



## **Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group**

### **Business Meeting Minutes – October 7, 2017**

The meeting was called to order by Assistant Director Maria Farbatuk at 10:05 a.m.

Who rode today: 8 members rode today.

New Members: no new members.

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

##### **Harmony Poisson, Marketing & Promotions Coordinator, Trev Deeley Motorcycles®**

A thank you to all who helped out on Demo Days in September. Darwin presented appreciation and gave out cards to those who volunteered.

Toy Run this year was a success. 1900 + bikes (1200 last year). TDMC After Burner Party served over 400 bowls of soup. Next year will be the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary for the Vancouver Toy run.

Movember fundraiser in November! More information attached and at the store.

A mystery bag of patches and pins were left at the store. Please let Kyoko know if you have left it by mistake or it will be donated.

November 11<sup>th</sup> Trev Deeley Motorcycles® will be closed for Remembrance Day.

Ladies Shopping Night coming up, November 22 from 6 – 8:30.

For those with children, grandchildren or pets, Photos with Santa will be December 9 & 10<sup>th</sup>, 11am-3pm.

The Service Department is now closed Sunday and Mondays until Spring 2018.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- **Sept 9, 2017** – Vancouver HOG® Chapter Meeting – 10 AM – TDMC.
- **Sept 10, 2017** -- Fraser Valley Toy Run - Abbotsford Ag-Rec Centre. A few members attended.

- **Sept 13, 2017** -- HOG® Weekly Evening Ride -- 7 PM -- Leaves from Tim Horton's, 86<sup>th</sup> and 200<sup>th</sup> St, Langley, BC.
- **Sept 15 - 17, 2017** -- Port Alberni Toy Run -- This was well-attended event, over 1400 bikes. Next year we will plan to attend as a chapter.
- **Sept 15 – 19 2017** – the Kootenay Loop ride was CANCELLED. However, members Gary and Tracy Monts left on Sept 15 for a ride through Kamloops/Revelstoke, returning on Thursday, Sept 21<sup>st</sup>.
- **Sept 16 - 17, 2017** - TDMC "Test Our Metal" Days - Test ride the new 2018 motorcycles at Trev Deeley Motorcycles, 1875 Boundary Road, Vancouver. Event went very well!
- **Sept 24, 2017** - Oyster Run - Anacortes, Washington - There was no organized ride to this Sunday event.
- **Sept 30, 2017** - Roland Canada will be doing a co-promotion and drum demo celebrating their 20 years and TDMC's 100 years for those music fans in attendance.
- **Oct 1, 2017** -- 38th Annual Vancouver Toy Run and After Burner Party -- 9:30 AM - Ride left Coquitlam Centre and proceeded to the Vancouver Coliseum where they dropped off their toy or money. Then the riders proceeded to Trev Deeley Motorcycles, 1875 Boundary Road, Vancouver, for their "After Burner Party", where they enjoyed hot soup, coffee, and other goodies provided by "Picnic in the Park". Special Offers were available in the store if you showed your Vancouver Toy Run Pin.
- **Oct 4, 2017** – HOG® Dinner - 7pm - Yan's 9948 Lougheed Hwy, Burnaby. 14 members enjoyed great Chinese Food, and camaraderie.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **Oct 7, 2017** - Vancouver HOG® Chapter Meeting – 10 AM – TDMC. Join the Vancouver Chapter for their monthly meeting in the Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room. Bring your Vancouver HOG Chapter membership card for great door prizes. **H.O.G.® Season Ender Ride** - to follow the Chapter meeting. Destination TBD - Weather dependent. The ride will leave the west parking lot at 11 AM.
- **Oct 14, 2017** – HOG® Ride - Shady Grove Antique Car Trip. Meet and leave at noon at TDMC – if the weather permits and you are going to ride. Otherwise, we will meet at 1 PM at Shady Grove, corner of King Rd and Clearbrook, Abbotsford. Take Hwy 1 to Clearbrook Exit, go around the round-about and head south on Clearbrook to King Rd. Shady Grove is located on the corner. The tour will cost \$5 per person and will begin at 1 PM. The tour will take approx. 2 hours. A sign-up sheet is being circulated today. We need to give Shady Grove 3 days notice of our arrival, so please sign up today, or let Chris know by email if you will be attending. Thank you to Doug who suggested this event. The last time the Vancouver H.O.G Chapter was there was 2008!
- **Oct 21-28, 2017** – Pre-carved Pumpkins can be delivered to Trev Deeley Motorcycles.

