



Here Comes 2021

JANUARY 2021
NEWSLETTER

January 10, 2021

2021 Issue #01

Hello HOG Family...

The road captains and activities officers have been working hard to put together a 2021 Ride/Activities Schedule draft. I've included a printable copy of the draft at the end of this newsletter and posted to our web home page. The Website calendar has also been updated with this information to include the road captain for each ride.

Also, please be sure to read what our new activities team (Jamie & Terri) have for our Summer Party Weekend...yep, I said weekend. It will be a lot of fun!

Director: Greg Nowak

It was great to see everyone on Sunday for our first meeting of 2021. Hopefully the Covid situation will improve dramatically soon as the activities committee have some new and interesting things planned for the year, setting the events calendar is the main priority this time of year so time off /vacations can be planned. As everyone is aware, we voted not to have a Holiday party (probably would not have been doable anyway) this leaves us with extra funds which was agreed to be distributed on other events throughout the year, when reviewing the ride calendar you will see theses listed. If upon reviewing the calendar you have any suggestions please present them to Jamie Herbert.

We will be forming committees throughout the year for the bigger events, please make note of an event/committee you may wish to assist with and let Jamie know.

I will make every attempt to get out a meeting agenda a few days prior to the meeting, should anyone have a topic or issue they would like addressed at the meeting please e-mail to me - nowak176@msn.com or text/call 616 325-6808.

Greg

*Happy
Valentine's
Day Everyone!*



Assistant Director: Scott Herbert

My first order of Business as the New Assistant Director!!

It's that time of year again to renew your local yearly chapter dues. Don't forget that you can print the form out from the HOG Chapter Web Page and fill them out ahead of time or you do have the option to mail these into Jamie at Hot Rod before the next meeting.

If there is any interest in the Hog Rally in Escanaba there is a sign-up sheet and if we get enough people wanting to go, we can set a ride up.

There have been suggestions that during our rides some people would like to stop and do other activities IE; site seeing, picture taking, shopping or visiting the city we are dining at. This may add some added excitement for the rides. If you have suggestions for anything just let the Road Captain know ahead of time.

Let's make this the year of recruiting new members and being active riders. I know our activity ladies have put a lot of work into the ride schedules.

Feel free to contact me with questions, concerns or ideas,

Hoping for an early start of riding this year!

Thank you, Scott Herbert

Activities: Jamie Herbert/Terri White

Hello HOG Family,

Terri and I are super excited to be doing activities this year. Valentine's day is quickly approaching. If the restrictions are lifted, we plan to go bowling at the Sherman Bowling Alley and then Pizza afterwards. The backup plan is pizza after the meeting. We will start the riding season off with the Spring Run. We will meet at Mel and Alicia's for Breakfast. More info to come.

We have the Salmon Assault Scheduled for May 15th. This is something Scott and I have been doing for 10 years. We will be setting up flags along the channel for our Vets who are out fishing. When the vets come back through the channel the flags will be up and the crowd will be there to cheer them on. After all the boats have gone through the channel then we will take the flags down and go the marina and have lunch with them. It is truly a great experience and honor to do something for our Vets.

As you may have heard the Summer Party will be different this year. It will be a 2-night event! We will leave on Friday June 25th for a ride and end up at the Newaygo Brewing Company for dinner. From there we will head to the Trailside Motel. Friday night we will have a Bonfire and Smores.

Then up early Saturday morning for Breakfast and a ride. If you don't want to spend the weekend, you can still meet us at 10:00am at Trailside for the ride. We will be going to Vehicle City Harley Davidson and Lunch at Lula's Louisiana. Once we are back at the Trailside Motel, we will have a fabulous dinner and games. Then back up Sunday for Breakfast and ride home. We had so much fun on the Mystery overnight with the group from Trailside we thought this would be a great place to enjoy more Summer fun! The Trailside Motel also has 3 campsites available for that weekend with full hook up in case anyone wants to camp. Just let me know so I can reserve a site. If you have any questions about the accommodations, please let us know.

Be sure to check out the sign-up sheets at the meetings for all the events.

We have a lot of great new rides planned for the year, we hope you all will join in the rides and make this a great summer!

