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MADISON H.O.G. CHAPTER #3793

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**FROM THE CHAPTER
DIRECTOR**

- **Dennis LeMoine** -

Some of you may have seen the comments on our Facebook page about the National Motorcycle Museum closing later this summer. At our ride planning meeting we discussed doing a chapter ride to go through it one more time before it closes. We asked this month at our meeting and other chapter members are also interested. I plan to do this ride on Saturday, June 10th. We will leave the dealership at 9:30AM.

Don't forget to sign up to participate in Ride 365. Be sure to also go on your HOG profile and assign your dealer to your Ride 365 information.

This riding season we are putting together a chapter challenge to go along with the "Ride 365". This challenge is for our chapter members only. You can win a prize for first, second and third place for the most mileage. You need to be registered for Ride 365 to enter this challenge. This chapter challenge will end October 1st. Prizes will be awarded at the November meeting.

In addition, we are putting together a chapter observation ride to give you even more incentive to participate in Ride 365. The only requirement to participate in the observation ride is that you must be registered for Ride 365. While you are out getting your mileage you will be stopping at different locations (taking a selfie with you in the picture and the location name) and earning points. The locations will be listed, and point value will be assigned on the entry form. Some locations are worth one point, some two and some three. The member with the most points on October 1st will win prizes for first, second and third place. This observation ride also ends October 1st and prizes awarded at the November meeting. We will have more detailed instructions on the entry forms. Keep an eye out for an email within the next week or so for more detailed information.

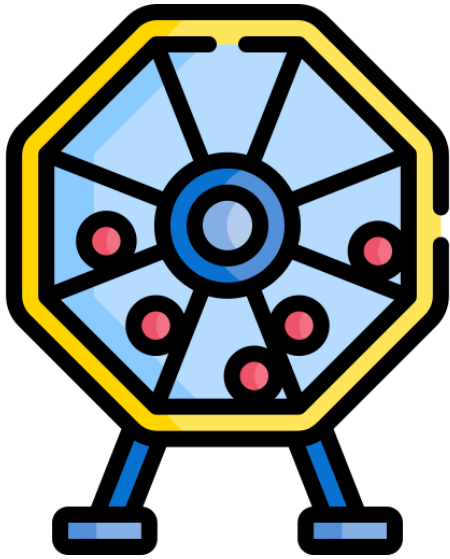
I will be leading my annual spring Rockton ride on Sunday, May 28th. The first departure time will be at 9AM at Kwik Trip in Middleton on Airport Way. The second departure time will be at Cenex in Sauk City at 9:45 and the third is at the BP across from the airport in Reedsburg at 10AM. Hope you can make it.

Looking forward to riding with you all again this year!

**FROM THE
ASST. CHAPTER DIRECTOR
- Joey Mathews -**

- Welcome New Members!!
 - Jim, rides a 2004 Road King
 - Lys, rides a 2005 Heritage Softail





It pays to attend the monthly chapter meetings!

Be sure to come in to the June meeting!

REMINDER:

Blue Ticket Drawing has restarted for the year - remember to get yours before each meeting!

FROM THE SECRETARY & WEBMASTER

- **Nikki Hennenfent** -



- I'll be sending weekly eBlasts - probably on Wednesdays - for ride reminders now that the season is here!
 - REMINDER FOR THOSE WHO ARE LEADING RIDES: Please get me the details sooner rather than later on ride departure locations and times!
- Events are picking up for the season - be sure to check the [Dealership Calendar](#) as well as the [HOG Calendar](#) for happenings, events, and rides.

- If you ever have any questions or concerns about the website, eNewsletter, or other H.O.G. Chapter issues, please email me at nikki@hdofmadison.com.

FROM THE TREASURER

- **John Bennett** -

- If you're looking for HOG Chapter patches or rockers, see Crystal.
- The Treasurer Report will be posted at the raffle table *only* on Meeting Days. If you have questions or concerns, contact John.



