



## Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Special ZOOM Edition

### Business Meeting MINUTES

July 8, 2021, 7:00 pm

*The meeting was called to order by Director, Lyn Hart at 7:05 pm.*

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

DARWIN OSARCHUK *General Manager*

#### **July 1 COVID Update**

TDMC will continue to comply with the BC Health Order regarding number of people inside and outside etc. Wearing masks or face-coverings are recommended and appreciated inside and outside the dealership yet are not mandatory. Hand sanitizing stations and 2-meter social distancing signage will remain up.

#### **Demo Ride Day - Sunday June 6, 2021**

Unfortunately, the rain started right at 10:00 am when the first group was to go out, but it was not meant to be, and the rides were cancelled at noon.

Darwin and the team at TDMC would still like to thank Lyn, Albert, Steve, Vic, Rick, Doug, Barrie, Gary, and Tracy for all coming out as we tried to have the demo rides for potential new bike customers.

However, TDMC does have two new Pan Am demo bikes that are now available for test rides. Contact one of the sales reps to schedule a test ride.

#### **BC Day Stat Holiday**

TDMC will be closed Monday, Aug 2nd for B.C. Day and will remain closed still on Sundays and Mondays till further notice.

**Deeley Motorcycle Exhibition:** New exhibit opened on June 22nd

"Riders Choice"..... The owners and people intimately involved with the collection were asked

to choose their favourite bikes. The choices are purely personal and are on display along with their reason for making their decision. There are many bikes on display that have not been in an exhibit since the DME opened in 2007.

### **Sat. July 17 - Summer Kick-Starter Event**

TDMC will be having a Food Truck on hand from 11:00 – 3:00 along with some great in-store specials on selected Parts and General Merchandise. (Excludes new motorcycles)

### **From the Motorcycle Sales Department:**

- New Model Launch July 13<sup>th</sup>. Sign up on H-D.com.
- Financing Special rates on New/Used bikes from July 15th-20th
- July 2<sup>nd</sup> - Welcome Jason Vinepal to the TDMC Sales Team

### **From Parts and Service Department:**

Join us from Thursday July 15th to Tuesday July 20th for Double Rewards Points\* on all regular priced purchases in Parts and Motorclothes.

*(\*Excludes Motorcycles and Labour.) Stay hydrated. Book NOW for Services.*

### **From the Motorclothes Department:**

Join us from Thurs. July 15th to Tues. July 20th for Double Rewards Points\* on all regular priced purchases in Parts and Motorclothes.

*(\*Excludes Motorcycles and Labour.)*

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## **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 this month?***

Sharon Schultz; July 9, Barrie Osborne; July 14<sup>th</sup>. Happy Birthday!

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## PAST EVENTS

### **Wed. June 2 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride TDMC 7:00**

*16 bikes / 17 riders headed to A&W in Surrey for Root Beer Floats  
Thanks to Vic McClelland for leading & Doug Miller as sweep.*

### **Sat. June 5 HOG® Weekend Ride TDMC 11:00**

*Cancelled due to rain.*

### **Sun. June 6 Harley Davidson Demo Days TDMC 10:00-2:30**

*Cancelled due to rain.*

### **Wed. June 9 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride LANGLEY Tim Hortons Langley 7:00**

*7 bikes & riders rode through Langley, Fort Langley, Abbotsford, & stopping at the Fox & Hound Pub in Aldergrove. Ran into members Shad & Tracey De Souza there. Thanks to Vic McClelland for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!*

### **Sun. June 13 HOG® Weekend Ride TDMC 10:00**

*Cancelled due to rain.*

### **Wed. June 16 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride TDMC 7:00**

*16 bikes & riders rode through Kits & UBC to Milltown Brewery. Thanks to Steve Davis for leading & Vic McClelland as sweep!*

### **Sat. June 19 HOG® Father's Day Ride TDMC 10:00**

*9 bikes/11 riders headed up the Sea to Sky on a journey to Pemberton...lots of twists & turns, a little road construction & a canopy of clouds were met by this adventurous group...a stop for those who needed a rest was made at Brandywine Falls Park, and the final destination of Mile One Eatery. Thanks to Rick Bade for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!*

### **Sun. June 20 Father's Day**

### **Wed. June 23 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride LANGLEY Tim Hortons Langley 7:00**

*10 bikes & riders rode through Langley backroads & settled at the Station Pub for refreshments. Thanks to Tracy & Gary Monts for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!*

