF HARLEY  
UPCOMING EVENTS!!!!**

**LOH HOLIDAY DINNER**

**Watch for upcoming events!**

# ACTIVITIES / EVENTS

*“As the year 2009 ends, so does my reign as Activities Director. I have enjoyed holding this position for the past several years. Many friends and memories have been made during this time that I feel fortunate to have made. As Cindy solely takes over the position of Activity Director in January, I know we will be in great hands to keep the Chapter activities flowing and going strong. I personally thank Cindy for her hard work that she has done as Activity Director with me. She can be assured that I will be there to give a hand when needed. The position of Activities Director is a busy one. Volunteers are always needed. Give Cindy a call. Help is never turned down!*

*I look forward to my new position as our Chapter’s Treasurer starting next month. I commend Fred on the great job he did this year as Treasurer. More so, I commend Fred for reaching for his goal by going back to school and obtaining the knowledge for the new profession he has chosen. It is not easy to go back to school and work at the same time ... Our hats are off to you ! Thank you, Fred and Good Luck!*

*As the 2009 Holiday Season continues, Cindy and I want to wish everyone Happy Holidays and a Happy New Year”.*



Don't forget to mark your calendars for these important events:

- Wednesday, January 6<sup>th</sup> --- This is the date of the Chapter's first meeting of 2010. Hope everyone can help us start the year off right by attending the meeting in the HOG's Den at 6:30 pm. Refreshments will be provided.
- Saturday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> --- Join us for the Chapter Holiday Party at the Shriner's Korea Temple in Lewiston. The festivities will start at 6:30 pm there is no charge to members. Each member can invite one guest and the price of a guest is \$15.00. There will be a D.J. and door prizes. You won't want to miss this year's party. Hope to see everyone there. Members must sign up by the January 6<sup>th</sup> meeting to be able to attend. Head count is needed.
- Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup> 2010 --- Blood Drive at L-A Harley. Volunteers are needed and appreciated. Walkers, Registration, Recovery Area, Setting Up and Cleaning Up are a few of the volunteer positions needed. Please call or see Brett or Cindy to volunteer your time for this great cause put on by our Chapter and sponsoring dealership.

**[Check the Chapter Hotline \(758-0633\) and the Website.](#)**

Lorrie Stephenson, Activities Dir. 207-841-9066 ([lorrie.stephenson@colehaan.com](mailto:lorrie.stephenson@colehaan.com))

Cindy Rogers, Activities Dir. 207-841-9121 ([newcombs@suscom-maine.net](mailto:newcombs@suscom-maine.net))

## ***NEED A PATCH PUT ON YOUR VEST?***

**Sew Patches on leather vests, jackets and other fabrics!!**

**\$\$\$prices are very reasonable\$\$\$**

**Contact Cyndi Raymond at 272-7393**

**Or see her at a Chapter Meeting!!**



## **ITEMS FOR SALE**

**IF YOU ARE LOOKING TO SELL SOME HARLEY ITEMS, EVEN PARTS, PLEASE LIST THEM IN THE NEWSLETTER, WHO WOULD BE MORE INTERESTED IN HARLEY ITEMS THAN YOUR FELLOW HARLEY MEMBERS!!!**

**LOOKING TO PURCHASE A HOG SWEATSHIRT, PATCH, AND NAME TAG?  
ATTEND THE NEXT MEETING AND PUT YOUR ORDER IN. WINTER IS COMING  
AND SWEATSHIRTS WILL BE NEEDED.**



Important Tools

Website:

<http://midmainelewistonhog.com>

Hotline:

(207)758-0633

Call any officer to have additions made to the hotline.

**RIDING SEASON IS OVER. THE WINTER MONTHS CAN BE SO LONG WITH NOTHING MUCH TO DO. WATCH THE NEWSLETTER, HOTLINE AND WEBSITE FOR EVENTS BEING PLANNED DURING THE WINTER. COME AND HAVE FUN WITH OTHER MEMBERS TO HELP THE RIDING SEASON GET HERE SOONER. ....JOIN THE FUN!**



Kathi Yergin – Newsletter Editor

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CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP  
ENROLLMENT FORM AND RELEASE

CHAPTER NAME MID MAINE LEWISTON CHAPTER

MEMBER NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDAY \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER NAT'L H.O.G. NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION DATE OF NATIONAL H.O.G. MEMBERSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

ENTER IN CHAPTER DATABASE? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

I have read the Annual Charter for H.O.G. Chapters and hereby agree to abide by it as a member of this dealer sponsored chapter.

I recognize that while this Chapter is chartered with H.O.G., it remains a separate, independent entity solely responsible for its actions.

**- THIS IS A RELEASE, READ BEFORE SIGNING -**

I agree that the Sponsoring Dealer, Harley Owners Group (H.O.G.), Harley-Davidson, Inc., Harley-Davidson Motor Company, my Chapter and their respective officers, directors, employees and agents (hereinafter, the **"RELEASED PARTIES"**) shall not be liable or responsible for injury to me (including paralysis or death) or damage to my property occurring during any H.O.G. or H.O.G. chapter activities and resulting from acts or omissions occurring during the performance of the duties of the Released Parties, even where the damage or injury is caused by negligence (except willful neglect). I understand and agree that all H.O.G. members and their guests participate voluntarily and at their own risk in all H.O.G. activities and I assume all risks of injury and damage arising out of the conduct of such activities. I release and hold the **"RELEASED PARTIES"** harmless from any injury or loss to my person or property which may result from my participation in H.O.G. activities and EVENT(S). I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS MEANS THAT I AGREE NOT TO SUE THE **"RELEASED PARTIES"** FOR ANY INJURY OR RESULTING DAMAGE TO MYSELF OR MY PROPERTY ARISING FROM, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR CHAPTER DUTIES IN SPONSORING, PLANNING OR CONDUCTING SAID EVENT(S).

**WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER STATE STATUTES**

I further agree to waive all benefits flowing from any state statute which would negate or limit the scope of this Release and Indemnification Agreement including, but not limited to, Section 1542 of the California Civil Code which provides:

"A general release does not extend to the claims which the creditor does not know or suspect to exist in his favor at the time of executing the release, which if known to him must have materially affected his settlement with the debtor.

"By signing this Release, I certify that I have read this Release and fully understand it and that I am not relying on any statements or representations made by the **"RELEASED PARTIES"**.

MEMBER SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL DUES PAID \$ \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

(Dues not to exceed maximum amount prescribed in, "Annual Charter for H.O.G. Chapters", as contained in the H.O.G. Chapter Handbook.) RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR CHAPTER

**CHAPTER RELEASE FORM  
MEMBERS ONLY  
WEB PAGE BASED  
DATA BASE ACCESS  
CONSENT**

**THIS IS A RELEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING**

**I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING AND SUBMITTING THIS FORM THAT I AGREE TO ADD MY PERSONAL INFORMATION (NAME AND PHONE NUMBER) TO A MEMBER'S ONLY – ONLINE DATA BASE ACCESS WHICH ALLOWS OTHER MEMBERS TO VIEW AND ACCESS MY NAME AND PHONE NUMBER.**

**By signing and returning this RELEASE, I certify that I have read and fully understand it.**

**MEMBER INFORMATION:**

**Member Signature: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Phone Number to be listed: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**This form must be signed and returned to the Membership Secretary!**

L-A Harley Davidson  
Mid Maine Lewiston HOG Chapter  
839 Main Street  
Lewiston, ME 04240

MERRY CHRISTMAS, HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL!!!

