



## **ALL AMERICAN HOG CHAPTER MEETING**

at AAHD Dealership

Thursday, 20 February 2021

Meeting called to order at 1:00pm, by the Director, Kevin McConnell

Pledge of Allegiance: Rob Stirling

### **Director: Kevin McConnell**

- Thanked AAHD for hosting and Pizza. Deb Deboodt served the pizza. And cookies were there also, special thanks to Nick McConnell for bringing in the homemade Harley bar and shield cookies.
- Thanked everyone for attending the meeting
- There are still some vacant Positions open if any one is interested. The position open are Editor, Social Media and LOH. If any ladies want to help coordinate LOH stuff, contact the Activity Officer.
- Ride Chief – lets get this going. If you don't want to lead a ride as a RC, and you have exciting places in mind to go, plan it, identify a RC you would like to lead the ride. Get it on the calendar!! Ride Chief Forms are on the Website,
- Membership dues are \$20 after 1 February. You are a new member if you pay after 1 February.
- We are in the process of purging the Eblast; roster and coming soon the Facebook. A question was asked about letting the members that had not renewed stay on Facebook, the answer was No, since the Facebook is for members only.
- Treasurer, Barb Allen received her patch.
- Beth Truesdale has Riders Contest Books to hand out

### **Dealer Rep – Lyndon Abell**

- We have 2 new employees: Steve Corbett (formally from Old Glory) Motorcycle Sales and Visiting former Rich Oben, and Andrea – Motorcycle Sales
- Doing a Trade-In Promo, need a few more Pre-owned motorcycles, we like to get in now, to re-condition before we get slammed. We have an extra trade in credit, anybody you know or you, now are a fantastic time, to get maximum for your trade
- Been under a rock and not paying attention to what Harley Davidson has said, coming this summer the New Adventure Touring Motorcycle – Pan America, on Monday they are going to release a bunch of information about it, not sure why they are doing this in

February when we are not going to see the bike until summer time, but that's what they are doing, tune in on Monday

- Two new St. Patty's shirts are in, after the meeting check them out
- Harley has had a Boom audio for several years, they have recently patterned with Rockford, has done a lot of aftermarket systems, but without factory installs it denotes the factory warranty which is a big deal. So, this is cool for a lot of people who are interested in that system, so we have done 2 installs so far. We think it's an awesome system, Harley has put in a lot of time and testing, so we think this will be great,
- New LED lights, nice improvement, displays for them, for more information talk to someone at Parts
- 130 cubic inch Upgrade Screaming Eagle Motor, you might want to ask about that too.
- Harley is doing a Get Out and Ride Promotion. Go to [HD.com/getoutandride](https://www.harley-davidson.com/getoutandride), you can register. You get entries for making purchases, mileage, sharing stuff on social media, and other things. Giving away some stuff, grand prize giving away Daytona Road Glide.
- RIDE 365

2020 – 365 Ride Results are posted. Drawing for a grand prize of a Free Full Service. Regardless of how much you ride (for us) you will be placed in the drawings, every 1000 miles you rode, you get more chances to win  
Total All American HOG Miles – 441,154, that for 57 people who participated, which is 15% of the chapter.

Grand Prize: Free Full Service winner is Frank Nuhfer

Door Prizes: Must be present to win. Only one prize per winner

HD Serving Tray – Kevin McConnell

So MD All American HD Hat – Rich Oben

HD Shirt – Ed Wilbur

HD Socks – Jay Hawthorn

Picture Frame – Doc Truesdale

HD Earrings – Sandy Hawthorn

8G Stick – Matt Allen

Thanks to everyone who participated in Ride 365. If you participated this year, you're already preloaded, used last year mileage for your start mileage for 2021

### **Secretary – Debbie Kirby**

- Bumped and Bruised Report –
- Good News –  
Dave Moore is a proud father to a baby boy, David Moore, Jr., this is his 7<sup>th</sup> child,

### **Membership Officer – BethTruesdale**

- Members 278, I know they are still some in the mail, I have had folks say that they mailed them, as you know the Mail is running slow, so hopefully the letters will show up soon,
- Dues after 1 February, will be \$20. You will be a new member.

