

Vancouver Chapter Harley Owners Group

Business Meeting MINUTES November 4, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Director, Lyn Hart, at 10:00am

NEWS from TREV DEELEY MOTORCYCLES® (CHAPTER SPONSOR):

KAYLIN SINCLAIR, Events and Promotions Coordinator

From the MotorClothes & Parts Departments:

TDMC's Black Friday Event is on November 23rd-28th! Stay tuned for more information coming soon. 30% off bike covers end November 21st and we would also like to congratulate Jeff Martinez who will be taking on the role of Parts Manager.

From the Motorcycle Sales and Financing Departments:

November's Pre-Owned Sales Event is on now until November 30th, 2023. Our lowest prices of the year & over 50 motorcycles in stock! Financing Available.

\$0 down and rates as low as 1.99% APR on select new 2023 / 2022 models with the purchase of a H-D Extended Service Plan. On now until November 30th, 2023!

Other info, upcoming events, and promotions:

We will be closing early on November 10th @ 4pm. We will be closed November 11th for Remembrance Day.

Reminder that after your next HOG meeting, we will have pictures with Santa on a Harley December 2nd, 2023, from 11am – 3pm.

From the Service Department:

Motorcycle storage is now full except for bikes that are having any work done during the off season. If you are considering having work done while storing your bike, contact the service department.

Get your bike stored, spend \$3000 on parts and labour for 3 months free, \$4000 for 4 months free, \$5000 for 5 months free.

If you are not storing your bike at Trev Deeley, stay tuned to our social media for a video on winter storage tips.

Exciting News:

I'm also excited to announce that **Bill Davidson** will take on a Global Ambassador role for Harley-Davidson, most recently he was leading the Museum team for the past 15 years, helping establish it as the ultimate moto-culture museum in the world, dedicated to Harley-Davidson. His start is effective January 1, 2024.

JEFF MARTINEZ, Parts Manager

"30% off bike covers end November 21st, and watch out for more deals in the parts section"

DARWIN OSARCHUK, General Manager

It has been since 2019 the store has inducted someone into the Chapter as a Lifetime Member. It is not designed to be annual occasion...it's been about when it's the right time.

Though today I will announce the most we have ever done at one time. For there will be others in the years ahead, but for now, it is important to recognize what these people have done for the Chapter and for the Dealership over many years and many hours and are deserving of these plaques today.

Our Events Officer and lots of volunteering:

Tammy Bade

As Road Captain and ensuring safe group rides and helping out for many years now:

Rick Bade

Past Secretary Officer and was always helping out:

Susan Walters

As a Road Captain helping with demo rides and assisting for many years:

Lou Chilton

Past Treasurer and as Road Captain for many years.

Tracy Monts

Photographer and Road Captain for a long time as well:

Gary Monts

As Photographer and helping with demo rides.... and a Chapter member since the old 606 E Broadway store where he bought his FXLR Low- Rider:

Norm Hill

To be inducted as a Lifetime Member is generally for people that have helped for many, many years yet there can be exceptions.

This person held other positions and will be winding down soon as our Director.

After the pandemic I know dealers that have told me their Chapter has basically become non-existent ever since Covid. This Chapter persevered thru it all with virtual meetings and safe gatherings when we were allowed to do so.

So, I felt it was important to recognize **Lyn Hart** also now as a Life Member of the Vancouver BC HOG Chapter at this time.

Their names have been added to the framed list on display in our Customer Lounge.

Thank you.





EXECUTIVE COMMENTS AND PRESENTATION

LYN HART Director, Vancouver HOG® Chapter

Are there any new members present? 1 new member present, **Mars Liu** who rides a Dark Platinum Street Glide

Any members present with a birthday this month? Andrew Wray; November 10th Happy Birthday Andrew!

In Attendance: 30 members

PAST EVENTS

Sat. Oct 7 HOG® Season Ender Ride & Lunch TDMC 11:00 (following meeting)

Perfect day for riding! 11 bikes, 13 riders went off on an adventure.

Construction and festivals along the route made for slow going at various points but it's always a good day when we get to ride with friends. Thanks to

Albert Schultz for leading and Marc Varty as sweep!

Sat. Oct 7 DEELEY'S TOY DROP 11:00-3:00 TDMC

Mon. Oct 9 THANKSGIVING DAY

Wed. Oct 11 HOG® Dinner 7:00

Destination: Trocadero Pizza & Steak House
6 members had a whole lotta fun & enjoyed the live band

at one of our favourite dinner venues.

Thu. Oct 19 LOH Meetup 7:00

This event was postponed until November 9th.

Sat. Oct 21 HOG® Dart Tournament

This event was postponed to Sat. Nov 4th, after our member meeting.

Thur. Oct 26 HOG® Pub Night 7:00

Destination: Seymour's Pub & Grill, 720 Old Lillooet Rd, North Vancouver

8 members attended.

Tue. Oct 31 HALLOWEEN

Wed. Nov 1 HOG® Pub Night 7:00

Destination: Woody's Pub, 935 Brunette Ave. Coquitlam

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 after all, please do us the courtesy of letting us know.

Sat. Nov 4 HOG® Dart Tournament Legion 179 on Commercial Drive 12:00-4:00

Sharpen those darts and join in the fun! \$20 entry, all money goes to prizes!

