



## **Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group**

### **Business Meeting – May 2, 2015**

The meeting was called to order by Director Terry Sue at 10:05 am.

Who rode: About two thirds of the membership rode on this sunny Saturday morning!

There were no new members attending today.

#### **NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES (CHAPTER SPONSOR):**

##### **Darwin, Manager, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®:**

- Thanks given to the Chapter for their help at the TDMC Demo Days on April 26. There were 89 riders, 7 passengers and 18 people who had not ridden Harleys before.
- Interest rates of 1.99% are still available on many 2015 touring bikes (excluding CVO's and Trikes). See Kimberly in Sales for more info.
- \$500 down will get you a new 500 or 750 street bike. These are great starter bikes and members are encouraged to let any potential new riders know about the deal.
- Harley Davidson's first electric prototype bike is coming to Canada, visiting three cities only. It will be at Barnes Harley Davidson in Langley on May 21-23. If you are interested in a chance to win a test ride, see Kyoko at Trev Deeley Motorcycles® to sign up.
- Trev Deeley Motorcycles® has entered a custom XG 750 bike in the Ultimate Street Battle. Please vote for them every day! Details can be found at [hdstreetbattle.com](http://hdstreetbattle.com). Go to this site, click "British Columbia", click on bike, click vote.
- There will be a memorial ride following today's meeting in honor of Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter founding member Frank (Dick) Anderson. He and his wife Flo had participated in the Chapter since 1988. The ride will be going to Hope, for a Celebration of Life in Dick's honour.

##### **Chris, Service Department, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®**

- Service Department now open Monday to Friday, 8:00 am to 5:30 pm and Saturday's from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
- Walter from the Service Department is available now on Sundays if you need to drop your bike off for service. Looking at a six day a week pickup and delivery starting in June.
- Looking at having a key drop box installed near the service department soon.
- Trev Deeley Motorcycles® will match tire specials currently being offered from other dealerships.
- June 14 - Trev Deeley Motorcycles® Show and Shine. There is a trophy specifically for HOG member submissions. Come and vote for your favourite bike!
- Express Lane Service is available for oil changes, tires, etc on first come, first serve basis.

- Ryan is available on Saturday's to look at problems and, while probably cannot service that same day, can do small adjustments or arrange a time for repairs.
- New techs have been hired – there are now 12 available to help.
- Service Department is now open on Mondays and there will also be a staff member available on Sunday's for any emergencies that might arise with your ride, and you can drop off your bike.

#### **Jennifer, Merchandising, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®:**

- In honour of Mother's Day, Trev Deeley Motorcycles® will be offering 10% off on women's shirts from May 8-10.
- May 30 and 31 – Ride to Live for Prostate Cancer Ride. Pre-Registration will take place at Trev Deeley Motorcycles® on the Saturday (May 30) with the ride on Sunday (May 31). There will also be Registration from 7 AM to 9 AM at TDMC on Sunday, May 31. Trev Deeley Motorcycles® will open at 8:00 am on the Sunday, with the ride leaving at 9:00 am.
- 90 Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter members have signed up for the Trev Deeley Motorcycles® Rewards Program. See Jenn or Kyoko if you would like more information on this promotion.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**April 11, 2015** - Season Opener Ride to the Station Pub, led by Darwin and Dale.

**Apr 19, 2015** – HOG® Ride – tour of the North Shore.

**Apr 26, 2015** – No members were able to attend the Classic and Vintage Motorcycle Swap Meet in Cloverdale due to the TDMC Demo Days the same day.

**Apr 27, 2015** - Bowling at Lucky Strike Lanes in New Westminster was attended by approximately 10 members. The competition was fierce between the ladies and the men – with the ladies achieving a resounding win over the men.

**May 2, 2015** – International Female Ride Day.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**May 3, 2015 – H.O.G.® Ride** – To the Wild Cat Grill in Rosedale, leaving TDMC at 10:00 am.

**May 20, 2015 – H.O.G.® Evening Ride** – The first evening ride of the season will be going to Steveston. The ride leaves from TDMC at 7:00 p.m.

**REMINDER:** Evening rides leave from Trev Deeley Motorcycles® on **EVEN** days and from the Tim Horton's on 200<sup>th</sup> Street and Hwy 1 in Langley (across from the Chevron) on **ODD** days.

**May 27, 2015 – H.O.G.® Evening Ride** -- to Tsawwassen leaving from Tim Horton's in Langley at 7:00 pm.

**May 29, 30, 31 – Kamloops Poker Run.** This event is not sold out yet, so there is still time to register. The registration page can be found at [www.kamhog.com](http://www.kamhog.com). Lots of hotels available, however the Ranchland Hotel is full.

**June 6, 2015 - HOG® Vancouver Chapter Meeting,** TDMC, 10:00 am. There will be a lunch ride following.

**June 13, 2015 – H.O.G.® Ride to Egmont, BC.** Details to be advised at the June meeting.

**June 27 & 28, 2015** - The Ogoogo 3-day ride which was originally scheduled for June 26, 27 and 28 has been changed. **This ride will now be a TWO DAY ride around Southern BC. Saturday night will be in Cache Creek, BC. Sunday we will be riding to Lillooet, over the Duffy Lake Road (Highway 99) down to Pemberton and home to Vancouver.** Director Terry Sue has reserved ten rooms at the Cache Creek Motor Inn. Please make your reservations by calling them at 778-220-1856 and be sure to tell them you are with the VANCOUVER H.O.G.® CLUB.

**July 19, 2015 – Burn Camp Ride** will be held in Brackendale this year. Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter members will meet at TDMC and leave at 11:30 am. The firefighters will be doing a BBQ in Brackendale. The ride will end at Brackendale (North Vancouver Outdoor School). Members who wish to provide rides for kids will do so under their own insurance, etc.

#### **GUESTS/MEMBERS:**

##### **Len Bowman, Western Regional Director for H.O.G.®**

- Provided update on the Victoria Rally July 2, 3 and 4 and encouraged members to attend.
- H.O.G.® Canada has a new alcohol policy in place, which is zero tolerance for any members participating in HOG rides. This includes passengers on bikes. If a member decides to have an alcoholic drink during a ride, he/she must immediately withdraw from that ride.

##### **Derek, Safety Officer**

- Provided handouts of hand signals that all motorcycle riders should be aware of. Copies can be provided at the June meeting for those who wish to a copy.

##### **Craig Heale, BCOMM**

- BCOMM's 24<sup>th</sup> Annual MLA ride took place on April 24<sup>th</sup>. The weather was good and there were about 20 riders who participated in this ride to Vancouver Island. There were a number of politicians who were also there, including Todd Stone, Minister of Transportation. BCOMM is still involved in changing legislation for a number of motorcycle related issues, including lane-splitting.
- Craig will ensure that information regarding the MLA Ride for 2016 is sent to the Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter.

**Chris Ferguson, Assistant Director**

- Advised that a sympathy card is available for Frank (Dick) Anderson for any members who wish to sign it.
- Provided information regarding the Ladies of H.O.G.® Summit September 18-20, 2015 which is sponsored by the Langley H.O.G.® and which is being held at the Holiday Inn Express, 204<sup>th</sup> and 88<sup>th</sup> Ave, Langley. TDMC is also supporting this event.

The Meeting was adjourned at 10:45 AM.

Door prizes were won by: Chris G., Tracey D., Paul W., Wendy C., Brian D. and Harvey W.

The next Chapter meeting will be **Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>** at 10 am in the TDMC Conference room.  
Ride to follow!