



Adirondack Chapter 3220 Fort Ann, NY

August 2017 Edition

Editor: Jake Delgaudio

Director's Corner

Art Persons



Hello ADK HOG! Labor Day is right around the corner. The summer is sure going by fast! We've had some great rides this summer, while dodging the raindrops. Some of our members were lucky enough to go to the southwest, Sturgis, Ontario & Quebec!

2018 is Harley-Davidson's 115th Anniversary. Plans are already under way for a group of us to attend. Motels will probably be accepting reservations after Jan. 1. I have been to 3 of these celebrations, (95th, 105th, & 110th), and had a great time at each. There is almost unlimited music & fun to be had, so start thinking about it. It will also be HOG's 35th Anniversary with a special, HOG Members only party day!

While I'm thinking about rallies, next year's 1 & only Northeast Rally will be called the Iron Adventure & will be held in Sunday River, (Bethel) Maine. Sunday River is a beautiful ski resort in northwestern Maine. It should be a good warm-up for Milwaukee!

Check the H.D. website & McDermott's H.D. after Tuesday, Aug. 22 to see the 2018 H.D. models. I'm pretty sure some models will be delivered to McDermott's next week.

At our Sept. meeting, we will open nominations for our 2018 Officers. If you would like to fill a spot, I know there are a couple opening up. I hope to see you all soon, Ride & Have Fun, Art P.

HOG Chapter #3220 Directory:

McDermott's Representative: Alise McDermott

Primary Officers:

Director: Art Persons apersons@roadrunner.com

Secretary Tina L. Gibbs tinagibbs81@gmail.com

Treasurer: Ken Carpenter wkc424@aol.com

Assistant Director: Mike Bala bala2002wideglide@gmail.com



Officers:

Ladies of Harley, Activities & Sunshine: Donna Persons

Membership: Bob Leombruno

Safety Office & Historian: Jake Delgaudio

Head Road Captain: Mike Bala

Newsletter Editor: Jake Delgaudio mammoth357@aol.com

Webmaster: Lou Hall

Photographer: Bruce Tubbs



Ass't Director: Mike Bala

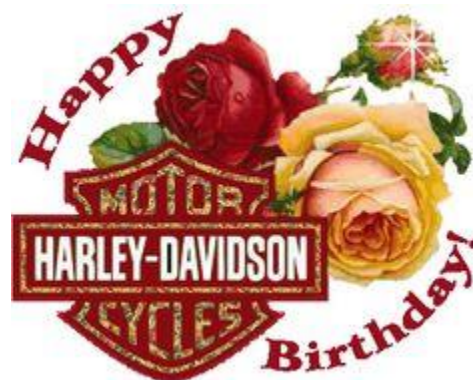
Hope everyone is taking advantage of the great weather and getting out there to enjoy the riding season. We have already clocked over 13,000 miles this season despite some mechanical challenges. I can't tell you how thankful we are to have purchased the extended warranty. It has paid for itself time and time again. Although we plan to keep this bike, we are very excited that the long-awaited dealer show is right around the corner. On August 22-25 in Los

Angeles, California the new 2018 models and colors will be released. LouAnn and I are hoping for some amazing paint schemes that catch or attention. After riding nearly 98,000 miles on our current CVO Ultra Classic (which still has a two-year warranty by the way) we are hoping to add an anniversary edition to the family.

The new models will be released on Tuesday night West Coast time...which means Wednesday is Christmas morning. Watch the facebook page for updates!

Birthday's: August/September: The chapter wishes to send Happy Birthday wishes to:

Sorry, No info submitted to me for this edition

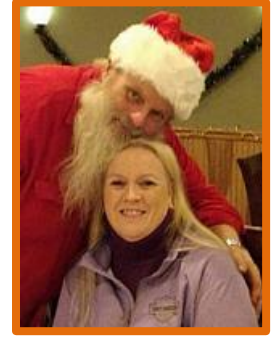


Treasurer: Ken Carpenter

Our account is in good order. Reminder...any member that would like to review our account you may do so at our monthly meeting as I always have the records with me!

Secretary: Tina Gibbs

Hi All! The minutes from the August 20 meeting are further along in this newsletter! Please be sure to read them!



“Donna’s Stuff”: Ladies of Harley, Activities & Sunshine: Donna Persons

Working on setting up getting our “Christmas Families” for the upcoming season and organizing the Christmas/Awards banquet! Stay tuned for more!

Editor’s Corner: Jake Delgaudio



Reminder’s:

- 1) If you have a ride photo you would like included in the newsletter email it to me in JPG/JPEG format. Also if you have a short ride story, related article, joke etc to share email it to me! All submissions due prior to the Friday before the monthly meeting....and all submitted items are subject to editing.
- 2) The position’s of Safety Officer and Historian will be vacant for next year as I currently hold them and will not be offering my name for consideration for these positions.
- 3) Reminder to all our elected people: Please have your newsletter submissions in to me prior to the Friday before the meeting. Thank you kindly!
- 4) Many of you have asked me “How do you check the ride schedule online”? You can go to www.adkhog.com and click “Adirondack HOG Calendar in the upper right of page...this will take you to the Facebook Calendar which shows the rides. You must have a Facebook account to see this. There is also a calendar with Google if you have a google email (gmail account)...this was set up by LouAnn Bala. **INSTRUCTIONS FOR CREATING BOTH ACCOUNTS is on the back 2 pages of this newsletter compliments of LouAnn Bala.** If you do not wish to use google email or have a facebook account you are presently “out of luck”. This is why I made sure to include a ride schedule in this newsletter further along. (This however, will not help you with any changes made after today).

