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## Director's Corner-Pete Faber

Hello All

The leaves are starting to fall which indicates the end of riding season is approaching 😞. While it is winding down for the year it doesn't mean to wave the white flag by any means! We are getting blessed by Mother Nature currently with some absolutely beautiful riding weather! Get out and enjoy your favorite roads and be sure to find some new routes Go with the thought process that states that road comes out somewhere and create some fall memories!

Check out the special storage programs at Bull Falls HD so that you are prepared for that dismal day-it'll be here all too soon. Wherever you choose to store your bike, be sure to get your 365 Mileage read at Bull Falls and also get ending mileage to Al Greasby which will be used for Chapter purposes.

Life is short-Make it sweet

Pete

## Assistant Director- Holly Lotharius

Hello All,

Well, fall is officially here and we've had some great weather so far! I hope everyone has been taking some time to get out and enjoy it! According to the Wisconsin Fall Color Report, most areas are already in the 25% and up category. Should see lots of color appearing across the landscape soon! Here's hoping mother nature continues to cooperate and gives us a nice long fall riding season. :)

As the season starts to wind down, just another reminder to save the date for next year's Mid-America HOG rally which will be hosted down in Springfield Missouri and running June 5-7th. I've had several people express interest in doing a chapter group ride down to the rally again next year. There is going to be one group ride doing a 1-day down and 1-day back, leaving on Wednesday June 4th and returning on Sunday June 8th, for those that may not have as much vacation time available. We are also working on putting together a 2-day trip option as well. We'd like to start getting an idea of everyone that would be interested to start planning. If you could please start to think about your plans as we will be working to start collecting that information at the October meeting. Anyone that still needs the host hotel information, please let me know also.

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But now looking back at the rest of this year, we've got a couple events left including 2 bike nights and the Die Hard Ride, which is now the Ridin' for Ryan benefit ride. Hope to see you all there! See you out on the road!

Ride Safe-Ride Often

Holly

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## *Head Road Captain -Steve Konkel*

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The calendar says it is October, but the weather outlook predicts that it may feel more like the beginning of September. I enjoy riding this time of year with its cooler temperatures, but I'll take the warm sunshine and the fall colors that are just getting started. It is a fun time to get more miles on your Harley before it is time to store it. Keep checking your messages, e-mails, and Facebook as there could be group rides announced with short notice. With this great weather prediction, it would be an enjoyable time to finish Tom's Chapter Challenge if you haven't yet. I hope all can make more memories and have fun adding miles to Ride 365 and your 2024 riding season. Happy Halloween! Steve

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## *Membership- Al Greasby*

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Folks, please let me know if you made any changes to your motorcycle inventory. Please send me the starting mileage for any new to you motorcycle you added and the last mileage on any cycles you transferred so I can update the Local Chapter mileage records.

Please advise anyone you know of that is having problems receiving Chapter e-mails to add [info@go.bullfallshd.com](mailto:info@go.bullfallshd.com) as a contact because we have had issues with e-mail providers blocking chapter notices as spam.

Please check your National HOG expiration date as you must be an active National HOG member to be a local member. Please contact me if you would like help reviewing your status or have any other membership questions. 715-355-5033 [thegrizz@charter.net](mailto:thegrizz@charter.net)

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## *Historian/Treasurer- John Napierala*

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Hi Everyone,

Hope this finds everyone out riding and enjoying the Fall colorful Wisconsin landscape! Please remember to turn your mileage into BFHD, hoping we will hit our mileage goal for 2024!

Thanks to Mark and Lisa for carrying our Chapter flag in the Thunder Parade during the Fall Ride in Tomahawk. Nice showing of all the chapter members who also rode in the parade. Lots of bikes and lots of spectators. Hope all who attended Fall Ride had a fun and safe rally. Here are a few pictures from the parade.







Thanks to Jordan for posing and texting Chapter and BFHD events!  
Ride Safe Ride Often  
John N.

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### *Activities -Joyce Koepl*

HOG Chapter meeting is October 17<sup>th</sup>. Location is to be determined so watch your emails and texts. November's meeting is the 21<sup>st</sup> again with the location to be determined.

Fish Frides are as follows with more details coming later:

- Oct. 4 is hosted by John & Ann Napierala ... please contact them at (715) 573-4566 at Memories Ballroom.
- Nov. 1st is hosted by Tom Bartelme ... please contact him at (715)212-6121. It is going to be at Half Moon.
- Dec. 6 is hosted by Tome Bartelme at Whiskey River

Contact Joyce Koepl at 715-551-8027 or email [jlkoeppl8@yahoo.com](mailto:jlkoeppl8@yahoo.com) for posts to the Bull Falls Chapter 4667 Facebook page.

### *Sunshine Committee-Joyce Koepl*

Some people may need a little sunshine in their life and that is what I am here for. If you know of anyone involved with our Chapter or their family members that may need some sunshine sent their way, please contact me by phone, Facebook, or email with the name and contact information of the person/people in need and I will send out a card or message on behalf of the Chapter.

### **Calendar of Events October-November 2024**

Check [www.bullfallshd.com](http://www.bullfallshd.com), Facebook, Texts & E-mails for more information

		October 1	2 BFHD Bike Night to The Garage	3	4 Fish Fride	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16 BFHD Bike Night Reservoir Dog Saloon KSU 6:15pm	17 HOG Chapter Meeting	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 Die Hard Ride
27	28	29	30	31 Happy Halloween	November 1 Fish Fride at Half Moon	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 BFHD Customer Appreciation Party
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21 HOG Chapter Meeting	22	23

24	25	26	27	28 Happy Thanksgiving	29	30
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