

Wolverine HOG Chapter #1332

Chapter Meeting Minutes

July 10, 2024



Location	Meeting Commenced	Meeting Adjourned	Member Attendance
The Den inside Wolverine Harley-Davidson	7:02 pm	7:34 pm	

Opening

Pledge of Allegiance	
Officer Roll Call	Director - Doug Spoutz Secretary - Chris Turkaly Activities - Bobbie Faitel Photographers - Bill Faitel & Pat Patterson Webmaster - Wes Hartman
Absent Officers	Assistant Director - Karyn Shukwit Head Road Captains - Mike Shukwit Treasurer - Katie Luczak Membership - Tim Luczak Webmaster - Wes Hartman
New Members/Guests	New Member - Jim Guests - Wayne, Nigel
Birthdays	Tim Z. - 28th Pat & Linda - 15th and 19th
Anniversaries	[none]

Dealer Announcements

Matt Service Manager	Matt announced to the Chapter various dealers events and specials. This Saturday, July 13, Wolverine Harley Davidson is having a Christmas in July event. There will be food, drinks, door prizes and the main giveaway is a Serial 1 EBike. The motorclothes department is having a special this day. If you spend \$300 or more, you will receive a pair of HD slippers. Harley Davidson extended the special financing on 2023 models. Wolverine has a few left. Contact the dealership for more details.
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	They are also offering up to \$1000 over blue book value for trade ins. They are in need of used bikes. HD just released information about accessories for the 2024 bikes. Finally, on Saturday, July 20th, Warthogs are having a national event at the dealership and they expect in excess of 400 people.
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Latest News

Director Doug Spoutz	Doug let the Chapter members know that one of our members, Stacy (Tank) had a stroke on Friday, July 5, and he is still in the hospital.
Upcoming Events	Sunday, July 14 @ 9:30 am - 3 pm Belle Isle Kite Festival Bring a blanket and kite, if you have one. Followed by lunch at Atwater in the Park. Veterans Memorial Park, 32400 Jefferson Ave, St Clair Shores. Meet 9:30 am; KSU 10 am Tuesday, July 16 @ 10:30 am - 3 pm Wolverine Day Ride Enjoy a leisurely ride with other Chapter members to a lunch spot. Wolverine Harley-Davidson, 44660 N Gratiot Ave, Clinton Township Meet 10:30 am; KSU 11 am Saturday, July 20 @ 10:30 am - 3 pm Ice Cream Ride We will visit 4 unique ice cream shops in the area. A King and Queen will be "crowned" based upon the amount of ice cream eaten. Wolverine Harley-Davidson, 44660 N Gratiot Ave, Clinton Township Meet 10:30 am; KSU 11 am Tuesday, July 23 @ 10:30 am - 3 pm Wolverine Day Ride Enjoy a leisurely ride with other Chapter members to a lunch spot. Wolverine Harley-Davidson, 44660 N Gratiot Ave, Clinton Township Meet 10:30 am; KSU 11 am July 26 - 28 ALR Hell to Paradise PTSD Awareness Ride We are organizing a ride to this event, sponsored by American Legion Riders of Michigan. Tuesday, July 30 @ 10:30 am - 3 pm Wolverine Day Ride Enjoy a leisurely ride with other Chapter members to a lunch spot. Wolverine Harley-Davidson, 44660 N Gratiot Ave, Clinton Township Meet 10:30 am; KSU 11 am

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Officer Reports

Assistant Director Karyn Shukwit	[absent]
Treasurer Katie Luczak	[absent]
Secretary Chris Turkaly	[didn't speak]
Activities Bobbie Faitel	Bobbie thanked everyone who came to the Dorsey House on June 30th. She announced that she will be stepping down from her position as Activities Officer. She has been doing this for 20 years. She thanked everyone, especially those who have been helping out lately. If anyone is interested in taking over as Activities Officer, please contact Bobbie directly or any of the other officers for more information. Bobbie is will to train whomever is interested.
Head Road Captains Mike Shukwit	[absent]
Membership Tim Luczak	[absent]
Photographers Bill Fiatel	Bill stated that there was no picture show today and apologized for that.

Pat Patterson	
Webmaster Wes Hartman	[absent]

General Discussion

General Announcements

It was stated that anyone in our Chapter can organize a ride. And the involvement can be minimal to highly engaged. Minimal is coming up with the date, time and location to ride to. This information is then shared with the Road Captain who will then go to work on planning a route and getting Road Crew Support. Or if you have a place in mind and the route or part of the route, this information is then shared with the Road Captain.

On Saturday, July 13th, during Wolverine HD Christmas in July event, our Chapter will have an information table. If you know of someone who wants more info about the Chapter, send them to the dealer that day.

There was a lot of talk about Pat Daniels, the collection of toiletries and riding to the Vets. Pat Daniels is the person who has been collecting toiletries for vets at WHD. On Wednesday, July 24th, he is having a gathering at his house to put together bags for the Vets containing the collected toiletries. Then on Saturday, there will be a ride from WHD to drop of the bags for the Vets. This ride will be lead by Great Lakes Riding Club. KSU noon from WHD.

If anyone is interested in donating toiletries, the Great Lakes Riding Club is having an event at VFW Shafer- Rachele in Eastpointe on Thursday July 11. Doug will be going. Contact him for more info.

We, our Chapter, are invited to Kids On The Go Sponsor Night. Kids On The Go is a pediatric non-profit designed to provide children with special needs (3-17 years) with physical, occupational, speech and recreational therapies both over the summer months and during the school year. The Sponsor Night is an evening where the campers have fun playing games, eating ice cream, and listening to music along with the generous sponsors who supported them at our camps. The event is scheduled for Thursday, August 8, 2024, from 6pm to 8pm. The event takes place at Assumption Cultural Center, 21800 Marter Rd., St. Clair Shores. The campers have fun playing games, eating ice cream, and listening to music along with the generous sponsors who supported them at our camps. It was thrilling for the kids to see the bikes lined up and take photos sitting on a cool Harley! Those interested in attending. Meet @ 6pm Redeemer Lutheran Church on Jufferson, north of 12 miles. KSU 6:20 pm.

Our Chapter has the following Officer positions open and we are actively seeking candidates:

Activities
Editor
Historian

	Safety
Closing	
50/50 Drawing	\$50 - Rick
Door Prizes	Arnold & Tom
Next Meeting	Wednesday, August 14, 2024