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Happy Summer Riding Season!

A great big Thank YOU to everyone that came out and helped with the Blessing of the bikes. I know Pookie really appreciated all of the help. What a great way to show our community how much our Veterans mean to us!

Please make sure and stop by the dealership and get your Epic Ride card and pin. The ride is absolutely beautiful this year!

Cruisin' for a Cause is in FULL swing! The ride routes for each month look like they are going to be pretty fantastic. A HUGE thank you to Steve for putting in so much time and effort in getting those rides scouted!

If you haven't already done so, please stop by the dealership and get your miles recorded. Every mile counts!

Mama Bear

Assistant Director-Pete Faber

Hello everyone,

Spring is here with some very roller coaster like temperatures! I guess we have to be thankful the snow is finally gone and just happy for a little wind therapy again-even if a few extra layers are needed! Try to remember the cool temps when it does get warmer than we would prefer-it is just great to be riding again. We've had a few HOG rides and met some new people. I never get tired of seeing new members with a common desire to ride and have fun, which is what HOG is all about!

We are roughly 45 days from The Mid-America HOG Rally presenting Hollywood Dubuque!! There certainly is a great amount of excitement coming from the Rally Committee, and from the details released it looks to be an awesome Rally you won't want to miss. If you haven't committed to going yetwhat are you waiting for?

Until then get out and ride whenever possible, I don't remember ever hearing "I wish I didn't ride my Harley as much as I did!" Don't forget to get your mileage recorded for RIDE 365!

See you riding, Pete

Ladies of Harley-Joan Faber

Hello Members,

Just wanted to give a quick note about the upcoming HOG Rally in Dubuque, IA. I have received the following email. "Dear Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque Lady Attendee,

The rally committee designed a special time and breakfast for our lady rally attendees to be pampered by Hotel Julien Dubuque's professional Potosa Spa team, the Ladies of Harley Breakfast Red Carpet Treatment.

Enjoy a full breakfast buffet, mini-chair and/or hand massages, best care practice tips for face, skin, hands, and hair when riding, a gift bag with spa amenities and \$20 gift certificate to Potosa Spa, personalized tour of the spa, and special rally pricing on products and services. Tickets are only \$25.00 There are only 12 seats remaining available for reserving. Please call Potosa Spa 563-588-5570 to reserve your seat, if you haven't called yet!

For more event information, click

here: <u>https://www.facebook.com/MidAmericaHOGRally/photos/a.130324026092101/158799749911195/</u> For information about Potosa Spa, visit <u>https://potosaspa.com/</u> Thank you! And we will see you soon in July!

PS: This is open to all lady rally attendees, one does not need to be an "official" LOH member!

Enjoy a healthy full breakfast buffet while enjoying mini chair and hand massages and personal care advice from Potosa Spa's licensed professional body, hair, skin, and face staff. Our personal care staff will share best practices for your skin, face, hands, and hair while riding in the sun, wind, or rain. Your ticket includes the above and a gift bag with a \$20 gift certificate for Potosa Spa, personal branded skin and hair care products, personal tours of Potosa Spa, and other special goodies in your bag!

On another note. The LOH Coffee Club schedule for the remainder of 2022 is as follows: July 9; Sept 10; Nov. 12. They start at 9am, typically last until 10:30. I know summer is a busy time. Location TBD. Look for updates in email and Chapter Facebook page. Look forward to seeing you ladies at Coffee Club and Rally.

God Speed, Joan Faber LOH officer

Membership-Al Greasby

Folks, I hope everyone is getting ready for riding season, now if mother nature would cooperate and the salt truck are stored.

Effective in 2022 the chapter has gone to a common expiration date for your chapter membership of 12-31 and the membership dues are now \$10.00 per year.

Please add pookie@go.bullfallshd.com as a contact because we have had issues with e-mail providers blocking chapter notices as spam.

Please contact me if you have any membership questions. -Al Greasby -715-355-5033 <u>-thegrizz@charter.net</u> Angie MacKay 715-498-8005 Newby angie@live.com Photographer Debra Musgrove

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Activities -Joyce Koeppl

Chapter Meeting Thursday, June 16th at 6pm at Bull Falls Harley-Davidson.

June 3rd fish fry is hosted by Kim Buntin at Hoehn's Huddle Sports Bar 840 Grand Ave, Schofield, WI. It will be held up-stairs and an elevator is NOT available. Meet upstairs in the gathering room at 6pm with dinner at 7pm. They are giving us a dedicated bartender/server for our group. Parking lot is small so please park in the Gowey Abstract parking right next door or Ebenezer's Grocery store across the street to the south by Radke St.

Contact Joyce Koeppl at 715-551-8027 or email <u>ilkoeppl8@yahoo.com</u> for posts to the Bull Falls Chapter 4667 Facebook page.

