



ALL AMERICAN HOG CHAPTER MEETING

at AAHD Dealership
Thursday, 17 March 2022

Meeting called to order at 6:25 pm, by the Director, Kevin McConnell
Pledge of Allegiance: Brain Dupuy

Director: Kevin McConnell

- We are doing our Chapter Meeting differently tonight, we will have breakout groups where you can socialize and ask questions to the Officers – Road Captain, Activities, Treasurer, LOH, etc. We are going to be more social.
- Welcome to our Chapter Meeting.
- Thanked AAHD for hosting and for the pizzas.
- Thank Lyndon for having us at the Dealership.
- Chapter information can be found on the website, Facebook, Eblast and calendar
- Always looking for volunteers to help for various things.
- We will continue to have the Chapter Meetings at the Dealership on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm. We are growing in number, as far as people attending the meetings. I love it!
- Be sure to check in with Membership.

Dealer Rep – Lyndon Abell

- Greetings everyone, my name is Lyndon, I kind of run the dealership, I'm the boss, but really, I have good managers that run dealership and I thank them for doing it.
- Registers will be open until after the break, if you want purchase anything,
- This weekend (Saturday, March 19th), we are doing the Riding Academy Reunion, so we have invited the graduates to come to the store and we have a couple of bike stations, and there will be a HOG table, so the folks can talk to some of the officers/members.
- Saturday, March 26th we will be doing a Bike Wash Seminar, so Colin made us the video, so we will be just giving you the basic tips on how to wash your bike, give you some tips and tricks.
- St Pattie Day Shirts – We have any left? A couple left, get them now or you can weep later
- Demo Event April 9- Thank you so much for the many people who have raised their hand to help. It's always a good time for the volunteers as well as the participate will be fun for all. Hope for good weather. Chaptico Market Food Truck will be at the dealership, I think we will be buying lunch for the volunteers.

Assistant Director - Rob Stirling

- How many rode? Zero hands – No checking the Ride 365 mileage
- MD/DE Primary Event dates were selected and are on the calendar
- All American Brain Freeze Primary May 21, 2022
- HOG RALLIES 2022 – full list is on HOG Website and posted on our calendar
- The Touring Rally going to New Hampshire, leaving from AAHD in August. Has 80 people signed up so far? There will be nightly drawings at the sponsoring dealerships
- Make sure you get a beginning check on your Ride 365, we got 3rd last year, so we can finish 2nd this year,

With that being said, everyone get out of your seats and mingle. Find the people you want to find, The primary's (Director, Asst. Director, Treasurer) Other officers such as Head Road Captain, Activities and LOH. By all means take this time to mingle with us, because we don't get to mingle with you from up here doing this.

Activities - Gary Davis

- Good Evening Ladies and Gentlemen
- Socials for March/April
 - March 26th – Cherry Blossom Festival/PJ Ice cream
 - March 27th – Old Glory Bowling Challenge
 - April 9th – Demo Day Help (at dealership)
- DINNER & A CRUISE SERIES AT ST. CLEMENT'S ISLAND MUSEUM (duration 4 hrs.)

Enjoy cool breezes during a fun evening of cruising on the St. Clément's Island Water Taxi, delicious dinner at local waterside Morris Point Restaurant and desert reception at St. Clément's Island Museum during this series of themed cruises throughout the season!

**** BOOK SOON at 301-769-2222 – THESE WILL SELL OUT! ONLY 20 seats are available per cruise for these EXCLUSIVE events****

If you are not able to book one of these cruises, we take private dinner and a cruise booking on a case by case basis for a group of 15-20 people. Call museum for information and availability

SUNDAY, April 24, 2022 - 2 pm – 6 pm – The Civil War and St. Clément's Island

The water tour will include a guided presentation about St. Clément's Island's interesting role during the American Civil war. Ticketholders will park at St. Clément's Island Museum and attend the Black Diamond ceremony at 2 pm before boarding the boat for a guided Civil War themed tour on the way to Morris Point Restaurant, where they will enjoy dinner. Following dinner, guests will re-board the boat and enjoy another speaking tour on the way back to the Museum to attend the dessert reception.

