

APRIL 2015

ADIRONDACK HOG

#3220

MCDERMOTT'S HARLEY-DAVIDSON

### *Art Persons*

#### *Director*

Hello ADK HOG Members! Spring 2015 is here! Judging by the attendance at our March meeting, everyone is ready to ride! Most of the Ice Cream Places are now open!

The LOH Whatever Cook Off was well attended. Congratulations to our winners. Our apologies to Kevin Dodge. Kevin entered a Peanut Butter Cup Lasagna in the cook off. We mistook it for a dessert donation & it wasn't judged. Sorry Kevin! We are having another plaque made for First Place- Dessert for Kevin. Many thanks to McDermott's HD & to Gifts & Engraving by George. The ADK LOH raised almost 1/2 the amount we need to fund our Christmas Adopted Families.

Last week's brunch was very well attended with 15 members present. The food was good (as usual). There's only a couple more brunches scheduled for this spring, so come on out.

Registration is open for the NYS HOG Rally. There is some motel info in the ride schedule with more on the website. Motel info is also available for the other weekend trips planned. Bill Nestuk reminds everyone planning to attend the Maine Toy Run that rooms are going fast. A bike (pedal) race is scheduled for the same weekend again this year.

Happy April Birthdays to the following: Emmet Bailey, LouAnn Bala, Michael Bala III, Art Persons & Brian Schworm.

That's it for now, See you at the next Brunch! Art P.

### *Mark Stipano*

#### *Assistant Director*

Adirondack HOG members:

As I sit here and watch the rain fall clearing off the roads, it brings us a step closer to riding season. I have received my 2014 HOG membership package, the registration forms for the bikes and my insurance policy. All signs we are getting closer.; We have a almost full ride schedule, and the flyer is out for the bike blessing and by the time this newsletter goes out we will have had the Cabin Fever Party! So it's time to get ourselves and our bikes ready to ride! Was looking over the Street Bob as I put it away last year, and using the tire safety information in one of Jake's safety articles last year made me realize it needs a new front tire, and while it would likely pass inspection I am going to have it changed when it goes in due to some checkering, and its age, almost 9 years old. Look your bike over and plan to change some items that are likely to lead to trouble on the road, spark plugs (change mine every year), batteries in you fobs (change mine every other year, don't forget to change both of them), and your engine battery. Might want to make sure you have programmed a security code in in case your fob does malfunction. If you find yourself taking one of the Rides of March, beware, watch for sand, and, if the temperature gets cold enough before you get home, refreezing of the melt streams that run across the road. So be careful, we want to see you healthy and whole at the bike blessing. If you do ride, do so safely. Hope I saw you at the Cabin Fever Party and to see you at the bike blessing.



## Safety Officer; "Blurbs Blog"

**Blurb: Group Riding Safety Course:** This FREE course is provided by the MSF and will be held on Saturday April 11 from 1-3 PM at the American Legion 72 Pearl St, in Hudson falls. It is open to all riders and groups regardless of experience. Sign up not required, just show up! For more information call 747-8173. A Big "Thank You" to our own Uncle Milt Smith for passing this

important information along to me!

**Getting Ready to Ride:** So we are at that time where we prepare our bikes for the season ahead! If your bike was "self-stored" there are a few things you will want to check before heading out on the roadways! Remember, if you are not comfortable in doing any prep-work yourself, **get that bike over to**

**Mcdermott's HD in Ft Ann and they will gladly check your bike over and make sure you are SAFE!** That being said, here are a few pointers!

**#1 FUEL:** If you used Sta-Bil or a comparable fuel stabilizer your fuel should be in good shape.. Regardless, double check by opening the filler cap and looking inside for gunk or stratification.

Make sure the fuel is "consistent and clean". If not, you're better off draining the tank, fuel lines, and carburetor (if applicable) before running the engine. If you didn't spray fogging oil or lubricate the top of the cylinder before storage, you may want to remove the spark plugs and pour two tablespoons of oil into the spark plug ports; this will lubricate the top portion of the cylinder walls before you start up the bike.

**#2 OIL:** Whether or not you changed your engine oil before storage, you'll still want to check

the oil level before riding. If you didn't do an oil change before storage, now is a good time to consider that oil and filter change, especially since oil degrades when it sits.

**#3 BATTERY:** Motorcycle batteries tend to lose life quickly, especially in cold weather. If you kept your battery trickle charged or hooked up to a tender, it's probably in good shape. Nonetheless, check the leads for corrosion, and make sure they're attached snugly.