They will be placed on display, and will be judged on Saturday, Oct 28<sup>th</sup>.

- **Oct 28, 2017** - Harleyween Party - 11 AM - 3 PM - sponsored by the Vancouver HOG® and Trev Deeley Motorcycles. "Carve" a Pumpkin, dress up in your best Halloween costume, and come and join us for some games, eats, drinks, and good times. Prizes will be awarded for the Best Carved Pumpkin, the Best Halloween Costume, and game winners. Bring you children or grandchildren. It will be fun for all! Anyone who has 12 – 2 litre pop bottles if you could let Chris know and bring them to the store that would be greatly appreciated.
- **Nov 4, 2017** - Vancouver HOG® Chapter Meeting – 10 AM – TDMC. Join the Vancouver Chapter for their monthly meeting in the Deeley Motorcycle Conference Room. Bring your Vancouver HOG Chapter membership card for great door prizes.
- **Nov 5, 2017** – HOG® Brunch – 11am – The Buffet at the Grand Villa Casino (old Sheraton Villa), 4331 Dominion St, Burnaby. A Sign-up Sheet will be circulated at the October meeting, and an email will be distributed following the meeting as well.
- **Nov 18, 2017** – Executive Officer Meeting – 9 AM – Noon – TDMC. All officers are requested to be in attendance. We will be setting the calendar of activities for 2018 at the meeting. If chapter members have any rides (evening, daily, weekend) that they would like to place on the calendar, please send your information to Tammy, our Activities Officer.
- **November 25, 2017** – Vancouver HOG® Christmas dinner/dance will be held at the Atrium Hotel on Hastings Street (near Renfrew). Cost will be \$40/person and only 65 tickets are available. Tickets for members were supposed to go on sale on Saturday, Sept 16 at TDMC, however, there was a miscommunication. They are on sale starting today for members and their spouses. They will be available to non-members after November 1. A block of rooms has been set aside at the Atrium Hotel for \$109/night. Please quote "VANHOG" to book one of the rooms in the block.
- **July 12-14, 2018** – Western Regional Rally in Kelowna, BC. As the host hotel is already sold out, Chris has secured a block of rooms at the Ramada Inn, which is right beside the host hotel. Please let her know if you are planning on attending. There are 5 rooms left in the block. If we need to add rooms to the block, we need to know sooner than later as the hotel is filling up.
- **July 15, 2018** – Chapter 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! **An open contest for our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary logo is being held. Please submit your drawing to Chris by October 28<sup>th</sup>.** Prizes will be awarded for the design, which will be available on various merchandise; possibly including t-shirts, etc.
- **Aug 29 – Sept 2, 2018** – 115<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Harley Davidson, Milwaukee. If you are planning to attend, Diane has found rooms outside of Milwaukee at the Holiday Inn for \$143.00 U.S. Need to book ASAP. Let Diane know if you are interested. More information regarding the anniversary can be found at [http://www.harley-davidson.com/content/h-d/en\\_US/home/events/115-celebration.html](http://www.harley-davidson.com/content/h-d/en_US/home/events/115-celebration.html).

Door prizes, donated by the Chapter, were awarded to Heather, Maria and Darryl.

The Birthday draw was held, and the winner for the month of October was Heather.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 10:20am.

**NEXT MEETING: Saturday, November 4, 2017, 10:00 a.m. at TDMC.**