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Director, Greg Roberts



Fall

Here is a special Halloween treat for all of you, a short article. I write a lot of free-flowing thoughts with some big picture idea behind it. However, this time around I just want to be a little more direct and to the point. Besides, you hear me ramble on long enough during meetings every month, so I will start by saying you're welcome! If you really want to talk to me then be sure to show up for this year's Jack Frost Ride on Oct. 29th. It is always one of my favorite rides even if it does indicate that another riding season has come and gone. Hopefully, you have or eventually will take time to experience the fall colors this year. It has been one of the prettiest and most memorable ones that I can recall. The crisp air is a reminder of what is to come and how our motorcycles will be dearly missed over the next several months. Do what you can to sneak in that last ride before Mother Nature makes it near impossible. If it is already cooled down beyond what you consider enjoyable then swing in for a bowl of chili prior to the Jack Frost Ride to say hi or pop in to help Dave and Penny on Nov. 5th with their tournament and fundraiser. Winter will be long enough so don't start hibernating just yet. Continue to watch for flashes with upcoming events as well

Another riding season has come and gone. I am truly grateful that I was able to spend it with each of you. Once again through your combined efforts we were able to touch so many lives and make a difference in the communities that we all live and play in throughout the year. I am looking forward to what comes next and learning more about who we are as a chapter. But for now, I simply wish you a wonderful fall followed by what I hope is a blessed and joy filled holiday season!

Thanks for all you do and thank you for making the Packerland HOG Chapter what it is today.

Enjoy the Ride!

Greg Roberts aka-(Whisper)

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A Road Out of Clintonville

I discovered a fun road out of Clintonville that eventually leads to two interesting places. I have covered a nice route to Clintonville, for a non-four lane alternative to Wausau, but once hitting Hwy. 45 west out of downtown, branch off on Cty. C for a fun and quiet adventure.

After a few miles on Cty. C, you will hook up with Hwy. 110 for a bit. Stay straight on Cty. C by the cheese plant. After passing thru Little Falls, you will swing north towards Big Falls. Continue west (left) in Big Falls and take a moment to check out the "falls" and some nice rapids. Enjoy some nice twisties as you head west but keep an eye out for Amish buggies.

You will eventually hook up with Hwy. 49 and stop in at the Northland Sports Bar & Grill (bike friendly) at the intersection to wet your whistle before deciding your next course of adventure. If you are travelling in early July, head south to lola to check out the popular car show. My choice, except for Labor Day weekend and Tomahawk, is to head north to a small town named Rosholt, after navigating some nice 90-degree benders.

Rosholt is home to the aptly named Rosholt Motorcycle Company just a quick right on Main Street. Housed in the old Rosholt National Bank, they have been around since the late 80's doing custom work and builds. You can even check out some parts in the old vault. They are Harley riders and make some pretty rad bikes. Just a nice place to hang out, check out some of their work, and pick up a souvenir or two. They close for Labor Day weekend because of the Portage County Fair in town, and this year they closed for Tomahawk week because they setup a pop-up shop on the strip at the Chevy dealership.

Rosholt caught the state ridership's attention this summer with a final salute drive-by for an ailing Harley rider. In what was hoped to be a 5 -20 bike parade for a tribute from the family of Dave Larson, with the help of social media, turned into an emotional 400 bike/old car tribute. Packing the streets of this quiet small town, turned into a 20-minute procession, as the family parked Dave at the end of his driveway, just a quick run from downtown. He was overcome with emotion, and my understanding was the family even gave him a final ride later that day in a sidecar. Truly special!

With events like this and all our benefit rides and work, we should all feel honored to be part of the riding community. Stay safe out there as you enjoy the remaining days of the general riding season.

Membership, Kay Kozlowski

Accepting New & Renewal Memberships for 2022.

Chapter membership runs January to December each year. Dues remain at \$10.00.

Here is the link to check the status of your HOG membership: https://members.hog.com or call 1-800-CLUBHOG (1-800-258-2464). Annual Membership \$49.00 Associate Membership \$29.00

Current membership: 154

Wish You Were Here Drawing: \$118.00 Patricia Weber Winner!

To win the pot, you must sign in at the meeting and enter the drawing by paying \$1.00. If there is no winner, the monies carry forward to the next meeting.

If I missed your special day, email the Month and Day of your Birthday and/or Anniversary. If your address, phone # or email address changes, email me the changes and effective date.

