

HOG Meeting Minutes 7/15/18

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Chapter 3424 Secretary

The meeting came to order at 10:00 am with the Pledge of Allegiance.

New Members and Guests – We welcomed four new members! Our special guest was Ronda Brown, from Rolling with Ronda and the Fingerlakes HOG club. She rides her motorcycle around the country for Law Tigers and also joined our HOG chapter at the American Flat Track ride to Weedsport.

Health and Welfare – We welcomed Tim Alexander back!

HOG Manager – Brian talked about motorcycle maintenance, the Maine trip and the PHD anniversary ride in September. Every rider is responsible to remember to have their bike inspected, get the oil changed, etc. If you haven't had a routine inspection before any upcoming big trips, please make an appointment; service is scheduling about 2 weeks out.

Dealership – Bruno talked about the July 27 bike night and July 29 Flea Market. Last months activities were a huge success!

Treasurer's Report – Joanne Piston wasn't at the meeting so no report.

Membership – Mike Piston wasn't at the meeting so no report.

Head Road Captain/Safety – John talked about upcoming rides; he will put them on Facebook and will update the calendar. He also talked about his article in the newsletter.

Activities – Anne Marie talked about options for our annual picnic, which will be **September 16th** after the HOG meeting. The club decided on having the picnic at PHD, catered by the Gem Diner. We talked about inviting the Fingerlakes HOG group to the picnic; Ronda will ask them if they are interested. Brian asked us if we wanted the store opened or closed that day; the consensus was that it was up to him. Bathrooms will be available either way. We need volunteers for games, judging and set up at the picnic.

Ladies of Harley – Terry Lynn wasn't at the meeting, but please continue to remember our vets with donations. They are in need of new sweatshirts, sweatpants, games, crafts and books, as well as sundries.

Community Service – Karen has stepped down from the position. This is not a recognized position by the National HOG so we aren't going to worry about a replacement at this time. Karen will be missed and we appreciate everything she did for the group!

Editor – Christine wasn't at the meeting but the newsletters are here!

Photographer – This was also Karen’s position. Is anyone interested in stepping up? If you take pictures, please email them to Jason.

Historian – Jim had to step down because he is too busy with work. Please let Kevin know if you are interested in this position.

Webmaster – Jason thanked everyone for last weekend (Weedsport) and gave a special thanks to PHD for tickets to the race. He also thanked Ronda for joining him.

Jason talked about how to better communicate with the ride calendar- maybe a texting service through Google Voice to make people aware of rides? Phone numbers would be confidential. Kevin has Team Snap already set up for the club; if you’re interested in that please email Jason with your phone number.

Assistant Director – Steve talked about the Iron Adventure ride and came up with an event planning sheet. There were still hotel rooms available on site.

He is looking for 3 barrels for the picnic bike games. Brian offered some, as well as Dave Ferguson.

Old Business – None

New Business – Dwayne Scott talked about his after meeting ride. Bob Davidson talked about classic motorcycle runs on the beach at Lake Michigan. John Snyder talked about leading a ride on the Thursday the 19th at 6pm and Saturday, September 1st.

Kevin talked about the Ontario Club coming down. They gave us one of their patches and had a great time! Hopefully we can plan another meet with them.

T-Shirt Bingo – Tennessee was chosen, and one lucky winner took home \$20!

Pig Pot – Total was \$100.00. One lucky winner took home \$50.00.

Motion to adjourn was made at 11:11.