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From the Director's Desk
By Art Persons

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Milwaukee 115th Anniversary Celebration kicks off August 29th with a Welcome Party!



Hello ADK HOG! The summer is flying by! 11 of us just returned from the Iron Adventure in Bethel, ME. When we made our reservations, it seemed like we had a long wait, & now it's over! We had a great time at the rally, along with about 1200 other HOG members from most of the east coast, Quebec, Ontario, Nova Scotia & Texas. Kjeld & his wife got up early one morning and found a moose. We had a few hours of rain on Saturday morning, but, most days were HOT!!!

Happy 40<sup>th</sup> Birthday to McDermott's HD! Time flies when you're having fun. The 1<sup>st</sup> bike I bought from Tom M. was a used (& abused) 1980 Roadster (Sportster) in 1983. I stole some parts off another Sportster that I had & built a great bike. I hope everyone has rsvp'd for our annual picnic. There are lots of games & stuff planned along with some great food. I am looking forward to seeing everyone.

I just received word from our contact in N.H. A group from Twin States H.D will be bringing the Nation of Patriots' Flag to McDermotts on Aug. 25 about 12pm. We will be delivering the flag to Spitzie's H.D. on Sun., Aug. 26<sup>th</sup>. It would be great to have a big turnout for the delivery. Leave time will be 10am from McDermotts, Ft. Ann for an 11:30 delivery time. Lunch plans are in the works.

Coming up in 3 weeks is H.D.'s 115<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebration in Milwaukee. I'm looking forward to a great time. Who plans on going? The schedule looks good with lots to see & do. That's all for now, I hope to see you all on the road.

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#### **Events and Activities**

by Donna Persons

• ADK HOG's **summer picnic** is right around the corner on Aug. 19. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

- Thank you to everyone who came out to support Alma's Ride. If you haven had the chance to take a look at the video that was produced, here is the link: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/McDermottsHD/videos/30">https://www.facebook.com/McDermottsHD/videos/30</a>
   5514196850055/
- PJ's Bike Nights occur every Thursday around 5pm.
   Meet us there and get credit for a ride. You can also win some great prizes!



# Happy Birthday!!!

- August Birthdays
  - Eric Lawson
  - o Mike Rouley
  - o Jake Delgaudio
  - Bruce Adams
  - Jeff Henk
- September Birthdays
  - Deb Bartolucci
  - Tim Jones
  - Linda Jones
  - Jacob Lederman
  - Rose Pelcher
  - Lisa Stipano
  - Raymond Stratton
  - o Thomas Wiese



Don't see your Birthday listed?

We probably don't know...please send an email to the newsletter editor at adkhog@gmail.com

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#### **Assistant Director**

By Brian Irwin

Nothing to report. Be safe and enjoy the last month of summer. Farmer's almanac is calling for snow by September  $25^{th}$ ....

#### Historian

By Mike Bala

Thank you, Tom for bringing us all together to share our love of riding...



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## Head Road Captain

By Mike Bala



So far this season we have had 45 days of riding on the schedule and 63 members have participated.

12 members attended the Iron Adventure Rally at Sunday River in Maine. We rode North to North Country HD and Central HD. Participated in the parade and other activities. Next year the rally will be at Okemo.

Thank you to all the road captains for a successful Alma's Ride and McDermott's 40th Anniversary Ride.

Looking forward we still have a lot of riding. We have five members headed to the 115th in Milwaukee. Upcoming rides include Motorcyclepedia and OCC, Apple Pie Run and watch for some overnight rides as members attempt to complete the New England Dealer Challenge.

#### Check out the NEW Mileage Contest!! You have to be in it to win it!

### **2018 Categories: Mile Awards**

- 0-4999 \$25.00
- 5K-9999 \$35.00
- 10K-14999 \$50.00
- 15K and up \$75.00(runner up)
- Top Mileage \$200.00

Entry Fee is \$5.00 per participant. Award will be given to member with highest mileage within each range. No prize awarded if no one has a mileage within that range. If two or more members have the exact same mileage in a category, the *Director or his designee* will draw a winner.

- Random Mileage Winner Category: 3 numbers will be drawn and the member with the closest to matching last digits on their odometer wins \$25.00.
- Most Rides Attended Category: Rider \$20.00 / Passenger \$20.00

Top Mileage winner is not eligible to win that category again for the following 2 years. Example: if you win in 2018 you are not eligible again until 2021.

All other mileage categories cannot be won by the same person 2 years in a row. But you are eligible for a different category.

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# Lou's News! Website and Newsletter Editor

by LouAnn Bala

## Looking for the next ride or club activity?

Check out ADKHOG.com. All events will be updated on the website and newsletter as they are made available.

If you have an event you would like to include, please let me know by email balalouann@gmail.com, Facebook messenger or texting 518-321-2056. Anyone interested in submitting articles, or who would like to help with the website, please let me know! Check out the GROUP PHOTOS on the website. We update email addresses monthly, so if you have paid your dues you should be getting this. If you hear of anyone who is not getting this, please have them email me asap so I can add them to the list. Minutes and treasurer reports are submitted separately and all copies are available upon request to dues paying club members.

## **Classifieds and Announcements**

NONE..