Next Meeting: 7:30 pm APRIL 9th, 2013 @ The Grand Valley Inn



Sponsoring dealer: Bill

Reminded us March 16, Open house for St Patrick's Day at the shop. Bus trip to Milwaukee for April 5-6-7th, be at shop at 8:00am leaving at 8:30, can bring snacks/drinks, beer provided <u>after lunch</u>. Flat Track Racing June 29th in Lima Ohio, (double bed) rooms available at Travel Lodge 419-227-2221 for \$128.99 + tax, 1/2 mile on dirt, leave 9am approx 5 hour ride, return next day, if interested call now or it will be too late, rooms under Val's McMahon's name. Bill also talked about the 2nd annual food drive (see page 1) and gave all members Raffle tickets based off PA lottery for club fundraiser.

Hoping for a pre ride for April 9th meeting, leaving McMahon's at 6pm

Membership Count

100 and growing



REMINDERS

March 16th Open House &

St. Patrick's Day Party @ McMahon's

MCMAHON'S

2nd Annual Food Drive NOW until March 16th



Get your tickets at McMahons to sell and help the club, 1,000 sold and 1,000 more to go (only \$2.00 each) for a chance at \$200.00 Gas card

Bowling Up-Date:



Bill McMahon bowled a 187 **Dan Lokomski** bowled a 275

Everyone had a good time

This will be your last newsletter if both:

National Hog Membership
Valley Chapter Hog Membership

are not current,

please take the time to get your inactive status upgraded to current

Don't miss out on what you will be missing.

MARCH 2013 VALLEY CHAPTER H.O.G NEWSLETTER

Minutes from March 12th 2013 Meeting

ABSENT: Assistant Director—Tom Hallman Historian-- Mel Bundy

Activities— John Brewer

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Director—Sherm, Called the meeting to order at 7:29 pm, with 43 in attendance. The minutes from previous meeting were approved by Checker's and Bob Tate. Kudos to Bill Livingston for a great job on the website and also to Gina Sluder for the newsletter.

Assistant Director- Tom, absent

Treasurer – Dale, reported the current balance in the club's account is \$1395.27. The report was approved by Denise Meyer & Lillian Lapcevich

Secretary – Liz, had nothing to report.

Editor – Gina, sent 25 Newsletters via US postal and 67 by email, 7 emails failed due to incorrect email address. so if you have not received yours—please email me with the correct address to: gina@valleychapterhog.com. March will be the **last** newsletter sent to members with inactive membership in National Hog & Valley Chapter Hog, so check your memberships and make sure your current in both so you do not miss out on what is going on!

Activities Director- John, absent, currently in Daytona for Bike Week

Membership – Joan, reported our club has a total of 100 members. There was no pre-ride tonight, however John & Debbie Brewer are currently in Daytona and called in prior to the meeting with an update: weather is great & having a good time. Dan & Bev Foxall are also there, and previous members Lee & Kate Hendrickson bought a house in Florida. Bill & Val McMahon called expired members to remind them about renewing memberships.

Road Captain- Bill- nothing new to report

Safety – Dan, said to enjoy the x-tra hour of daylight.

Photographer— Zack needs a new camera, still using the Ipod.

<u>Historian</u> – Mel, absent (He was attending the Brighton Township Historical Society meeting.)

Ladies of Harley- Joyce suggested goody bags for kids at our HOG picnic, in the past kids prizes were given out regardless of games. She also suggested a group ride to Warthers Museum in Dover Ohio, (wood carvings)

about a 2 hour ride near Amish country. (Visit the Warther Carving Museum, in Dover, Ohio, and you'll experience the story of the Warther family and how the Warthers combined love of family and a love of hobbies to create an amazing legacy.) A great suggestion and a very nice trip!!!



Web Master-Bill, (website L@@KS great) the calendar has been updated, included is Jeff's birthday, a few suggestions to put weather info and maybe Google maps. Our chapter now has a "Facebook" page, so "like us on facebook"

Welfare Val, reported Twila O'Brian was in hospital for the flu, club sent flowers, she is doing better and she was able to attend tonight's meeting. Mark Simms had a stroke and is recovering, the club sent a fruit basket, prayers to him for a fast recovery.

Sponsoring Dealer – Bill, reminders: Food Drive, St Patrick's Party Saturday 16th, Milwaukee bus trip, leaving shop at 8:30am, be there by 8:00 am, Lima Race still some rooms at 2nd motel- call NOW! Bowling up-date, and still raffle tickets available, please help the club sell all of them see page 1 for more info

2013 Events Calendar

March 8–17th Daytona Bike Rally

March 12th Chapter Meeting

March 16th St Patrick's Day Party @ McMahon's

April 5th—7th Milwaukee Bus trip to HD Museum

April 9th Chapter Meeting

May 10–19th Myrtle Beach Week & Spring Rally

May 14th Chapter Meeting

June 8th Happy Days Car Cruise (23rd annual

June 9th Our HOG Picnic Shelter 15 Brady's Run

June 11th Chapter Meeting

June 20th –23rd Thunder in the Valley, Johnstown PA

<u>June 27th –30th</u> Thunder In The Cascades, Coopers Lake

June 29th - 30 Bike trip to Lima OH (flat track)

<u>July 9th</u> – Chapter Meeting

July 11—13th PA State Rally in Tannersville

July 18th – 20th Roar on The Shore, Erie PA

August 5th –11th Sturgis Rally

August 13th - Chapter Meeting

<u>September 6-7-8th</u> – Thunder on the Strip, Geneva on the Lake

September 10th – Chapter Meeting

September 19th -21st- Harley Davidson Open House, York PA

October 2– 6th Fall Myrtle beach

October 8th - Chapter Meeting

November 12th - Chapter Meeting

For additional information go to the web site @

www.valleychapterhog.com

and check out the "ongoing events section"

The Newsletter is on the website, <u>it's the</u> same as the one as you are reading, if you want to save the club money by reading it on the web, let me know and I will take you off the mailing list,

call Gina 724-846-2466 or e-mail gina@valleychapterhog.com

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Welcome New Members

Mark Giannetti from Monaca Riding a 2012 Heritage Softail

Ken Kennedy from Crescent Township
Riding a 2013 Heritage Softail

Welcome to the Club (no visitors attended)

Welfare

Mark Simms had a stroke club sent him a fruit basket

Twila O'Brian had the flu club sent her flowers

Birthday Celebrations:

March 2 – Louise March 7 – Sherm March 14 – Terry March 19 – Jeff

There was Cake for all & Happy Birthday was sang by members,

(\?no ages were given?/)

50/50= \$76.00 to the winner & \$76.00 to club

Won by; Bob Tate

He donated \$20.00 back to the club- thanks Bob



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