SQUEAKS & SQUEALS



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WELCOME TO THE MID MAINE LEWISTON CHAPTER:

Introducing our Officer's!

Director:	Brett Jervis	577-7559
Asst. Director:	Kerry Sullivan	655-7559
Treasurer:	Lorrie Stephenson	841-9066
Secretary:	Kathi Yergin	577-8896

Introducing our Secondary Officer's:

Board of Director:	Jerry Yergin	577-3996
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ROAD CAPTAIN'S

Les Gibson Dennis Rogers Janis Tanguay

Brett Jervis Ron Saindon Jerry Yergin Randy Radcliffe Kerry Sullivan

NEXT CHAPTER MEETING:

Wednesday, April 7th, 2010 at 6:30pm

<u>REMINDER</u>:

RIDE PLANNING MEETING/BRUNCH

SATURDAY MARCH 20th at L-A HARLEY, HOG'S DEN. PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE!!!



MID MAINE LEWISTON HOG CHAPTER MEETING MINUTES March 3, 2010



Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm Director Brett Jervis presiding over meeting. 56 members present beginning with the Pledge of Allegiance.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Motion to accept the secretary's report as written, Jerry Yergin, 2nd by Jocelyn Jervis. Motion (carried).

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Motion to accept report as reported by Lorrie, Greg Davis, 2nd by Gail Rodriguez-Dubois. Motion(carried).

DIRECTOR:

Ed Stanhope – From Togus (Marksmanship Consultant) was introduced by Brett. Togus will be having a Recreation Therapy Adaptive Program on Wednesday, April 14, 2010 from 9am-1pm. Anyone interested in volunteering their time to help patients that day would be so appreciative. You may contact him at 786-2542 or email <u>StanhopeRT@aol.com</u>. Mr. Stanhope also went over some of their future plans for patients at Togus. Lenora Conger stood and challenged the chapter, if the chapter was to offer \$850.00 towards a air rifle, the Conger's would match it and purchase one for the patients. Motion was made to give \$850.00 by Baer Jolin, 2nd by Fred Charon and Tony Bruno at the same time. Discussion was involved, vote taken Motion passed unanimously.

Brett received a plaque from the Shriners Hospital for our donation. Suggestion was made by Tony Bruno to put plaque out during ticket sales

New Members were introduced: Welcome, John Collins, Randall Ray and Kevin Gamrat.

Visitors: Johne Trudi

New Bike: Fred Zikowitz shared that his son at Fort Bret is saving for his new Harley soon.

Newsletter: Cutoff date is Monday, March 8th at 8:00pm.

ACTIVITIES: Lorrie filled in for Cindy who was home sick recuperating. She read a letter from Cindy thanking Scott Tanguay for all his help with the Blood Drive and all who volunteered. Ride Planning meeting will be a brunch on Saturday, March 20, 2010 at 10:00am. Everyone is to bring a dish to share. On Saturdays come by L-A Harley for lunch by Catering Temptations and play the Wii or catch up with old friends. Lorrie also read all birthdays for March.

BLOOD DRIVE: Big Success, last year we collected 149 usable units, this year we collected 151 usable units. Everyone that attending Wednesday night meeting was given a Blood Drive t-shirt. Thank you to Gail Rodriguez-Dubois for the design on the back of the t-shirt.

RAFFLE: Baer reported as of February 28th 1160 tickets were out, 669 sold and 491 are floating. Help is needed on Saturdays to sell tickets. Baer will be selling at other areas in Lewiston and could use members help on Saturdays at L-A Harley. Please contact him if you have an hour or two to share.

LADIES OF HARLEY: Next dinner night out will be Tuesday, March 16th at 6:30 at Gippers on Center Street (Tin Tin Plaza) Auburn. All invited, even the men.

MEMBERSHIP: Jocelyn report 122 members. Make sure you pick up your card so that you can receive your L-A Harley reward card.

PHOTOGRAPH: Janis is still looking for pictures from members of events over the past year. She needs to put together a DVD for the Maine State Rally, please send pictures to her. Deadline is April 20th.

