

Intermountain Chapter HOG (1255) Historical Report 2011

Officers:

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Secretary: Susan Beale

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Activities Coordinator: John Mays

Sponsor: Dave Thomas

LOH: Laura Middleton

Members at Large: David Ferrera

Lead Road Captain: Eric Sirs

Tom Reeb

Editor: Dave Wall

Shannon Weston

Safety Officer: Dave Barnes

Herb Weston

Harley Officer's Training:

Conducted 25/26 March. Attended by Scott Beale (Director), Dan Hammel (Asst. Director), Susan Beale (Secretary), Eric Sirs (Lead Road Captain), Dave Barnes (Safety Officer), John Mays (Activities Coordinator), and Joy Hammel (Membership Coordinator).

Membership:

Starting Membership: 177 (as of January 1, 2016)

New Memberships: Unknown (does not include late renewals)

Ending Membership: Unknown (as of December 31, 2016)

Chapter Rides: Road Captains planned, organized, and conducted 59 rides. One reportable mishap with non-chapter member during HOG Rally.

Cooking Events:

BBQ: 2

Pancake Feed:

Board Activities:

January:

HOT training scheduled for 25-26 March. Proposed attendees include Scott, Dan, Susan, Eric Sirs, and Dave Barnes.

Dealership VIP Rewards Program was introduced as a replacement for the HOG 10% discount.

Based on low turn-out and lack of profit, discontinuing the annual rodeo was proposed.
Approved

February:

Fundraiser committee update – Dan Hammel meeting Feb 12th 4:00pm at HD/HD. Thought is to have 4 fundraisers, one a quarter. Selling 50/50 at any event we have. Will have to ask Dave about HD rides. The winner will have to be present to win. Will want to do at Swap meets. Make sure we inform Rick for money and tickets. Goal for fundraiser of \$5000.

Discussion on what charity (s) to support for our ride May 15th? There has been no response from Western States Caterpillar. What about Meals on Wheels? Discussion: This is our charity ride and the thought is the Community will support Meals on Wheels. Dave Thomas will get the permits but we will have control. There is concern about it being called a “HOG” event. HD event supported/hosted by HOG. Will need to be careful how advertising the event. Susan will contact ZoAnne Lindsey about the contact for Meals on Wheels. This charity should be easy to market. Vote: Ask Dave for blessing for Meals on Wheels charity this year May 15th. Approved

HOT attendees revision: John and Joy added.

Website discussion – Do we want to try and maintain our own? Only have a few pages, Ric is working with HD to get the pages up. Scott has contacted couple of people to keep our domain. Do we want to wait to see how it goes? PSN turned off the web even though billing cycle didn't end. Discussion: By having our own site we have full control of the rights. Ric wants to know how much memory. Dan suggests that we do both systems, dual system so we don't lose members. Twice the work, how they set up domain name. Password protected. Rick asked what are their stipulations from HOG on our web site? Tabled

VIP scanning as members arrive at the general meeting. Some members got their card scanned had a drink then left. Discussion: Proposed the scan be done at the end of meeting. See who is doing it, if it is consistent. Couples with one card will ask Dave, additional points at HD functions, volunteers, no duplicate scans. Disapproved

March:

Krista Cole (Meals on Wheels) briefed board members on the program. They are a 401C organization. Cost of each meal about \$4.00. Distribution through Idaho Commission on Aging that is a State Governor appointed position. Funds raised go 100% to the meal program. Can partner with Grant at Elks Rehab for Ada County Region 10. Todd identified some liability issues to discuss with HD/HOG. Need to decide a chair person.

Web site update: Ric added photo and calendar tabs to dealership's web site and working on doing our own calendar, working on groups links but taking a while. Provider is gone for a while. Can send out emails about rides.

Mark Berns (Chapter Member) proposed a reverse raffle fundraiser. Winner would be the last ticket out of the barrel, event like at a hotel accommodate 300 participants. Silent Auctions. \$35.00- 40.00 ticket. Grand prize will ask the membership. Dan bring ideas to committee.

April:

Charity Ride update – John, Christa, Joy, and Todd to meet about permit for parade. Poker run with 3 locations, ending at Joe’s Crab Shack, Christa working on flyer, Can call Doug Foye for BSU contact.

Dan provided fundraiser update: Can’t do raffle because of taxes. Getting committee together to regroup.

Discussion raised about giving out ride tickets at each ride then giving away one of the \$20 door prize gift cards at the general meeting. Riders must put ticket in bucket the night of the meeting. Approved

May:

Charity Ride update: Joy has taken over in John’s absence. Krista (Meals on Wheels) is taking care of the permits and volunteers. Susan to send out email to the club. Take flyers to ICMS ride. Can park at Double Tree Hotel for extra parking around Joe’s Crab Shack if needed.

Dan proposed ordering 20 charity ride patches, then taking orders as required. Wink and Tink can make for \$3.00 and we sell for \$5.00. Approved

Mason Clarke (Road Captain) proposed giving volunteer cards for road captains participating in pre-rides. Approved

June:

Mark Berns (Chapter Member) proposed the chapter support a cooking event for Personal Ponies charity event. Shannon recommended the chapter decline based on multiple factors. Recommendation to decline Approved

July:

Scott briefed that the McCall Bike Fest was cancelled but kept the entertainment (Peter Rivera). Peter Rivera is a Harley rider and looking for riders for Friday July 15th, especially the HOG board. Leave dealership 6:30 pm. There will also be a book signing at 5:00pm for HOG Members. Todd added that the McCall Bike Fest was cancelled so that the dealership could

concentrate on the Rally instead of doing two events back to back. The goal is to go back to McCall next year.

Herb proposed the chapter sponsor a cooking event for the dealership staff. Approved

August:

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September:

Scott suggested new coolers be purchased for cooking events. Approved

October:

Herb briefed about the changes for the Veteran's Day Parade. Proposed a \$100 donation for organizers. Approved

November:

Herb made a motion to change board meeting location from Marie Callender's to Jerry's State Court Café. Approved

Joy made a motion for the chapter to pay for members' meal after Holiday Parade. Approved

Dan made a motion to spend \$300 on door prizes for the Christmas Party. Approved

December:

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