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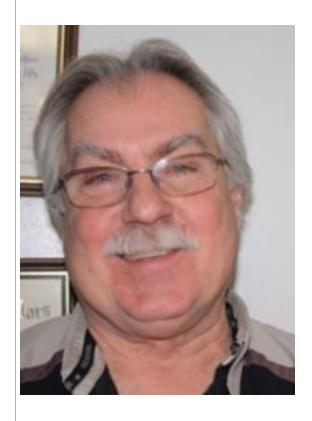
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SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

MADISON H.O.G. CHAPTER #3793

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FROM THE CHAPTER DIRECTOR

- Dennis LeMoine -

For those of you who have not heard, we lost a chapter member, Benjamin Smith, on August 13th due to complications of brain surgery. There will be a memorial service this Thursday at 6pm. Information for the memorial service is listed in this newsletter.

Our Observation Ride for the summer is coming to a close. All entries must be turned in by the October meeting. Bring your sheet and photos to the October meeting to be verified by myself or Sandy Opitz.

In order to participate in the Observation Run, you also needed to be entered in the 365 mileage contest.

This also qualified you for the chapter mileage contest. The miles for the chapter mileage contest ends at the October meeting. To verify these miles you can check in with the reception desk at the dealership to have them verify your mileage or bring in a picture of your mileage and your VIN number to the reception desk to be recorded. You can do this at anytime but must be completed by the October meeting to qualify for the chapter contests. THIS DOES NOT END THE 365

MILEAGE CONTEST – ONLY THE CHAPTER MILEAGE CONTEST.

I will be doing my 2nd annual Rockton Chicken Ride on September 24th. You can meet up to ride at three different locations. The ride will begin at 9AM at Kwik Trip in Middleton. You will meet up with more riders at Cenex in Sauk City and leave there at 9:45AM. We will then meet up at the BP in Reedsburg (across from the airport) and leave there at 11AM. Hope to see you there!

We have had great participation on our rides this summer – lets keep it up!



THE MADISON H.O.G 2023 OBSERVATION RUN

We are trying something new this year to give our members more ideas on ride destinations and to encourage getting your miles with our chapter for Ride 365. Some of these destinations are also chapter rides for this year – kill two birds with one stone!

I put together a list of locations to ride to this summer and earn points toward prizes. In order to participate we are requiring you to be registered for Ride 365 so your miles also help the chapter increase the total miles for that contest.

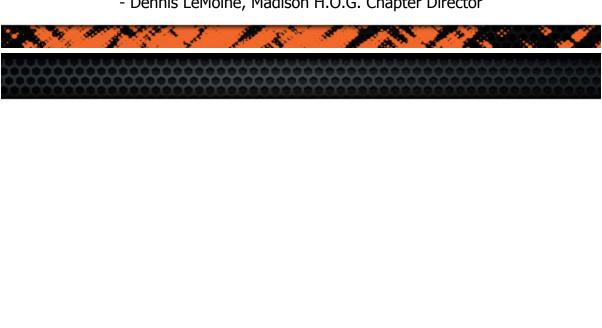
The locations are broken down into three different point categories. Prizes will be given to the highest total points earner at the November meeting. **EDIT:** We will have a drawing for a winner from anyone who accumulates 25 points, as well as the main drawing for those that make the most points.

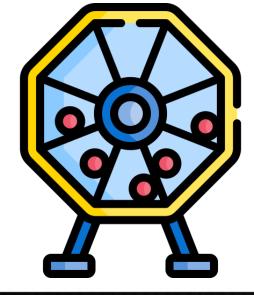
As you visit each location take a selfie and mark it off on the sheet. Turn in your sheet and your selfie pics no later than October 7th to either myself or Sandy Opitz. Emails are listed on the form.

Any questions contact me at **dlwestern6@gmail.com**

The form is attached below...print it off and get riding! Madison H.O.G. 2023 Observation Ride

- Dennis LeMoine, Madison H.O.G. Chapter Director



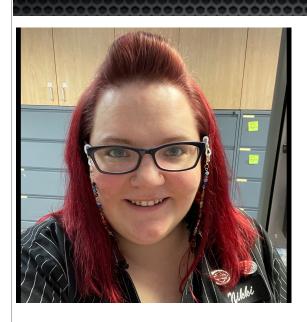


It pays to attend the monthly chapter meetings!

Be sure to come in to the October meeting!

REMINDER:

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

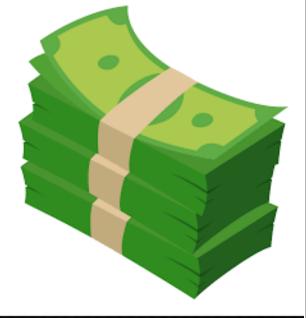


FROM THE SECRETARY & WEBMASTER

- Nikki Hennenfent -
- Hope you all had a great Labor Day weekend!
- Crystal gave me a few things to mention to you all:
 - Nametags are ready to be picked up at the Reception Desk for:
 - Marika G.
 - Michaela C.
 - Sean K.
- Awesome news about Annie Heathcoate from our MDA rides!! She is one of 18 women competing for the title of Ms. Wheelchair America. You can get more information on Annie and the competition here.
- Some of you may have heard or seen, but Vic "Buddha" Schick passed away on Monday. His obituary will be out soon, and information on the gathering of friends in his honor is in the events below.

