

Director's Corner
Art Persons

Hello Adirondack HOG Members! Only 3 weeks till spring! What a crazy winter it's been. If I can't ride my snowmobile, let's get the cold weather out of here and go cruising! Some of our Chapter members are on their way to the 75th Daytona Bike Week. I wish I was leaving too. I haven't been to Daytona in 25 years. The years have flown by.

At our last meeting, Mike B. unveiled the 2016 Ride schedule. You will notice some of our old standards as well as some new destinations to keep thing interesting. There are already some minor changes, we will keep you posted. Check out the overnights so you can get your rooms reserved early.

Just to change things up a bit, Donna P. decided to move the LOH Chili (Whatever) Cook-off to the fall. The LOH Bike Blessing will still be held this spring, & is the kickoff to our riding season. If the weather continues like it has been, we may get some early rides in.

Check "Donna's Stuff" later in the newsletter for upcoming brunches. 2 weeks ago, I think we made a new record with 20 Members at brunch.

That's it for now, I will see you at brunch or at our next meeting.

Birthdays:

George Barbiero, Alan Blasczyk, Roxanne Fonda, & Theresa Girard.

Donna's Stuff!

All brunches are at 11am-

Sunday, March 6, Rathbun's Maple Sugar House, Granville

Sunday, March 13, The Kettle, 445 Church Street, Saratoga

Sunday, March 20, Adirondack Chapter Meeting, Saratoga Elks
Lodge

Sunday, March 27, HAPPY EASTER - NO BRUNCH



Historian; “Blurbs Blog”:

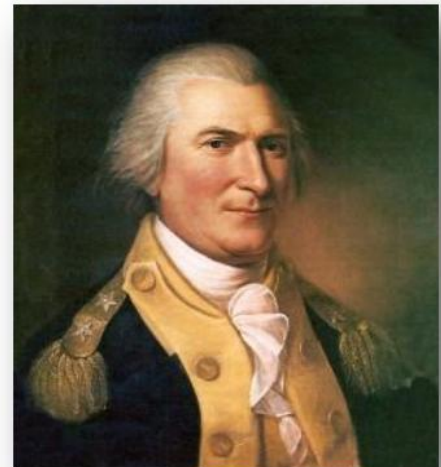
Ft Ann (Township) History Part 2: “Battle of Ft Anne”

The town of Fort Ann New York was the site of a very important American Revolutionary War battle... This was the Battle of Fort Anne.

The Battle of Fort Anne, fought on July 8, 1777, was an engagement between Continental Army forces (in retreat from Fort Ticonderoga) and forward elements of John Burgoyne's much larger British army that had driven them from Ticonderoga, early in the Saratoga campaign of the American Revolutionary War.

Background

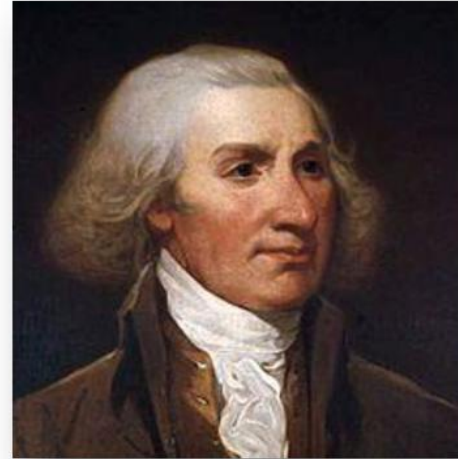
On the night of July 5–6, the Continental Army forces occupying Fort Ticonderoga were ordered to evacuate that fort by General Arthur St. Clair (shown at right...and who later lost his command for giving this order), following the approach of General John Burgoyne's 8,000-man army. Most of the American forces left Ticonderoga and the surrounding defense works via Fort Independence and the road to Hubbardton. About 600 men under Colonel Pierse Long, sailed up the lake in a flotilla consisting of 5 armed galleys and over 200 smaller transport vessels. These vessels were loaded with as many of the sick from the fort as they could take, stores and supplies, and armaments. Believing the log boom and pontoon bridge placed between Ticonderoga and Mount Independence to be sufficient to delay the British pursuit, Long began to sail up the lake toward Skenesboro, the southernmost navigable point on the lake, at a leisurely pace.