Shout-Out's":Chapter member Tom Weiss had his other hip replaced and we send hopes he will be riding and dancing again real soon! Get well quick Tom!

HAPPY 30th ANNIVERSARY to us!!! This year marks the 30th Anniversary of our HOG Chapter! THANK YOU McDermott's HD!!!



Head Road Captain: Mike Bala

We have had some great rides this year and excellent participation.

Here's some highlights:

In July, we had several members attend the HOG Revolution Rally in Utica where we got to demo a Street Glide CVO with a 114 engine. Great ride!

Many of us participated in the biker games taking home multiple plaques for our superior skills in catching water balloons among other things. Thanks to Bruce Tubbs for photographing those amazing moments. At closing ceremonies- Brian Irwin won the coveted one of a kind HOG knife. You may remember a few years ago Bill Nestuk took home the prize. That's two for ADK HOG. Hoping we can get a hat trick next year!

The following day several members participated in the Ride for Kids to combat pediatric brain tumors. Members contributed over 200 dollars in donations. All proceeds are kept in the community and the ride is police escorted. While we didn't win any prizes, Art



Persons got to escort Joey. Joey's little brother was battling a brain tumor. I can't tell you how excited he was to get a ride. His face shows it all!



Many members came out at the end of July to support Alma's Ride. Great to make new friends and see some old ones too. Thanks to all who supported the ride and registration. Great turn out! We got a nice lunch and a show at the new Motocross Track. Check out our Facebook Page for more great photos.

August has been a busy month. Tim's Smugglers Notch ride was awesome. This was a road I had never been on and reminded me of the Iron Mountain Road in South Dakota only a lot shorter. Twisty turns, amazing scenery...we will for sure do this one again.

Reminder while we are not riding there together, PJ's Bike Nights on Thursdays still count towards ride participation. Let a road captain know you are there and you will get credit.

Lots more rides scheduled in August and more to be announced in September and October weather permitting. The ride Schedule is subject to change so keep your eyes on Facebook or the google calendar.



If you need help signing up for either, let LouAnn know and she will be glad to help.



Ride safe, use hand signals and always be aware of your surroundings. Hope to see you all on the road soon!



Historian; Jake Delgaudio: “Blurbs Blog”:

A little something different this month! Several years ago I was chapter Historian! I have gone through the old records and thought we would pay tribute to our hard working and dedicated volunteers... *past and present*... for all the hard work they do and their dedication to our chapter! Thus, below you will find what information I have been able to compile and put into chart format

Blurb: Harley Davidson formed H.O.G. in 1983. Our chapter was formed in 1987. We have the pleasure of having 1 original member (since 1987) still in our membership and her name is *Elise Innet!* **Our Chapter was Chartered with Harley Davidson with a recorded date of May 1988** (confirmed by Cindy Johnson, regional HOG Director). That year (1988) brought to our membership **Art & Donna Persons!** Art is our current Director and Donna is current Ladies of Harley and Activities Chairperson! Thus, we officially have THREE “CHARTER MEMBERS” in our chapter! Make sure to say Thank You to them and give them a big hug for doing their part to keep our chapter going these past 30 years!

After a great many long hours of research scouring through old paperwork including old newsletters and such, the information below is as complete and accurate a compilation as I can make it. The people named for the various positions are documented from listings or publications I reviewed. **There may be others who served the chapter and are not listed, and for this I do apologize, but I could only list those who were documented “someplace” so this information would be totally valid.**

******I would suggest that perhaps the Director or Chapter Secretary could keep a working copy and add each new year to this list as no other such list as this exists. ******

	1987 Chapter Formed	1988 Chartered with HD in May	1989
Director	Jay Stone	Jay Stone/Ray Bailey	Ray Bailey
	1990	1991	1992
Director	Ray Bailey	Norm LaMarque	Norm LaMarque
Ass't Director	Norm LaMarque		
	1993	1994	1995
Director	Norm LaMarque	Norm LaMarque	Norm LaMarque
Ass't Director	George Sprague	Art Persons	John Valastro
Secretary	Veronice Reynolds	Veronica Reynolds	Debbie Harrington
Treasurer	Karen Gates	Karen Gates	Cata Tkacheff
Road Captain		John Valastro	
Photographer		Jim Artibee	
Safety Officer		Bob Anderson	
Activities		Cata Tkacheff	
Historian		Del Morris	
Ladies of Harley		Janet Anderson	

