



Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Business Meeting – November 7, 2015

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

Who rode: only one member braved the weather and rode today.

There were no new members or guests attending.

NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES (CHAPTER SPONSOR):

Jennifer, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®

- TDMC has a couple of promotions for November and December
- HOG Chrome Rewards: If you are not currently a member, please see the ladies in Merchandise to get signed up for the program;
- If you are on the HOG Chrome Rewards program:
Nov. 27th-30th: Double Rewards for Black Friday/Cyber Monday Weekend
Dec. 3rd-7th: 15 points for every eligible dollar spend (instead of 10 points) PLUS you will receive 10% of your purchase back in Deeley Dollars on any purchase over \$150. These Deeley Dollars can then be used here at the store in January and February.
- Chris Wong-Moon in Parts and Service asked me to let you know that the Winter Storage is approx. 60% full
- Dealership will be closed on November 11th for Remembrance Day and November 28th at 4 PM for the Staff Xmas Dinner.
- TDMC raised \$1242 at the TDMC "After Burner Party Toy Run BBQ" on Oct 4th. The BBQ was put on by the Burnaby Firefighters.

Kyle, Promotions and Event Coordinator, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®

- Gina Sranios Photography will be here Saturday and Sunday to do a photo shoot with Santa for a charity for single mothers. You must be pre-registered and the cost per family is \$30. This is separate from Trev Deeley Motorcycle's Photos with Santa.
- TDMC's Photos with Santa will be December 12th -13th.
- Movember is here and TDMC has teamed up with the Mustache Milers. For more info please check out their website at moustachemiler.com. The MoMiler (3 mile or 5km run/walk) is on Saturday Nov. 21st in Stanley Park.
- Closed November 11th for Remembrance Day.
- Store closing at 4pm on Saturday Nov. 28th for the staff Christmas dinner.
- On all new 2015 bikes Harley-Davidson is offering the No No No event. No payments for 120 days, no money down and no interest for 90 days. Check with our Sales Department for more details.

- H.O.G.® Brunch – following the December 5th meeting – Please R.S.V.P. with Kyoko; Only 64 spaces will be available.
- January Motorcycle Show - January 22 – 24th, 2016 at the Tradex in Abbotsford. Tickets are \$15 at the door or get them from Reception for \$12.00.

NEWS RE: 2016 BC PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS - Burn Camp – Jim Gilligan

- It is just 2 months before the Bike show in January.
- Gerry is prepared to offer Hoodies and ¼ zip Sweaters at a cost of \$45 - \$50 each.
- They must be pre-ordered but you can pay for them when they arrive which should be either at the Bike Show in January or at the February H.O.G.® meeting.
- They come in Black or Grey only.
- A Copy of the artwork will be emailed to Chris who will then forward out to the members.

OLD BUSINESS:

October 18, 2015 – Trev Deeley "Test our Metal" Demo Ride Day - 10 am to 3 pm. Test ride the 2016 motorcycles. Registration begins at 9 am. First Ride out leaves at 10 am.

October 18, 2015 – 29th Annual Fraser Valley Toy Run - Abbotsford Agrifair Grounds, 32470 Haida Drive, Abbotsford. Assembly Points: North Side of River - Casino Parking Lot (Value Village), Mission, Assemble at 9 am, departing at 9:45 am. South side of River - Sears Parking Lot - Luckakuck Way, Chilliwack - assemble at 9 am, departing at 9:30 am. Once you are at the Agrifair Grounds, you can drop off your TOY or \$\$ Donation. Don't forget to pick up your 2015 TOY Run pin.

October 21, 2015 – H.O.G.® dinner at 7:00 pm at the Burnaby Palace Chinese Restaurant on Boundary, one block south of Grandview across the street from the Chevron gas station. Please contact Chris if you would like to join us.

October 31, 2015 – there will be NO Harley-Ween party at the dealership this year.

November 7, 2015 – Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter Meeting – Trev Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room, 1875 Boundary Road, Vancouver, BC. 604-291-2453 (BIKE).

NEW BUSINESS:

We need volunteers for the 2016 Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter; the Assistant Director position is open, as well as the Activities, Public Relations, and Historian. We are also in need of Road Captains especially a “Head” Road Captain. Please see Chris or Terry or send an email if you are interested. This is **YOUR** Chapter – please think about how you can support as an executive member.

November 18, 2015 – H.O.G.® Dinner -- The Chapter will be hosting dinner at Me & Ed's Pizza, 7110 Hall Ave, Burnaby. Dinner begins at 7 PM. Please come and join you friends and fellow H.O.G.® members for a fun night of pizza and drinks. We had 13 people sign up at the November meeting. If there is anyone else that would like to attend, please contact me by email

(chrisvancouverhog@gmail.com) and I will add you to the list. If we get 20 or more participants, we will be able to enjoy the "All You Can Eat" Buffet for \$13.60 per person Me-n-Ed's mouth-watering buffet, features a select line of specialty pizzas, Including a pizza buffet as well as Caesar salad, garlic bread and pop.

November 21, 2015 – Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter Executive Meeting – Trev Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room, 9 am – Noon. This is the meeting where your officers meet to plan the activities and rides for 2016. If you have a favourite destination (one day, overnight or weekend), please send an email to Chris at chrisvancouverhog@gmail.com.

November 21, 2015 – H.O.G.® Christmas Party at Northview Golf and Country Club – There are still tickets available for both H.O.G.® Members and your Non-H.O.G.® Friends.

Tickets are \$45 for H.O.G.® Members and their spouses; \$55 for Non-H.O.G.® friends and guests.