The British, however, were hardly slowed down by the water defenses. Burgoyne, once he learned of the American withdrawal on the morning of July 6, ordered the defenses to be taken down. With well-placed gunfire, the bridge and boom were eliminated as obstacles in the space of 30 minutes. Burgoyne ordered troops to follow southward as rapidly as possible, instead of remaining in formation, while he sailed southward in pursuit. Assisted by favorable winds, he was within three miles of Skenesboro by the end of July 6, where the Americans, who arrived only two hours earlier, had a small stockade fort. In an attempt to surround the position, Burgoyne landed about 200 men from the 9th, 20th, and 21st regiments, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel John Hill, at a point south of Skenesboro with the objective of cutting off the road to Fort Anne.

The Americans were in the process of portaging around the falls at Skenesboro to Wood Creek when Burgoyne's boats arrived and opened fire and In the process many of the American supplies were either destroyed or abandoned to the British. The Americans

retreated toward Fort Anne in disarray, but not before starting a fire that eventually engulfed most of the structures at Skenesboro. When they reached Fort Anne they were met by 400 New York militia under Henry van Rensselaer, that had been sent by General Philip Schuyler (shown at right and later a US Senator from New York) from Fort Edward after he received news of the retreat from Ticonderoga.



The British pursuers under Hill, captured more American supplies, sick and wounded, and camp followers that trailed behind the main body, and moved south until they were about one mile (at BATTLE HILL site, see plaque below) from Fort Anne. Here they encountered an American reconnaissance party numbering about 170 under Captain James Gray; in the ensuing skirmish one American was killed and three more wounded before the Americans retreated to the fort.

Battle of Fort Anne

On the morning of July 8, a supposed American deserter, who was really a spy, informed Hill that the fort was occupied by nearly 1,000 demoralized troops. Opting not to attack the numerically superior force, Hill sent a message back to Burgoyne outlining the situation. Burgoyne ordered the 20th and 21st regiments to quick-march toward Fort Anne in support, but poor weather hampered their movement, and they did not arrive until after the battle. The "deserter" returned to Fort Anne and reported on the British position and troop strength.

Long, seeing how few British soldiers were following him, decided to attack their position. Moving as stealthily as possible, his force tried to surround the British while they were still on the road. However, Hill's men heard the rebel movements on their flanks and retreated to a higher position, abandoning some wounded men, who were eventually captured by the

Americans. When the Americans opened fire, it was "a heavy and well-directed fire", according to one British officer. The battle lasted for more than 2 hours, until both sides were nearly out of ammunition, and the British were virtually surrounded



by Americans. The sound of Indian war whoops from the north prompted the Americans to retreat, and they retired to the fort with their wounded, including Van Rensselaer, who had taken a shot in the hip.

Aftermath

Back at the fort the Americans held a brief council as they had heard that 2,000 or more British troops under the command of General Phillips were rapidly advancing. Long's men, as they were nearly out of ammunition, withdrew toward Fort Edward, burning the stockaded fort as they left.

The Fort (Fort Anne) (shown right): The original fort was on this site and was burnt and rebuilt several times...and is now represented by the “replica blockhouse” (which is a bank), on Rt 4 in the village of Ft Ann.



During the Revolutionary War the old Fort Anne served as a refuge for Patriot soldiers retreating from the siege of Fort Ticonderoga in July 1777 and as a rally point for the Battle of Fort Anne on 8 Jul 1777. The battle delayed General Burgoyne's march toward Saratoga and contributed to his defeat. Fort Anne was burned down as Burgoyne advanced but was rebuilt after his defeat. The rebuilt fort was captured and burned down again by British Major Christopher Carlton during his raids on Albany in October 1780.

Battle Hill (main battle site) is located on Rt 4 heading north out of Ft Ann village...1 mile up on the left (from Rt 149/Rt4 intersection). This is the location of the



marker/plaque

shown here. It has since been documented that this was a 2 day battle...not 1 day as indicated on the plaque.

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



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Safety Officer; "Blurbs Blog":

This month's article is on a very important topic:

Riding Behind an Unsafely Loaded Vehicle

According to the National Highway Safety Administration, "poorly secured loads" are responsible for more than 25,000 crashes and approximately 500 fatalities in this country each year. Not to mention the over 11,000 injured. Now... Guess who's responsible if something falls off **YOUR** car/truck/motorcycle and injures

somebody? Yup, **YOU ARE.**

Rule #1 for us as "drivers/operators" is to make certain that anything we are hauling or have attached to our bikes is properly and completely placed AND secure. Look at the picture to the right...see anything wrong? Double check your ropes, bungee's etc to be certain they are in good condition and replace any that shows excessive signs of wear and always properly place your cargo on your bike.



