



Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Business Meeting Minutes – June 1, 2019

The meeting was called to order by LOWELL WADE, Assistant Director, at 10:03 am.

Who rode today?

Almost everyone rode to the meeting; weather was warm, sunny, clear skies & dry roads.

New Members:

The Chapter welcomes Dylan, who rides a 2014 Electra Glide, and Gabriella Fumo Rubini, who rides an Iron 883!

NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES® (CHAPTER SPONSOR):

JEFF MARTINEZ *Motorcycle Sales*

(on behalf of Darwin Osarchuk, GM)

- **The Harley-Davidson® LiveWire™** electric motorcycle is coming out in September 2019! TDMC is taking pre-orders with deposits now. There will be Demo Rides available. Jeff Martinez is being sent to Milwaukee for special LiveWire™ training.
- **10th ANNUAL RIDE TO LIVE**
In total, \$132,000 was raised for the 2019 ride, bringing the grand total over 10 years to \$1.6 million! There were 325 bikes that started out from Vancouver and just over 200 bikes that left from Chilliwack, where we then all met out at the University of the Fraser Valley in Abbotsford. Mike, Scott, Jeff and I rode this year from Trev Deeley Motorcycles. We saw 4-5 members from the Vancouver HOG Chapter too...thank you!
Darwin Osarchuk, General Manager
- **SERVICE**
Secondary Actuator Replacement Recalls: Over 180 completed so far.
Parts are now available. You must set up an appointment for the work to be done.

HARMONY POISSON *Manager, Marketing and Events*

- **Sat. June 8 RIDE FOR THE FALLEN** TDMC 9:30 – 2:00
<https://www.facebook.com/events/2354348691465356/>
The annual ride, hosted by 3rd CAV, starts at Trev Deeley Motorcycles with registration starting at 9:30 am. This year the ride leaves at 11:00 am and will do a fun poker run route finishing at Port Kells Park for a BBQ and brief ceremony for the Fallen to take place with Silver Cross Families in attendance. Motorcycles are in the lead, cars and other vehicles to follow.
- **Sat. June 15 PRORIDE ALUMNI GRADUATION** TDMC 12:00
 - Hunky Bill's Perogies (www.hunkybills.com)
 - Harley Davidson Demo Bikes
 - Door prizes
 - 10% Discounts on Parts & Merchandise
 - Also show your ProRIDE certificate for a discount on a new motorcycle!
- **Sat. June 15 TDMC MONTHLY RIDE to Squamish** TDMC 4PM
<https://www.facebook.com/events/862324614103087/>
Please RSVP for this event! We look forward to seeing you all there!
- **Sun. June 23 DEELEY MOTORCYCLE EXHIBITION 6TH ANNUAL VINTAGE SHOW & SHINE** TDMC 11:00-2:00
<https://www.facebook.com/events/431851490983136/>
Select rare motorcycles from the collection will be on display as well as several vendors for you to check out. Bikes, food, and a good time to be had by all! \$10 bike registration gets you a free lunch as well as entry in to a draw to win one of three prizes!
For more information or to pre-register, call us at 604 293 2221 or email info@DeeleyExhibition.ca
- **Sun. July 7 TDMC 23RD ANNUAL SHOW & SHINE** TDMC 10:00-3:00
<https://www.facebook.com/events/2108657205918263/>
Judging strictly by People's Choice Ballots with a top prize trophy & 3 runners up, all makes & models welcome! Think your bike's got what it takes to take home the gold? Be sure to come down between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm to register your bike by donation, proceeds to AIM. For our registered entrants there will be over tons of door prizes to be won. General public can get in the voting by earning a ballot for every 50/50 ticket they purchase from our HOG Chapter!!