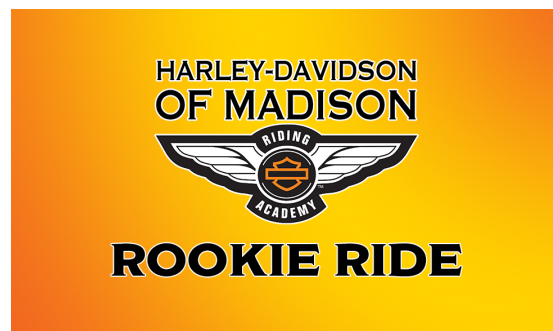
FROM THE ROAD CAPTAIN

- **Michael Pflughoeft** -

- This month's dinner will be at [Sugar River Pizza](#) in Sun Prairie at 6:15pm on Wednesday, May 17th. Please text or call Michael to confirm if your coming by Monday, May 15th to [262-501-0098](tel:262-501-0098).
- Saturday, June 3rd is the Riding Academy Graduate Ride! Kickstands up at 10:30am. All bikes welcome are welcome! There will be a ride under 300 miles, with some stops before returning to the dealership for a BBQ until 3pm.

Rookie Ride Recap

- We had our first Rookie Ride of the year before the chapter meeting!
 - 70 mile round-trip from the Dealership!
 - Two new group riders – Ron & Robben – came along and had their "trial by fire"
 - Thanks to Sid & Glen for being our Mid & Sweep
- The next Rookie Ride will be SUNDAY, June 4th. After this one, they will all be on Saturdays before



the meeting to encourage new riders to join the chapter.



Accident Scene Management, or ASM

- Michael talked about how much valuable information he learned at training (See photos below! Also will be on Facebook.)
- Lys Loney, a ASM Instructor and Chapter Member, spoke about the types of classes and what can be learned at each.
- We should really consider participating in the class if offered at the Dealership.



- We're always looking for more ideas or dates for rides, and want volunteers to be a Road Captain, Mid, or Sweep -- let Michael know at [262-501-0098](tel:262-501-0098).
- Nikki will have the rides updated on the [HOG Calendar](#) and on the [Facebook Group](#) as they come up.

REGISTER FOR RIDE365

Your miles restart in the new year for [RIDE365](#).

If you haven't submitted your current mileage for 2023, you must bring a photo of your current mileage - your physical bike will do during riding season 😊 - and your VIN number to the Dealership.

The Dealership **MUST** verify your miles for them to be added to the database.



If you have any questions, reach out to Crystal, Alissa, or Nikki at the Dealership!

FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

- Crystal Mundt -



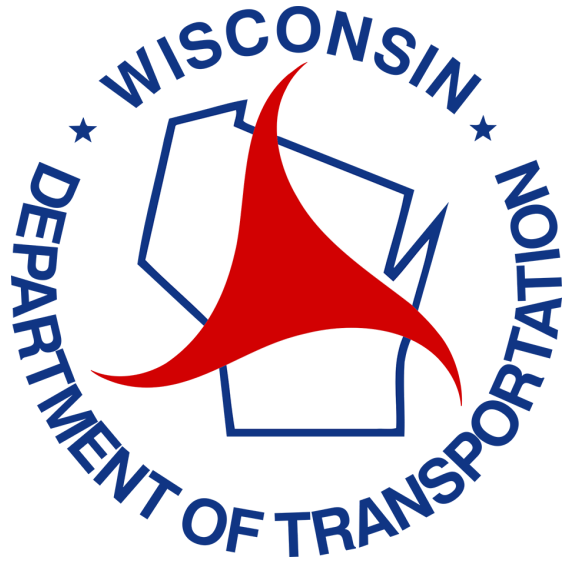
- Membership and HOG Milage
 - Currently at 202 member
 - When registering miles, remember:
 - Milage Patch is by VIN/model (“Lifetime”)
 - Ride365 is by calendar year (Jan-Dec)
- Impressive numbers from the lifetime milage records.
(Please note this is once H.O.G. starting recording these numbers – not a completely accurate account. Also rounded up.)
 - Alton S. – 247,000 miles
 - Laura F. – 216,000 miles
 - Jim D. – 142,000 miles
 - John B. – 116,000 miles
 - Craig M. – 106,000 miles

