

# **Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group**

# **Business Meeting Minutes – May 5, 2018**

The meeting was called to order by Director Chris Ferguson at 10 a.m.

Who rode today? 12 people rode today. Well done!

New Members or Guests? 1 Guest and 3 new members today. Welcome!!

Teresa on a Dyna, Nikki on a Softail slim, Glen on a Fat boy and Pete on an Electric Glide Classic

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

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### • TDMC Update:

- Thank you to Maria and Susan for their help with the past 4 meetings
- Demo days was a success with special thanks to Maria, Tammy, Doug, Darcy, Karina, Dale, Dan,
  Rick, Ralph, Terry and Frank
- Dunlop Tires Promotion is on now until May is up to \$70 back in rebates
- Thank you to those that reached out for Yuki, our service advisor who went down on her bike on April 22. She is on the mend and getting stronger everyday. Her riding group set up a Ride for Yuki on May 6 followed by a BBQ and silent auction

### Marketing Update:

- PNE prize home lottery tickets are now available on the PNE website and one of the prizes is a custom built 2018 Street Bob by TDMC (on display in the showroom)
- HOG 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Contest Please submit a photo of your starting odometer reading to
   Harmony (events@trevdeeley.com). Finishing odometer reading due prior to the October HOG
   meeting so that a winner can be announced at that meeting. Part 2 of the contest is open

anytime for you to submit a picture of your bike and you at the furthest location from home, also due prior to the October meeting.

## • TDMC Upcoming Events:

- May 5 International Female Ride Day Becky Gobel and HOG Canada in attendance.
- May 12 BYOB (Bring Your Own Bike) Bike Sale and Harley-Davidson 115<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House. There will be insurance brokers on site, so if you have a motorcycle to sell, use this day!
- May 26, and July 7 Flat track racing! Check out posters in store for info
- June 10 TDMC Show and Shine. 10 am 12 pm Registration. 2:30pm Awards
- o TDMC Poker Run July 7<sup>th</sup>. See below

## COMMENTS BY DIRECTOR CHRIS FERGUSON

- Our New Safety Officer is Lowell Wade- Thank you for volunteering your time and expertise to the group
- June 9, 2018 Assistant Director Maria DiTrolio, through her company Sun City Beauty Bar, is sponsoring the Vancouver Dragons Junior Men's Basketball Team during the 2018 tournament. Maria has 10 tickets for tonight's game (2 are Courtside, and 8 General Admission ones. The Dragon's will be hosting Tacoma. The game will be played at Trinity University in Langley on Glover Road. The team owner's Uncle also owns the Sacramento Kings. The Dragon's organization is looking forward to having our Chapter in attendance. Motorcycle parking space will be set aside for the bikes. Arrival would be at 6:30pm. The game begins at 7pm. If you are interested in attending this game, please contact Maria.
- June 10, 2018 TDMC Show N' Shine and HOG BBQ Our Chapter will once again sponsor the BBQ at this event. We are looking for 12-15 Volunteers to assist in manning the BBQ, Selling Burgers and Smokies, Salad's, Potato Chips, Drinks, etc. As well, we will be conducting a 50/50 Draw with the proceeds going towards a charity of our choice. TDMC will be providing a Beer Garden, Cigar Lounge, Pin-up Girl's dressed in 1950's apparel. If you are able to help out with this event, please contact Tammy Bade at <a href="mailto:ommatammybade@yahoo.ca">ommatammybade@yahoo.ca</a>.
- June 23-24 Cache Creek weekend ride Tammy Bade has booked a block of rooms under her name at a special rate at the Cache Creek Motor Inn. Book your room early by calling (250) 457-9144. Further details regarding the ride will be released through email and/or the June Meeting.
- July 7 TDMC Poker Run/Campout This is in support of PTSD (CampMYWay). The campout will be at Birken Campsite in Pemberton. The ride begins at 9 AM with all riders requiring check-in. They have set the maximum at 200. The ride will be escorted by the Vancouver Police to Whistler. Whistler Village will be shut down for the day to accommodate the motorcycles. The ride leaves at 10 am.

The <u>Vancouver HOG Chapter has agreed to provide volunteers for the "Check-in" Desk</u>. Check-in is between 9 am and 9:45am. We will then proceed to carry on with our regular meeting in the conference room at 10 am. Are there are any members who are planning on attending this ride.