Treasurer/Historian Report-John Napierala

Hello everyone,

Hope this finds everyone well and out riding! I'd rather be out riding then writing but want to mention a few things.

Thanks to Bull Falls Harley-Davidson for the 1st Annual Bike Blessing and Ride to raise some money for Veterans. Great time had by all!

Sorry to say we lost a great person, friend, and chapter member DW passed away on May 6th. Please keep DW and his family in your thoughts and prayers. Thanks to all who rode over to Marshfield to attend the celebration of life for service for DW.

Lots of events and rides planned with Bull Falls Harley-Davidson so check out Epic Ride - Riding for a Cause and Dealer Handbook. It's a great reason to ride and win some prizes. Also, check out the Chapter Facebook and website for information. Thanks to Joyce and Pookie for putting them out there! A big thanks to Angie, our editor, for putting out our newsletter! Thank you, Angie!!

Have a save and great riding season! John N.

Sunshine Committee-Joyce Koeppl

Some people may need of 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.

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Q CASINO TO SPONSOR CLOSING CEREMONY ENTERTAINMENT OF THE MID-AMERICA H.O.G RALLY presents HOLLYWOOD DUBUQUE

DUBUQUE, IA –The organizing rally committee of The Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque and rally host Hotel Julien Dubuque announced today that the Exclusive Sponsor of the Closing Ceremony, Q Casino, will be the host location for the rally's Closing Ceremony and the evenings' two complimentary concerts on Saturday July 23, 2022.

H.O.G. Rally Coordinator and Hotel Julien Dubuque General Manager Dwight Hopfauf stated, "It will be the perfect ending to three fun-filled days of rides around the tri-state seeing the sites, enjoying the many different amenities of lowa, and experiencing hospitality that can't be found anywhere else; it is only found in Mid-America. Q Casino has truly shown that type of Mid-America hospitality by sponsoring not one, but two live performances for the H.O.G Rally attendees. In fact, Q Casino has gone above and beyond expectations of hospitality by opening up the concerts to be complimentary to anyone wanting to attend. The perfect ending, listening to live entertainment along the Mississippi River with your family, friends and the entire H.O.G. nation of riders. It can't get better than this!"

Live performances by Pork Tornadoes, the Midwest's Premier Party Band, and Electric Shock, the nation's #1 AC/DC show, will perform at Q Casino's Back Waters Stages after The Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque Closing Ceremony on Saturday July 23, 2022.

<u>The Pork Tornadoes</u> are a powerful party band that has played all around the Midwest at the best and biggest bars, festivals, corporate events and weddings. Having played more than 600+ shows in the last 12 years, this band has perfected their live show into an experience you won't find anywhere else.

<u>Electric Shock</u> has been perfecting the AC/DC show with a high energy performance, faithfully replicating AC/DC both musically and visually, proving they are the nations #1 AC/DC show!

The tentative schedule for the closing ceremony is: 5:30pm H.O.G Riders Arrive 6:00pm-7:00pm – Rally Closing Ceremony 7:30pm-9:00pm – Electric Shock 9:30pm-11:00pm – Pork Tornadoes

"Q Casino is proud and excited to sponsor the H.O.G. Rally closing ceremonies," states Q Casino President and CEO, Alex Dixon. "Our goal is to bring top entertainment to close out this amazing event and combining H.O.G. Rally attendees and the public to make it great community party!"

The Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque is making its way to Iowa in mid-summer July 21st - 24th, 2022. Rally attendees will be partaking in three

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activity-filled days featuring daily guided and self-guided rides, fun evening activities, movies, contests, specially priced attractions and dining offerings, and the enjoyment of riding the wide-open rolling plains of the Tri-State area. Stops for the riders will include sites that have made it on the big screen or have been a part of some Hollywood history such as the Surf Ballroom in Clear Lake, the American Pickers store in Clinton, and of course the iconic Field of Dreams movie site in Dyersville, IA.

As of the beginning of May, there are over 800 H.O.G. Rally attendees registered with an anticipated attendance of over 1000 enthusiasts of the world's greatest motorcycles,

Harley Davidsons. Riders from 30 different states across the USA and Canada have already paid for their registrations.

Hopfauf added, "I would love to see as many locals and beyond enjoy the evening's entertainment and share a "Thank you to the H.O.G. riders that came from all over the country to spend their time and money in Dubuque and the tristate, and a HUGE thank you to Q Casino for their hospitality and generosity in providing the highest in professional entertainment free to all of us." Dwight added, "I feel more than comfortable in saying that the H.O.G. Rally attendees truly, truly appreciate Q Casino's gesture. With the rising costs of everything these days, including buying gas to ride to Dubuque, this evening's entertainment memory is something the riders will leave with, and return back to our area to enjoy themselves again very soon. H.O.G. riders go and return to where they are always welcome, and Mid-America is always welcoming."