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 -

Monthly Dinners

Last month's dinner at Arthur's Supper Club, unfortunately didn't go well, only 2 people were able to attend. Let's rebound & make the Sept dinner a really great success!

This month's dinner will be at 6:30pm on Wednesday, Sept 20th at <u>Deaks Pub & Grill</u> (1017 Nygaard St. Stoughton, WI 53589.) Please text, call or email me to confirm if you're coming & how many by Mon Sept 18th to <u>262-501-0098</u> or <u>michael@madisonhog.com</u>.

August Chapter Ride Stats

- 12th Pink Heifer & SmokeHouse
 - led by Butch & Karen Fernstaedt
 - 17 bikes & 26 people
 - * This was our 2nd biggest ride of the season! *
- 19th Double Dip, Tin Roof Ice Cream, & KD's Bar n Grill
 - Led by Jim Duhr
 - 14 bikes & 15 people
- 20th Poopy's & The Iron Horse Saloon
 - Led by Dennis LeMoine
 - They ended up at Cajon Jack's as the ride was cut short due to heat.
 - 10 bikes & 13 people turned out for one of the hottest days of 2023, nice job!
- 26th The Dirty Hoe
 - Led by Dennis LeMoine
 - They ended up going to Knuckle Head's in Eagle for food as the Dirty Hoe had an event & didn't serve food that day.
 - 10 bikes & 11 people

Year-to-Date Chapter Ride Stats

As a Chapter, we've gone on 16 rides & are averaging 12 bikes per ride & 17 people per ride. One (1) ride has been cancelled due to weather & Dennis' ride on May 28th STILL holds the record, 24 bikes & 33 people! Special thanks to all the Road Captains that have led a ride this year, we've had 11 yr. to date!

Upcoming September Chapter Rides

- 9th Mulligan's Bar n Grill in Lena, IL being led by Jim & Lorina
- 10th Tri County Colors Ride being led by Sid Ballweg
- 23rd Ope House in Barneveld being led by Duane Burkhardt
- 24th Rockton Chicken Ride to LaFarge, WI being led by Dennis LeMoine
- MORE INFORMATION ON THE RIDES ARE LISTED BELOW

Patches for your vests & jackets

I can personally recommend a great shop to sew your patches onto your vests & jackets. My H-D vest was just updated with 13 new patches & it looks great! Visit DeForest Alterations & Sewing (697 S. Main Street DeForest, WI 53532; 608-842-0043) & talk to Youa (pronounced You) Lee. She's the owner & does the sewing. Tell her that Michael from Madison HOG sent you. I'm also checking with her to see if she will be mobile & can attend a Chapter Mtg., or two so stay tuned!

- 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**.
- Nikki will have the rides updated on the <u>HOG Calendar</u> and on the <u>Facebook Group</u> as they come up.



REGISTER FOR RIDE365

Your miles restart in the new year for **RIDE365**.

If you haven't submitted your current milage for 2023, you must bring a photo of your current milage - 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!





On or off the bike, H-D* Membership connects, empowers, and rewards our community, enhancing the Harley-Davidson experience.

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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

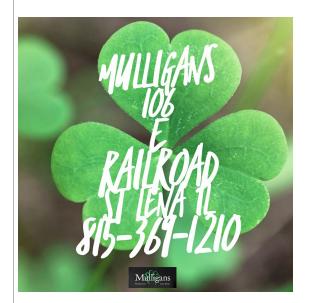
CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR BENJAMIN SMITH

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 at 6:00PM

Calvary Gospel Church 5301 Commercial Ave. Madison, WI

Please join us immediately following the service for a time of food & fellowship in his honor.





CHAPTER RIDE MULLIGAN'S BAR & GRILL SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Mulligan's Bar & Grill

is located in Lena, IL

- Ride Captain: Jim Duhr
- Meet at the Mobil station on HWY12 & K.
- Kickstands up at leaving the Mobil at 10am
- Ride to Mt Horeb and meet at the Kwik trip at 11.
- Then off to Mulligans...



- Enjoy lunch on us Food starting at 11am till gone!
- Check out what models we've got under the tent outside (Weather permitting)
- Inside the Dealership you'll be able to walk through rows of discontinued and obsolete merchandise
- Earn Prizes & Giveaways*
- RSVP to get a free Commemorative 120th Anniversary Pin*

RSVP TODAY

Register for your chance to win** a 2023 Ultra Limited®

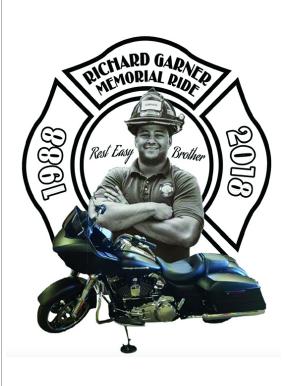


Grab a prize card at the door for more chances to win when you MATCH YOUR METAL





*While supplies last. Offer limited to the first 120 attendees. **Sweepstakes entry period September 8, 2023 9am EST through September 10, 2023 11:59pm EST. No purchase necessary. Purchase does not increase odds of winning. Open only to legal residents of the continental United States, including D.C. and Alaska and excluding Hawaii who are 21 years or older, and legal residents of Canada, who have reached the age of majority in their state, province, or territory of residence at time of entry. Void where prohibited. Need not be present to win. See participating H-D® dealerships for details or visit official rules at 120Ride.com.



