

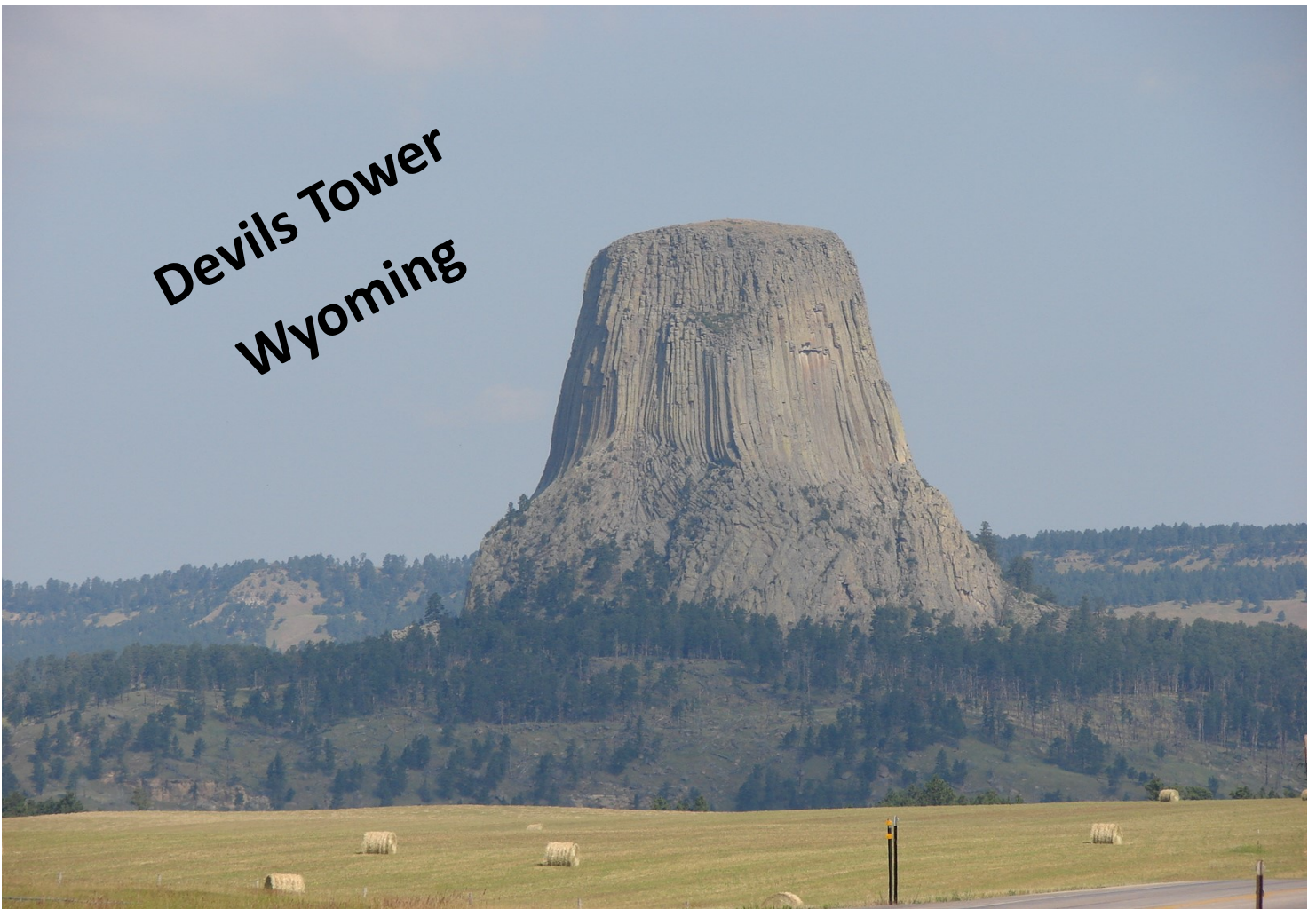
**"THE HIGH  
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**Devils Tower  
Wyoming**



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## The New Chapter Officers for 2015

**Written by**

**Ken Yackel**

**Assistant Director**

With the last official ride of the year canceled due to what else, bad weather, I am sure that we all still have thoughts of riding every chance we get. Fall riding can be a lot of fun it also can be very tricky. We must keep our eyes open for those wet leaves and road snakes. Please be sure to dress for the ride also there is nothing worse than riding wet and cold. Been there done that and I have the t-shirt. It's not too early to think about the 2015 riding season let's all come to the ride planning meeting with some new and exciting trips .Also be sure when you are done riding this year get you ending mileage to Jim Shepard. Let's all remember ride and have fun.