**#4 FLUIDS:** Check your clutch, brake, and coolant levels (if applicable.) Remember that if brake fluid needs topping off, you'll need to use a new, sealed

supply that is the same brand as the fluid already in the system.

**#5 TIRES:** If you kept weight off your motorcycle's wheels and suspension, Great! Chances are your tires and suspension are in good shape, but you should still thoroughly inspect them before riding. If your motorcycle rested on a kickstand (like mine did) , check to make sure there are no unusual stress marks, cracks, or flat spots on the tires. Be sure to check air pressure and tire tread depth.





**FINALLY: Use the Motorcycle Safety Foundation's T-CLOCS checklist now, and EVERY time you ride.** The list covers Tires, Controls, Lights, Oils & Fluids, Chassis, and Stands; for a more detailed checklist, go to the MSF's website. Don't just take off after a thorough inspection; **let the bike idle for a few minutes to get its fluids circulating.**

Take those moments to get reacquainted with the bike's ergonomics. Before you go riding off into the sunset, don't forget that the most important component of a motorcycle is you, the operator. If you suspect you're a little "rusty", practice riding in an abandoned parking lot, taking it easy until you're up to speed. I always do this after a long winter away from my Harley! It allows me to check braking, steering, suspension etc...

**When all is said and done, a little preparation will make re-entry into riding season a lot more fun; look out for yourself and your bike, and enjoy the ride!**

Remember: " Safety is when nothing bad happens" ...and this is not accomplished by chance!  
**It is such a pleasure to ride with you all!**  
**As always, Safety First!**  
**Jake Delgaudio**



**GOING UNPROTECTED IS NEVER A GOOD IDEA**

April is Check Your Helmet Month. The average lifecycle of a helmet is 3-5 years. When's the last time you had yours checked?

April 1st - April 30th  
Trade your old helmet in and get 20% OFF a NEW Helmet!

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Donna P.'s Stuff: Brunch Schedule. Brunches are at 11am.

Donna's Stuff!

Brunch & Activity Schedule. All Brunches at 11am.

**Sun., Apr. 5- NO BRUNCH!!! HAPPY EASTER!**

Sun., Apr. 12-2 Phat Chix, Rte. 4 & John Streets, Hudson Falls

Sat., Apr. 18- 6pm. HOGS at the Saratoga Racino. Garden Buffet Dinner & Slots.

Sun., Apr. 19- 10am. Chapter Meeting. Saratoga Elks Lodge, Rte. 9, Saratoga

**Sat., May 2- 9:30am-Manley's, Rte. 4 Hudson Falls (Last Brunch Till November)**

**Sat., May 2- 11am-LOH Bike Blessing & Sell your Own Bike Day at McDermott's.**

**Mileage Contest Starts.**

**Thanks for a great winter! Donna P.**

## **Ladies of Harley**

Lisa Marie Pritchard

At McDermott's Chowderfest Jake Delgaudio took 1st place!!

LOH bake sale raised over \$100 to give to the NorthCountry Hardship fund-thank you to the all bakers & volunteers

LOH Whatever Cookoff raised \$400 for our Christmas Family

3rd place was Charlie Agnew

2nd place was Jake Delgaudio

1st place as Patrick Kelly

50/50 winner was Dale Mills, Honorable Mention for Dessert is Kevin Dodge

THANK YOU TO MCDERMOTTS FOR ALLOWING OUT CLUB TO HOLD THIS EVENT AT THEIR FINE ESTABLISHMENT!!!

\$50 donation was made to the North Country Hardship as a thank you to McDermotts!

Bike Blessing is May 2, 11am is registration, will need volunteers as usual, John Lancour has been asked to do the blessing and he has happily accepted.



March 15, 2015

McDermott's Harley Davidson

Meeting called to order at 10:10 am by Director Art Persons.

1. Director: Art Persons.

- A. Welcomed Everyone; Pledge of Allegiance Completed.
- B. No New Members in attendance.
- C. Special thank you to Lisa Pritchard for coordinating the Whatever Cook Off and Chowderfest! Congratulations to our winners, Jake Delgaudio for Chowderfest and Charlie Agnew for the Whatever Cook Off!
- D. Please keep Tina Gibbs in your thoughts, she had surgery and is doing well.
- E. Deb Skaza recently injured her back. Please send her some get well wishes.