**Sat. June 26 HOG® Weekend Ride TDMC 10:00**

*Planned destination was Othello Tunnels but the weather was a scorching 42 degrees in Hope! 4 riders made it to Hope for lunch then headed home before they melted. Thanks to Tracy Monts for leading & Gary Monts as sweep!*

**Wed. June 30 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride TDMC 7:00**

*9 bikes/9 riders headed east & made way to the Mary Hill, Dewdney Trunk, over both dams in Mission & finally ending up at Mission Springs Pub. It was virtually non-stop riding! Thanks to Vic McClelland for leading & Doug Miller as sweep!*

**Thur. July 1 HAPPY CANADA DAY! ****Sat. July 3 HOG® Pop-Up Ride 232<sup>nd</sup> & Hwy 1 Chevron 10:00**

*5 bikes/6 riders took Hwy 3 up to Manning Lodge & got some fantastic shots at the Northside lookout! Thanks to Gary Monts for leading & Dale Janzen as sweep!*

**Wed. July 7 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride LANGLEY Tim Hortons Langley 7:00**

*5 bikes/5 riders headed out to Delta. Thanks to Vic McClelland leading and Steve Davis as sweep!*

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

*PLEASE, listen to your Road Captain's instructions before & during the ride. We want everyone to be safe & set a good example for other riders.*

**Sat. July 10 HOG® Member Meeting via ZOOM RESCHEDULED TO THURS. JULY 8<sup>TH</sup> 7:00**

We're hoping this will be the last online meeting & that we can resume in-person meetings soon. Stay tuned!

*Our **Annual Birthday Ice Cream Ride & Lunch** will be rescheduled to Sun. July 11th in order for the **HOG® Ride of Reflection** to take place.*

**Sat. July 10 HOG® Ride of Reflection** Langley Events Centre – 7888 200th St (& 80th Ave)  
Meet 8:00 KSU 8:30  
This is an important Vancouver HOG® event to pay our respect & share our grief with the Tk’Emlups Band of Kamloops. Members are encouraged to wear or display something orange in honour & recognition of the children who were lost and are now found.

*Vancouver HOG® Chapter will be donating \$1000.00 to the Indian Residential School Survivor’s Society. Individual donations from members are welcome & can be added to our chapter donation. Contact Treasurer, Vic McClelland, at [grumpyvic@hotmail.com](mailto:grumpyvic@hotmail.com)*

**Sun. July 11 Annual HOG® Birthday Ride & Ice Cream** Chevron 232<sup>nd</sup> & Hwy 1 10:00  
*(Re-scheduled from Sat. July 10) Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

**Wed. July 14 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride TDMC 7:00**  
*Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

**Thur. July 15 HAPPY 33<sup>rd</sup> BIRTHDAY VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER!**  
**HAPPY 1<sup>st</sup> BIRTHDAY COAST HIGHWAY HOG® CHAPTER!**



**Sat. July 17 HOG® Poker Run on the Sunshine Coast** 9:50 Gibson’s Ferry Horseshoe Bay,  
meet at 9:00 Horseshoe Bay ferry lineup  
Vancouver HOG® is joining up with the Coast Highway Chapter as they host their  
1<sup>st</sup> Annual Poker Run & Show ‘n Shine.  
**Registration:** 11:00-12:00 Gibson’s Legion, 747 Gibsons Way **\$25 Entry Fee**  
Hotel rooms are hard to come by, but camping may be available if you want  
to stay overnight.  
*See Poker Run Rules attached to minutes.*

**Wed. July 21 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride LANGLEY** Tim Hortons Langley 7:00  
*Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

**Sun. July 25 HOG® Weekend Ride TDMC 10:00**  
*Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

**Wed. July 28 HOG® Wednesday Evening Ride TDMC 7:00**  
*Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

**Mon. Aug 2**

**HAPPY BC DAY!**



*Since the first weekend in August is the long weekend, no meeting or rides have been scheduled to give members the opportunity to make long weekend plans. Watch for unscheduled, surprise POP-UP RIDES!*

