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# HOG'S BREATH



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**NEXT CHAPTER MEETING:  
FEB 12TH, 2022 – 6PM HOG ROOM**



## Director

From the desk of your Director,

It was great to see all of the members that were at the January meeting, including the new members. I hope that we continue to see more returning members as well as new ones. As we gradually get closer to actual "riding" season, the board and myself are working on a variety of different activities and rides. Hopefully, everyone saw the Facebook posting of the Potluck on Saturday February 12th, the Bike Blessing and the Memorial Ride.

I am asking for your assistance in filling the calendar with rides and events. Please share with the road captains or board members any ideas that you have that will help fill the calendar. I will share the details about the new Head Road Captain(s) at the chapter meeting. We will start taking mileage readings for Ride 365 and Iron Butt at our meetings.

Our next meeting is the Potluck/Game Night. We will start at 6:00 with a meeting and followed by the potluck dinner and game night. We will be asking all who attend the meeting to wait until after the meeting to partake of the food offerings.

Just a reminder that we will be voting on Saturday or Sunday meetings in March. Thank you.

Finally, we are still working out the logistics of making monthly donations, so think of the charities you are motivated to donate to to support our community.

See everyone on the 12th,  
Gym

P.S. Plans are in the works for the Memorial Ride in May.



# Asstiant Director

Greetings to everyone.

Getting ready for the February meeting/pot luck and social. Looking forward to great food and fun.

If you have a table game you like please bring it. I will bring a poker set. Seven card stud anyone?

The Chapter is providing beverages. If you want something special either bring it or let me know.

Remember that you can always bring your friends to Chapter meetings and events.

I can't wait for the riding season to start. The last two years have not been happy. I have missed riding with you.

Let's think about what we want to do for the future. Please let Gym or me know if you have any ideas.

Ride safe Paul.



## Get to Know your HOG Members



**Christopher Cleveland -**  
Kenosha HOG Offical  
Photographer

**Current ride:**



**Favorite motorcycle trip:** Sturgis, Plenty to see along 90 so yeah taking a few days to get out there is the way to go. I actually made a map route and loaded it into the bike hit way more stops with way less hassle that way.



# Upcoming Events



Don't miss out on the Potluck/Game night in the HOG room at 6pm Feb 12th Drinks will be provided.

Can't wait to see every one there!



Join us for Frank Ulicki's (Uke) Memorial Ride & Bike Blessing. Frank Ulicki, Uke, opened Uke's Harley-Davidson on April 1st, 1930 during the heart of the depression at the age of 22. He paid the previous owners \$250 and sold a \$.04 nut on his first day in business. He rode everywhere his entire life, having never even owned a car. Uke's life was Harley-Davidson and family so let's honor him the way that he would want to be remembered - with a ride!



Details to come soon

**Date:** 5/14-5/15 **Time:** TBA **Cost:** TBA



# Membership

The Kenosha HOG chapter membership runs yearly from 1-1 thru 12-31. Membership fees are not pro rated and they still come due for renewal on 12/31. The sponsoring dealership has the right to terminate a Chapter membership should his/her conduct does meet the dealerships standards or vision.

To find all the membership forms [click here](#).





## Uke's Team

Hi Everyone!

47days until Spring - we can make it!

2022s are slowly rolling in. If you are ready to upgrade this year, make sure you talk to Jeff early so we can find you the perfect bike.

We finally are receiving all the clothing items that were expected before Christmas so Jaci filled the clearance section. Check it out - there are some great deals!

The schedule is up for 2022 Riding Academy season. Also, if anyone is interested in being a Riding Coach let us know!

There are still some fancy HOG water bottles left so if you have not claimed yours - do it fast!

Waiting for riding season,

The Uke's Team



## Ladies of Harley

Photos from the paint night party!



Looks like everyone had a good time!





# Safety

## 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 rear-view 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!



# HOG Chapter Minutes

Director:

Gym Fry did an introduction of the new Board Members:

Director: Gym Fry

Assistant Director: Paul Steffensen

Treasury/Membership Officer: Gary Quedenfeld

Secretary: Melissa Hawver

LOH: Donna Halverson/Cindy Norwich

Webmaster: Brian Hawver

Photographer: Chris Cleveland

There will be a Road Captain meeting coming up where there will be discussion on who will take over as Head Road Captain.

Gym talked about upcoming events:

2/12 at 6pm: Potluck/Game night

4/30: Bike Blessing/Memorial Ride/Pancake breakfast/Lunch

5/14-5/15: Kenosha HOG Memorial Ride to Baraboo. Currently looking at options- possibly Ho-chunk

Gym brought up letting the Chapter decide on what days meetings will take place in the future: Saturday mornings as they are now or Sunday mornings as they were in the past. Will plan to bring it to a vote at the March meeting

Gym talked about the Ride 365 Chapter Challenge. The Chapter would compete with other area Chapters that are comparable in size, riding ability. Gym would like to start taking mileage readings once a month and have a tally going for the year. He would need the following info to start collecting miles on your bike: Name/HOG Member Number/VIN of Bike.

Gym would like to start donating to a charitable organization every month at the meetings. He