Thurs. Nov 9 LOH Meetup 7:00

Admiral Pub, 4125 Hastings St, Burnaby

Sat. Nov 11 REMEMBRANCE DAY



Thurs. Nov 16 HOG® Dinner 7:00

Destination: My Greek Taverna, 946 Brunette Ave. Coquitlam

Please sign up at meeting, on FB or RSVP to ommatammybade@yahoo.ca!

Sun. Nov 19 HOG® Grey Cup Party 3:00

Destination:

Admiral Pub, 4125 Hastings St, Burnaby.



Wed. Nov 29 HOG® Dinner 7:00

Destination: Burnaby Palace, 3110 Boundary Rd. Burnaby

Please sign up at meeting, on FB or RSVP to ommatammybade@yahoo.ca!

Sat. Dec 2 HOG® Monthly Meeting TDMC 10:00

Join our last monthly meeting of the year to hear Chapter news, upcoming events & get the scoop on any TDMC news & specials for Vancouver HOG® members!

Sat. Dec 2 HOG® Chapter Photos TDMC 10:45-11:00

Wear your best leathers for our annual holiday group photo at Trev Deeley's **Photos with Santa on a Harley!** Donations to the Lower Mainland Christmas

Bureau.

Sat. Dec 2 VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER HOLIDAY LUNCHEON 11:30-2:30

(Following the December meeting & Photos w/Santa)

Acqua Restaurant at the Executive Hotel



4201 Lougheed Hwy, Burnaby

Tickets: \$65 Available at the TDMC west desk.

CUTOFF: Mon. Nov 26th for final numbers.

Includes 3 course lunch with entrée choice of Turkey, Steak, or Salmon. Vegetarian lunch available <u>on request in advance</u>. CASH BAR & door prizes!

Mon. Dec 25 MERRY CHRISTMAS VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER!

OF INTEREST TO VANCOUVER HOG® MEMBERS

VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER "MILEAGE CHALLENGE"

Managed by Steve Davis, Asst Director steveda@shaw.ca.

Final Odometer readings are in, these will also be given to Kyoko to update with National. She has had some issues recently, but will update the best she can.

2023 Winners announced at the Vancouver HOG Christmas Luncheon Sat Dec 2nd.

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® CHAPTER 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 bike-related items.

VANCOUVER HOG® INSTAGRAM @vancouverhog

Google Calender Link

https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0?cid=cWdzdjIwYWVwbjJtaGRmb2U0aGloMGJzNGdAZ 3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXIuZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ

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 & will put your name on the list.

HOG® CANADA RIDE 365

To see all of 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

It is cold and crispy outside! Are you still riding? Please be safe and aware.

I am sure we have all seen this chart below, but it something to always keep in mind during cold weather riding. Short and sweet.



Riding Speed (kph)	Air Temperatue (°c)									
	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	2°	4°	7°	10°	13°	16°
40	-21°	-17°	-13°	-7°	-5°	-2°	2°	6°	10°	14°
50	-22°	-18°	-14°	-8°	-5°	-3°	1°	6°	10°	14°
60	-23°	-18°	-14°	-9°	-6°	-3°	1°	5°	9°	13°
70	-23°	-19°	-15°	-9°	-6°	-4°	1°	5°	9°	13°
80	-24°	-20°	-15°	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	4°	9°	13°
90	-25°	-20°	-16°	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	4°	8°	13°
100	-25°	-21°	-16°	-11°	-8°	-5°	0°	4°	8°	13°
110	-26°	-21°	-17°	-11°	-8°	-5°	-1°	4°	8°	12°
120	-26°	-22°	-17°	-11°	-8°	-5°	-1°	3°	8°	12°
130	-26°	-22°	-18°	-12°	-9°	-6°	-1°	3°	8°	12°

LADIES OF HARLEY REPORT

TERESA VARTY & MONIQUE PAASSEN LOH Co-Officers



Monique and I and our plus one, Marc, did a very chilly ride to Squamish on Sunday. We wanted to make sure that we got the last bit of mileage on our bikes before sending the photo verification to Steve for the Chapter Mileage Challenge. Riding with a friend is always fun, so get out and ride!

Are you interested in being our LOH officer? I have loved my time as the LOH, but due to new responsibilities, I will be stepping down. We are a fun group of ladies, and our rides, weekend away, pub nights are a blast! So, Ladies, please think about it and let Lyn or I know if you are interested in filling in for 2024.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

HEATHER OSBORNE *Membership Officer*

Renew your membership before the end of the year for 2024!

Questions, comments, & discussion:

Lyn Hart – Jeff Martinez is now the new Parts Manager at Trev Deeley. Congratulate him if you have the chance.

Also, Teresa Udell is leaving Trev Deeley. She is moving to Campbell River. Today is her last day working at Trev Deeley. Teresa helped with the women's relay a few years ago. We wish Teresa good luck with this new chapter of her life!

PRIZE DRAWS

TDMC \$25 Gift Certificates (2) for November, donated by the Chapter, awarded to: **Teresa Varty** and **Don Cliburn**

BIRTHDAY DRAW winner for the month of November: **Andrew Wray**Birthday Draw Winner wins a \$15 Gift Card of their choice from Tim Horton's or Starbucks.

NEXT MEETING: Sat. Dec 2nd, 2023 10:00 TDMC

Followed by

Chapter Photo with Santa 11:00AM

VANCOUVER HOG® CHAPTER HOLIDAY LUNCHEON 11:30 - 2:30

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ADJOURNMENT: Meeting was adjourned at 10:29am