Rule #1 for us as "defensive" operators riding behind ANY vehicle with a "load" attached to a vehicle or any vehicle carrying a load in the back of it, such as a pick-up truck is to **BE AWARE** that at any time objects may fly off of/out of that vehicle and make contact with us.

I have personally been attacked by water bottles, beer cans, cardboard, and even a piece of sheetrock that flew out of the back of a pickup truck on the Northway. I had no idea it was even in the trucks bed, as it was a smaller piece approx 3' by 3' and laying flat in the bed. It just rose up and flew back. You must always be ready and expecting of such an occurrence. How can you do that?



Stay back! Leave plenty of room and make sure to leave yourself that "out"...room to swerve at a moment's notice. When objects are tied to a vehicle's roof be especially careful. Most people for example who are hauling a mattress ties to the top of their car do **NOT** take the time or care to properly secure it. Maybe they figure they are just going a few miles, so what does it matter, either way, whatever the reason, if you are behind them you **ARE** in danger. Examine the objects, see if they are moving, see how they are reacting to the wind-shear, look at the tie downs etc but

always be prepared to make a defensive move!

And finally pass when safe and get in front of them if possible! We have all hopefully developed the habit of examining log trucks, cars loaded with gear on the roof, vehicles pulling trailers, etc....and I am sure we all know that many of them are simply not safe to be around. If you cannot pass...simply pull over and wait a minute or two and then get back on the road!

Finally, if you see a dangerous situation as such, please CALL 911 and REPORT IT! You might just save someone's life!

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

February Meeting Minutes

ADIRONDACK HOG CHAPTER #3220 Fort Ann, NY

February 2016 Minutes

*Primary Officers in Attendance: Art Persons, Director
Mike Bala, Assistant Director
Tina L. Gibbs, Secretary
Ken Carpenter, Treasurer*

- 10:12am Call to order
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Welcome to new members, Diana Corlew and Joe Harrison

Officers Reports:

- Secretaries Report, (printed in the newsletter to save time at meeting)

Motion made by Tom Wiese, seconded by Pierre Fonda to accept minutes.

- Treasures Report, Read, accepted as read
- Assistant Director, Mike Bala, Nothing
- Head Road Captain, Mike Bala, Mike will not be going to Laconia, due to work schedule.

Iron Butt Ride, Sunday after Laconia, 450 miles, leave at 7am.

Rides this season will include working on the ABC's of Harley. Planning a week-

End Iron Adventure to collect ABC's. Home about 8pm on Sunday.

Planning longer rides (as requested by many)

Get in touch with Mike with suggestions of rides.

Calendar will be up within 24 hours. Be sure to update your email address so

that you will receive any ride updates. Find the ride calendar at ADK.com.

- Membership, Bob Leombruno, if your dues are not up to date March will be your last newsletter. So remember to pay those dues!
- Ladies of Harley, Sunshine & Activities, Donna Persons, Brunch schedule

All brunches are at 11am-

Sunday, March 6, Rathbun's Maple Sugar House, Granville

Sunday, March 13, The Kettle, 445 Church Street, Saratoga

Sunday, March 20, Adirondack Chapter Meeting, Saratoga Elks Lodge

Come early for breakfast!

Sunday, March 27, NO BRUNCH HAPPY EASTER!

Activities, Christine McCormack, Director of Sacandaga Chapter spoke, she would like to see the chapters support each other's events. She also shared a couple of upcoming events of the Sacandaga Chapter, April 9th, 2016 Polar Run registration 10 to 11am at ADK Harley, Broadalbin, \$5 per person, kick stands up at 11am, Bike Blessing at Kateri Tekakwitha Shrine, Fonda, approximately 11:45am, ride back to ADK for lunch.

May 15th, 2016 Ride to benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, registration 10:30 to 11:45am, at ADK Harley, Broadalbin, kick stands up at 12 noon, pre-registration \$20 per person.

- Safety & Historian, Jake Delgaudio, be sure to check your bike over! Any issues, McDermott's Harley Davidson, our sponsor!

Don't forget to make hotel/motel reservations for any of the weekend trips you are planning on attending.

- Newsletter Editor, Kara Woomer, Absent
- Webmaster, Lou Hall, Absent
- Photographer, LouAnn Bala, will be there to take pictures when she can! Everyone should continue to take pictures!
- McDermott's Rep., Alise McDermott, Calendars are in! She forgot them, but stop by McDermott's' to pick one up!