- July 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>- 17<sup>th</sup> Western Regional Rally- Kelowna BC- registration is at www.members.hog.ca
- July 15, 2018 Chapter 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! HAPPY BIRTHDAY
- August 4 HOG MEETING AND LUNCH RIDE WE NORMALLY DO NOT HAVE A MEETING IN AUGUST; HOWEVER THE OFFICERS AGREED THAT WE WILL GO AHEAD WITH AN AUGUST MEETING FOR THOSE WHO ARE IN TOWN.
- **September 14-16 Port Alberni Toy Run**. A show of hands at the last meeting indicated that 5 or so members are interested in this ride. The Toy Run organization booked a block of rooms at the Best Western Plus Hotel, which are apparently already sold out. There may be cancellations, so if you would like to attend, keep checking with the hotel.
- **Membership Renewals** reminder that March 1 was the deadline to renew your membership. We have a list of 24 members who have renewed but not yet received their 2018 sticker for your card. If that is you, give Kyoko your card and once your international membership is confirmed by Heather, she will apply the sticker and you can pick it up either from Kyoko or at the next meeting.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- April 7, 2018 Season Opener Ride to Steveston This ride was rained out.
- April 15, 2018 HOG Ride for Lunch to Squamish This event was rained out.
- April 22, 2018 TDMC Demo Days; Great turn out by the public. BBQ and Blues Concert went over well.
- April 28, 2018 Rev's Bowling 5:30 p.m. We had 27 members signed up for this fun filled early evening. However, for various reasons, only 12 members came out to bowl. The following were the winners of the event:

Rick Bade High Male

Shad DeSouza Second High Male

Norm Hill Low Male Tammy Bade High Female

Sharon Schulz Second High Female

Chris Ferguson Low Female

 April 28, 2018 – TDMC Day for Animals – This was well attended even though it rained most of the day. It was also well run by the sponsors.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- May 5, 2018 Vancouver HOG® Chapter Monthly Meeting TDMC Conference Room 10 AM. Following the meeting, the female riders of the chapter are invited to remain at TDMC and take part in the International Ladies Day Ride that TEMC has planned. For the rest of the members, there is a Lunch Ride planned to leave at 11 AM for Harrison Hot Springs.
- May 5, 2018 TDMC International Ladies Day Ride (see Harmony's notes above and my email message for details)
- May 12, 2018 TDMC "BYOB" (Bring Your Own Bike) Sale
- May 12, 2018 HOG® Mother's Day Ride This ride leaves TDMC at 10 AM and will go to the Wild Cat Grill, Rosedale for lunch.
- May 16, 2018 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride This is the first evening ride of the season and will depart from McDonald's Restaurant, Boundary and Lougheed, Vancouver, BC. At 7PM Sharp. Please remember to arrive with a full tank of gas in your motorcycle.
- May 23, 2018 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride Tonight's ride will leave from Tim Horton's, 8590 – 200<sup>th</sup> Ave, Langley, BC at 7 PM Sharp. Please remember to arrive with a full tank of gas in your motorcycle.
- May 26, 2018 Ride to Live for Prostate Cancer Registration Only Noon 3 PM
- May 27, 2018 Ride to Live for Prostate Cancer Line-up's will start at 8 AM on Boundary Rd in front of TDMC. Ride leaves at 10 AM SHARP with Police Escort to the Casino on United Boulevard in Coquitlam, then you will be on your own to Garibaldi High School in Maple Ridge, Mission Raceway, and destination University of the Fraser Valley in Abbotsford for music, food and entertainment.
- May 30, 2018 -- HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride Tonight's ride will depart from McDonald's Restaurant, Boundary and Lougheed, Vancouver, BC, at 7PM Sharp. Please remember to arrive with a full tank of gas in your motorcycle.
- June 02, 2018- Vancouver HOG® Chapter Monthly Meeting— TDMC Conference Room 10 AM
  Following the meeting there will be a lunch ride to Lou's Grill in Abbotsford

## **Guest Speakers:**

There were no guest speakers today.

**Door prizes**, donated by the Chapter, were awarded to Lynn, John and Jim

Birthday draw for those born in May: awarded to Rick Bade – Happy Birthday!

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

NEXT MEETING: Saturday, June 2, 2018, 10:00 a.m. at TDMC.