	1996	1997	1998
Director	Joe Tkacheff	Joe Tkacheff	Joe Tkacheff
Ass't Director	George Polunci	George Polunci	George Polunci
Secretary	Debbie Harrington	Debbie Harrington	Rosemary Wilson
Treasurer	Cata Tkacheff	Cata Tkacheff	Cata Tkacheff
Road Captain		Angus Stevely	Angus Stevely
Photographer		Tom Ciccone	Fumiko Baird
Safety Officer		Bill Wilson	Milt Smith
Activities		Carol Casey	Sally Stebely, Dianne Collins
Historian			
Ladies of Harley		Cheryl O'Keefe	Fran Donbeck
News Letter Editor		Tamzie Tromans	Carol Casey
AMA		Harvey Collins	Harvey Collins
Membership			Fumiko Baird
Board of Directors		Fran Bain, Alan Baird, Harvey Collins, Tim Donbeck, Jerry Harrington, Milt Smith, Steve Jordan, Jim Tromans	Elise Innet, Tim Donbeck, Jerry & Debbie Harrington, Jack Bellow
	1999	2000	2001
Director	George Polunci	George Polunci	George Polunci
Ass't Director	Tim Donbeck	Tim Donbeck	George Braynack
Secretary	Cheryl O'Keefe	Debbie Harrington	Debbie Harrington
Treasurer	Debbie Harrington	Alan Baird	Alan Baird
Road Captain	Alan Baird	Mark Wilson	Mark Wilson
Asst Road Captains	Jerry Harrington, Angus Stevely, Richard Murray	Frank Shaw, Barb Shaw, Richard Murray	Steve Bishop, John Borlang, Richard Murray
Photographer	Fumiko Baird	Jan Wilson	Jan Wilson
Safety Officer	Milt Smith	Milt Smith	Milt Smith
Activities	Fran Donbeck	Fran Donbeck	Joanne Wilson
Historian		Jan Wilson	John Payne
Ladies of Harley	Elise Innet	Elise Innet	Elise Innet, Sherry Hayward, Nancy Braynack
News Letter Editor	Carol Casey	Carol Casey	Carol Polunci
AMA	Wayne LaMothe	John Rucinski	John Rucinski/ Paul Butler
Membership			
Board of Directors	Jack Bellow, Loren Miller, Gene Hugiito, John Rucinski, Wayne LaMothe	Jack Bellow, Ray Warlikowski, George Braynack, Steve Bishop, Mark Johnson, Diane Murray, Jerry	Tim Donbeck, Jack Bellow, Dave Guay, Dave Schies, Mark Johnson, Diane Murray, Jerry Harrington

		Harrington	
	2002	2003	2004
Director	George Braynack	George Braynack	George Braynack
Ass't Director	Dave Guay	John Payne	Ben Nickleson
Secretary	Carol Wilson	Karen Laurecella	MaryLou Nickleson
Treasurer	Alan Baird	Alan Baird	Alan Baird
Road Captain	Mark Wilson	Bill Nestuck	Bill Nestuck
Asst Road Captains	Steve Bishop, Bill Nestuck, Bill West	Bill west, Mark Brilling, Jeff Henk	Bill West, Jeff Henk, Fred Kippert
Photographer	John Payne	Mark McGrath	George Polunci
Safety Officer	Milt Smith	Milt Smith	Milt Smith
Activities	Joanne Wilson	Carol Polunci, Peg Henk, Linda Nestuck	Peg Henk, Carol Polunci, Donna Persons
Historian	John Payne		
Ladies of Harley	Sherry Hayward, Nancy Braynack, Traci Guay	Linda Nestuck, Peg Henk, Nancy Braynack	Peg Henk, Donna Persons, Nadine Szewczyk
News Letter Editor	Carol Polunci	Ben & MaryLou Nickleson	MaryLou Nickleson
AMA	John Rucinski	John Rucinski	Art Persons
Membership		Karen Laurecella	Nancy Braynack
Web Master		Dave Guay	MaryLou Nickleson
Board of Directors	Tim Donbeck, Jack Bellow, George Polunci, Dave Schies, Mark Johnson, Cheryl O'Keefe	Jack Bellow, George Polunci, Mark Johnson, Cheryl O'Keefe, Fred Kippert, Mark Wilson, Joe Jazwinski	Mark Johnson, Cheryl O'Keefe, Joe Jazwinski, John Payne, Bill Novotny, Angus Stevely, Frank Bombard
	2005	2006	2007
Director	Ben Nickleson	Ben Nickleson	Ben Nickleson
Ass't Director	Art Persons	Art Persons	Art Persons
Secretary	MaryLou Nickleson	MaryLou Nickleson	MaryLou Nickleson
Treasurer	Nancy Braynack	Nancy Braynack	Nancy Braynack
Road Captain	Bill Nestuck	Bill Nestuck	Don Gregorie
Asst Road Captains	Don Gregorie, Bill West, Jeff Henk, Ron Diehl	Don Gregorie, Bill West, Jeff Henk, Ron Diehl	Fred Sandbrook, Bill West, Jeff Henk, Charlie Agnew
Photographer	Joe Jazwinski	Joe Jazwinski	Linda Gregorie
Safety Officer	Roland French	Roland French	Noel Gruben
Activities	Linda Nestuck, Carol Polunci	Linda Nestuck	Linda Nestuck
Historian			
Ladies of Harley	Nora Mongan, Roxie Brock, Linda	Nora Mongan, Roxie Brock, Linda	Nora Mongan, Nancy Novotny, Nadine