**Aug 6-15**

**Annual Sturgis Rally South Dakota**

**Sat. Aug 7**

**HOG® Weekend Ride TDMC 10:00**

*Destination TBD. Weather permitting.*

### **OF INTEREST TO VANCOUVER HOG® MEMBERS**

#### **HEALTH REGULATION UPDATE – JULY 1ST**

*Recreational travel is now permitted in Canada. It is recommended to still wear a mask indoors until you are fully vaccinated. There are no more limits to group size for dining. **Indoor organized gatherings (such as our meetings) are limited up to 50 or 50% capacity, if there is 2m distance between people.** Outdoor organized gatherings are limited to 5000 people - or 50% capacity, whichever is greater. Personal gatherings have no limits. Sports & exercise events, fairs & festivals all return to normal. Phase 4 update due Sept 7, 2021*

#### **LYTTON RELIEF RUN Tammy Bade, Events Officer**

Much of the community of Lytton, BC has been devastated & destroyed by a wildfire caused by the record-breaking heatwave. 90% of the village has burned, including the town centre. As many as 1,500 people from Lytton and surrounding areas were ordered to evacuate, many with as little as 15 minutes notice. Families have lost their homes & belongings. A major emergency operations centre & evacuee reception site has been established in Merritt, and evacuees were being urged to register there. Tammy thanks everyone. Donation locations are no longer accepting donations. Suggestions for other organizations were received, including homeless shelters, transition houses, the Union Gospel Mission & Cash donations to the Lytton Go Fund Me page.

### **VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER “MILEAGE CHALLENGE”**

The Vancouver HOG® Chapter Mileage Challenge is easy to enter! Any current chapter member in good standing can register & participate for free. Cash prizes will be awarded to Highest/Lowest in men's and women's categories & everyone who registers for the challenge will be entered into a general prize draw.

*Email Steve Davis, Vancouver HOG® Chapter Assistant Director, at [steveda@shaw.ca](mailto:steveda@shaw.ca) to register.*

### **TREASURER'S RIDE Vic McClelland, Treasurer**

We've seen some great participation from members on this contest! Rick Bade wins a \$15 Tim Horton's Gift Card for being the first to enter & congrats to Doug Miller for being the first member to solve & complete all the clues! He wins a \$50 credit to his TDMC account!

Update: 14 people have entered, and 4 people have completed all destinations

A month end draw from the participants was made for June. Congratulations to Teresa Varty! The June surprise prize was a cooling vest. Stay tuned for the next month end prize draw announcement!

### **HOG® CANADA RIDE 365**

Any current HOG® Canada member in good standing can participate in the official mileage recognition program for the official Riding Club of Harley-Davidson. Ride 365 includes the existing Lifetime Recognition and two new programs—Annual Recognition and an annual Chapter Challenge.

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

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

### **ADVANCED RIDER TRAINING**

Enduro Park Canada offers the Advance Rider Course in a full weekend course based directly off the Police Motorcycle Operators Course. They take you from slow speed tight patterns to high-speed braking and obstacle avoidance and everything in between. The cost is \$795 but they will offer a discount of \$50 for Vancouver HOG® members. Available 2021 course dates are July 16-18, & August 13-15. *Dates may be postponed or changed due to Covid-19 or class enrolment size.* Registration: <https://enduroparkcanada.com/collections/advanced-rider-training>

### **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. *We're looking forward to having our chapters meet up on occasion for some rides & socializing in the future!*

**HOG® RALLIES 2021**

*There are no local rallies in BC this year, likely not until 2022-2023.*

*Watch for updates on health regulations to see if this event will go on as scheduled.*

**Aug 26-28 14th Prairie Regional HOG® Rally** Calgary, Alta

Registration is now open. Go to:

[https://members.hog.com/HDMN\\_Login?startURL=%2Fen\\_CA%2FHOG%2FHDMN\\_VF\\_Event\\_Register%3Fevent%3Da1W5b00001baPVBEA2%26fbclid%3DIwAR3dxrF9LRkZx1f7I12vPWqhQwXzZ7T205-II5JmZqoK7Iqom3c-y9MytM8%26PublicAccess%3Dtrue](https://members.hog.com/HDMN_Login?startURL=%2Fen_CA%2FHOG%2FHDMN_VF_Event_Register%3Fevent%3Da1W5b00001baPVBEA2%26fbclid%3DIwAR3dxrF9LRkZx1f7I12vPWqhQwXzZ7T205-II5JmZqoK7Iqom3c-y9MytM8%26PublicAccess%3Dtrue)

