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Next meeting Sunday
October 13, 2019 – 10am
HOG Room

Hi Everyone!

Happy Fall!

We have some exciting news.

We sold the 1st LiveWire in the world to Matt Levatich, President & CEO of Harley-Davidson! It is Matt's 7th bike he has purchased from us and we are honored he chose Uke's to be his dealer and deliver the first LiveWire.

There is still plenty of riding time left this season, but we are taking reservations for winter storage. It is FREE with \$750 worth of parts and/or labor during the storage period. Stop in and let us know you will be bringing your bike in and we can discuss all the ways we can improve your ride.

Check out all the new gear in the motor clothes department and it is a good time to stock up on heated gear!

Ride Safe,

The Uke's Team



From the Director - Kevin Klee

It is fall, riding season is coming to a stop!

Again, thank you to the members who donated their time and talents to the activities this summer. Without you, we would not be successful. I would like to see more members take part; this is a group effort!

The Chapter is getting back to its charitable ways. Please join the Kenosha HOG Chapter with a Winter Coat Drive. Please consider bringing in gently used jacket, coats, hats, scarves or mittens for local families who cannot afford to purchase.

The Proceeds from the drawing in September and October will be matched by the chapter up to \$500.00. Let's make this happen for area families. See Flyer in newsletter

Remember that October meeting is **nominations** and the open positions are **Assistant Director** and **Treasurer**. Any chapter member can run for these positions and are encouraged to. Elections will be held at the November meeting.

Fall color Ride will be held after the meeting on Sunday October 13th join with us for a nice fall ride then for lunch at the Brighton woods Apple Orchard. It is sure to be a great day of socializing and riding.

There are a number of activities coming up see announcements in the newsletter and join in the fun. Whether it's the Amazing Race, Pool, Christmas Party, Bowling or Family Game night we would love to see members there.

Ride Safe and see you at the October 13th Meeting.

Kevin Klee Director



Minutes by Melissa - Melissa Hawver

Secretary Notes

The secretary Melissa Hawver was paddling down a river so the notes are presented by proxy!

Director Kevin Klee opened the meeting first and foremost he wished to thank all the members who gave of their time and talents throughout the summer. Thanks!!

He continued and discussed the Chapter's participation in a variety of charitable endeavors. We will be collecting coats, hats, mittens and scarves for needy families in Kenosha. Please bring your gently used coats to the October Meeting. The drawing proceeds from the September and October meetings will be matched up to \$500. The money will then be used to purchase new coats. Our expert shoppers will solicit discounts to get a big bang for our bucks.

The Chapter is also using those shopping skills and will be buying backpacks at a significant discount that can be filled with school supplies for the next school year.

Paul Steffensen discussed his Tomahawk ride times and locations.

Beth Cleveland gave a report on the financials and Stamp Book.

Gym Fry presented the awards for his Scavenger Hunt.

Gean Klee presented the future activities starting with the Bags Tournament, Amazing Race in October, Pool in November, Christmas Party in December, Bowling in January, and Family Game night at the Potluck meeting in February.

Kevin reminded the members that October in nominations for Assistant Director and Treasurer. The positions are open to any Chapter member and encourage members to consider taking a board position.

With no further discussion or questions the meeting concluded.

Gean Klee for Melissa Hawver

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Activities - Gean Klee

**SHARE THE
WARMTH**

JOIN OUR COMMUNITY COAT DRIVE

Help keep local families stay warm this year.
Donate your gently used coats, gloves and scarves
to our community.

NOW - OCT 26

HELP US HELP OUR COMMUNITY!

KENOSHA HOG

Got a coat to share? Call and we will see
that it gets a new home or bring it to the
chapter meeting on 10/13!
Call or text Gean at
262-705-3715

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PLAN TO **JOIN** IN THE
FUN!
TAKES THE
SCAVENGER HUNT
TO THE NEXT LEVEL!
GUARANTEED TO BE
WORTH SOME
LAUGHS AND FUN!

CHECK OUT THE AMAZING RACE ON CBS.COM

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A poster for a pool party. The background is a gradient of green and black. At the top, there are three pool balls: a yellow one on the left, a black one with the number 8 in the center, and a black one on the right. The words "POOL PARTY" are written in a large, white, stylized font with a black outline. A triangular rack of pool balls is positioned behind the letter "P".

**POOL
PARTY**

**IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN
TO PLAY SOME POOL!
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 2ND
230PM @ UKE'S IN THE
MEZZANINE
\$5 FOR FOOD AND DRINK
SIGN UP AT THE MTG
OR TEXT GEAN @ 262-705-3715**

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Anniversaries and Birthdays October 2019
By Joan Lesko

October Birthdays 2019

2 Ruth Dix RIP	16 Raymond (Ray) Stumpf RIP
3 Uke RIP	18 Jim Halvorsen
3 John Ault	21 Karl Glave
6 Chris Maksimik	25 Jill Clampit
10 Don DeLaney	30 Tom Cunningham
13 James Curtis	31 Happy Halloween
13 Jim (Moses)	31 Thomas Brosko

13 NAVY BIRTHDAY

October Anniversaries 2019

18 Fred & Judy Day Sr.	23 Joe & Georgia Dolce
19 Chris & Linda Cramer	28 Thomas & Nancy Brodso
19 Kevin & Susan Raleigh	28 Brian & Melissa Hawver
22 Rob & Amy Mendoza	31 Robert ^ Patricia Evans



Safety - Bob Clampit

Vision It's How We See...

According to the dictionary *vision* is: the faculty or state of being able to see.

As motorcyclists we all know vision is much more than that, it is the primary safety tool in our arsenal.

In order to get the most out of this tool we need to employ methods of behavior that help us to maximize the efforts when seeing the road before "and after" us. I refer to the manner that I go about this as the Six Points of Seeing.

It's rather easy once you make it routine.

The road before us provides four of these points. First is *Eyes Left*, give the left side of the road before you a gander. From there it's easy to bring your focus on what is directly in front of you or *Straight Ahead*. With a little effort you now migrate to the *Eyes Right* position.

What about the fourth? We'll get there in a moment, remember that patience is a virtue and it's a darn good practice to remember, as you share the road with so many who are anything but patient!

You might have guessed, but if not, the last two points involve your rearview mirrors.

Before you begin to trust what you see in those mirrors, take the time and make effort to adjust them to provide you the most view of what is moving behind and beside you. Consider stick-on convex mirrors which will eliminate blind spots. There are mirror upgrades in the parts department that have these built in with a split view profile, this is what is on my bike.

As you ride and vehicles pass on the left or right side make the effort to determine when they enter and leave your blind spot on each side. If you can manage to make the adjustment manually do so immediately. If you can't, get the mirror adjusted either in your garage or by the professionals in the service department.

With all this talk about your mirrors you can knock points four, *Left Mirror* and five, *Right Mirror* off the list, which leave us with number six!

Number six is simple: give your *Instruments* a quick look as you move your eyes back to *Straight Ahead*.

Now all you need to do is repeat these processes on a constant basis!

The world out there is a constant wonder and the things you see are amazing! Why do we ride? To see the world around us!

When we use our *Vision* we experience it in a whole and wondrous way! It needs to be practiced regularly because the road is waiting for you. All the joy that is riding is only augmented when you practice safe riding, for both yourselves and all the others on the road with you!

As always Ride Safe Out There!

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