2. Assistant Director: Mark Stipano

- A. Thanked everyone for supporting the Chapter Events.
- B. Check the newsletter for more events and the upcoming ride schedule.
- C. Motorcycles are starting to come out. Look twice. Ride safe and have fun.

3. Treasurer report: Kenny Carpenter

- A. Chapter in good standing. Disbursements made for website.
- B. One check is still outstanding from 2014. A donation from the chapter. Lisa Pritchard to follow up with the family.

4. Secretary: Lou Ann Bala

- A. Motion passed to accept the minutes from February 2015 with no changes or additions.
- B. Email [balalouann@gmail.com](mailto:balalouann@gmail.com) with any changes to your email, address or phone number. If you are not receiving a newsletter, we do not have your information!!
- C. Don't forget to sign in for the meetings and rides.

5. Ladies of Harley: Lisa Pritchard

- A. Whatever Cook Off and Chowderfest were a huge success. Thank you to our fabulous dealership for hosting the events. Motion passed to add an additional \$50.00 to the Donations made to the North Country Hardship Fund. Ladies of Harley also raised money through the bake sales for the Christmas Families! Over 40 club members participated in the events as cooks, tasters, judges and bake sale assistants.
- B. Sunshine fund in good standing. Several club members have lost a family member over the past few weeks. Lisa is reaching out to determine where a donation can be sent. The club sends donations in lieu of flowers for any loss of a spouse, child or parent.
- C. Cabin Fever is coming March 28th!

- D. Bike Blessing is May 2<sup>nd</sup> with Ride to Follow. Coffee and donuts in the morning. Registration is at 11am. See Calendar. John Lancour has agreed to be our Chaplain.
- E. If you are interested in participating in a hockey night event, please see Lisa. There are a few home games coming up.

6. Activities Chairperson: Donna Persons

- A. Upcoming Brunches
  - 1. Sun. Mar. 22<sup>nd</sup>, Olde Fort Diner, East Street, Ft. Edward
  - 2. Sun. Mar. 29<sup>th</sup>, Rathburn's Sugar House, Granville
  - 3. Sun. April 5<sup>th</sup>, Two Phat Chix, John St. & Rte. 4, Hudson Falls
- B. Anyone interested in getting together for a bowling afternoon or evening, please see Donna Persons
- C. Looking to put together another dinner at the Racino. Please check upcoming events on the Calendar &/or watch FaceBook

7. Editor/Webmaster: Excused

- A. Art Persons indicated updates to website have been made and are pending his approval. Stay tuned.

8. Safety Officer: Jake DelGaudio

- A. Jake will email out the ride schedule to the membership post meeting. Please remember this is subject to change and you should always check the website for updates.
- B. Thank you to Uncle Milt for passing on information about a safety course on April 11<sup>th</sup> being sponsored by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation and Legion Riders. The course is free and open to all licensed drivers regardless of skill. There is no charge and no registration required. Just show up. See Jake or Milt for additional details if interested.
- C. Getting the bike out of storage? Please be sure to check tires, cables, and other wear items. If you do not know how to do this, please get it in to McDermott's. Ride Safe!

9. Head Road Captain: Mike Bala

- D. Thank you to all the assistant Road Captains who have been meeting recently to get the 2015 Ride Schedule together. Ride schedule will be updated tonight! Remember it is always subject to change. Please check the website for any updates throughout the ride season. Over 70 rides planned.
- E. First page of rides will be in the newsletter along with the overnights which are planned for Sturgis, NYS HOG Rally, Laconia and Maine.
- F. Many Hotel Rooms in Sturgis have been booked. Finalizing day trips and itinerary. Will be calling a meeting of all riders soon.
- G. Bike Blessing is Sat. May 2<sup>nd</sup> followed by a ride to the Barnsider in Lake George.

- H. T-shirts-if not claimed by next meeting, the shirts will be available to the general membership. We will be placing another order soon. If interested see Mike Bala.
- I. Adding a 4<sup>th</sup> of July Ride to the Painted Pony. If interested, you will need to register ahead of time. See Mike Bala.

10. Membership Chairperson: Bob Leombruno

- A. 116 members; 47 members have not paid dues. As of March they will be removed from the membership list and email/newsletter distribution lists. If you are one of these 47 and do not want this to happen, please pay your dues!
- B. See Bob if you need forms. They are also available on the ADKHOG website.