	Gregorie, Nancy Novotny, Nadine Szewczyk	Gregorie, Nancy Novotny, Nadine Szewczyk	Szewczyk, Diane Agnew
News Letter Editor	MaryLou Nickleson	Edna Sandbrook	Edna Sandbrook
AMA	Art Persons	Art Persons	Art Persons
Membership	Frank Bombard	Nancy Braynack	Art Persons
Web Master	Lou Hall	Lou Hall	Lou Hall
Board of Directors	George Braynack, Milt Smith, Mickey Spiak, Bill Novotny, Angus Stevely, Dave Schies, Cheryl O'Keefe	George Braynack, Milt Smith, Mickey Spiak, Bill Novotny, Angus Stevely, Dave Schies, Cheryl O'Keefe, Fred Sandbrook	George Braynack, Milt Smith, Mickey Spiak, Bill Novotny, Angus Stevely, Bill Nestuck
	2008	2009	2010
Director	Art Persons	Art Persons	Jeff Lawrence
Ass't Director	Noel Gruben/ Ben Nickleson	Charlie Agnew	John Hartwell
Secretary	Jeff Lawrence	Jeff Lawrence	Diane Lawrence
Treasurer	Bill Novotny	Bill Novotny	Bill Novotny
Road Captain	Charlie Agnew	Nadine Szewczyk	Nadine Szewczyk
Asst Road Captains	Nadine Szewczyk, Tim Alden, Gary Millis, Bill Nestuck	Charlie Agnew, John Hartwell, Gary Millis, Bill Nestuck	Jake Delgaudio, Charlie Agnew, Tim French, John Hartwell, Gary Millis, Bill Nestuck, George Pena
Photographer	Everyone!	Everyone!	Everyone!
Safety Officer	Tim Alden	Mark Stipano	Mark Stipano
Activities	Nancy Novotny, Linda Nestuck	Nancy Novotny	Nancy Novotny
Historian			
Ladies of Harley	Nora Mongan	Nora Mongan	Nora Mongan
News Letter Editor	Diane Agnew	Diane Agnew	Diane Agnew
AMA	Art Persons	Art Persons	Jeff Lawrence/ John Hartwell
Membership	Mark Stipano	Donna Persons	Donna Persons
Web Master	Lou Hall	Lou Hall	Lou Hall
Sunshine	Donna Persons	Lisa Pritchard	Lisa Pritchard
Board of Directors	Ben Nickleson, Milt Smith, Bill Nestuck	Jake Delgaudio, Gary Millis, Ben Nickleson	Jake Delgaudio, Gary Millis, Ben Nickleson
	2011	2012	2013
Director	Jeff Lawrence	Art Persons	Art Persons
Ass't Director	John Hartwell	Tim French	Mark Stipano

Secretary	Diane Lawrence	Jeff Lawrence	LouAnn Bala
Treasurer	Bill Novotny	Bill Novotny	Diane Agnew
Road Captain	Nadine Szewczyk	None	Mike Bala
Asst Road Captains	Jake Delgaudio, Frank Erickson, Tim French, John Hartwell, Bill Nestuck, Jeff Lawrence, Norm Staalesen	Jake Delgaudio, Frank Erickson, Norm Staalesen, Mark Stipano	Jake Delgaudio, Mark Stipano, Jeff Lawrence, Art Persons, Bill Nestuck
Photographer	Everyone!	Everyone!	Everyone!
Safety Officer	Mark Stipano	Mark Stipano	Jake Delgaudio
Activities	Nancy Novotny	Nancy Novotny	Donna Persons
Historian			Jake Delgaudio
Ladies of Harley & Sunshine combined 2013	Nora Mongan, Jamie Erickson	Lisa Pritchard	Lisa Pritchard
News Letter Editor	Diane Agnew	Diane Agnew	Tim French
AMA	Jeff Lawrence/ John Hartwell	Art Persons	Art Persons
Membership	Donna Persons	Diane Lawrence	Diane Lawrence
Web Master	Lou Hall	Diane Agnew	Lou Hall
Sunshine	Lisa Pritchard	Lisa Pritchard	
Board of Directors (2011 was Last Year)	Jake Delgaudio, Angela Kenny, Art Persons		
	2014	2015	2016
Director	Art Persons	Art Persons	Art Persons
Ass't Director	Mark Stipano	Mark Stipano	Mike Bala
Secretary	LouAnn Bala	LouAnn Bala	Tina Gibbs
Treasurer	Diane Agnew	Ken Carpenter	Ken Carpenter
Road Captain	Mike Bala	Mike Bala	Mike Bala
Asst Road Captains	Jake Delgaudio, Art Persons, Scott Ryan, Charlie Agnew, Jeff Lawrence, Mark Stipano, Bill Nestuck	Jake Delgaudio, Art Persons, Jeff Lawrence, Mark Stipano, Bill Nestuck, Tim Jones	Jake Delgaudio, Art Persons, Tim Jones, Brian Irwin, Bill Nestuck
Photographer	Everyone!	Everyone!	Everyone
Safety Officer	Jake Delgaudio	Jake Delgaudio	
Activities	Donna Persons	Donna Persons	Donna Persons
Historian	vacant	vacant	Jake Delgaudio
Ladies of Harley & Sunshine combined 2013	Lisa Pritchard	Lisa Pritchard	Donna Persons
News Letter Editor	Kara Woomer	Kara Woomer	Kara Woomer
AMA	Art Persons	Art Persons	Art Persons
Membership	Diane & Jeff Lawrence	Bob Leombruno	Bob Leombruno