This year's activities:

- * Show n' Shine Competition
- * Beer Garden by: [Coal Harbour Brewing Company](#)
- * Gourmet Local BBQ by: [Whiskey Six BBQ](#)
- * Cigar Lounge by: tba
- * HOG Chapter 50/50
- * Tattoo Pop-up by: tba
- * Karen's Famous Sidewalk Sale
- * [Deeley Motorcycle Exhibition](#) (by Donation)
- * Live Music by: [The Vicious Cycles MC!](#)

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Wed. May 8** **HOG® Wednesday Evening TDMC RIDE** (*Even Wednesdays*)
Meet at TDMC, 1875 Boundary Rd. 7:00 pm
Destination: Black Sheep Pub in Maple Ridge, 6 Bikes, 7 riders.
Nice evening ride & good company. *Thanks to Dale for leading the ride!*

- **Sat. May 11** **HOG® Mother's Day Ride & Lunch** TDMC 10:00 am
Lou's Grill, 2852 Gladys Ave, Abbotsford
8 bikes, 9 members participated. Pulled off over for a photo but one bike wouldn't start again because of a failing battery. Tried to push start but no go. Then just as we were going to call for some help, along came a police officer named Chris from the Langley RCMP. He had jumper cables & got the bike going. Half continued on to Lou's for a nice lunch with great service. All and all it was a good time
Thanks to Albert for leading the ride!

- **Wed. May 15** **HOG® Wednesday Evening LANGLEY RIDE** (*Odd Wednesdays*)
Meet at Tim Horton's, 8590 200th St. Langley 7:00 pm
2 members showed up but soon rained out.

- **Wed. May 22** **HOG® Wednesday Evening TDMC RIDE** (*Even Wednesdays*)
Meet at TDMC, 1875 Boundary Rd. 7:00 pm
Destination: Milltown Pub in Richmond, 7 riders cruised through Spanish Banks & UBC area. *Thanks to Dale for leading the ride!*

- **Wed. May 29** **HOG® Wednesday Evening LANGLEY RIDE** (*Odd Wednesdays*)
Meet at Tim Horton's, 8590 200th St. Langley 7:00 pm
Destination: Murrayville Pub, 5 members joined & weather was good.
Thanks to Albert for leading the ride!

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Sat. June 1** **HOG® Ride & Lunch** TDMC 11:00 am *following HOG meeting.*
Old Settler's Pub, 222 Cedar Ave, Harrison Hot Springs
17 members rode to Harrison on a beautiful day!
Thanks to Albert for leading the ride!
See photos on our Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/vancouverhogchapter/>
- **Wed. June 5** **HOG® Wednesday Evening LANGLEY RIDE** (*Odd Wednesdays*)
Meet at Tim Horton's, 8590 200th St. Langley 7:00 pm
Weather Permitting Destination: TBD
- **Fri. June 7** **HOG® Night Out** Twilight Drive-In Theatre 7:00 pm (*Weather Permitting*)
3350 260 St , Aldergrove, BC
Cost is \$13.50. Check-in 90 mins ahead.
Movies Playing: The Secret Life of Pets 2 9:30, The Hustle 11:15
- **Sat. June 8** **HOG® Ride & Lunch** TDMC 10:00 am
Mystery Ride...Destination TBD.
A sign-up sheet was passed around the meeting.
If you haven't signed up but would like to attend, please contact Tammy Bade at ommatammybade@yahoo.ca so she can reserve more space!
- **Sat. June 15** **HOG® Father's Day Ride & Lunch** TDMC 10:00 am
Cultus Lk Pub, 3696 Columbia Valley Hwy, Cultus Lake
A sign-up sheet was passed around the meeting.
If you haven't signed up but would like to attend, please contact Tammy Bade at ommatammybade@yahoo.ca so she can reserve more space!
- **Sat. June 15** **Fraser Valley Motorcycle Show'n'Shine** 9:00 am
Highstreet Mall, 3122 Mt Lehman Rd. Abbotsford, BC
Registration proceeds to AIM. All makes and models including scooters are welcome. Live band and tons of give-aways. Over 15 trophies & cash prizes.