Kay Kozlowski – Membership Officer kaykozlowski 123@gmail.com



Happy Birthday Wishes October:

| Oct 01 |
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| Oct 02 |
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| Oct 04 |
| Oct 10 |
| Oct 22 |
| Oct 24 |
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Happy Anniversary Wishes October:

| Ank & Susan Kleis | Oct 04 |
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| Jerome & Tracy Levash | Oct 04 |
| Todd & Brenda Burdick | Oct 05 |
| Jeffrey & Tina Carr | Oct 19 |
| Robert & Theresa Smith | Oct 21 |
| Steven & Vicki Alberts | Oct 22 |
| Scott & Laura Hansen | Oct 22 |
| Jeff & Jane Larmay | Oct 23 |
| Kevin & Amy Lukasko | Oct 25 |
| Lee & Jill Grabowsky | Oct 31 |
| Robert & Georgine Wood | Oct 31 |



Dealership News.....

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Security Monitored and Heated Storage Available Oct. 15, 2022 - April 22, 2023

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Multi-point inspection by H-D authorized technician
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Charge & test battery w/periodic trickle charge while stored

Courtesy bike wash (Not a complete detail cleaning)

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Final release inspection prior to pickup

*10% discount w/Rider Rewards Pts on H-D® parts/accessories

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Courtesy bike wash (Not a complete detail cleaning)

Heated & security monitored storage

Final release inspection prior to pickup

*add \$200.00 for trikes

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Historian, Pearl Christopherson

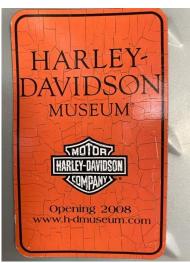


Road Trip by Pearl

I am sure as you are riding, you are noticing the trees turning color in Wisconsin's beautiful fall season. Maybe you could hook up with a friend and take a ride to the H-D Museum in Milwaukee. They are working on a new building to display additional Harley historical items. Or if you are going, you could get a flash sent out, and have other members join you. Two of my H-D friends were there recently and enjoyed it so much. And just think, it all began from a little grey shed!!! Enjoy the ride and take in all the history of Harley-Davidson. Don't forget to have lunch in their restaurant.

H-D Museum, 400 W Canal St., Milwaukee, WI 53203 H-D Museum.com









Dealership News.....

Saturday, October 22

Deadline to turn in HOGOPOLY booklets at VVHD- Put the number of stops on the front for us. Remember just for

buying the booklet, you are entered to win prizes – so turn in your books even though not many stamps.

NO MEETING IN OCTOBER DUE TO JACK FROST RIDE.

Saturday, Oct.29

Jack Frost Run For Fun Ride (date is moved from Nov. 5 as family wedding conflict) Details coming soon- watch for future flashes and website/facebook posts

Saturday, Nov. 5

Kim's Tae Kwon Do Fundraiser. Penny Duggan, chapter member, is the organizer and if chapter members can help hold boards or with the food,

contact her. Money raised goes to Paul's Pantry. kimstkdgb@gmail.com or talk to her at the Sept. meeting.

Saturday, Nov. 12

Vandervest Harley-Davidson "Customer Appreciation Event" - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

NO MEETING NOVEMBER DUE TO PACKER TAILGATE EVENT

Sunday, Dec. 4

11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Packer tailgate event in the Duck Blind. Doors open at 11 a.m. game at noon. We will have a money gameboard, 50/50,

Wish You Were Here and Attendance raffles.

End of year, officer awards will be given out at halftime. Pot luck so bring a dish to pass. Chapter will supply the meat. Bring a guest if you want.

Any renewal or new member dues paid now, will also count for 2023 so feel free to renew memberships. Make sure if you have new emails, let us know.



The Packerland HOG Chapter recently donated \$200 to Backpack For Kids. Patti Jacques, Chapter Member is involved in this event. This is the picture of the helpers for the Backpack For Kids, putting things together. On this day, they did 237 bags. Patti gave our check to the group. It will help to purchase supplies to keep the bags going out. They appreciate our help very much.

Robert and Patti Jacques



Congratulations to Historian Pearl for accomplishing her 175,000-mile patch from HOG.







Chapter Meeting notes.....