Web Master	Lou Hall	Lou Hall	Lou Hall
	2017	2018	2019
Director	Art Persons		
Ass't Director	Mike Bala		
Secretary	Tina Gibbs		
Treasurer	Ken Carpenter		
Road Captain	Mike Bala		
Asst Road Captains	Jake Delgaudio, Art Persons, Tim Jones, Brian Irwin, Bill Nestuck, Terry Fisher		
Photographer	Bruce Tubbs		
Safety Officer	Jake Delgaudio		
Activities	Donna Persons		
Historian	Jake Delgaudio		
Ladies of Harley & Sunshine (combined in 2013)	Donna Persons		
News Letter Editor	Jake Delgaudio		
AMA	Art Persons		
Membership	Bob Leombruno		
Web Master	Lou Hall		

Just sharing some history! Empty blank places in the chart were due to either the position being vacant that year or simply information that was not documented anywhere. If anyone has valid and verifiable information regarding empty sections please let me know!

It is such a pleasure to ride with you all!

As always, Safety First!

Jake Delgaudio



Safety Officer; Jake Delgaudio: “August 2017 Blurbs Blog”!

Safety Officer; “Blurbs Blog”:

Your Tires and what to do if you get a “flat”!

Obviously, the first thing to do when you get a flat tire is to **Get Safely Off The Road!** If you realize you've got a flat tire (or one going flat), time is of the essence: your first priority is to ensure you can safely pull over and get out of the flow of traffic. Applying brakes can cause a loss of control, so **carefully maneuver** your bike with a firm grip on the handlebars (as your bike will get more difficult to control), without fighting the bike too much. Avoid downshifting or braking until you're at a slower



speed, and if you're certain you know which tire is deflated, apply brakes to the *other* wheel lightly and gradually.

Flat tires can be caused by a number of factors, including wet weather (which lubricates sharp objects, making them easier to penetrate rubber) as well as tires that are just worn down too far. Also, keep in mind that many flats are often caused by riding with *low tire pressure* so be sure to check the pressure in your tires *before EVERY ride!*

If you are “stranded” in a tough situation it might be helpful if you carried a tire repair kit and a can of compressed air. This is not the safest thing to do but under certain circumstances it could at least get you to a safe location such as a gas station where you can then call for a tow and wait in comfort. You could also consider carrying a can of compressed “tire goop”...that sticky stuff in a can of compressed air that will make a mess inside your tire BUT again, might just be enough to get you to the nearest gas station, depending of course on your particular problem.

So in closing, while there's sometimes no way to avoid a flat, there are certainly ways to prepare yourself in case you do find yourself in a compromised position. For starters, make sure you regularly [check your tire pressure and tread levels](#) (perform a careful visual check), since riding on low pressure or with worn tires can lead to a flat. You'll also want to prepare for the unexpected, (especially if stranded near dark), by packing a good flashlight (I carry a “crank style” light where you simply crank it up and hit the power switch)...a bottle of water is handy also while you wait for the tow truck and of course proper clothing so you can stay warm. Also be sure to carry a good tire pressure gauge so if you suspect a soft tire, you can accurately inflate it at the nearest service station

before it goes flat! And finally, *If you are just not sure about your tires in general or have any doubt's....have McDermott's Service Dept check them for you! They know tires and care greatly about your safety!*

Just sharing some thoughts! Remember: "Safety is when nothing bad happens" ...and this is not accomplished by chance!

SAFETY FIRST

*It is such a pleasure to ride with you all!
As always, Safety First! Jake Delgaudio*



Membership: Bob Leombruno

Membership records are in order and we currently have 107 members! Thank you!

Photographer: Bruce Tubbs:

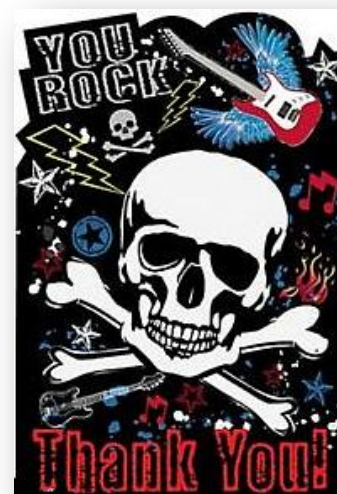
To all those submitting pictures to the HOG Facebook page, thank you very much. The pictorial tour you are taking us on has been amazing. So many of you are traveling in so many directions and showing us where else we should be considering visiting.

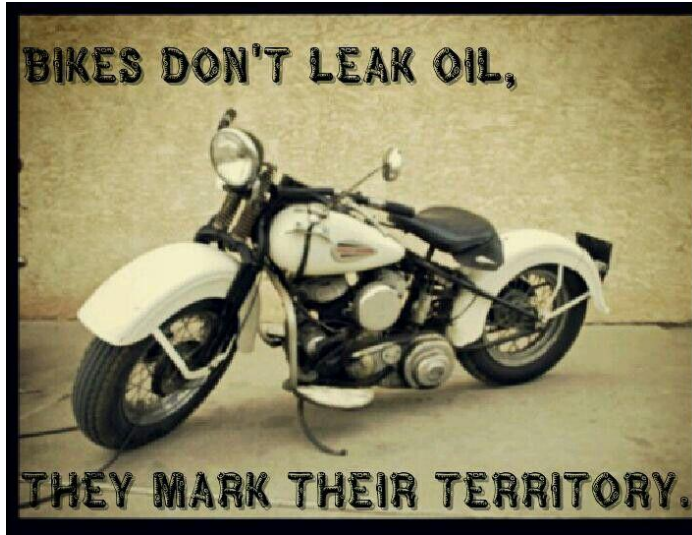


It was nice to take a large group photo of those attending the monthly meeting today. Great to see so many smiling faces!