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022 - 4 PM – 8 PM – Maryland's Beginnings

The water tour guide will discuss the first people and events that led to the founding of Maryland. The event will begin and end at St. Clément's Museum where the water taxi will pick up guest and take them to Morris Point Restaurant for dinner.

Diners will return to St. Clément's Island museum on the water taxi following dinner for a dessert reception.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022 - 4 PM – 8 PM – Lost Towns of Tidewater Maryland

The water tour guide will talk about the fascinating history of lost and forgotten communities of Tidewater Maryland. The event will begin and end at St. Clément's Museum where the water taxi will pick up guest and take them to Morris Point Restaurant for dinner. Diners will return to St. Clément's Island museum on the water taxi following dinner for a dessert reception.

SUNDAY, JULY 17, 2022 - 3:30 PM – 7:30 PM – Inside Blackistone Lighthouse

The water tour will include a guided tour of the Blackistone Lighthouse on St. Clément's Island. The event will begin and end at St. Clément's Museum where the water taxi will pick up guest and take them to Morris Point Restaurant for dinner. Diners will return to St. Clément's Island museum on the water taxi following dinner for a dessert reception.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2022 – 3:30 PM – 7:30 PM – Inside Blackistone Lighthouse

The water tour will include a guided tour of the Blackistone Lighthouse on St. Clément's Island. The event will begin and end at St. Clément's Museum where the water taxi will pick up guest and take them to Morris Point Restaurant for dinner. Diners will return to St. Clément's Island museum on the water taxi following dinner for a dessert reception

- Upcoming :Social in May 28th– PyroJam is a total adventure for all your senses, 3pm – 10:30 pm, Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum 10515 Mackall Rd, St. Leonard, MD 20685
 - 6 Fireworks Shows (2+hours) 3 Live Bands, 1 Spectacular Night Mouth-watering Food Truck fare. Interactive children's festival area. It's a blazing sparks-after-dark experience. Early Bird Ticket sales general: \$35 till end of February, after that the price goes up by \$10. Get your tickets early. VIP \$130, Family pack(4 tickets) \$120, Children under 5 Free. Preferred parking: \$32.70 (if you look at the website its \$30, but they're charging you a \$2.70 fee, so I just added it the cost. General Parking is Free. Web/ticket site: www.pyrojamusa.com
- The PyroJam is the same day as AAHD Memorial Day Open House. So come and support our dealership then head over to Jefferson Patterson Park for a fun night
- Selling 50/25/25
- Collect door prizes – Please have your name on the prizes that you have dropped off, so we know who gave the prizes

Secretary – Debbie Brooks –

- **Bumped and Bruise Report:** .
- **Good News –** .

Membership Officer – Sherri Kitchen

- Members attending tonight – 64
- Total Membership – 305

Question was asked about the Rider's Contest Books. I finished making the changes today, the book will be posted on the Webpage as before, a few copies will be printed at the Dealership and made available. We will not be going to the print shop and spend a lot of money to have them printed this year. Because half the books that we got back this year were printed copies, not the book that was printed. We got about 14 books turned in last year, and we printed 50 copies. Just not going to spend the money.

BREAK – If you have a birthday in March. HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL

Get your 50/25/25 Tickets

Head Road Captain – Matt Allen.

- Thank you to our RC's who are diligently posting all sorts of ride opportunities to you, our members. Now the weather hasn't been the best overall, but we'd like to see more attendance on these rides. The weather is getting warmer, so let's ride more!
- RC's reminder for drop off signup sheets, and jot down a quick weather note (i.e. warm & sunny 65 degrees, cold & windy 45 degrees, overcast & possible rain 50 degrees, etc.)
- Hosted 10 rides since our last meeting on Feb 17. 10 more rides currently scheduled through next month's meeting!
- Demo Ride and Brain Freeze Planning Roster review
- USNA Tour and McGarvey's Saloon and Oyster Bar - shameless plug for attendance on Sat, Mar 19 (weather depending)
- Ask for rides that members would like to see.
- Couples new to group riding, who's interested in practice rides?

