

Pig Trail HOG Chapter – Monthly Meeting

02/07/2015

Director: Lisa Vail

- Opened meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance
- Meet your neighbor
- Chapter's proceeds from the 50/50 will be given to Dillon Dover (Service Dept.) as his Parents house had burnt down.
- Thanks to Bob Jaskie for being Assistant Director – Awarded a Statue
- Touched on how Chapter Officers positions are replaced:
 - Any open position are made known to the Chapter
 - Any member can apply for that position.
 - The Director and current officers discuss and choose a person they think is a good fit.
 - The Director interviews all candidates.
 - Director, Paul, and Frank make the final decision.
 - Director position is chosen by Paul and Frank
- New Assistant Director announced – Garry Raymond
- New Secretary announced – Janet Stewart
- Treasure Position is open

Membership: Jeremy Long

- Explained the Membership types:
 - National Membership – renewal cycle is 1 year from when you sign up. Must be a Harley owner
 - Spouses or non-Harley owners can be an Associate Membership.
 - Local Chapter Membership – Renewal is yearly at the first of every year. Have to have the National Membership to be a part of the local chapter.
 - Local Benefits include all activities, Facebook Page, Email Blasts, tons of rides and activities.
- Mileage Challenge – Do not need to own a Harley to have a motorcycle in the Mileage challenge. All members are welcome to participate.
- Membership Sign In: Everyone needs to find their name on the Membership sheets and pull off your name tag and put it in the container. We have a drawing every meeting for a gift from Harley. If your name is not on the list, it means that you have not signed up for the 2015 year.
- Local Chapter Membership Card –
 - All Membership activities require a ride release statement. If you have your local Chapter Membership Card, it tells the Road Caption that you are a member in good standing and that the Chapter has your release statement on file. If you do not have a Local Chapter membership card with you, you will have to fill out another ride release statement. Bring your card to the ride pre-brief.
 - If you are not a local member, you can still go on the ride but will need to complete the paperwork.
- The Facebook Group is one of the benefits – starting March 1st, if you have not signed up for 2015, you will be dropped. This is the same for the Email blast
- Introduced the new members by asking them to stand up.

Dealership: Tina Madryga

- Super Hero Saturday – Pack Shack. Pack 10,000 Meals for the Rogers School system.
- Swap meet March 28th
- Pig Trail Palooza June 19th and 20th Largest Poker Run with big prizes. Supporting the Fisher House
- Motorcycle Guide for 2015 is now available.

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- Pig Trail Harley Davidsons will have Saturday Surprises (no Sales are allowed)

Asst. Director: Garry Raymond

- Game – Competition by row. Dave Patterson was the winner.

Activities: Dave and Barb Becker

- Swap Meet in March: Chapter will purchase spaces for the group swap
- Survey responses – 78 responses, 70 suggestions for rides.
- Planning Committee went over the surveys and has planned 80 events and rides planned for the year.
- Communication Paths:
 - Pig trail Chapter Website www.pigtrailhog.com
 - Chapter Gram sent out monthly
 - Weekly email blast with upcoming activities
 - Facebook posts
- Charities that was the focus: Combat Vet, Animal Shelters, Special Olympic
- Charity Planning Committee sign up sheet – looking for volunteers to help coordinate activities
- Animal Shelter presented with charity checks: 4 Shelters each received \$250.00
Springdale, Bella Vista, Centerton, Rogers
- Special Olympic will be awarded a check for \$1,000.00

Secretary: Janet Stewart

- Reviewed Chapter Patches that are available for purchase
- Pin Order will be in for the next meeting

Treasurer: Janet Stewart

- Treasurer report:

Beginning Balance	\$12,326.14
Receipts	\$21,829.37
Expenses	\$23,856.79
Ending Balance	\$10,298.72

LOH: Yevon Prater

- Ladies night at Jose on Wednesday

Road Captain: Keith Poor

- Last ride on Jan 14th had 42 people on the ride.
- If you're not a member of this chapter, you can still go on the ride, you just need to sign the waiver as a guest. These are open events.
- Road Caption Test – those that have passed were recognized.
- Road Tip – Dead Battery and jumping a motorcycle. Harley Davidson guidelines
- Non-Harley riders can become road captains.

Open Questions / Comments:

- When you go on a ride, make sure your gas tanks are full and the tire pressure has been checked.

Closing of the Meeting:

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- Membership Drawing – Jeff Johnson
- Ray Portrey won the 50/50 and he donated his share to the Dover Family. With the 50/50 money and donations we received during the meeting, the Chapter was able to donate \$435 to the Dover Family.