A HUGE Thank You to our awesome sponsoring dealership, **McDermott's Harley Davidson** for all they do, and have done over the years for the Chapter! **It is GREATLY appreciated!**





Please note: All rides are subject to change or cancellation based on weather and RC availability. Please check the online google calendar or Facebook page for updates. You can always text Mike Bala at 518-222-8896 for additional information.

August:

24 Thursday: ADK HOG- PJ's Bar-B-QSA Bike Night- Meet at PJ's -Sign in with a Road Captain for Credit

26 Saturday: ADK HOG- Brian's Day Ride to Mt Mansfield! This ride includes the NY/VT Ferry! Leaves at 8 AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Approx 300 miles.
RC: Brian Irwin

27 Sunday: TBD

31 Thursday: ADK HOG- PJ's Bar-B-QSA Bike Night- Meet at PJ's -Sign in with a Road Captain for Credit

SEPTEMBER:

2 Saturday: ADK HOG- Visit Granite State HD and lunch at The Weathervane in Lebanon NH. Ride leaves at 9 AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

3 Sunday: ADK HOG- Tail of the Pup BBQ ride! Leaves at 8:30 AM from McDermott's HD in LAKE GEORGE. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Art Persons**

7 Thursday: ADK HOG- PJ's Bar-B-QSA Bike Night- Meet at PJ's -Sign in with a Road Captain for Credit

9-11 (Sat-Mon) : ADK HOG- Maine Toy Run. Returns Monday. Leave from Stewart's Rt 4 in Ft Edward (across from GE) at 8AM. Motel info: Alouette Beach Resort, 91 East Grand Ave, Old Orchard Beach, Maine. [800-565-4151](tel:800-565-4151).
For more info call Bill or Linda Nestuck 587-2786. You must notify Bill if planning to attend. **RC: Bill Nestuck**

14 Thursday: ADK HOG- PJ's Bar-B-QSA Bike Night- Meet at PJ's -Sign in with a Road Captain for Credit

16 Saturday: ADK HOG- Woodstock HD/Billy Joe Rib Works ride! Leave 8:30 AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Depending on day possible highway home but Brian is hoping for a no highway day. Approx 300+ miles. **RC: Brian Irwin**

17 Sunday: Chapter Meeting 10AM McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann. Following the meeting Ride to Freight Yard Pub (FYP) in Massachusetts
RC: Mike Bala

14 Thursday: ADK HOG- PJ's Bar-B-QSA Bike Night- Meet at PJ's -Sign in with a Road Captain for Credit

23 Saturday: ADK HOG- Visit Ben & Jerry's in VT, Mad River Glen & Cabot Cheese!
Lunch at Mr Up's in Middlebury VT. Ride leaves at 8:30 AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Approx 275 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

24 Sunday: ADK HOG-No Ride Planned

30 Saturday: ADK HOG- Mike's Lake Placid Adventure Ride! Leaves at 9 AM from McDermott's HD in LAKE GEORGE. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Mike Bala**

OCTOBER (Please watch the calendar for updates based on weather):

1 Sunday: ADK HOG-TBD

7 Saturday: ADK HOG-TBD

TWO RIDES on the 8th to pick from:

8 Sunday: ADK HOG- Apple Pie Run to Dummerston, VT. Meet at Sally's Hen House on Rt 4 Ft Ann for breakfast 8AM. Ride leaves from Sally's at 9AM.
RC: Art Persons

8 Sunday: Red Knight's Toy Run – Leave Exit 16 Stewarts 9:30 AM\$20 PP or equivalent new unwrapped toy Per Person. Coffee, donuts etc., guided ride (cleaned up from last time), pig roast, raffle tickets, included with admission. **RC: Bill Nestuck**

12 Thursday-25 Wednesday: ADK HOG ~ Disney and Biketoberfest in Daytona, Florida! Ride leaves from exit 16 Stewart's at 7am. Must sign up with Mike ASAP if attending. For more info contact **RC: Mike Bala**

14 Saturday: ADK HOG-TBD

15 Sunday: ADK HOG- ADK HOG-Chapter Meeting 10AM at the Elks in Saratoga.

21 Saturday: ADK HOG-TBD

22 Sunday: ADK HOG-TBD

28 Saturday: ADK HOG-TBD

29 Sunday: ADK HOG-TBD

31 Tuesday: MILEAGE CONTEST ENDS...get those miles in to Art Persons or Mike Bala

ADIRONDACK HOG CHAPTER #3220 Fort Ann, NY

August 20, 2017 Minutes

Primary Officers in Attendance: Art Persons, Director, Mike Bala, Ass't Director,
Ken Carpenter, Treasurer...Secretary Tina Gibbs absent