RICHARD GARNER MEMORIAL RIDE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

REGISTRATION FOR
THE RIDE AT DEALERSHIP ENDS AT WIS, BREWING CO. IN VERONA

Come on out on two or four wheels and help Fire Fighters Local 311 raise money for the Richard Garner Memorial Fund.

The 100 mile ride will start at Harley-Davidson of Madison and will take you through Dane and Sauk Counties, and end in Verona at Wisconsin Brewing Co.

Registration begins at 10:00am.

Cost: \$30 per bike/car, \$15 for additional rider/passengers

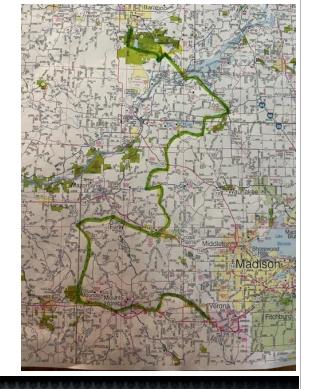
FACEBOOK EVENT

CHAPTER RIDE TRI-COUNTY COLORS RIDE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

- Ride Captain: Sid Ballweg
- Meet at West Verona Kwik Trip #1075 (233 Wildcat Way, Verona; adjacent to Verona High School)
- Kickstands up at 9:30am

HOG CALENDAR LINK



NORTHWOODS FALL RIDE SEPTEMBER 14-17



WEBSITE: https://northwoodsfallride.com

TOMAHAWK FALL RIDE & BUBBA'S BIG PARTY

SEPTEMBER 11-17



WEBSITE: http://tomahawkfallride.com

FACEBOOK:

https://www.facebook.com/Tomah awkFallRideBubbasBigParty

Essential



RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 12:00PM - 4:30PM

There is an urgent Need for Blood & Platelet Donors!

Sign up at the **Red Cross Website** using the search term **HARLEY** to find the exact date and location.

2nd Floor Event:

Freedom Firearms

GUN SHOW

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Hours of Event

Friday: 3:00pm – 8:00pm Saturday: 8:00am – 3:00pm

\$8.00, ALL VETERANS ARE FREE

All federal, state and local firearm ordinances and laws must be obeyed.

EVENT WEBSITE





GATHERING OF FRIENDS FOR VIC "BUDDHA" SCHICK

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 2PM - 4PM

There will be a small gathering of friends in memory of Vic at <u>Morgan's</u> in Pine Bluff (Cross Plains).

Chapter Dinner DEAK'S PUB & GRILL

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20 Meet at 6:30pm

Have dinner at **Deak's Pub & Grill** in Stoughton.

Please RSVP to Michael by Monday, September 18 to ensure our reservation!





OPE HAUS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

Take a ride to the **Ope Haus** in Barneveld

- Road Captain: Duane Burkhardt
- Ride will leave from the Cenex in Sauk City at 10:00am
- First stop will be at the Kwik Trip #1130 at 9255 Ridgeview Rd. at 11:00
- Ride will be going to the Ope Haus (107 Co. Rd. ID Barneveld.) Arriving around 12:30.
- Back roads to Rumble Seats in Spring Green for ice cream after lunch.

CHAPTER RIDE ROCKTON CHICKEN RIDE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Take a ride to Rockton Bar in La Farge for the 2nd Annual Rockton Chicken Ride!

- Ride Captan: Dennis LeMoine
- Meet up at 3 different stops
 - Kwik Trip in Middleton at 9AM
 - Cenex in Sauk City at 9:45AM
 - BP in Reedsburg (across from the airport) at 11AM





SAVE THE DATE

TAILGATE PARTY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

Doors open at 11AM Game starts at 12PM

We're having a party! A tailgate party! On October 29 come and cheer for the Packers as they play the Vikings. Game starts at noon. Doors will open at 11:00.

There will be (shush) betting sheets available in the corner for those who want to take a chance as well as a meat raffle during halftime.

This will be a BYOB event. Blue Plate will not be present so the bar will not be open.

Those coming are asked to bring a side dish for the tailgate. The Chapter will be providing hot dogs, brats and hamburgers for a mere \$5 all you can eat.

Interested??? Contact LaVonne at <u>608-695-4873</u> and let her know 1) that you'll be attending and what meat you prefer, 2) that you're interested in helping, and 3) what side dish you will bring to make this party a success!!



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





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