Up Coming Rides:

- **RC Bob Smith** - Friday, March 18 – Worm/Sugar Moon Full Moon Ride. Leaving AAHD, Pre-brief at 5:45 pm, Kick stands up at 6:00 pm. Yay, Full Moon Rides are back!! And only a day late for St. Pattie's Day ... so join us for a short ride to O'Gannigans Irish Pub in Prince Frederick for some traditional Irish fare.
- **RC Matt Allen** - Saturday, March 19 – USNA Tour & McGarvey's Saloon & Oyster Bar, leaving AAHD, Pre-brief is at 8am, Kick stands up at 8:30 am. Join us for a trip to and walking tour of the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD. The USNA was established on 10 October 1845, under Secretary of the Navy George Bancroft. It is the second oldest of the five U.S. service academies, and educates officers for commissioning primarily into the United States Navy and United States Marine Corps. The entire campus (known to insiders as "the Yard") is a National Historic Landmark and home to many historic sites, buildings and monuments, some of which we will visit during our tour. When viewing the map, we are planning to visit (9) Main Chapel and the Crypt of John Paul Jones, (11) 1845 Coffee shop, (10) USNA Museum, Preble Hall, (7) Tecumseh Court, (8) Bancroft Hall, (6) Dahlgren Hall and finish up at (1) Visitor

Center and Gift Shop. Descriptions of each location are provided on the attached USNA Map

- **RC – Rob Stirling** - Sunday, March 20 – Breakfast Ride / Hughesville American Legion. Leaving from Wawa 235/5 Split, Pre-brief is at 7:45 am, Kick stands up at 8:00 am. Come out for a ride and breakfast. We will take the scenic backroads Ride will be approx. 50 miles. Breakfast will be at the American Legion in Hughesville. It is \$10.00 CASH – All you can Eat. They put on a delicious breakfast with many options
- **RC – Kevin McConnell** - Sunday, March 20 – After Breakfast Directors Cut. Leaving from American Legion (once breakfast is finished) After we are finished with Breakfast we'll depart and take a ride over to Calvert along the river, down to Chesapeake Beach, then return to the dealership
- **RC – Rene Wilbur** – Lunch Bunch Ride – Twin Kiss,- Leaving AAHD Pre-brief is at 11:15 am, kick stand up at 11:30 am Wear something green
- **RC – Todd Brooks** -Tuesday, March 22 - Ride to Salsas Celebrate Daylight Savings! Leaving AAHD Pre-brief is at 6 pm, kick stands up at 6:15 pm. Come join us as we take advantage of Daylight Savings for a leisurely jaunt through the St. Mary's countryside. Destination will be the most excellent Mexican Restaurant Salsa's in Leonardtown. This ride is approximately one hour long so that should put us at the restaurant at 7:15 pm
- **RC Gary Davis** - Saturday, March 26 – Cherry Blossom Festival - Lexington Park – Leaving AAHD Pre-brief is at 11:20 am, Kick stands up at 11:30 am – Come join me as we take a ride from AAHD to the local Cherry Blossoms Festival being held in Lexington Park. The event will have food trucks, arts and crafts, nature walks, community garden information, fitness challenges, information booth, skateboarding demos, Maryland Day games, face painting, fun runs, disc golf lessons, live music, give aways and much more. There are no Fees for this event
- **RC Bob Smith – RAIN DATE** Saturday, March 26th, Williamsport MD Primary/Chili Cookoff and Bake Sale. Leaving AAHD, Pre-brief 08:15 am, Kick stands up 08:30 am. Tasting Cost is \$5.00 per person. All proceeds go benefit the Williamsport HOG Chapter. Join me on a ride to Williamsport HD and then to the Red Man Lodge #84 for lunch (\$5) to support Williamsport HOG Chapters Primary event. This is First MD/DE Chapter event of the year, lets show why AAHD is the riding-est chapter in the area! Approximately 300+ miles, should get home before 6:00 pm
- **RC – Fred Heppner** – Wednesday, March 30th - Hump Day Ride to Port Tobacco Marina. Leaving AAHD Pre-brief is at 11:15 am Kick stands up at 11:30 am.
- **RC – Scott Blevins** – Saturday, April 2nd - Walton's Mountain Museum, Schuyler, VA – Leaving AAHD Pre-brief is at 8 am, kick stands up at 8:20 am. A fun filled ride to Walton's Mountain Museum. We will visit the museum where you will be able to see replicas and memorabilia from the popular TV series. Cost is \$10 and free for military We will have lunch after the tour at Tavern on the James.
- **RC – Rob Stirling** – Saturday, April 9th - AAHD Ride to Demos – Leaving Wawa 235/5 split -Pre-brief is at 9 am, Kicks stands up at 9:15 am. Join me for a ride to AAHD to check out and demo the new 2022 models. We will take a short ride through some backroads to AAHD or their Demo Event
- **RC – Matt Allen** – Monday, April 18th – Taxes are paid, I think I can swing a soup and sandwich... Leaving AAHD, Pre-brief is TBD, kick stands up – TBD. Paid taxes to Uncle