SAFETY OFFICER: Ron will have a safety pre-season check list at the April meeting, and he and Kerry will be showing a video. L-A Harley does offer safety pre-season checks before stored bikes leave the shop.

WEBMASTER: Members Only Section will be up and running in April. If you are interested in having your email address included, please email Kerry for confirmation and your approval. Only your name and phone number will be listed unless otherwise noted.

MERCHANDISE: Finally have enough order of pins to put in. Payment is due to Kevin if you ordered a name pin. T-shirts and Sweatshirts are available to order, check out the website <u>www.brandywine.com</u> to see available types, put order in with Kevin who will put through as Mid Maine member.

DEALERSHIP NEWS: Scott put a Thank you card from the employees of Red Cross in the HOG's Den; they enjoyed working with all the volunteers. L-A's Hawaiian Luau will be Saturday, March 6th. Garage Party for woman is Friday, March 12th.

OPEN DISCUSSION: Michelle T. express her gratitude to Cyndi Raymond who just lost her mother but was still at the meeting. Fred Z. went on a HOG Fly-N-Ride last month. 1st experience at this was excellent. Greg D. informed members of passing up at the state house, ex: registration stickers on bikes, helmet law and noise control. Janis T thanked Cindy, Lorrie and Jesse for the prizes and incentives during the Blood Drive and all the hard work that went with it. Sue C. informed members if you receive a u-tube from her do not open it, it is a virus.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45pm

Kathi Yergin – Secretary

Next Meeting - Wednesday, April 7, 2010 at 6:30pm

RAFFLE TICKET SALES:

If you are able to give up one Saturday to sell Raffle Tickets at L-A Harley please call Bear Jolin at 783-8613. Help is really appreciated. This is a lot for one person to do and he needs you. Please if you can help by selling just 10 tickets that gets us closer to our goal.

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

SUNSHINE:

Welcome Brigitte Word as the new Sunshine Girl. If you know of anyone that is sick, hospitalized, or has lost a family member please let her know at <u>wordby@cmmc.org</u>. It is always nice to hear from your family at Mid Maine.





LADIES OF HARLEY

Karen Schneider:

LOH Dinner-

Tuesday, March 16th at 6:30pm at Gippers (Tin Tin Plaza) Center Street, Auburn. Men are all welcome to! Hope to see you there.



L-A HARLEY HAWAIIAN LUAU!!!

Picture by : Greg Davis





GOING TO LACONIA THIS YEAR? THIS MAY INTEREST YOU!!!!!

Please pass this email on to any of your members that would be interested in Laconia Motorcycle Week.

On June 11th to June 20th Laconia New Hampshire will be celebrating their 87th Motorcycle Week Rally the oldest in the country. The Naswa Resort is located on the shores of Lake Winnipesaukee just ¹/₄ mile from Weirs Beach, the main event area. At this time we still have rooms, Cottages and Efficiency Suites available most of which have views of the lake with balconies. We have a Restaurant for Breakfast and Dinner and a Beach Bar and Grill where we serve from 11am until late in the evening. We have bands on the beach and we are tented for any kind of weather.

New Hampshire is a scenic and enjoyable ride. We are centrally located in the state, so enjoy a ride to the coast, mountains or a ride around the lake and when you return for the day relax and unwind at our beach. What a way to end a day of riding.

If you have any questions please contact us at 603-366-4341 or <u>info@naswa.com</u>. We look forward to hearing from you. If you find that you are only day tripping please stop by and see us and enjoy the bands at the beach and our beach bar and grill.

Sincerely,

Patti Lydiard

Naswa Resort 1086 Weirs Blvd Laconia, NH 03246 603-366-4341 info@naswa.com

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

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MEMBER NAME	
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ENTER IN CHAPTER DATABASE? YI	ES 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 maximu	um 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 PERSONNAL 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!



Everyone needs a little humor in life:

<u>Susan Cyr</u> Susan is going to go to Walmart and go into a fitting room, shut the door, and wait a while.... ...then yell loudly "There's no toilet paper in here."