Chowder Fest, February 27th, still looking for entries.

Saturday, February 27th, is Butch's last day! He is moving on to a new career, come help us celebrate.

OLD BUSINESS

HOG Training, Providence RI

NEW BUSINESS

1. Ride Schedule, should be posted within the next 24 hours
2. Reminder again to book overnight stays for rides.
3. Nation of Patriots Ride, in need of someone to transport the flag, the Thursday of Americade, from McDermott's to VT.
4. Discussion of Veteran's Recovery Program, and unclaimed remains, they are picked up from funeral homes and taken to National Cemetery, the Friday of Americade.
5. Fat Tom's Auto Repair, Tom Wiese, Poultney Vermont, will be one of the stops on the Scavenger Hunt that Americade offers.
6. McDermott's will also be one of the stops.
7. McDermott's will be looking for extra help during Americade and also for the season at Lake George store.

Adjournment, 11am

2016 ADIRONDACK HOG CHAPTER RIDE SCHEDULE:

NOTE: As more rides are added and as the schedule changes you will be emailed updates!

APRIL:

17 Sunday: ADK HOG: Chapter Meeting at Saratoga Elk's at 10AM!

30 Saturday: ADK HOG-

MAY:

1 Sunday: ADK HOG:

7 Saturday: ADK HOG- Bike Blessing/ Milage Contest begins/ Sell your bike day at McDermott's, 4294 Route 4, Ft, Ann. Register 11am. Blessing at 12 noon. Ride 12:30PM going to Barnsider in Lk Geo for lunch! RC: Mike Bala

8 Sunday : ADK HOG- Mothers Day Ride! Meet at the Golden Corral in Queensbury at 8AM! Ride loop around Sacandaga Lake follows. Approx 150 miles. RC: Mike Bala

10 Tuesday: ADK HOG-Dinner Ride to Buffalo Wild Wings in Clifton Park: Depart I-87 Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:45 PM. Jake Delgaudio

14 Saturday: ADK HOG: Cranberry Lake Ride! Leaves at 9AM from McDermotts HD in Lake George. Lunch in Cranberry Lake. Let Mike know if going by the 12th of May please! Approx Miles 275. RC: Mike Bala

15 Sunday : ADK HOG-Chapter Meeting McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann 10 AM . **After meeting:** 2016's First Ride to Dinosaur BBQ, Troy. Ice Cream Man in Greenwich after for dessert! Approx 150 miles. RC: Jake Delgaudio

21 Saturday: ADK HOG-

22 Sunday : ADK HOG- Black Bear Ride! Nice Adirondack ride with Lunch at The Black Bear Restaurant. Ride leaves at 8:30 from McDermotts HD in Ft Ann. Approx Miles: 175 RC: Mike Bala

28 Saturday: ADK HOG-

29 Sunday: ADK HOG- Cooperstown Ride! Visit to Cooperstown, lunch at Brooks BBQ . Ride leaves at 9AM from I-87 Exit 16 Stewart's . Approx Miles 250

RC: Art Persons

30 Monday: ADK HOG- Ride to Saratoga National Cemetery "In honor of our Military" and Memorial Day. Leaves from McDermott's Ft Ann at 9:30AM. Lunch at PJ's BBQ Saratoga. **RC: Art Persons**

JUNE:

4 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**

5 Sunday: ADK HOG~ Tim's Vermont Ride #2! Includes lunch stop and ends back at Rob & Debs in Glens Falls for Ice Cream. Leaves at 9AM from McDermott's in Ft Ann. Approx 240 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

6-11 Americade Week

9 Thursday: ADK HOG- Dinner Ride to PJ's BBQ Bike Night in Saratoga. Depart I-87 Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:45 PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

11 Saturday: ADKHOG- Meet at McDermott's in LAKE GEORGE at 7pm then do "Walk- A-Bout" through Village..last day of Americade. There will be a sign-in sheet.