- Sat. June 22** **HOG® Get Lost Ride Weekend** TDMC 9:00 am/CHEVRON at 232ND 10:00
 Cache Creek Annual Weekend Ride - Cache Creek Motor Inn
 1209 Trans-Canada Hwy, Cache Creek, BC **1 (250) 457-9144**
*15 rooms reserved. First come, first served....**BOOK YOUR ROOM NOW!***
 - Saturday 9:00 am TDMC then to Chevron Station at Hwy 232 and Hwy 1,
 Circle Tour of Lower THOMPSON-Nicola Valley via Hwy 3, 5A, 1
 - Sunday ride home via Hwy 99 (Duffy Lake), or 1 (Fraser Canyon), or 97C and 5 (Ashcroft, Logan Lake, Merritt, Hope), or 97C, 5A, 3, 1 (Ashcroft, Logan Lake, Merritt, Princeton, Hope).
14 hands raised to say they were attending so far.
- July 4-6** **WESTERN REGIONAL HOG® RALLY** Victoria, BC
 See below. For further information about the rally:
 - <https://www.facebook.com/2019HOG.RALLY/>
 - <https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/2019-western-regional-hog-rally-18095356990>
- Sun. July 7** **TDMC 23RD ANNUAL SHOW & SHINE** TDMC 10:00-3:00
 HOG® 50/50 fundraising. Come & support your Chapter!
- Sat. July 13** **NEXT HOG® MEETING** TDMC 10:00 am
Later in the month due to Canada Day long weekend & the Western Regional HOG® Rally.
- Sat. July 13** **HOG® Ride Lunch & Ice Cream** TDMC 11:00 am following meeting
 Lunch TBD
 Birchwood Dairy Farm, 1154 Fadden Rd, Abbotsford
 A sign-up sheet to be being passed around the meeting.

OF INTEREST TO HOG® MEMBERS:

HOG® MEMBER'S EXCLUSIVE LOYALTY OFFER!

- **Models:** Non-current model years only.
- **Audience:** Active HOG® members prior to December 2018 who have not purchased a bike after July 2018.
- **Offer:** \$1600 XL, \$2350 Softail, \$3200 Touring

LOYALTY OFFER Conditions:

- *Purchased by June 30, 2019.*
- *Offer applies to a limited number of bikes & may terminate early.*
- *Limited to one bike per HOG® member.*
- *Cannot be combined with any other retail offer.*
- *Offer cannot be extended to non-HOG® members.*

TARGETED TEST RIDE OFFER

- **Models:** Current MY19 Sportster, Softail, Touring Models (excludes FXDRS).
- **Audience:** Consumers who executed or booked a test ride within the last 24 months & did not buy.
- **Offer:** \$650 XL, \$950 Softail, \$1300 Touring

TEST RIDE OFFER Conditions:

- *Purchased by June 30, 2019.*
- *Offer applies to a limited number of bikes & may terminate early.*
- *Limited to one bike per customer.*
- *Cannot be combined with any other retail offer.*

VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER FLAGS

Minimum group order of 12 required. Not enough members have signed up so this has been put aside. May consider again if there is interest.

TREV DEELEY & HOG® WEBSITE

The HOG® website is now accessible through the newly revamped Trev Deeley website under the INFO menu, or by clicking the small HOG® logo at the top right of the page. Harmony from TDMC manages the HOG® section on the site and HOG® Webmaster, Norm Hill, is responsible for selecting pictures that can be viewed, many of which are supplied by HOG® Photographer, Gary Monts. You will find upcoming events & photos, meeting minutes, calendar of events, HOG® Canada and HOG® International links, and your chapter officer's names and contact info.

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

VANCOUVER HOG® FACEBOOK PAGE

This is also a good resource for news, events and contact with other members. Anyone can post photos, plans to meet for a ride, or use it to privately message other members.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/vancouverhogchapter/>

Members are encouraged to utilize these resources that are there for us!

2019 CANADIAN REGIONAL HOG® RALLIES

2019 Western Regional HOG® Rally Victoria, BC

July 4-6, 2019

- The Host Hotel is the Best Western Plus, Emerald Isle in Sidney, BC. The cost of the rooms is \$224.10/night. Regular rate is \$269.00/night. **ONLINE BOOKINGS ONLY!**
- No block of rooms have been reserved for members. You are responsible for booking your own accommodation. For further information about the rally:
<https://www.facebook.com/2019HOG.RALLY/>
<https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/2019-western-regional-hog-rally-18095356990>

6 members planning to attend, so far. Some staying at B&Bs. If you have accommodation to share, email Lyn Hart, HOG® Secretary at lynhart@telus.net, to get the word out!