- Riding Academy
 - The season has started up again, and in full swing!
 - Over 400 students registered already, booking into July
 - Advanced Rider Classes are available – visit the website or talk to Julie to get signed up
- Wisconsin H-D Dealer Passport Tour
 - Maps are available, and free, to take at the participating Dealerships (14)
 - Get at least 8 stamps to be eligible for some prizes, all 14 for the grand prize
 - Runs through the end of October
- 120th Anniversary Info
 - Bike show is coming up in June, more info is coming from the Motor Company - keep an eye out!
 - Parade of Flags
 - 1 spot is available for participating; Michael Pflughoeft is the other spot
 - Passenger MUST hold the flag pole, no mounts can be used.

Construction Updates

There will be construction on US 12/18 and the County AB interchange through late-October 2023.

Get updates at the [511 Wisconsin Construction Projects website](#).



UPCOMING EVENTS



WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
SUGAR RIVER PIZZA
Wednesday, May 17
Meet at 6:15pm

This location of [Sugar River Pizza](#) is located in Sun Prairie by Cabela's
>> [ADDRESS](#) <<

[FACEBOOK PAGE](#)

Please RSVP to Michael by Monday, May 15 so we can have a total count for the reservation!

CHAPTER RIDE
HAMBURGER HAUS
Saturday, May 20th

[Hamburger House](#) in Dundee, WI

- Ride Captain: Tim Kohls
- Depature from Dealership at 9:30am





CHAPTER RIDE **BLESSING OF THE BIKES** Sunday, May 21st

[Blessing of the Bikes](#) at the The Lighthouse Thrift Store in Columbus, WI

- Ride Captain: Jim Duhr
- Departure times:
 - 8:30am from Sauk Prairie
 - 10am from Dealership
- Bowling Alley in Columbus for lunch

CHAPTER RIDE **STOLLEY'S HOGG ALLEY** Saturday, May 27th

[Stolley's Hogg Alley](#) in Oconomowoc

- Ride Captain: Michael Pflughoeft
- Details to come soon!



CHAPTER RIDE **ROCKTON BAR** Sunday, May 28th

[Rockton Bar](#) for fried chicken in La Farge

- Ride Captain: Dennis LeMoine
- Departure times:
 - 9:00am from the Kwik Trip in Middleton on Airport Way.
 - 9:45am from the Cenex in Sauk City.
 - 10:00am from the BP across from the airport in Reedsburg



DEALERSHIP CLOSED
MEMORIAL DAY
Monday, May 29th

Dealership will reopen at 9am on
Tuesday, May 30th.



RIDING ACADEMY
GRADUATE RIDE
Saturday, June 3rd



A CELEBRATION OF ALL GRADUATES FROM OUR RIDING ACADEMY! ALL ARE WELCOME AT THIS FREE EVENT! Join us for a celebration of all graduates from our Riding Academy. All bikes welcome! An experienced ride under 300 miles, with some stops before returning to the dealership for a BBQ. Come ride, eat, and meet our riders that are passionate about riding!

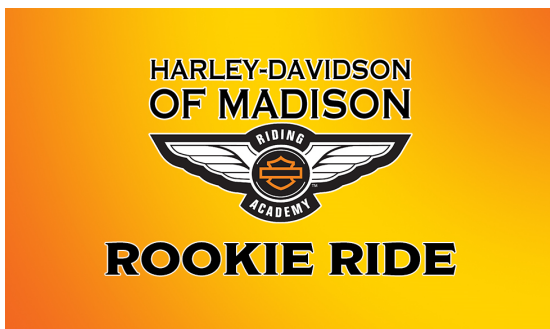
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JUNE
CHAPTER MEETING
Saturday, June 3rd

- Riding Academy Graduate Ride before the meeting
- Social Hour begins at 3:30pm
- Chapter Meeting begins at 4:30pm



RIDING ACADEMY
ROOKIE RIDE
Sunday, June 4th



Those new to riding in groups and Riding Academy graduates will be invited to do a short, round-trip ride from the Dealership before the Chapter meeting with Michael and other H.O.G. Chapter members.

[FACEBOOK EVENT](#)

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Submissions for the newsletter are due by the 1st of each month.

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