Jamie and Terri



Muskegon H.O.G. Chapter #1962 - Meeting Minutes
January 10, 2021

As recorded by Melinda Nowak

Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our fallen and active Military, a moment for fallen Bikers, presented by Tim Flint, Army Veteran.

NOMINATIONS:

Introduction of new Officers elected and Volunteer are as follows:

- **Director:** *Greg Nowak*
- **Asst Director:** *Scott Herbert*
- **Secretary:** *Melinda Nowak*
- **Treasurer:** *Sue Foose*
- **Activities:** *Jamie Herbert and Terri White*
- **Road Captain:** *AJ Fox*
- **Safety:** *Larry Foose*, **Asst. Safety:** *Scott White*
- **LOH:** *Deb Homoly*
- **Membership:** *Michelle Berlin*
- **Apparel:** *Jim Berlin*
- **Editor:** *Carolyn Fox and Jamie Herbert*
- **Web Master:** *Greg Marczak*
- **Photographer:** *Scott White*

SECRETARY: Melinda Nowak

No minutes for December, note from Carolyn is posted.

TREASURER: Sue Foose

Reviewed balance, new expenditures

Activities: Jamie Herbert and Terri White

Mentioned that the main rides for the upcoming year are complete and the calendar to be posted with the January newsletter. Next exciting fun activity will be Valentines Pizza and Bowling after February Chapter meeting. Sign-up sheets in the back for the upcoming events.

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR: Scott Herbert

Rally in Escanaba UP- mentioned nearby Hotels and Campsites, Contact Scott for more info. Note on any ride, if you want a scheduled shopping or site seeing stop, contact the road captain **prior** to the ride. Not the day of the ride.

LOH: Deb Homoly - Absent

HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN: A.J. Fox

Road Captain meeting was a success, all rides are assigned for the year. HOG Rally in Arkansas and Kentucky info available contact AJ

Safety: Larry Foose and Scott White -

The ding a ling award was given to Scott White. He made a quick stop when getting ready to turn and tipped bike on the mystery overnight ride.

Suggestions/resolution on a few bad habits that we can correct.



Apparel: Jim Berlin- Absent

Membership: Michelle Berlin - Absent

Editor- Communications: Carolyn Fox and Greg Marczak - absent

DIRECTOR: Greg Nowak

Hopefully the Covid Restrictions are to be lifted soon. Activities have provided us with new destinations this year and it looks to be a good year. Sweeps will be up to the Road Captain. The schedule is pending in calendar format, watch the website. Remember sign-up sheets are in the back for rides and events which will be mentioned at each meeting.

Old Business: None

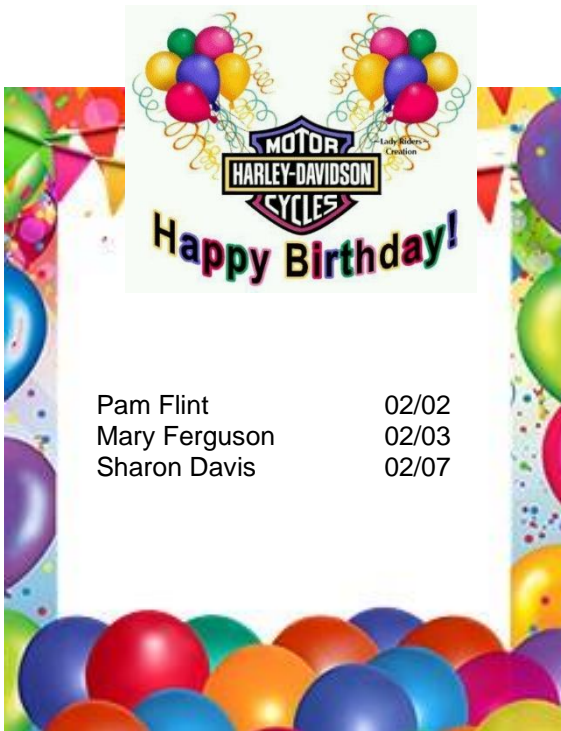
New Business: None

Respectfully,
Melinda Nowak, Secretary

Calendar of Events

FEBRUARY 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14  Chapter Meeting & Valentine Pizza/Bowling after	15 	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	1	2	3	4	5	6