2019 Prairie Regional HOG® Rally, Edmonton, Alta

Aug 15-17, 2019

- Past Director, Chris Ferguson, has contacted the host hotel, Best Western Plus, and booked 10 rooms (5 – Deluxe Queen, and 5 – Deluxe King). If you are interested in attending, please contact Chris & she will have your name placed on the registration. Chris currently has 7 rooms left (2 King, 5 Dbl Queen). First come, first served. Cost is \$127/night.

6 members planning to attend, so far. If you have accommodation to share, email Lyn Hart, HOG® Secretary at lynhart@telus.net, to get the word out!

ACTIVITIES REPORT

TAMMY BADE, HOG® Activities Officer

Tammy reserves space at venues for all our events. Sign-up sheets passed around at meetings & email requests are reviewed to determine the number of people she reserves for.

Tammy reminded members about updating additions/cancellations to the signup sheets so she can update the host venues with expected number of guests.

If a ride starts late & members will be arriving at the reserved venue late, Ride Leaders are asked to contact the host venue with an updated arrival time. This promotes good will & reputation for our Chapter as returning guests.

SAFETY REPORT

LOWELL WADE, HOG® Safety Officer

- **BEFORE YOU RIDE: DO YOU KNOW YOUR LOAD CAPACITY?**

See attachment.

- **HOG® INTERNATIONAL ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE**

\$55/mo. includes 3 bikes & 2 cars.

For more information, go to:

<https://www.harley-davidson.com/us/en/owners/hog/Roadside-Assistance.html>

- **AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED)**

The AED was purchased by the chapter & TDMC to be brought on all HOG® rides.

It is clearly labelled & located on a shelf in the TDMC First Aid Room. There is a sign in/out sheet when it is to be checked out. Lowell to organize instructional video viewing.

- **From BCCOM's latest newsletter:**

"With warmer weather in the forecast more motorcycle riders will be hitting the road – and that's prompting a safety warning from the B.C. government. According to ICBC, the number of motorcyclists killed in crashes from January to July 2018 doubled from the year before."

RIDE SAFE!

Door prizes, donated by the Chapter, were awarded to **Rob, Chris, & Elaine**.

The Birthday draw winner for the month of June was **Marc Varty**.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 10:40 am.

NEXT MEETING:

Sat. July 13, 2019, TDMC 10:00 am

HOG® Ride Lunch & Ice Cream *following meeting.*

Lunch TBD

Birchwood Dairy Farm, 1154 Fadden Rd, Abbotsford

✓ Before You Ride: Do you know your load capacity?

Take care of your tires.
Take care of your motorcycle.
Take care of yourself.



■ Engine Fluids

Are you OVERLOADED?

You may be OVERLOADING your motorcycle. See weight calculator below.

LOAD LIMIT CALCULATOR

AVAILABLE LOAD CAPACITY

1. Enter GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating).
Check owner's manual or Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) plate.

1. lbs.

2. Enter dry weight of motorcycle (weight as shipped from the factory).
Check owner's manual.

minus 2. lbs.

3. Average weight of fluids, gas and oils
(for a typical motorcycle this may be approximately 40 lbs).

minus 3. lbs.

4. Available load capacity of your motorcycle.
(Box 1 - Box 2 - Box 3)

4. lbs.

LOADING OF YOUR MOTORCYCLE

5. Enter total weight of rider and passenger,
including helmets, boots and clothing.

5. lbs.

6. Enter weight of accessories.
Accessories you have added, including chrome, windshield, additional saddlebags, etc.

plus 6. lbs.

7. Enter weight of any cargo/luggage you are carrying.

plus 7. lbs.

8. This is the load you are adding to your motorcycle.
(Box 5 + Box 6 + Box 7)

8. lbs.

If Box 8 is greater than Box 4, YOUR MOTORCYCLE IS OVERLOADED!

Overloading your motorcycle could lead to loss of control, sudden tire failure, accident, injury or death.

- ✓ Checking tire pressure frequently and always before extended trips is the most important tire maintenance you can perform.
- ✓ For every 4 psi a tire is underinflated, you could lose up to 80 pounds of load-carrying capacity.

Complete tire selection, safety, care and maintenance information is available in Dunlop's motorcycle tire brochure and on the web at dunlopmotorcycl tires.com—or call Dunlop at 800-845-8378.

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