11. Historian: Vacant.

12. Photographer: All Members to assist with taking and sharing pictures.

13. McDermott's: Alise McDermott

- A. Summer hours will start by next meeting!
- B. Motion accepted to allow Liberty Mutual representative to attend next meeting. Rep will discuss an opportunity to participate in a group insurance rate plan for Adirondack HOG members.

14. AMA Representative: Art Persons.

- A. No report

15. Old business:

- A. 2015 Brunch Schedule on the Website. See calendar and/or newsletter for details.
- B. Reminder 2015 Renewals and Dues need to be completed! See Bob Leombruno's Report.
- C. If you have not collected your 2014 participation pin, and are due one, please see Art Persons.
- D. Always looking for more Road Captains. See Mike Bala if interested.

16. New business:

- A. Jeff Lawrence has been participating in the Nations of Patriots Ride for many years and is seeking a volunteer to take on this very important role and keep the tradition alive. If you are interested and need more information please see Jeff Lawrence. Ride takes place on June 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. Our club receives the flag from Spitzies and is responsible for bringing the flag to Granite State HD in NH. Visit this website to learn more about this worthwhile journey. <http://www.nationofpatriots.com/>
- B. Registration is open for the NYS HOG Rally to be held in Corning NY on July 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>. Registration deadline is May 28<sup>th</sup>. Refer to the ADKHOG



Calendar for details on the club ride and <http://nystatehogrally.com/> for details about the rally.

- C. Mark Stipano will be planning a weekend ride to Maine for those not attending the Sturgis Rally. If you are interested in participating please see Mark Stipano.

18. Meeting Adjourned 1043

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## *SCHEDULE OF EVENTS*

~~3RD EVER CHOWDERFEST~~

*FEBRUARY 21*

~~10TH ANNUAL CABIN FEVER PARTY~~

*MARCH 28*

**SELL YOUR OWN BIKE DAY**

*MAY 2*

**AMERICADE**

*JUNE 1 - JUNE 6*

**10TH ANNUAL ALMA'S RIDE FOR CHARITY**

*JULY 12*

**FALL OPEN HOUSE**

*OCTOBER 10*

**BLACK SATURDAY SALE**

*NOVEMBER 28*

**CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY**

*DECEMBER 12*

\*\*KEEP YOUR EYES ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE AND WEBSITE FOR NEW EVENTS & UPDATES!

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## 2015 Master RIDE SCHEDULE

### **APRIL:**

**26 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Roamer's Ride. Ride goes to \_\_\_\_\_ and leaves from \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

**RC: Art Persons**

### **MAY:**

**2 Saturday:** ADKHOG- Annual Bike Blessing. Milage contest begins. Sell Your Own Bike Day at McDermott's HD Ft Ann. Ride follows! Meet at McDermott's HD Ft Ann at \_\_\_\_\_, Blessing at \_\_\_\_\_ and then ride leaves at \_\_\_\_\_ with lunch at The Barnsider in Lake George. **RC: Mike Bala**

**3 Sunday:** ADK HOG-

**9 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**10 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Tim's Vermont Country Ride. Leaves McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 8:30AM- Lunch at White Cottage in Vermont. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

**16 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Cranberry Lake Ride. Leaves from McDermott's HD in **LAKE GEORGE** at 9AM. Lunch at the diner in Cranberry Lake. Approx 225 miles. **RC: Mike Bala**

**17 Sunday :** ADK HOG- Chapter Meeting McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann 10 AM . After meeting: 2015's First Ride to Dinosaur BBQ, Troy. Ice Cream Man in Greenwich after for dessert! Approx 135 miles. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**19 Tuesday:** ADK HOG- Dinner Ride to Buffalo Wild Wings in Clifton Park: Depart I-87 Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:30 PM. **Jake Delgaudio**

**23 Saturday:** ADK HOG-: Natural Bridge State Park, North Adams, MA. Ride leaves Stewart's exit 16 at 9AM. This is the only naturally formed white marble arch and man-made white marble dam in North America, and tour an abandoned marble quarry. The "natural bridge" for which the park is named, according to geologists, is 550 million year old Bedrock Marble and carved into an arch by the force of glacial melt

water over 13,000 years ago! The bridge spans rushing Hudson Brook as it twists and tumbles through a

steep 60-foot deep gorge. **Loads to see at this park, lovely views too! \$2 parking fee. Lunch at**