Join their FB page for more info:

[https://www.facebook.com/groups/898193507183745/?multi\\_permaLinks=1322785778057847&notif\\_id=1612101749360736&notif\\_t=group\\_activity&ref=notif](https://www.facebook.com/groups/898193507183745/?multi_permaLinks=1322785778057847&notif_id=1612101749360736&notif_t=group_activity&ref=notif)

**Host Hotel:** Sheraton Cavalier Calgary Hotel, 2620 32nd Avenue NE

HOG® rates from \$119-139/night. Reserve here:

[https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1592320006581&key=GRP&app=resvlink&fbclid=IwAR1IquxsuaPdsz\\_dLjB0t0seTmjnnE-6eX28FCzTorjttypOlzTSrAGnAeM](https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1592320006581&key=GRP&app=resvlink&fbclid=IwAR1IquxsuaPdsz_dLjB0t0seTmjnnE-6eX28FCzTorjttypOlzTSrAGnAeM)

**HOG® WEBSITE** <https://www.trevdeeley.com/check-out-our--HOGVancouver>

See photos, events, & past meeting minutes.

**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/>

**BUY & SELL PAGE** – (through the Facebook page)

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

**VANCOUVER HOG® INSTAGRAM** @vancouverhog

### **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® CHAPTER T-SHIRTS**

Custom Vancouver HOG® t-shirts are here! *If you put your name on the list, see Kyoko at the TDMC West Desk for payment. If you didn't order one at the beginning, ask Kyoko if there are any extra ones in your size.*

### **OFFICER REPORTS**

- **Safety Report: RICK & TAMMY BADE** *Safety Officers*

MYTHS ABOUT MOTORCYCLE SAFETY THAT NEED TO GO AWAY (Part 5 of 7)

*Myth: Roads and Streets are Safer than the Highways*

- Although it's true that you go a lot faster on highways than on city streets and roads, the smoother flow of traffic, wider lanes and lack of oncoming traffic remove many of the common dangers that motorcyclists run into.

MOTORCYCLE-RELATED FINES AND PENALTY POINTS (Part 5 of 9)

- Ride motorcycle without required helmet \$138 fine & 0 points

MOTORCYCLE SAFETY TIPS FOR RIDING THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS (Part 5 of 10)

- Never use the front brake first.  
When a Raccoon leaps out at you, a semi decides to change lanes or your exit pops up out of nowhere and it's time to hit the brakes. Never hit the front brakes first. You must train your instincts to always go for the rear brake first. If you grab the front brake with any kind of force, YOU WILL EAT IT. This is not a question; it is a fact. Brake first with your foot, not your hand – you will be glad you did.

- **LOH Ladies of Harley: Cindy Rabb**, *LOH Co-Officer*

There is a patch available for purchase "Peace, Love & Biking" \$20. *Contact Cindy Rabb at [cindy rabb72@gmail.com](mailto:cindy rabb72@gmail.com) to purchase.*

## **Vancouver LOH Sunshine Valley Camp & Ride Fri Sept 17 – 19**

Facebook Page: <https://fb.me/e/3wSlqfCEG>

Contact Cindy Rabb at [cindyrabb72@gmail.com](mailto:cindyrabb72@gmail.com) for more info.

To reserve, Call Holiday Trails RV Resorts – 604-869-0066

*This event includes a BBQ Dinner, Prizes, Games & Sunday Morning Pancake Breakfast.*

*Update: 4 cabins booked & 3 trailers booked. There are 2 pools and 2 Hot tubs; Bring your bathing suit!*

### **DOOR PRIZE DRAW**

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

**Karel Kense & Albert Schulz**

*Door Prize Winners will receive a \$25 credit on their TDMC account.*

**BIRTHDAY DRAW** winner for the month of July: **Sharon Schultz**

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

**LOH Patch DRAW** winner is **Tracey Monts**

Tracey wins the "Peace, Love & Biking" Patch.

### **NEXT MEETING: Sat. September 11, 2021 10:00 TDMC**

*August meeting has been cancelled*

*August and September birthday draws will take place at the September meeting.*

*Hoping to have our first in-person meeting in 18 months!*

*If not, watch for the Zoom link in your email & on the HOG® Facebook page.*

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

*Meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.*