- **10:25 am Call to order-McDermotts HD in FT Ann**
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **Welcome to new members**
- **These minutes compiled by Jake Delgaudio for Secretary Tina Gibbs**

Officers Reports:

- **Directors Report: Revolution and Iron Adventure Rallies very good...next year it will be only one rally, The Iron Adventure Rally which will be held in Sunday River, Maine (near Bethel).**
- **Secretaries Report, (Always in the newsletter to save time at meetings)**
- **Treasurers Report, Ken Carpenter: All bills paid and treasury in decent shape**
- **Assistant Director, Mile Bala/Head Road Captain: Book any rooms needed for overnight rides still ahead of us...instruction given for group riding re: changing lanes, staggered formation and proper spacing.**
- **Membership, Bob Leombruno**
 - **Membership list has been updated. Jake removed those members who did not renew, from the email list. We have 107 members.**
- **Ladies of Harley, Sunshine & Activities, Donna Persons: Think about Christmas/Awards banquet...BBQ place mentioned, reminder we have a reservation at Sweet Basil and menus and pricing will be obtained.**

Report from Art that Donna will be looking to begin discussion regarding the Holiday party and will be asking for idea's for activities at the party.
- **Safety Officer, Newsletter Editor & Historian, Jake Delgaudio**
 - **Newsletter will be out this week.**
 - **Safety article will be in newsletter.**

- Historian, updated chapter historical and current directory of “those who served” will be in this newsletter. May this year was our 30th Anniversary as a HOG chapter.
- Stay Hydrated!
- Webmaster, Lou Hall: Absent
- Photographer, Bruce Tubbs,
 - Bruce suggested we take a group photo...one was taken. Bruce will work with Lou Ann Bala on the slide show for the annual Christmas/Awards banquet.
- McDermott’s Rep., Alise McDermott: Leaving for Los Angeles for the 2018 model year reveal of bikes and products. Expressed a lot of new accessories will be coming soon also.

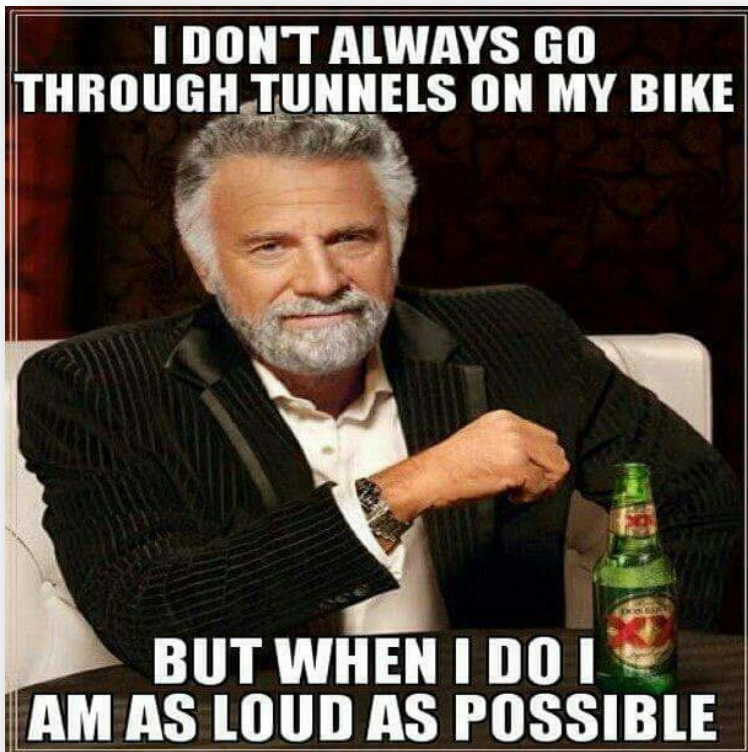
OLD BUSINESS

- Director again discussed the need for a new website. Member raised question of needing Multiple bids. Director will investigate.

NEW BUSINESS

Christmas Families Fund: Donna Persons usually gets a family for us to donate to through “Family Servcies”....also, if anyone knows a family that could use help with Christmas let Donna know.

Adjournment: 11:01 A.M.



**CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP
ENROLLMENT FORM AND RELEASE**

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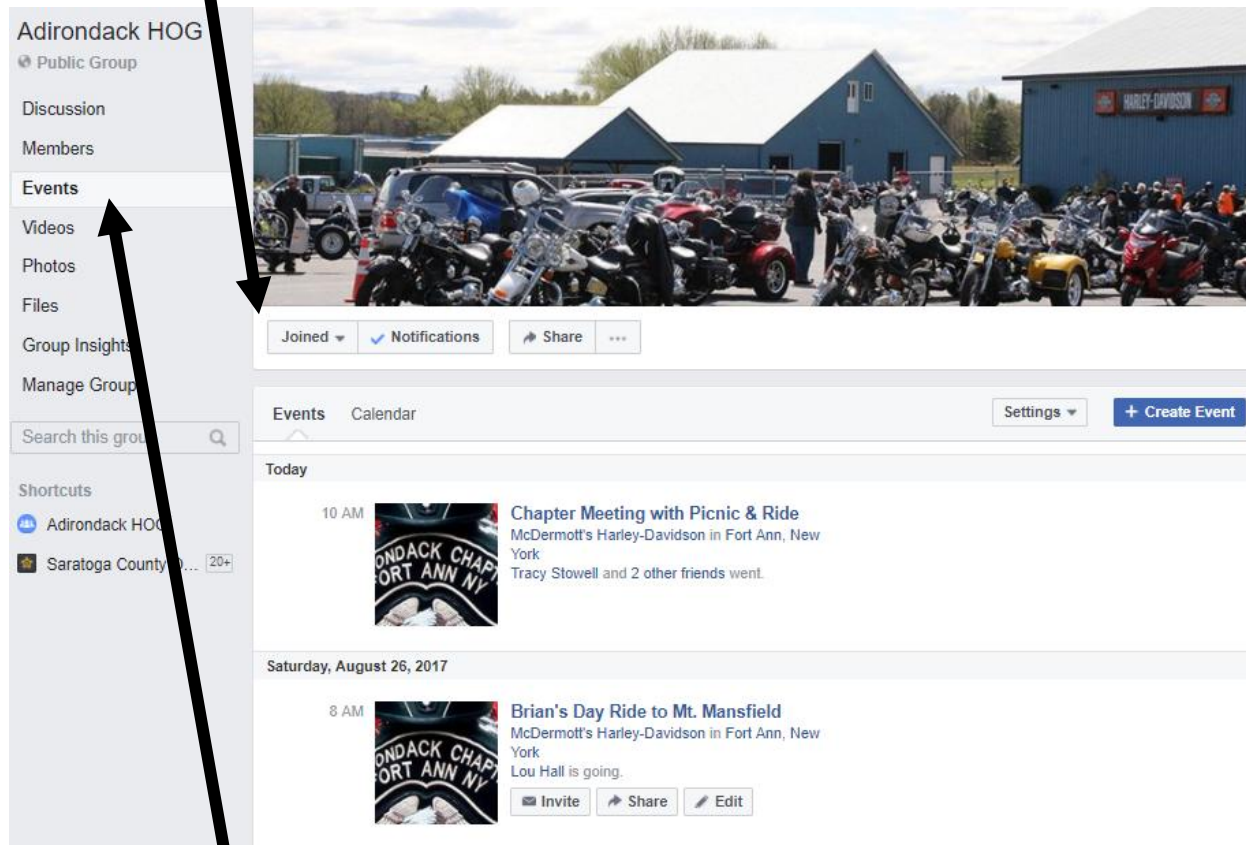


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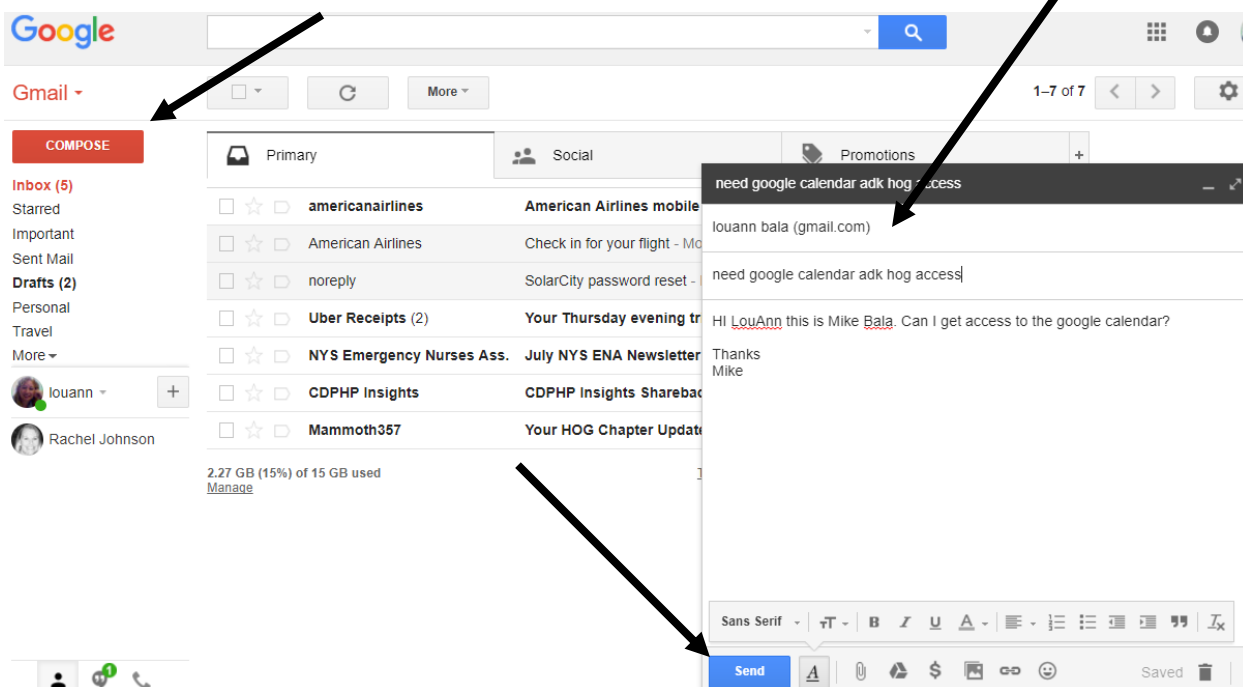
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