2021 Muskegon HOG Chapter Riding/Activities Summary



Feb		KS up
Feb/14	HOG Chapter Meeting	1:00p
Feb/14	Pizza and Bowling after meeting	

Mar		
Mar/14	HOG Chapter Meeting	1:00p

April		
Apr/11	HOG Chapter Meeting	1:00p

May		
May/02	Spring Run Brunch/Ride	9:00a
May/09	HOG Chapter Meeting	6:00p
May/15	Salmon Assault Flags on the Pier	9:45a
May/16	Blessing of the bikes	10:00a
May/18	Boatwerks, Holland-Dinner Ride	6:00p
May/22	Wheatberry Tavern, Buchanan	10:00a
May/23	Oh Brothers, Montague	1:00p
May/29	Holiday - no ride planned	

June		
Jun/05	Brewsters SmokeHouse , Otsego	10:00a
Jun/06	Moo-Ville , Ionia	1:00p
Jun/08	HOG Chapter Meeting	6:00p
Jun/12	Bowers Harbor Vineyards, T. City	10:00a
Jun/13	Na-Tah-Ka , Irons	1:00p
Jun/19	Rays BBQ Brews and Blues, Grayling	10:00a
Jun/20	Grill House Allegan	1:00p
Jun/22	Big Joe's Bar Sparta Dinner Ride	6:00p
June 25-26	Summer Party Overnight	TBD
June 25-27	Saturday KS 10:00am @ Trailside	10:00a

July		KS up
Jul/04	Holiday - no ride planned	
Jul/10	The Wooden Nickle , Danesville	10:00a
Jul/11	Jimmy's Roadhouse , Newaygo	1:00p
Jul/14	HOG Chapter Meeting	6:00p
Jul 16/18	Muskegon Bike Time	
Jul/20	Brown Bear Shelby-Dinner Ride	6:00p
Jul/24	Blakes on the Lake BBQ, Prudenville	10:00a
Jul/25	Aidens Place, Sand Lake	1:00p
Jul/31	Branson, MO Ride	8:00a

August		
Aug 01/07	Branson, MO Ride	
Aug/08	Spanky's Pizza, Fremont	1:00p
Aug/12	HOG Chapter Meeting	6:00p
Aug/14	The Barge, Saugatuck & Shopping	10:00a
Aug/15	Blue Lake Tavern, Canadian Lakes	1:00p
Aug/17	Wild Hog BBQ, Holland-Dinner Ride	6:00p
Aug/21	Cranes Pie, Fennville	10:00a
Aug/22	Billy Bones, Grandville	1:00p
Aug/28	Back Door Saloon, Houghton Lake	10:00a
Aug/29	Brenda's Burgers, Scottsville	1:00p

September		
Sep/06	Holiday - no ride planned	
Sept 10/12	Air force Museum trip, Dayton OH	8:00a
Sep/13	HOG Chapter Meeting	6:00p
Sep 18/19	Mystery Overnight	10:00a
Sep/21	Crockery Creek Saloon, Nunica	6:00p

October		
Oct/11	HOG Chapter Meeting/Nominations	1:00p
Oct/30	HOG-O-Ween Party at Deb's	5:30p

November		
Nov/14	Chapter Meeting/Voting/Dinner	1:00p

December		
NO HOG Chapter Meeting		
Dec 4/5	Gift Wrapping at Hot Rod	10:00a
Dec/04	After wrapping lunch - TBD	3:00p
Dec 11/12	Gift Wrapping at Hot Rod	10:00a
Dec 18/19	Gift Wrapping at Hot Rod	10:00a

Ride and
Have Fun





February 2021 Events

NOTE: With the uncertainty of the Covid Restrictions, Hot Rod has not updated their calendar for February. Keep watching Facebook and their website, I'll update as I get any information...the events below are definitely in question, but are still on the calendar.

Saturday Jan 16: Double Point Day

Saturday Jan 30: In-Store Poker Run

Saturday Feb 13: Fall In Love with Your Bike

Thursday Feb 18: Men's Night Out

Friday Feb 26: Ladies Night Out