**Dinosaur BBQ for later lunch (2pm-ish) and of course Ice Cream on the way back!**

**175 miles. RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**24 Sunday: ADK HOG: Saratoga National Cemetery Ride and then PJ's BBQ for lunch. Ride leaves**

**From McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 10AM RC: Mike Bala**

**28 Thursday: ADK HOG-Dinner Ride to PJ's BBQ Bike Night in Saratoga. Depart I-87**

**Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:30 PM. RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**30 Saturday: ADK HOG-- Vermont Country Store, Weston VT. Leave McDermott's HD in**

**Ft Ann at 9:30 AM....LUNCH: Zoey's Double Hex Rest. Manchester, VT.**

**Then Ice Cream Man in Greenwich for dessert where ride "ends"! Approx**

**135 miles (not counting your ride home from Ice Cream Man).**

**RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**31 Sunday: ADK HOG- "Mike's Ride-About" with lunch at Red Robin in Clifton Park. Ride leaves from**

**McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 11AM . There will be an ice cream stop at Battenkill**

**Creamery! Approx 120 miles. RC: Mike Bala**

## ***JUNE:***

**\*2-6 Americade Week**

**4 Thursday: ADK HOG- Flag Ride through Lake George Village. Meet at McDonald's in Warrensburg**

**At 5:30... ride ends at The Barnsider in Lake George for dinner.**

**RC: Mike Bala**

**6 Saturday: ADK HOG- Lake George Village "Walk-About"! Meet at **McDermott's in LAKE GEORGE** at**

**7PM.**

**7 Sunday: ADK HOG- Adirondack "Twisties" Ride! Ride leaves McDermott's HD in Ft**

**Ann at 9:00 AM Sharp! Includes 2 prime Adirondack roads known for their**

Diner in "twisties" ...Ensign Pond Rd and Tracy Rd....Lunch at Hot Biscuit  
Rob & Ti...Ride back down along Lake George and ride ends in Glens Falls at  
a great Deb's Ice Cream by East Field where we should be by 6 pm. Should be  
ride with awesome view's and LOT's of Stops!!! Total miles=160.  
RC: Jake Delgaudio

11 Thursday: ADK HOG-Dinner Ride to PJ's BBQ Bike Night in Saratoga. Depart  
I-87

Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:30 PM. RC: Jake Delgaudio

13 Saturday: ADK HOG- Mt Greylock Ride to North Adams, Mass. Ride leaves  
from McDermott's HD in

Ft Ann at 8:30AM. Lunch at The Brewery in Bennington VT.  
Approx Miles 200. RC: Mike Bala

14 Sunday: ADK HOG-Cooperstown/Brooks BBQ ride. This ride leaves from  
Stewart's exit 16 at 9:30AM.

Approx 275 miles. RC: Art Persons

17 Wednesday- 21 Sunday: Ride to Laconia Bike Rally. Ride leaves McDermott's  
HD in Ft Ann at 8AM

with breakfast stop at Denny's in Rutland. Group staying at the  
Econolodge, 2365 New  
Hampshire 16, West Ossipee, NH 03890...(603) 301-1426 Book EARLY if  
you plan on this trip!

Approx 175 miles there. RC: Mike Bala

>>> late addition

Friday 6/19/15

LEAVE: McDermott's Lake George 9 AM RETURN: Sunday 6/21/15

MOTEL: Pinehurst on the St. Lawrence, 20683 Pinehurst Rd Alexandria Bay, NY  
13607

## ROOMS

### Road Front

2 double beds - \$95

1 queen - 90

1 double - 80

### Hill

1 room left 1 queen, 1 double \$105 (we booked a room here)

Cabins (fans, no AC)

1 double – 80  
2 double – 90

Water side cabins - \$85

Call Bob or Betty Lou Vrooman at 315-482-9452 for reservations on your own. Please call us or e-mail us when you do, so we can keep a record of who's going.