### THE BAD LANDS OF SOUTH DEKOTA



**Written By**  
**Debbie Yakel**  
**Secretary**  
**Chapter Meeting**  
**Syracuse HOG**  
**Sunday Oct. 19, 2014**

The monthly meeting of the Syracuse HOG was called to order at 10:00am by Director Bill Becker who then led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Bill then welcomed all new members and guests to today's meeting. Health and Welfare – It was great to see Mike Waters at the meeting today. Walt Nowakowski has had foot surgery and is recovering. Our sincere condolences go out to Shar Rinaldo and family on the passing of her father. Rich Milazzo, from our Sponsoring Dealer thanked all who helped at the Demo Days. They are getting closer to closing on the Ithaca dealership. Rich also gave some information on a Veterans Ride for next year. The tentative date is July 17<sup>th</sup>. It will be a Saturday event. Assistant Director Ken Yackel also thanked everyone who volunteered at the Demo Days. Our Sponsoring Dealer, Brian Sedlack is very pleased with our support. Treasurer Dick Davidson gave his report – We have money, we spent money. Books are always open for review. Membership Officer Jim Shepard reported that as of today's meeting we have 173 members.

Road Captain's report was given by Keven Reney. Kevin has some ideas for time changes for weeknight rides for next riding season. Our ride planning meeting will be held after the regular chapter meeting in February. Safety Officer John Snyder reported to be careful when riding on wet leaves, as they are very slippery. Fun Report from the Fun Girls Peggy Neary and Barb Snyder was given. They reported that it's that time again to reserve a venue for our annual dinner meeting which will be the third Saturday of January 2015. They presented the club with a couple of choices and a vote was taken and passed, that the dinner meeting be held at the Holiday Inn on 7<sup>th</sup> North Street. Check the website for more information. Also look for goodies for the Chinese Auction! Karen Whedon our Community Service Officer is once again looking for volunteers to ring the bell for the Salvation Army's Red Kettle Drive. Bell ringers are needed for December 13<sup>th</sup> at PHD's open house and again the following Saturday. See the website for more information. Photographer Marcella Becker is looking for pictures for the annual photo CD. This month's T-Shirt Bingo state was NEVADA. There were no winners and the pot increases to \$40.00. A motion was made that the meeting be adjourned and was at 10:30am with 55 members in attendance.

Respectfully Submitted  
Debbie Yackel  
Secretary



**Written By**  
**Jim Shepard**  
**Membership at 173**



**Look who's back in town**  
**It's good to see ya again**



**Written By**  
**Bill Becker**  
**Director**  
**Nothing this month**

**Written By**  
**Kevin Reney**  
**Lead Road Captain**  
**Nothing this month**

**Come one! Come ALL!**

**Written by Barb and Pegg**

# **Come one! Come ALL!**

It's that time of year! Peggy and Barb have been busy planning a fun evening for our Annual Banquet and Meeting. The event will be held on **SATURDAY** January 17, 2015. We will meet at the Holiday Inn and Convention Center on Electronics Parkway. The Cocktail Hour will start at 6PM and a lavish buffet dinner will begin at 7PM.

We will be collecting money at the November meeting, so make your plans and come join the fun!

We will have our Chinese Auction this year too! A perfect opportunity for you to share the wealth of your Harley paraphernalia. Clean out your closet and bring your treasures along, someone will surely want them! Or, if you prefer, bring a prize of your choice. We have had some interesting and entertaining items in the past!

The Holiday Inn / Staybridge Suites are offering 'rates' for overnight HOG guests. SO, if you want to party hearty and ride the elevator home, call to make your reservation! Mention that you are with Syracuse Harley Owners Group.

Hope to see you all there!

Barb & Pegg



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## **Mark Down These Dates**

**Monthly Meeting 8/19/14 - PHD 10:00 a.m.**

**Annual Dinner Meeting Third Sat. in January 2015**

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