Date: 9.27.2022 Time: 6:37 pm

Joke: Penny's joke

Guests: Michelle brought by Tom New Members: None in attendance

Talker: Greg

Subject: Chapter Member Registration

- Early registration is open fill out your forms
- Spread the word continue to bring your friends in and join the chapter

Subject: Handmade crafts were available today and for order

• They have the custom stuff for plaques and other signs

Subject: Rides going on

• Share the information with Lynn and a flash can be sent out so others can join you

Subject: Events coming up

- Reenactment ride Friday Sept 30th kickstands up by 930 leaving VVHD, going to stop at Micky
- Lous for lunch on the ride home; need to sign the waiver form before we take off, taking all the back roads
- Drift Inn Saturday Oct 1st 12-5pm Cruise for Cancer fundraiser live action at 430pm, meat raffles, paddle wheels, give aways including a black stone green egg and cornhole boards – 20\$ donation
- to get in
- HOGOPOLY board Saturday Oct 22nd to the dealership
- Jack Frost Ride for fun Saturday Oct 29th (NEW DATE) no charge come along for the ride; chili
 beforehand regardless to the weather we will ride come about 10:30 am leaving about 11:30am from
 VVHD
- Kim's Tae Kwon Do Fundraiser Saturday Nov 5th
- No meeting in Oct Jack Frost Ride (watch your flash for possible themes)
- No meeting in Nov Packer Event
- Tailgate Packer game Dec 4th 11-4pm in the Duck Blind

Subject: Cruise for Cancer 2023

Date is set June 25th SUNDAY

Subject: Connection for the next few months

- Communicate through flash for the next few months if you have a ride or are going for one
- communicate so others can join

Talker: Rob

Subject: Money distributions/donations

- Backpack for Kids in Luxemburg Casco
- Hogs for Heroes
- Honor Flight
- Laundry Love
- Best Christmas ever (waiting on response)
- Cerebral palsy
- Parin's Ride for 2023

Chapter Meeting notes cont.....

Talker: Jean

Subject: Laundry Love

- Runs the program
- Does laundry three times a month for homeless, vets and anyone who needs help
- All walks of life come in and gets help
- Spend \$1300 each time,
- we make them a meal
- The need is growing, and we are trying to raise money
- Chili cookoff Nov 10th, bake sale, 50/50 and try to raise some money
- Senior's love do the laundry for the shut ins at Fort Howard
- WE get pillows for the seniors who need sheets and other items cleaned
- Serve them lunch
- It will be here in the Duck Blind doors open 430 and tasting starts at 5pm

Talker: Craig Williams

Subject: Trip taken out west

- Headed to Sturgis
- Road many miles see some animals and stupid people road 2200 miles in 4 days

Talker: Penny

Subject: Teo Kwon Dow Nov 5th

- Help by holding the boards for the kids
- Fundraiser, this year it is going to Paul's Pantry
- It is the 50th anniversary
- The students go out to get pledges to break boards, bricks there is a bake sale, silent auction

Talker: John Forrest

Subject: Ak Ozarks and lake of the Ozarks in MO

- Trip, there is a pamphlet and there a bunch or routes based out of Harrison AR
- Took the routes which were cool and precede to go to Lake of the Ozarks
- They were having a Bike fest the map was based out of the dealership
- There is not one flat piece of ground anywhere
- Wearing your vest, we stopped at a backwoods bar and some guy comes up stating he was from Denmark
- The pamphlet John brought along to look at it and you are welcome to look at it and take it to use on a ride if you so choose

Talker: Randy

Subject: Fire Iron Ride

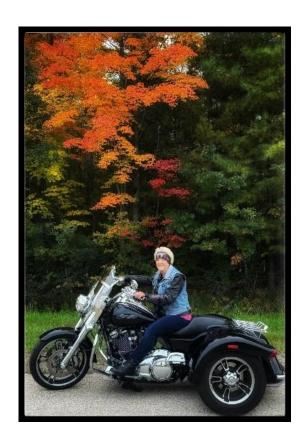
- Sept 10th had forty-two bikes
- Rainy day but had a good ride

50/50: 7885103

Wish you were here: 118\$ Webber

Attendance: GC Dealership – Dawn Bellinger





Chapter Member Pearl Christopherson enjoying some Fall riding.....

If you have a favorite route you would like to share, send it to Lynn and we will add it to our newsletter. Submit to Lynn@vvhd.com.***********

Next Chapter meeting is: Sunday, Dec. 4th 11am – 4pm – Packer Tailgate Event in the Duck Blind

Respectfully submitted, Caryn Forrest, Editor



