



Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Business Meeting MINUTES

August 6, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Director, Lyn Hart at 10:04

NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES® (CHAPTER SPONSOR):

Carle Brenneman Marketing and Events Coordinator

TDMC continues to comply with the BC Health Order for the safety of everyone. Wearing masks are no longer required inside the dealership. As a courtesy however, hand sanitizing stations and some social distancing signs remain up. Please respect those who still choose to wear a face mask as their own personal choice. Thank you.

From the Service Department:

Express Lane Oil Changes 8:30am till 3:00pm Tuesday thru Saturday

For tire changes, short notice is available but please call and book in advance to ensure we have your tire. Tires are still somewhat problematic, although we have a large quantity in stock.

You can also text us at 604-330-9163 for your parts and service needs. Please call-in advance for we are booked out till mid-August due to volume. Thank you.

From the Parts Department:

LEXIN Smart Tire Pump - \$99.99 plus tax

This is a product we've found as riders that is a necessity on road trips and helps ensure a proper ride week to week. Same battery life and support you've come to know and love from us. Portable and battery powered, this pump is a must have piece of gear for the road. Simply turn it on, set your desired pressure on the pump, and start filling.

From the Motorcycle Sales Department:

Vintage Show and Shine Financing Special at Trev Deeley's!

August 25-30th

NEW/CPO - 4.25% / \$0 Down Payment / 72 months w/ purchase of H-D ESP - O.A.C.

Pre-Owned - 4.75% / \$0 Down Payment / 72 months w/ purchase of H-D ESP - O.A.C.

News, upcoming events, and promotions:

Deeley's Vancouver Vintage Motorcycle Show and Shine - Saturday, Aug 27

<https://facebook.com/events/s/11th-annual-vancouver-vintage-/1223748831714875/>

EXECUTIVE COMMENTS AND PRESENTATION

LYN HART *Director, Vancouver HOG® Chapter*

Are there any new members present? No New Members

Any members present with a birthday in August?

Tracy Monts; Aug 23rd, Russ St. Eloi; Aug 25th. Happy Birthday!

Attending? There were 20 members present

PAST EVENTS

Sat. July 9 HOG® Birthday Ride & Lunch TDMC 11:00

10 bikes, 11 riders cruised around the South Fraser River to Riverhouse Marina Pub in Delta & birthday ice cream! Thanks to Murray Thompson for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!


Wed. July 13 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TYNEHEAD ESSO

5 bikes rode to Fort Langley Pub. Thanks to Albert Schulz for leading & Norm Barreca as sweep!

Thur. July 14 HOG® Ladies of Harley Pub Night 7:00

This event was postponed.



- Sat. July 16 HOG® Ladies of Harley 3 Chapter Ride & Lunch**
11 bikes & a lot of laughs at our first LOH 3 Chapter Ride, lunch at Legends in Cultus Lake. All in favour of an annual event!
- Sun. July 17 29th ANNUAL BURN CAMP KICK-OFF**
8 bikes, 10 riders from Vancouver HOG® Chapter attended. Thanks to Steve Davis for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!
- Here is a link to the video Steve created for our last meeting presentation where we presented a quilt created from Burn Camp bandanas from previous years to the Vancouver Fire Dept. (thanks again to Debbie Miller!)
<https://photos.app.goo.gl/bNNt9LQGEJwmiYB89>
- Wed. July 20 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TDMC**
3 bikes ended up at Milltown Pub. Thanks to Steve Davis for leading & Rod Munch as sweep!
- July 22 & 23 Rally in the Rockies**
- Sat. July 23 HOG® Ride & Lunch TDMC 10:00**
5 bikes, 6 riders made their way up to Mile One Eating House in Pemberton. Thanks to Rick Bade for leading & David as sweep!
- Sun. July 24 HOG® Ladies of Harley Ride & Lunch 10:00 TDMC**
This event was cancelled
- Wed. July 27 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TYNEHEAD ESSO**
4 bikes & riders headed to Station House Pub in Abbotsford. Thanks to Albert Schulz for leading & Norm Barreca as sweep!
- Sat. July 30 HOG® Ride & Lunch**
8 bikes, 10 riders rode through Fort Langley, Abbotsford, Chilliwack & lunched at the Wildcat Grill. Ran into a couple of Coast Hwy Chapter members there. Thanks to Albert Schulz for leading & Rick Bade as sweep!
- Mon. Aug 1 BC DAY HOLIDAY LONG WEEKEND** 
- Wed. Aug 3 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TYNEHEAD ESSO 16815 96 Ave, Surrey**
This event was cancelled

UPCOMING EVENTS

REMINDER: When you sign up for an event (on FB too), we make a reservation at that venue based on those numbers. If you sign up, including on FB, and you find you can't make it afterall, please do us the courtesy of letting us know.

