

**Director's Corner**  
**Art Persons**

Hello ADK HOG! Fall is here & with it some cooler temps. I have already started wearing my heavy gloves on the way to work. Another sign of fall is our annual election of officers. Nominations opened at our Sept. meeting. A few changes are in the works. LouAnn B. Is stepping down as Secretary. Tina G. has accepted a nomination for secretary. Lisa P. is stepping down as Ladies of Harley- Sunshine with no one nominated to take her place. If anyone is interested in this position, contact Lisa for a description on duties. You don't need to be a driver for this position, you only need to be a Chapter member. You don't even need to be a Lady! All of our other Chapter Officers have been re-nominated & accepted. Nominations remain open until the end of our Oct. Meeting. My thanks to all our Officers for another great year!

Pierre F. Is checking with the Saratoga Elks to see if we can return there for our "cold weather meetings" starting in Oct. Plan on coming early for their Buffet All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast.

There are still some great rides planned, so keep your eye on the website calendar & e-mails.

Our Christmas Party plans are under way. Sweet Basil on Rte. 9 in Queensbury has been booked with 1 change. When Stacey went back to make our reservation after our meeting, Dec. 12 had already been booked. I made the executive decision to take Dec. 5 as an alternative. Thanks to Stacey for her hard work on the banquet. The price for the banquet changed slightly to \$32 / person, with dessert, appetizers, tax, tip, & coffee or soft drink included. (They gave us a bargain price on appetizers as an apology.)

**Happy Birthday to the following: Mike Bala, Ken Carpenter, Jonathan Hague, Donna Persons, Scott Ryan, Paul Sicko, John Skaza, & Milt Smith.**





## Safety Officer; “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 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 28 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 Chapter Secretary could keep a working copy and add each new year to this list as no other such list as this exists.*

	<b>1987 Chapter Formed</b>	<b>1988 Chartered with HD in May</b>	<b>1989</b>
Director	Jay Stone	Jay Stone/Ray Bailey	Ray Bailey
	<b>1990</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1992</b>
Director	Ray Bailey	Norm LaMarque	Norm LaMarque
Ass't Director	Norm LaMarque		
	<b>1993</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>1995</b>
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	

	<b>1996</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>
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
	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>
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	
	<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004</b>
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
	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>
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
	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
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
	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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		
	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Director	Art Persons	Art Persons	
Ass't Director	Mark Stipano	Mark Stipano	
Secretary	LouAnn Bala	LouAnn Bala	
Treasurer	Diane Agnew	Ken Carpenter	
Road Captain	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	
Photographer	Everyone!	Everyone!	
Safety Officer	Jake Delgaudio	Jake Delgaudio	
Activities	Donna Persons	Donna Persons	
Historian			
Ladies of Harley & Sunshine combined 2013	Lisa Pritchard	Lisa Pritchard	
News Letter Editor	Kara Woomer	Kara Woomer	
AMA	Art Persons	Art Persons	
Membership	Diane & Jeff Lawrence	Bob Leombruno	

Web Master	Lou Hall	Lou Hall	
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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*

## **Ladies of Harley**

*Lisa Pritchard*

Happy October!

I want to give thanks to all the members that came out for the 6th Annual Charlie's Ride! The weather was perfect, the scenery was fantastic, the Halftime Bar & Grill food was great and the riders was awesome! Thanks to the folks who helped with registration, the Sweepers, the Road Captains and most of all to Mark Stipano who placed a lot of time and effort in planning the route. \$600 was the official amount raised to help give more children more tomorrow's!!

I am hoping to hear from members to volunteer making baked goods and assist selling those baked goods on Saturday, October 10 for the McDermott's Open House!! The money raised is for our Christmas Family this year! In honor of Fall I'm going to change it up this year and make zucchini bread for the bake sale!

Lastly, as I announced at the September meeting I will not be seeking election this year as Ladies of Harley Officer/Sunshine person. I will assist in every way possible to help the next person make the transition smooth as possible.

Enjoy the Fall!

## **Donna's Stuff!**

Hi Folks, COMING IN NOVEMBER! Sunday Brunches!

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