Here is the information regarding the Xmas Party for your information:

The Christmas Party Committee has finalized this year's event. The theme this year is Black and White. Wear your favourite, or create your own B&W casual outfit and show your Chapter Spirit. It can be something as simple as black pants and a white t-shirt or a black dress with white accessories, use your imagination or keep it casual. The Chapter with the highest percentage of B&W guests will receive a special recognition and bragging rights for a year. The night will be full of fun and surprises so don't miss out on this year's Christmas Event.

The dealership will be supplying some door prizes but we could use a few more, so if your place of employment or your favourite store or Food service Establishment is able to help us out you can leave them at reception and let the Activities Officer know that they are there. Money we save by not having to supply all the door prizes will allow us to better support our charitable activities.

Date: Nov 21 @ 6 pm Live Band and Door Prizes
Northview Golf and Country Club
6857 168th Street Surrey
Members/Spouse \$45 each Guest tickets \$55 each

There are still a number of tickets available at Reception so you'll want to get yours early to guarantee a spot in the celebrations

Don't Drink and Drive, Stay overnight and Survive
Comfort Inn
8255 166 St

604-576-8888

Rooms booked as HOG Chapter Christmas Party

Greg Huot read a letter from Nick, a Salesman from Mountainview H-D® (and formerly Barnes), who was involved in a motorcycle accident (not his fault). Nick will be wheelchair bound for the next 6 months. He is a single father of 2 children and is unable to work. The 4-Chapter Christmas Party Committee agreed to assist Nick as our Xmas Charity for 2015. A portion of the 50/50 from the Xmas party will go to Nick along with other monies from each Chapter or individual.

December 5, 2015 -- Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter Meeting – 10 AM - Trev Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room, 1875 Boundary Road, Vancouver, BC. 604-291-2453 (BIKE).

December 5, 2015 – TDMC sponsored H.O.G.® Brunch – following the meeting at 11 AM. Please R.S.V.P to Kyoko, TDMC Receptionist. There are only 64 spaces available.

December 9, 2015 – H.O.G.® Dinner – TBD.

December 25, 2015 – Christmas Day (TDMC CLOSED)

December 26, 2015 – Boxing Day (TDMC CLOSED)

January 1, 2016 – New Year’s Day (TDMC CLOSED)

January 9, 2015 -- Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter Meeting – 10 AM - Trev Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room, 1875 Boundary Road, Vancouver, BC. 604-291-2453 (BIKE).

January 9, 2016 – Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter Renewal Party – 11 AM – 2:30 PM – Come and enjoy lunch and renew your membership in the chapter for 2016. You may be a lucky winner of a “free membership”. Cost of the membership is \$20 per person per year. This money is used to support our chapter during the year.

January 22 – 24, 2016 – Vancouver Motorcycle Show, Tradex Centre, Abbotsford, BC

July 14, 15, 16, 2016 – The Western Regional H.O.G.® Rally will be held in Chilliwack. They will be seeking volunteers to help out. More details to follow at next meeting.

Terry announced that one of our long time chapter members, Alan Gay, passed away recently. There will be a memorial service. Further information regarding this event will be announced as soon as possible. A card was circulated for signatures. Terry will deliver it to the family.

Chris announced that as part of the LOH™ Summit, held in Langley in September, a number of items were offered up for auction. There were 3 trips remaining. Those were offered to H.O.G.® members at a cost of \$10 per ticket. We drew the winning tickets on October 31, and pleased to present one of those tickets to a “lucky” Vancouver Chapter member – Larry Davidson. Larry won the trip to Mexico (5 days in Puerto Vallarta and 5 days in Cancun). Congratulations Larry!!

All proceeds from the Ladies of Summit went towards women's cancer.

The 2015 US LOH™ Summit is being held in Tacoma, WA, Oct 16 – 18, 2015. Registration is still open. If you wish to attend, please contact Chris.

There will be an LOH™ Summit in Calgary, Alberta on August 5-6, 2016. More information on this will be coming in the future.

The 2016 US LOH™ Summit will be held in Burlington, Washington at North Cascades Harley-Davidson®. More information on this event will be coming in the future.

Dan Fortin, one of our chapter members presented the following:

I was talking with Chris Bayliss at The Lower Mainland Christmas Bureau, in Vancouver, the other day and was mentioning that my wife and I wanted to pick up a couple of bicycles and helmets for kids this Christmas. Chris mentioned that they usually get a lot more bikes than helmets donated.

I feel a strong connection with this kind of thing. We usually try and donate a fair amount each year. This year I'm asking that if anybody would like to support this cause with us, that I'm quite willing to take cash donations or new bicycles, helmets and bike locks to the Christmas Bureau.

With the cash I will purchase more helmets and bike locks. Please feel free to drop off your purchased items at our next Chapter meeting. I will then take everything down to Chris.

The Lower Mainland Christmas Bureau, in Vancouver will distribute to other areas in B.C. that are in need as possible. If you would prefer you could drop it at The Lower Mainland Christmas Bureau yourself. Please mention that I was the instigator for this donation. I would like to try and keep track a bit to know whether or not I should try to support such a fundraiser next year or just do it on my own. Please phone me if you can't make it to a meeting or The Christmas Bureau in Vancouver. I will try to arrange meeting up for your donation.

Thank you very much for all the donations that have and will come my way for this.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

The Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 AM.

Door prizes, donated by the Vancouver H.O.G.® Chapter, were won by Karina, Dan, Sharon R.

Next Chapter meeting will be **December 5, 2015.**