We have stayed here before. All the rooms are walking distance from each other, and the river. We normally have a bonfire at night, at the shore, to hash out memories of the day's activities, and yes alcohol is consumed. Also, for those inclined, sometimes the evening smallmouth fishing can be spectacular from their docks. Bring your telescopic fishing poles. The place is clean, and the owners are very nice people. **RC: Bill Nestuck**

**20 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**21 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Chapter Meeting McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route

4, Ft. Ann-10AM Chapter ride to follow; **RC: Art Persons**

**22 Monday:** ADK HOG- Million Mile Monday Dinner Ride to Dinosaur BBQ. Ride leaves from \_\_\_\_\_ at

5:30PM. **RC: Mike Bala**

**27 Saturday:** Ride Twisty Route 167 Little Falls to Richfield Springs, one of NY's premier motorcycle routes! Leaves Exit 16 Stewart's at 9:30AM, lots of stops! Ends at Rob and Deb's Ice Cream in Glens Falls. Approx 210 miles.

Lunch at McDonald's! **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**28 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Ben & Jerry's Factory, Burlington for lunch! Ride leaves from McDermott's

HD in Ft Ann at 8:30Am. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Mike Bala**

## ***JULY:***

**4 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Mike's Magic Rodeo Event! Meet at Painted Pony in Lake Luzerne at 6PM for

BBQ dinner then Rodeo follows. Requires an RSVP if you plan to attend ...please contact Mike or LouAnn Bala by Saturday June 27.



**5 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Dinner and Ice Cream Ride. Goes to\_\_\_\_\_. Ride leaves from\_\_\_\_\_at\_\_\_\_\_.

**RC: Art Persons**

**8 Wednesday:** ADK HOG: Dinner Ride: Greenwich House of Pizza...menu at [www.thegreenwichhouseofpizza.com](http://www.thegreenwichhouseofpizza.com) ends at Rob & Deb's Glens Falls) for Ice Cream! Ride leaves McDermott's 5:30PM.

**RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**11 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Wagon Train BBQ outside Rotterdam. Menu at [wagontrainbbq.net/](http://wagontrainbbq.net/) Ride leaves Stewart's exit 16 at 9:30 AM. Route is 156 miles (from exit 16 and back to Exit 15 Wilton where ride ends.

This route has loads of stops, views, Thatcher Park etc... **RC: Jake**

**Delgaudio**

**12 Sunday:** Alma's Ride. McDermott's HD. Info to follow.

**\*16-19 Thurs, Fri, Sat (back Sun):** ADK HOG- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> leave for NYS HOG RALLY

Corning, NY. Ride leaves 9AM Stewart's Exit 16 off I-87. Approx 250 Miles Staying at the Econolodge 200 Robert Dann Drive, Painted Post (Corning) , NY 14870,...

Phone:(607) 962-4444 **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**17 Friday:** ADK HOG- Ride Leaves Econolodge in Corning at 9AM. Goes to Ithaca Harley-

Davidson, New York 13, in Cayuta, Up along Seneca Lake and through

FingerLakes National Forest and over to Taughannock Falls State Park : waterfall is one of the outstanding natural

attractions of the Northeast. Taughannock Falls plunges 215 feet past rocky cliffs

that tower nearly 400 feet above the gorge 2221 Taughannock Park Rd,

Trumansburg, NY 14886 ...then to Ithaca Falls (Another awesome waterfalls!)

Then to Southern Tier Harley-Davidson, Front Street, Binghamton, NY. ..and

back to Corning. Approx 220 miles. Lunch along the way.

**RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**18 Saturday: Open Day TBD.**

**19 Sunday:** Ride leaves Rally for home via and goes to Utica for Pediatric

Brain Cancer event: **RC: Mike Bala**

**19 Sunday:** Ride leaves Rally for casual ride home: **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**18 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**19 Sunday:** ADK HOG-

**23 Thursday:** ADK HOG- Dinner Ride to **PJ's BBQ Bike Night** in Saratoga. Depart I-87

Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:30 PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**25 Saturday:** ADK HOG: **Amish Country Ride!** (missed last year). Leaves Stewart's exit 16 at 10AM. Ride some awesome back country roads through Amish Country! Great views! Lunch at House of Pizza in Gloversville! Approx 150 miles. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**26 Sunday:** ADK HOG- **CHAPTER MEETING & PICNIC.** This meeting will count as 2 and there is **NO MEETING IN AUGUST.** Ride after meeting then Chapter picnic follows. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**31 Friday:** ADK HOG- **Chapter ride to STURGIS Bike Rally.** Ride leaves from Stewart's Exit 16 at 7:30AM SHARP. Approx miles; "**A Bunch**"! Staying at "Everywhere"! Returns Aug 16<sup>th</sup>. **RC: Mike Bala** **NOTE:** For more specific info please contact Mike Bala.