- Sat. Aug 6** **HOG® Ride & Lunch** TDMC 11:00 *(Following the meeting)*
Destination: Ocean Park Village Pub, 12822 16 Avenue, Surrey
- Wed. Aug 10** **HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride** 6:30 TDMC
Destination TBD. Weather permitting.
- Sun. Aug 14** **HOG® Ride & Lunch** 10:00 **Chevron Hwy 1 & 232** 23182 72 Ave. Langley
Destination: Lou's Grill, 2852 Gladys Ave. Abbotsford. *Weather permitting.*
- Wed. Aug 17** **HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride** 6:30 **TYNEHEAD ESSO** 16815 96 Ave, Surrey
Destination TBD. Weather permitting.
- Sat. Aug 20** **HOG® Ride & Lunch** 10:00 **Chevron Hwy 1 & 232** 23182 72 Ave. Langley
Destination: Legends Bistro (CL Golf Club), 4000 Columbia Valley Hwy, Cultus Lake. *Weather permitting.*
- Tue. Aug 23** **HOG® Ladies of Harley Evening Ride** 6:30 TDMC
Ladies Only. Destination TBD. Weather permitting.
- Wed. Aug 24** **HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride** 6:30 TDMC
Destination TBD. Weather permitting.
- Sun. Aug 28** **HOG® POKER RUN & Lunch** **9:00** **Chevron Hwy 1 & 232** 23182 72 Ave. Langley
Lunch Destination: Fat Jack's Diner & Pub, 50865 Trans-Canada Hwy, Boston Bar
Cost is \$10 per card for members, and \$15 per card for non-members
Bug targets will also be available for \$5 each
Weather permitting.



Wed. Aug 31 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TYNEHEAD ESSO 16815 96 Ave, Surrey
Destination TBD. Weather permitting.

Sun. Sept 4 HOG® Ride & Lunch 10:00 TDMC POP-UP???
Weather permitting.

Mon. Sept 5 LABOUR DAY

Wed. Sept 7 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride 6:30 TYNEHEAD ESSO 16815 96 Ave, Surrey
Destination TBD. Weather permitting.

Sat. Sept 10 HOG® Monthly Meeting TDMC 10:00
 Join our monthly meeting to hear Chapter news, upcoming events & rides and get the scoop on any TDMC news & specials for Vancouver HOG® members!

HOG® Memorial Ride for Fallen Chapter Members & Lunch TDMC 11:00
(Following the meeting) Destination: Kushiro Park, Burnaby Mountain/SFU Area.
 Lunch Destination: TBD. *Rain or Shine, 2 or 4 wheels!*

OF INTEREST TO VANCOUVER HOG® MEMBERS

HEALTH REGULATION UPDATE

Wearing masks in public indoor settings is not required by public health. Wearing a mask is a personal choice. Masks are encouraged on public transit and BC Ferries, but not required. Individual businesses and event organizers can choose to continue requiring masks on their premises. It's important that we respect the choices of people, businesses, and one another.

VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER "MILEAGE CHALLENGE"

Steve Davis, Asst Director

Enter your 2022 starting mileage by email or text. Submit a photo of your odometer along with your completed form to Steve Davis at steveda@shaw.ca or 778-839-8249.

SUNSHINE COAST HOG® CHAPTER NEWS

If you would like to show your support & become a member of our sister chapter, **Coast Highway Chapter, BC Canada** (Chapter #10050), applications are available at the west desk of TDMC. Cost is \$20/year for active HOG® International members.

VANCOUVER HOG® HOG® WEBSITE

See photos, events, & past meeting minutes.

<https://www.trevdeeley.com/check-out-our--HOGVancouver>

VANCOUVER HOG® FACEBOOK PAGE

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/vancouverhogchapter/?ref=bookmarks>

We are trying to make our Facebook page more informative and interactive for members and encourage those who haven't joined the page to do so. Read about upcoming events, news from Trev Deeley, and news from other members. Anyone can post photos, plans to meet for a ride or use it to privately message other members. *Please ask to join if you haven't already done so!* <https://www.facebook.com/groups/vancouverhogchapter/>

VANCOUVER HOG® BUY & SELL PAGE – (through the Facebook page)

Open to public to view but only Vancouver HOG® members can post items.