12 Sunday: ADK HOG~ Tough-Butt's Day Ride to Laconia! There and back with Mike! Visit at Pin Stop and other places along the day! Leaves at 7AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. **Approx 450 Mile Day!** **RC: Mike Bala**

11-19 Laconia Bike Week

18 Saturday: ADK HOG- Run-About Ride! Ride to Granite State Harley, scenic roads, lunch stop and end back at Martha's in Lk George for Ice Cream! Leaves at 8:30AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Approx 240 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

19 Sunday: ADK HOG- Chapter Meeting (Happy Father's Day!)McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann-10AM

24 Friday-Sunday: ADK HOG~ 1000 Island River Run, Alexandria Bay. Ride leave's from _____ at _____ AM, staying 2 nights at the Pinehurst Motel, Alexandria Bay, NY... Phone: 315-482-9452. Returning Sunday morning. Tell Bob at the motel you are with the HOG Chapter, when you make reservations. Also let RC Bill Nestuck know you are going. Approx miles 210. **RC: Bill Nestuck**
Bill Nestuk: (518) 464-6796 bnestuk@bemsales.net

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

26 Sunday: ADK HOG-

JULY:

2 Saturday: ADK HOG- Wilderness Ride: Stops at Pinetree Restaurant in Brantingham, NY for lunch. Nice Scenic Adirondack roads! Ride leaves at 8AM from McDermott's in LAKE GEORGE. Approx 300 miles. **RC: Art Persons**

3 Sunday: ADK HOG-

9 Saturday: ADK HOG- BBQ Weekend Ride #1 to Dinosaur BBQ in Syracuse! Leaves 8:30 AM from Stewart's Exit 16. Approx 300 miles. **RC: Mike Bala**

10 Sunday: ADK HOG- BBQ Weekend Ride #2: Tail of the Pup BBQ in Saranac! Ride leaves from McDermott's HD in LAKE GEORGE at 9AM. Approx 250 miles.
RC: Art Persons

***14-17 Thurs, Fri, Sat (back Sun): NYS HOG RALLY Alexandria Bay; info to follow**

16 Saturday: ADK HOG-

17 Sunday: ADK HOG- NO July Chapter MEETING! August meeting counts as 2!

17 Sunday: ADK HOG- For those already in Alexandria Bay at HOG Rally:
"Utica Ride for Kids": (on the way back from Alexandria Bay) departs at
7AM **RC: Mike Bala**

21 Thursday: ADK HOG~ Dinner Ride to **PJ's BBQ Bike Night** in Saratoga. Depart I-87
Exit 16 Stewart's at 5:45PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

23 Saturday: ADK HOG- Meet 8:15AM Golden Corral Queensbury for Breakfast. Then
Ride leaves 9AM for **Dakin Farms** in VT, then **Green Mountain HD** in Essex
(Burlington)VT, Grand Isle 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 275 miles. Longer Day...with LOTS of
stops. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

24 Sunday: ADK HOG-**8th Annual Alma's Ride! Info to follow!**

30 Saturday- Sunday 31: ADK HOG- **2 DAY RIDE & ABC's of Touring Run!** Includes
stop at Iron Adventure Tri-State HOG Rally at Okemo, Ludlow VT. Leaving
at 7AM from McDermotts HD in Ft Ann....return Sunday 8PM. Miles
unknown! Saturday night hotel info: **will follow soon**
RC: Mike Bala

31 Sunday:

AUGUST:

6 Saturday: ADK HOG~ **Vermont Country Store**, Weston VT. Leave McDermott's HD in
Ft Ann at 9:30 AM....LUNCH: McDonalds or Zoey's Deli up the street, as
you want! 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

7 Sunday: ADK HOG- **Adirondack Riders Run**. Leaving at 11AM from I-87 Exit 18
McDonald's! **RC: Art Persons**

11 Thursday-14 Sunday: ADK HOG- **GENEVA WEEKEND TRIP!** Staying at the **Days Inn Geneva...485 Hamilton St, Geneva, NY (315) 789-4050.** This is wine country and always busy **so book your room ASAP.** Ride leaves THURSDAY from Exit 16 Stewarts at 8AM. Lunch along the way. Approx 205 miles. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

12 Friday: ADK HOG- Ride Leaves Days Inn at 8AM. Goes through Finger Lakes National Forest to Taughannock Falls State Park :
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!)...and on to Finger Lakes (Ithaca) Harley-Davidson, New York 13, in Cayuta, then into Pennsylvania to Eisenhower's Tioga County Harley-Davidson, 2911 South Main Street, Mansfield, PA 16933...back Up along Seneca Lake to the motel!
Approx 225 miles. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

13 Saturday: ADK HOG- **FREE DAY** : Visit Wineries, take wine tour (Bus)...shop etc...do whatever you want! (I (Jake) will be doing Harley ABC's for example and searching for road Signs which can only safely be done with a few bikes)! Go enjoy the area!