- The Eblast system has been updated, the cool thing with this system, if your email is deleted, you will receive an email saying you have been deleted or unsubscribe, let us know, because it was an error and we can fix it.
- Facebook page will be removing nonmembers,
- Two (2) new Members: Nick McConnell and Adrian Caraballo. A photo will be taken during the break of our new members,
- Notify me of any email address changes or other information.
- Member in attendance today: 40

## **BREAK – Get your 50/25/25 Tickets**

### **Head Road Captain – Doc Truesdale**

- Both rides for today (20 February) were cancelled today.
- March 13<sup>th</sup> – RC – Sandy Hawthorn -Williamsport HOG Chapter/MDAMRA Fundraiser – Chili Cookoff. Departing from the Cedar Point Federal Credit Union, Charlotte Hall. Pre-Ride Brief at 9:15 am, Kickstands Up at 9:30 am. She has two rides planned, depending on the weather, if its like today the ride will be direct – straight there and back, if the weather is nicer there will be a direct route there, and some awesome ride back. I have done this ride for several years, and its only been Jay and I doing the ride, would like to have more than just us doing the ride.
- Long Distance Ride (Tim, Doc and Bob) – Run for the Wall in May. This ride is 16-17 days ride with the Veterans, going to California to meet up with other riders. Go to website [rtfw.us](http://rtfw.us) to get more information
- Long Distance Ride (Frank Nuhfer and Old Glory members – Joint Ride) – May 22<sup>nd</sup>, Blue Ridge Parkway, Cherohala Skyway, Helen, GA, going to Leeds AL, San Antonio Riverwalk, TX, see the Alamo, Ride the 3 Sisters, Part 1, Part 2 Old Glory will take us TX to CA, New Mexico, Total 23 days. If interested sign up

### **Safety Officer – Todd Brooks**

- Review of TCLOCS
  - T = Tires, wheels and brakes. Conditions, air pressure, all check when cold, check tread depth.
  - C = Controls – bars, levers, pedal, throttle, hoses. Make sure handlebars are level, gear levers are working well, new bikes have cable clutch has a wide friction zone, hose for cracks,
  - L = Lights – Battery, head lamps passing lamps, taillights, turn signals, check your mirrors, check your wires
  - O = Oil – engine oil, gear oil, coolant, fresh fuel
  - C = Chassis – frame, suspension – change your fork oil, chain/belt drive, fasteners
  - S = Stands – side stand, center stand, springs

### Trivia Questions:

1. In what year and model did Harley release the new familiar “U” shape oil tank?

Answer: 1936 EL Knucklehead

2. What famous Actor rode a 45 bobber with massive trumpet pipes sticking up 4 or 5 feet over back fender in a 1970’s biker film “The Rebel Rousers”?

Answer: Jack Nicholson

3. What year was the first Police Radio used in a Harley?

Answer: 1932 Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Winner Sandy Hawthorn

Since Todd didn’t have his prizes today, it was suggested that he double up on the prizes next month.

### Treasurer – Kevin McConnell and Barbara Allen

- Kevin turned everything over to Barbara Allen. Account signatory letter is completed.
- Balance - \$11,852.91
- Deposits - \$1280.00
- Expense - \$0
- We have some funds to spend, trying to do some things that we haven’t done before. Planning some cool stuff, we have our Brain Freeze June 5<sup>th</sup>, Picnic, and a Holiday Party scheduled for next January,

### DOOR PRIZES

ITEM	DONATED BY	WON BY
Outer Banks Pin	The Deboodt’s	Phyllis Warman
Sexy Vest Pin	The Deboodt’s	Brian DuPay
Skull Money Vlip	The Deboodt’s	Rich Oben
Nags Head Shot Glass	The Deboodt’s	Barb Allen
HD Key Chain	The Deboodt’s	Andrea Kawano

### Guest Speaker – Deb Deboodt

This was an ongoing project. Thanks to all who helped

Scott please come up - Today is Scott’s 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday. I asked a lot of people across the country, because I wanted you to receive 60 birthday cards, pretend there are 50 more. This is the project that just didn’t work out.

Presented him a picture of him and his bike.



## Activities – Christina Stirling (with Rob Stirling Speaking)

- Sign up for Teams!
- Upcoming Socials:
  - February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6 pm – Foxy Fish. Was a great success!! 27 in attendance
  - March 6<sup>th</sup>, 11 am – Memorial Clean Up – Will have all cleaning supplies, pressure washer, replace the broken fence around the HOG
  - March 6<sup>th</sup>, 1 pm – Activity Planning Meeting being held at AAHD classroom upstairs
  - March 25<sup>th</sup> 6 pm – SOCIAL – Three Brothers Italian, Prince Frederick, MD. Need a head count, so please RSVP by March 22<sup>nd</sup>, via Facebook or email Activity Officer
  - June 5<sup>th</sup> – Brain Freeze – Planning is underway. We plan on having this no matter what – unless we are quarantined (COVID). Doc has the route – 2 stops,
  - August 7<sup>th</sup> – Picnic (St. Mary's Fairgrounds) will need volunteers
  - We will be collecting door prizes for Picnic and Holiday Party,
  - Working on dates for the Holiday Party
- We are looking for volunteers for the Activities Team. If interested, let Christina know.
- We will need volunteers at meetings, when we can have them. To help sell 50/25/25 tickets, hand out door prizes.