More information about the rally and registration can be found at <u>members.hog.com</u>, <u>https://hoteljuliendubuque.com/event/mid-america-hog-rally/</u> or the rally Facebook page <u>https://www.facebook.com/MidAmericaHOGRally</u>. Please watch for updates.

ABOUT HOTEL JULIEN DUBUQUE

Located in the heart of Dubuque's Old Main District, Hotel Julien Dubuque offers the area's most elegant accommodations and impeccable service. This remarkable boutique hotel is home to Potosa Spa, Caroline's Restaurant, and Riverboat Lounge. Over the decades the hotel has welcomed its share of dignitaries, including Abraham Lincoln, "Buffalo Bill" Cody and Mark Twain, along with the notorious Chicago gangster Al Capone. Hotel Julien Dubuque is managed by IDM Group (www.idmhospitality.com)), based in Madison, Wis. and specializing in boutique hotel development, acquisition, repositioning and management.

ABOUT Q CASINO

Q Casino is an entertainment and gaming complex located in Dubuque, Iowa. The casino is owned by the City of Dubuque, and operated by the non-profit Dubuque Racing Association, its license holder.

OTHER CONTACTS:

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For Requests about H.O.G, please contact Paul Blotske (Paul.Blotske@harley-davidson.com)

For Q Casino, please contact Jeanne Vondal (jeannev@qcasinodbq.com)

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The Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque, July 21-24, 2022 will be three activity fun-filled days featuring guided and self-guided rides, day and evening activities, fun contests with great prizes, special rally priced attractions and events, your free chance to test ride all the different Harley Davidson motorcycles, dining and refreshment offerings, the enjoyment of riding the wide-open rolling plains of Iowa and twisty roads along the Mighty Mississippi River of the Tri-State area, complimentary lunch on some rides, and the exciting sights, sounds, and shopping of historic downtown Dubuque.

Rally attendees will have the opportunity to honor one of Iowan's Prisoner of War Heroes, Dan Hefel. "The Final 19" movie documentary of Dan's time as a POW in Vietnam will be shown three times during the rally. Special guest appearances of Dan and the movie director Tim Breitbach are planned.

Featured entertainment and events includes An Evening With The Ghost Players at the iconic movie site of the Field of Dreams, a Lighted Bike Show contest on Main Street, Biker Bingo, Ladies of Harley and Potosa Spa Breakfast, Biker Fun and Camaraderie, Thursday Biker Night at McGrath Harley Davidson, and lots of Riding, All ending with TWO live music performances by Electric Shock, an ACDC Tribute band and The Pork Tornadoes, one of Iowa's favorites performing at the Back Waters Stage at Q Casino!

Arriving on Wednesday by chance? Enjoy Happy Hours in your honor at Riverboat Lounge inside Hotel Julien Dubuque with First Timer Rally Attendees and Early Arrivers!

Interested in a riverboat ride? Reserve your tickets online at <u>https://americanladycruises.com</u> Be sure to enter PROMO CODE dbqrally22 for \$5.00 off your ticket price for the sightseeing, lunch or dinner cruise rides.

Guided and/or Self-Guided Rides are: The Motorcycle and Motorboat Ride, The Waterfalls Ride, Surf Ballroom and Buddy Holly Crash Site Ride, American Pickers Store and Mississippi River Ride, The Windmill and Poopys' Motorcycle Bar Ride, The M, M, M, and M, Ride (Madison, Milwaukee and Harley Davidson Museum Ride) Field of Dreams Movie Scavenger Hunt Ride, Ride The Rivers To Kegel's HD and Lunch Ride, The House on The Rock Ride, The Let's Go Antiquing and Lunch Ride, and more still being created!

More information about the rally is available at <u>https://www.facebook.com/MidAmericaHOGRally</u>, at Hotel Julien Dubuque's Happenings page, <u>https://hoteljuliendubuque.com/happenings</u>, or at members.hog.com.

Lodging can be found at Holiday Inn Dubuque, Grand Harbor Resort, Hilton Garden Inn, Hampton Inn, Best Western Dubuque, or TownePlace Suites by Marriott. Additional lodging or campsites can be found at <u>www.traveldubuque.com</u>

For any additional information, please feel free to email directly at gm@hoteljuliendubuque.com or leave a message at 563-588-5561.

We'd LOVE to have you join us!

Your rally committee, Mona, Tom, Robin, Doug, Stephanie, Michael and Dwight Hopfauf Hotel General Manager- Hotel Julien Dubuque And Your Honored To Be The Mid-America H.O.G. Rally presents Hollywood Dubuque Rally Coordinator



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