

## **Intermountain Chapter HOG (1255) Historical Report 1990**

### **Officers:**

Director: Bud Springer

Co-Director: Dwight Wichman

Secretary: Jack Chapman

Treasurer: Bud Hollett

Road Captain: Bill Thomas

Sponsor: Dick Rockrohr

Members at Large: Ken Ellis, Dave Ballard

### **Board Activities:**

#### January:

There were no minutes on file Jan – Sep 1990

#### October:

Discussion on IDA-HOG Chapter recognition. The board wanted to suppress negative image and actions by chapter members. It was mentioned that the club is judged by the actions of their members.

It was agreed to purchase the large HOG patches and rockers. It was noted at the Sturgis Roundup that other clubs had the large distinctive patches.

It was decided that club rides would go back to the membership. Looking for volunteers to plan and lead rides. The chapter will determine dates for other major local club rides and recognize as many of those rides as possible hoping they will reciprocate.

Dick explained his plan to establish a MSF riders course in Boise.

It was suggested that an answering machine be purchased to allow members to call and learn what's happening.

#### Membership Meeting:

It was decided that the annual chapter party will be held in January 1991.

Purchase of the answering machine was approved.

Purchase of the large HOG patches and rockers was approved.

The membership recognized there was a problem with members showing up late for rides and possible methods to reduce the frequency of late starts. A fine system for late arrivals was proposed by a guest from a sister chapter in California. Tabled

Ideas to attract new members and add to the enjoyment of all members were discussed. A \$15 door prize to be given at each ride was proposed and approved.

The “pot money” at membership meetings was discussed. It was suggested that the drawing become a 50/50 drawing with half of the pot money going in to chapter funds. Approved

### November:

It was reported that the owner of Casey’s bar contacted the chapter about an individual who injured himself during the “car-bashing” Toys for Tots fund raiser held at the bar. The individual severely injured his arm and may suffer permanent damage resulting in a possible law suit. The bar’s liability insurance had expired several days before the incident. The bar asked that the chapter assume some of the liability since the event was to support the chapter’s charity event. The chapter had nothing to do with the “car-bashing”. It was suggested by chapter member Ken, who is an attorney, to take a “wait and see” stance on the matter.

The annual AMA dues were discussed. A chapter member must attend the bi-annual risk management meeting to qualify for AMA’s insurance program.

### Membership Meeting:

A motion was made to match the annual \$500 donation from HOG national for the annual party. It was also suggested that non-members pay full price for the dinner and that a committee be selected to plan the event. Approved

### December:

### Membership Meeting:

Annual party details were announced. Members could choose between chicken (\$7) and prime rib (\$10). The club will pay for each member and one guest.