## T-SHIRT GAME

\$70 this month – PA was drawn, we have 3 winners – Doc Truesdale, Jack Richardson, Christina Stirling

## 50/25/25 DRAWING

1<sup>st</sup> Winner: Don French \$40

2<sup>nd</sup> Winner: Jim McKay \$40.

**Meeting was called to be adjourned at 2:12 pm**

## **T-CLOCS ITEM WHAT TO CHECK WHAT TO LOOK FOR CHECK-OFF**

### **T-TIRES & WHEELS**

Tires Condition Tread depth, wear, weathering, evenly seated, bulges, embedded objects. Front Rear

Air Pressure Check when cold, adjust to load. Front Rear

Wheels Spokes Bent, broken, missing, tension, check at top of wheel: "ring" = OK — "thud" = loose spoke. Front Rear

Cast Cracks, dents. Front Rear

Rims Out of round/true = 5mm. Spin wheel, index against stationary pointer. Front Rear

Bearings Grab top and bottom of tire and flex: No free play (click) between hub and axle, no growl when spinning. Front Rear

Seals Cracked, cut or torn, excessive grease on outside, reddish-brown around outside.

Front Rear Brakes Function - Each brake alone keeps bike from rolling. Front Rear

Condition Check pads and discs for wear. Front Rear

### **C-CONTROLS**

Handlebars Condition Bars are straight, turn freely, handgrips and bar ends are secure.

Levers and Pedal Condition Broken, bent, cracked, mounts tight, ball ends on handlebar levers, proper adjustment.

Pivots Lubricated.

Cables Condition Fraying, kinks, lubrication ends and interior.

Routing No interference or pulling at steering head, suspension, no sharp angles, wire supports in place.

Hoses Condition Cuts, cracks, leaks, bulges, chafing, deterioration.

Routing No interference or pulling at steering head, suspension, no sharp angles, hose supports in place.

Throttle Operation Moves freely, snaps closed, no revving when handlebars are turned.

### **L-LIGHTS & ELECTRICS**

Battery Condition Terminals; clean and tight, electrolyte level, held down securely.

Vent Tube Not kinked, routed properly, not plugged.

Headlamp Condition Cracks, reflector, mounting and adjustment system.

Aim Height and right/left.

Tail lamp/brake lamp

Condition Cracks, clean and tight.

Operation Activates upon front brake/rear brake application.

Turn signals Operation Flashes correctly. Front left Front right

Rear left Rear right

Switches Operation All switches function correctly: engine cut-off, hi/low beam, turn signal.

Mirrors Condition Cracks, clean, tight mounts and swivel joints.

Aim Adjust when seated on bike.

Lenses & Reflectors Condition Cracked, broken, securely mounted, excessive condensation.

Wiring Condition Fraying, chafing, insulation.

Routing Pinched, no interference or pulling at steering head or suspension, wire looms and ties in place, connectors tight, clean.

### **O-OIL & OTHER FLUIDS**

Levels Engine Oil Check warm on center stand on level ground, dipstick, sight glass.

Gear Oil, Shaft Drive Transmission, rear drive, shaft.

Hydraulic Fluid Brakes, clutch, reservoir or sight glass.

Coolant Reservoir and/or coolant recovery tank — check only when cool.

Fuel Tank or gauge.

Leaks Engine Oil Gaskets, housings, seals.

Gear Oil, Shaft Drive Gaskets, seals, breathers.

Hydraulic Fluid Hoses, master cylinders, calipers.

Coolant Radiator, hoses, tanks, fittings, pipes.

Fuel Lines, fuel valve, carbs.

### **C-CHASSIS**

Frame Condition Cracks at gussets, accessory mounts, look for paint lifting.

Steering-Head Bearings No detent or tight spots through full travel, raise front wheel, check for play by pulling/pushing forks.

Swingarm Bushings Raise rear wheel, check for play by pushing/pulling swingarm.

Suspension Front Forks Smooth travel, equal air pressure/damping, anti-dive settings.

Left Right

Rear Shock(s) Smooth travel, equal pre-load/air pressure/damping settings, linkage moves freely and is lubricated. Left Right

Chain or Belt Tension Check at tightest point.

Lubrication Side plates when hot. Note: do not lubricate belts.

Sprockets Teeth not hooked, securely mounted

Fasteners Threaded Tight, missing bolts, nuts.

Clips & Cotter Pins Broken, missing.

### **S-STANDS**

Center stand Condition Cracks, bent.

Retention Springs in place, tension to hold position.

Side stand Condition Cracks bent (safety cut-out switch or pad equipped).

Retention Springs in place, tension to hold position.