VANCOUVER HOG® INSTAGRAM @vancouverhog**VANCOUVER HOG® MEMBER NAME TAGS**

If you are interested in purchasing a HOG® name tag, we can put an order in for a minimum of 12 names. Your Vancouver HOG® Chapter partially subsidizes the cost of name tags so that each member pays only \$10.00. *If you'd like to order a name tag, please give \$10 cash to Kyoko at the TDMC west desk & she will put your name & info on the list.*

HOG® CANADA RIDE 365

To see all the rules and how to register for this program go to the HOG® Canada Official site, follow the links to register on your own to become involved.

<https://www.harley-davidson.com/ca/en/content/hog.html>

OFFICER REPORTS

SAFETY REPORT

TERESA VARTY *Safety Officer*

Teresa is on vacation!

Thoughts about safety, especially since we are still on a long road trip - covering over 10,000 km's, with still about 1500 km's to go. This report is being written on the ferry from Nova Scotia to Newfoundland.

- Checking your motorcycle every start of ride. Based on experience tire pressure is very important!
- Looking through vehicles to see what is ahead - awareness of the environment and scanning side of roads for wildlife, road debris and potential hazards. Continuously doing shoulder and mirror checks, head on a swivel. Circumstances change quickly.
- Always scan the road for the best 'line' especially when turning round corners due to sand, road gravel and potholes.
- Do not trust just one navigation app - do your research. Google maps is not always your friend.
- Checking the weather not just for the destination, but for stops along the way too; and having rain gear ready at hand.
- Keep an eye on your fuel gauge - know what your range to empty is and plan your fuel stops accordingly.
- Stay hydrated, and your body fuelled too.
- Stop and stretch, and enjoy the ride.

Happy Riding! See you soon!

ROAD CAPTAIN REPORT

ALBERT SCHULZ *Head Road Captain*

Albert wanted to remind everyone, that when the Wednesday night or other rides are cancelled that the ride captain is looking forward to the weather forecast on the planned ride route. It may be that the weather at that moment is sunny and warm, however when the forecast is suspect the ride may be cancelled. If the cancellation notice doesn't reach you before you leave and you end up at the ride meeting spot, there is nothing stopping the small group from having

a short ride on their own, if the ride captain doesn't arrive. Please give a 5-10 minute grace period before leaving on your own ride, in case the ride captain was held up in traffic.

**Meg just wanted to advise to be patient when watching for the cancellation email, as at that time she is often in transit from work to home. Please check Facebook if you can for a note on the ride itself, as it is only Meg that can cancel the event completely.

VANCOUVER HOG® Christmas Party

Tentative Dates: Sat. Nov 26th, Fri. Dec 2nd, or Sat. Dec 3rd

Options:

Buffet sit-down, \$70-75/pp plus bar. 25+ ppl

Restaurant sitting, 3 course meal, \$45-50/pp plus bar 10-30 ppl

Questions, comments, discussion

Lifetime Chapter member, **Pat Hallahan Jacobsen**, lost her son, *Paul*, in a car accident July 5th. Please sign a sympathy card for Pat & her family before you leave today.

We are taking contributions from members on behalf of the Vancouver HOG Chapter & donating it to the BC Children's Hospital in Paul's name. This was Pat's choice of charity & she's very grateful to the chapter for doing this.

Tammy Bade wanted to let us all know about a safety concern regarding Tesla's. When on autopilot, Tesla's are not recognizing there are motorcycles near them and are not reacting to them being on the road. This has caused two fatal accidents. This is happening on freeways in the darkness.

Dave Lambert reached out and wanted to share this link to his memorial page for Terry Sue. Dave, who is not a HOG Member, is a long-time close friend of Terry's from high school. He would love it if people who knew Terry would join the facebook page to share stories and remember him.

<https://m.facebook.com/groups/812547499927133/>

DOOR PRIZE DRAW

2 TDMC \$25 Gift Certificates for July, donated by the Chapter, awarded to:

Murray Thompson & Harry Van Beest

BIRTHDAY DRAW winner for the month of July: **Tracy Monts**

Birthday Draw Winner will be given a \$15 Gift Card from Tim Horton's or Starbucks.

NEXT MEETING: Sat. Sept 10, 2022 10:00 TDMC

HOG® Memorial Ride for Fallen Chapter Members & Lunch to follow.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting was adjourned at 10:53