## ***AUGUST:***

**1 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**2 Sunday:** AD HOG-

Sturgis 3-9

**8 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**9 Sunday:** ADK HOG-

**11 Tuesday:** ADK HOG- VENEZIA Pizza & Pasta Dinner Ride to Clifton Park!  
Leaving Exit 16 Stewart's at 5:30 PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**  
You can view their menu at [www.veneziapizzaandpasta.com/menu](http://www.veneziapizzaandpasta.com/menu)

**15 Saturday:** ADK HOG

**16 Sunday:** ADK HOG- **NO CHAPTER MEETING** (July 26<sup>th</sup> meeting counted as 2)

**20 Thursday:** ADK HOG- Dinner ride to PJ's BBQ Bike Night in Saratoga. Depart I-87

Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:30PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**22 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Akins Ride for Strides. Ride leaves from Stewart's Exit 16 at 8:30AM.

Goes to Maple Ridge Ski resort for 10AM. \$25 per person. Approx miles: 220

**RC: Bill Nestuck LOTS of FOOD & PRIZES!**

**23 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Lake Placid Ride. Ride leaves McDermott's HD LAKE GEORGE at 8:30AM.

Walk-around Lake Placid, eat, relax! Approx \_\_\_\_\_ miles. **RC: Mike**

**Bala**

**29 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Johnny Boys Rutland, Vt Breakfast. Then Dakin Farms in VT, then Green Mountain HD in Essex (Burlington) VT, Ferry to NY and lunch at Texas

Roadhouse in Plattsburgh. Visit to North End Harley Davidson in Plattsburgh then back to

Queensbury for Ice Cream! Approx 245 miles. Longer Day...with LOTS of stops. Leave

McDermott's HD in FT Ann 8:30 AM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**30 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Old Forge Ride with lunch at Slickers. Ride leaves from McDermott's HD in

**LAKE GEORGE** at 8:30AM. Approx miles 240. **RC: Mike Bala**

***SEPTEMBER:***

**5 Saturday:** ADK HOG-

**6 Sunday:** ADK HOG-

**12 Saturday- 14 Monday:** ADK HOG- Maine Toy Run. Ride leaves from Stewart's on RT 4 in Ft Edward across from GE at 8:30AM. For more details contact Bill Nestuck. **RC: Bill Nestuck**

**13 Sunday:** ADK HOG-

**19 Saturday:** ADK HOG- Monodnock HD in NH Ride. Ride leaves from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 8:30AM. Lunch at Longhorn Steakhouse. Approx Miles: 225. **RC: Mike Bala**

**20 Sunday:** ADK HOG- Chapter Meeting at McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. "Charlie's Ride" to follow. Details to follow. Lunch at \_\_\_\_\_ Approx Miles: \_\_\_\_\_ **RC: Mark Stipano**

**26 Saturday:** Covered Bridges/Foliage Ride. Ride leaves from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 10AM. Lunch at The Brewery in Bennington,VT . Approx Miles:200 **RC: Mike Bala**

**27 Sunday:** Lunch Ride to Lake Side Farms in Ballston Lake for Lunch, Apple Pie, and other excellent baked goods too! Great country store! See their menu at [http://www.lakesidefarmscidermill.com/lunch\\_menu.html](http://www.lakesidefarmscidermill.com/lunch_menu.html) This ride leaves exit 16 Stewart's at 11AM **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

## **OCTOBER:**

**3 Saturday:** ADK HOG: Foliage Ride to Pratt Rocks, Prattsville, NY... Ride leaves from Exit 16 Stewart's at 10 AM. "Later" Lunch at Recovery Sports Grill 5005 Route 30 Amsterdam. Approx 225 miles. Lots of stops and great views! **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

**4 Sunday:**



**10 Saturday:** ADK HOG:

**11 Saturday:** ADK HOG: Apple Pie Run to Dummerston,VT. Ride leaves from Sally's Hen House, RT 4 in

Ft Ann at 9AM. Meet at Sally's 8Am if you want breakfast! Lunch will be at 99 Steakhouse

in Brattleboro, VT. Approx miles 260. RC: Mike Bala

**31 Saturday:** ADK HOG: Mileage Contest ENDS. Please make sure your mileage is in!

CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP  
ENROLLMENT FORM AND RELEASE

CHAPTER NAME Adirondack Harley Owners Group - Chapter 3220 - Fort Ann, NY

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

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).

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

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