



The Annual General Meeting (AGM) was held on Thursday 27th February 2020 to a fabulous turn-out of members. We were also please to welcome a number of new members on the night.

Amongst the things up for discussion were Ride Out ideas for the upcoming year and we are pleased to say that a number of new rides were suggested. A list of chosen rides and dates to follow.

The highlight of the evening was of course a small presentation to Steve Sutton (Sutty) for his dedicated service to the Chapter and the committee over the last seven years. Sutty has been and integral part of the Chapter and the committee and has been instrumental in helping the group grow and develop into the Chapter we have today. Although no longer on the committee, Sutty will remain involved with the chapter and be on hand to offer support. From everyone at the Stoke Chapter...Thank you Sutty!



### Dates For Your Diary

#### Chapter Meeting Dates......

- 19th March 2020
- 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020
- 21st May 2020
- 18<sup>th</sup> June 2020
- 30<sup>th</sup> July 2020
- 27<sup>th</sup> August 2020
- 24<sup>th</sup> September 2020 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020
- 19th November 2020

All monthly meetings will be held at 7:30pm at Longton RUFC, Eastern Rise, Trentham Lakes, Stoke on Trent



Changes to the Chapter....

Following from the amicable discussions with Stratstone Harley Davidson at Wolverhampton, the Stoke Chapter has now become an independent Chapter.

For the foreseeable future, the Chapter will be supported by the team at H.O.G. UK in Oxford. With their support, the Chapter will continue to grow and the thrive.

While, no location is yet known, we are hopeful that a new Harley Davidson dealership will one day be back in Stoke, and we can once again align with a local dealer.

A new dealership in the area, will no doubt be very exciting news and we will be sure to keep you informed of any new developments as soon as we know.

# Merchandise Sales



Available from Chapter meetings are a wide range of H.O.G. themed Items and a fabulous clothing range. These are changed frequently and we will always try to bring you the latest, on trend items. Also on sale will be Chapter specific items - only available to Chapter Members. These include Chapter Patches, badges and pins. Below are just some of our current rage.



Motorhead Ceramic Mug

Ideal for the home, office or garage this lovely yet practical Motörhead mug is a must for all fans.



Men's Camo T-Shirt with emblazed H.O.G. Insignia. Available in various sizes.



RIDERS LONG-SLEEVE T-SHIRT IN Black

Long sleevel shirt with with the H.O.G. Insignia. Also available in various sizes.



HERITAGE: Eagle Enamel Pin Badge

Stylish enamel pin badge featuring the Harley Eagle.
Perfect for bags, purses and waistcoats.



H.O.G. Patch - Large

Large H.O.G. patch featuring the striking Harley Davidson Eagle



Brass Motörhead pin badge. With stunning raised design showcasing the skull and wings logo.



What Is Ladies Of Harley (LOH)? Ladies of Harley (LOH) is a program sponsored by the Harley Owners Group (H.O.G.) to support women motorcycle enthusiasts for both riders and passengers. It is not a separate organization within H.O.G., but was established to encourage women to become more active in H.O.G. and their local chapters. You don't have to have your own bike to be a LOH member. LOH encourages women to participate in chapter events as well as functions specifically for the ladies.

**How do you become a member of Ladies of Harley?** You must first be a member of the National H.O.G., then you can join your local chapter. You can be either a full or associate member. Ladies of Harley membership also allows you to participate in all LOH activities at various H.O.G. rallies and events. There is no additional fee to be a Ladies of Harley member.



#### Ladies of Harley .....

Although many of our ladies of Stoke Hog are pillion riders we are excited that one of our members now has her own trike and we are hoping that she will start to fly the rider flag.

Stoke Hog is an all inclusive club and we welcome people of all ages and genders. But going forward we would as a Chapter like to welcome Ladies of Harley and with HOG UK and Ireland promote women in our chapter. Let's 'Sparkle' forward and 'Twinkle' into the future.

#### Here are just a few of our current 'Ladies'.













#### **Upcoming Events**

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2020. Mother's Day Ride – Own Ride Out

Keep in touch via watsapp for anyone wanting to ride.

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020. Egg Run 9:00am

Meet at Longton Rugby Club for a 9:00am start. Remember to bring an Easter Egg to donate! Please Note: this ride is not covered by H.O.G.

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020. Delamere Forest 10:00am

Full details to be confirmed. Please refer to the Facebook page or watsapp for up dates on this.

• Sunday 5th April 2020. Elsmere Port & Boat Museum 10:00am.

Meet at Longton Rugby Club for a 10:00am start. This ride will be over to Elsmere Port and boat museum, and then over to Chester Harley Davidson.

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2020. Easter Sunday Ride – Own Ride Out

Keep in touch via watsapp for anyone wanting to ride.

Sunday 19th April 2020. Sandbach Transport Festival 9:00am

Meet at Longton Rugby Club for a 9:00am start. Details of the festival can be found at: www.sandbachtransportfestival.co.uk/2020-festival

Additional Ride Out dates and ride information will follow in future update's

## Other Events / Rallies









