



Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Business Meeting – Jan 10, 2015

The meeting came to order by Terry Sue at 10:05 am.

New Members: There were no new members today.

Who rode: No one rode to the meeting today.

NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES (CHAPTER SPONSOR):

Jenn – MotorClothes:

- Happy New Year to all!
- Jenn: 2015 HOG Special: When you sign up or renew your Vancouver Chapter membership you automatically qualify for the Chrome level in the Trev Deeley Rewards program. This is the highest level in the program as the levels are Silver, Gold and Chrome. If you are not on the Rewards program your email will be required for the start-up of your account and if you are already on the Rewards program you will automatically be moved to the Chrome level. You will receive emails from TDMC in regards to the program throughout the year and for your privacy the email list is not shared. Within a week of enrollment you will receive an email to set up a password for your Rewards account. Points are earned for every dollar spent in all departments (excluding motorcycles), however Gift Cards and purchases of products that are already on-sale or discounted do not qualify for points. If you have any questions regarding the program please see Jenn at TDMC.

Chris – Operations Manager:

- Introduced new Shop Supervisor, Ryan
- Advised that TDMC is investing in six techs, sending them to train for 12 weeks in Alberta
- Two apprentices have received their Red Seal
- Will be scheduling monthly “Ask a Tech” sessions in the new year which may coincide with HOG meetings. This will be an opportunity to ask questions about issues you may be having.
- Talia in the Merchandise Department received the Top Sales award for 2014, beating out Scott who held the award for two years. Please harass Scott and congratulate Talia!

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- Bike Show will take place January 23, 24 and 25 at Tradex in Abbotsford;
- Boot Camp (for **NEW** male riders) will take place February 28, 11AM TO 3PM;
- Ladies Garage Party for **NEW** female riders will take place March 25 at TDMC, 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
- Low finance rates are on now.

SEE KYOKO FOR THE ENTIRE UPDATED 2015 ACTIVITIES LIST.

Guest Speaker: Jim Gilligan

Jim spoke about the importance of supporting the B.C. Professional Firefighters Burn Camp in 2015. They will be attending the 2015 Motorcycle Show to promote and sell t-shirts. He read a letter from Gerry Rooyakkers asking HOG Vancouver to continue to support this initiative and to purchase t-shirts. \$50,000 has been donated to the Burn Camp to date, however last year the amount was only \$4,000 which is down from the usual \$7-8,000. Donations of \$25+ are eligible for an income tax receipt. Send a cheque payable to the BC Professional Burn Fund, but be sure to stipulate that the money is for the Burn Camp.

OLD BUSINESS:

Dec 6 -- Vancouver H.O.G.® Meeting – 10 AM – Trev Deeley Motorcycles Conference Room.

Dec 6 – Trev Deeley Motorcycles sponsored a Christmas Brunch – This followed the general meeting in the Conference Centre at 11:00am. All members who R.S.V.P. to Kyoko, Receptionist at Trev Deeley Motorcycles, enjoyed a wonderful meal of fresh fruit, breakfast wraps, croissants, and yogurt as well as juice and coffee.

NEW BUSINESS:

Jan 1, 2015 – Happy New Year

Jan, 2015 – Frank advised that a total of \$1,500 was donated to “Basics for Babies” in December 2014 on behalf of the Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter.

Jan 10, 2015 – Vancouver H.O.G.® Meeting – 10 AM – Trev Deeley Motorcycles Conference Room.

Jan 10, 2015 – Annual Chapter 2015 Renewal Party – 11 AM to 2 PM – Membership Renewals totalled about 80. Refreshments were provided by your Chapter. “Free Memberships” were awarded randomly throughout the day, with ten people receiving complimentary renewals.

January 14, 2015 – Dinner – My Greek Taverna, Coquitlam; to date 20 members have signed up.

Jan 23-25, 2015 – Annual Vancouver Motorcycle Show – Tradex Centre, Abbotsford. Trev Deeleys is selling advance tickets for \$10---they are \$14 at the door!

Feb 7, 2015 – Vancouver H.O.G.® Meeting – 10 AM – Trev Deeley Motorcycles Conference Room. There will be a “Full Officer’s Meeting” following in the Conference Centre.

Feb 15, 2015 – Brunch at the Jolly Coachman, Harris Road, Maple Ridge. Be there before 11:00 a.m. as it will be very busy. To date 25 members have signed up.

The Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 AM.

Door prizes donated by Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter were won by: Walter, Jim A. and Mr. Hayes.

The next Chapter meeting will be **Saturday, February 7th** at 10 am in the Conference room.