Same – check! Checked pockets for dinner change remaining – check, Take a leisurely ride for an affordable soup and sandwich meal at Potbelly Sandwich Shop

- Our Chapter needs you New Road Captains
- Ride Chief
 - Review Description/Purpose
 - Contact the chapter for Road Captain assistance

LOH – Annette Clare

- **Items on the Agenda but not discussed**
- Our event last weekend had to be postponed due to the weather. Will let you know when it has been rescheduled.
- An LOH eBlast was sent on March 9th to all the ladies. Did anyone (ladies) not receive it (raise hands)? Please see me to connect you with the membership officer to record your email.
- We need you to respond to the survey in that email by March 25th so we can finalize our plans for the Dinner Theater on June 4th
- I have a flyer with all our upcoming events. Please see me to get one
- Thanks to those who have already donated t-shirts for the quilt. We are asking ladies to donate an All-American T-Shirt (men's or woman's) to make the quilt. It will be raffled to earn money for LOH events. Tickets will be sold at various Chapter events and the drawing will be held in the Fall.

Safety Officer – Todd Brooks – Nothing Reported

Greg Bouton – Editor

- **Exhaust Notes:** Please submit your articles for the next edition of The Exhaust Notes by April 1, 2022
- Pictures are welcome. If submitted, please identify where you want your pictures located within your article.
- All articles submitted will receive chances for 50/25/25

Treasurer – Barbara Allen

- Good to see everyone
- Net gain/loss since last month, current balances.
- Beginning Balance - \$13,734.30
- Expenses - \$710.08
- Deposits – \$1,166.00
- Ending Balance - \$14,190.22
- Deposits consisted of Membership Dues
- Expenses consisted of Holiday Party 12/10/22, deposit on Hall Rental and Catering Deposit and ROC Reimbursement

- In the next couple of weeks, I will be planning a Budget Meeting with Primary's to set the budget for the year. I will be getting our taxes done.

DOOR PRIZES

ITEM	DONATED BY	WON BY
2 poker Chip & Koozie	Jay & Sandy Hawthorn	Mike Tevis
5 Poker chips	Ed & Rene Wilbur	Wally Simpkin
4 poker chips	Ed & Rene Wilbur	Drew Stirling
4 poker chips & Koozie	Ed & Rene Wilbur	Matt Allen
4 Poker chips	Ed & Rene Wilbur	Bill Mattingly

• **T-SHIRT GAME -**

For the new members – there are chips in this bag for every state except MD, but there is a chip for All American. The chip that is drawn and the winner or winners will split the prize. If they are wearing that state.

- State that was pulled – Montana - \$10 - Winner: No Winner
- \$20 next month

50/25/25 DRAWING

1st Drawing – John Allwine - \$56

2nd Drawing – Phyllis Warman - \$56

Please send me an email, letting me know what I'm doing right or wrong, what I can do to make things better, need more ride suggestions on our calendar. If you have a favorite ride, send it to me and I will have Lyndon or Jessica put it on the Ride Board that's in the back.

Meeting was called to be adjourned at 7:25 pm. Please clean up, help put chairs away and throw away any trash. Thank everyone for coming, safe travels home. Next meeting will be Thursday, April 21, 2022 at AAHD at 6:30 pm. Come early for Pizza.