14 Sunday: ADK HOG- Ride back home from Geneva! Leave hotel at 8:30 AM. Ride back includes famous route 167 "Twisties Ride" from Richfield Springs to Little Falls! Approx 215 miles.**RC: Jake Delgaudio**

13 Saturday: ADK HOG-

14 Sunday: ADK HOG- **Art's "Ride-Around"** with lunch at Zoey's Deli in Manchester, VT! Leave 9AM from Exit 16 Stewart's. Approx 160 miles. **RC: Art Persons**

18 Thursday: ADK HOG- Dinner ride to **PJ's BBQ Bike Night** in Saratoga. Depart I-87 Exit 16 Stewarts at 5:45PM. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

20 Saturday: ADK HOG- Ride to Pratt's Rock in the Upper Catskill region. Plenty of stops including Adirondack HD. More about Pratt's Rock at https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pratt_Rock Then on to a casual Lunch at Subway Sandwich shop at 11 Vets Rd, Windham, NY 12496. Ride leaves Stewarts Exit 16 at 9AM. Approx 250 miles. **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

21 Sunday: ADK HOG-- Chapter Meeting (counts as 2) McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann-10AM. **CHAPTER PICNIC DAY!** Ride follows meeting then back to McDermott's Ft Ann for Picnic! **RC: Jake Delgaudio**

27 Saturday: ADK HOG- Akins Ride for Strides. Ride leaves at _____ from _____.
RC: Bill Nestuck

28 Sunday: ADK HOG- Lake Placid. Ride leaves at 8:30AM from McDermotts HD in LAKE GEORGE. Approx Miles 250. **RC: Art Persons**

SEPTEMBER:

3 Saturday: ADK HOG- Need More Ribs Ride! Ride to "Billy Joe Rib Works" in Newburgh, NY. Ride will be highway down then side roads back! Leaves at 7:30AM from exit 16 Stewart's. Approx 400 mile day. **RC: Mike Bala**

4 Sunday: ADK HOG-

5 Monday: **ADK HOG: Labor Day** ADK-HOG: Country Ride for Labor Day. Leaves McDermott's HD in Ft Ann at 2 PM. Farm Country roads, Dinner at Greenwich House of Pizza...menu at www.thegreenwichhouseofpizza.com ends at Rob & Deb's (Glens Falls) for Ice Cream Approx 80 miles
RC: Jake Delgaudio

10-12 (Sat-Mon) : ADK HOG- Maine Toy Run. Returns Monday. Leave from Stewart's on Rt 4 in Ft Edward (across from GE) at _____ A.M. Motel info: Alouette Beach Resort, 91 East Grand Ave, Old Orchard Beach, Maine. 800-565-4151. For more info call Bill or Linda Nestuck 587-2786 **RC: Bill Nestuck**

10 Saturday: ADK HOG-

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17 Saturday: ADK HOG- The Mac-N-Cheese Ride! Ride goes to Wilkins HD in Barre, VT. Leaves at 8AM from McDermotts HD in Ft Ann. Approx 300 miles.
RC: Art Persons

18 Sunday: Chapter Meeting 10AM McDermott's Harley Davidson 4294 State Route 4, Ft. Ann. Following the meeting Ride to Basil & Wicks Restaurant in North Creek! **RC: Art Persons**

24 Saturday: ADK HOG- Mike's Fall Foliage Classic! Ride to Lake Placid...leaves at 9 AM from McDermott's HD in LAKE GEORGE. Approx 260 miles. **RC: Mike Bala**

25 Sunday: ADK HOG- Wagon Train BBQ outside Rotterdam. Menu at 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**

OCTOBER:

1 Saturday: ADK HOG- Ride the Bromley-Wilmington Loop in Vermont! "Later lunch" at the Burger Den, Lake Lauderdale, NY. Leaves 9:30 AM from McDermott's HD in Ft Ann. Approx 200 miles. **RC: Tim Jones**

2 Sunday: ADK HOG-

7 Friday-19 Wednesday: ADK HOG ~ Ride to Biketoberfest in Daytona, Florida! Ride leaves from exit 16 Stewart's at 7am. For more info contact **RC: Mike Bala**

8 Saturday: ADK HOG-

9 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: Mike Bala or Art Persons**

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NOVEMBER

Sunday 6th: ADK HOG~Brunswick Toy Run. More info to follow. Also note; Last day to get your milage in for the milage contest

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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.)

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