## MCMAHON'S CYCLES SALES

# Valley Chapter HOG Newsletter

August 2012 August 2012

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# **Activities/Dates to Remember, Mark Your Calendar**

September 7<sup>th</sup> thru September 9<sup>th</sup> Thunder on the Strip, Geneva, OH

This will be the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Bike Rally, more info to follow with hotel information. www.thunderonthestrip.com

## September 27<sup>th</sup> thru September 30<sup>th</sup> York Open House

Reserve your hotel room now at the Best Western of York by calling (717) 767-6931 Mention "McMahons" Bill suggests booking early due to the new factory being open and it's suppose to be a big celebration this year. There is going to be a Flat Track Race, if you have never seen this kind of racing, Bill thinks you will definitely enjoy it. The group will be leaving on Thursday morning from McMahon's; more details will follow as we get closer to the date.

October 5<sup>th</sup> thru 7<sup>th</sup> Franklin Applefest in Franklin, PA

Located in beautiful Victorian Downtown Franklin, PA

The best three days of the year begin the first Friday in October!
Arts & Crafts - Over 300 Vendors
Antique & Classic Car Show
5K Race for Any Pace
Kids' Korner
Farmers' Market
Free Entertainment
Food, Food & More Food

<u>December 1<sup>st</sup> Annual HOG Christmas Party</u> will be held at Daugherty Fire Hall, located at 4198 Marion Hill Road, Daugherty Township.

**THIS IS AN ADULTS ONLY PARTY**, starting at 6:00 pm with appetizers and dinner being served at 7:00 pm. The party is open to all club members, family and friends. This is always an enjoyable evening. BYOB, mixers will be provided.

Please remember to bring an appetizer or dessert to supplement the dinner.

There will be a Gift Exchange. Please wrap your gift and mark the tag if it's for Male/Female and place under the tree upon arriving.

The Women of Harley also plan to raffle off gift baskets to raise funds for the Christmas Party. Start now to think of a basket theme you would like to make.

Val McMahon will be bringing a menu from the Daugherty Fire Hall to the September meeting so that dinner choices and selections can be voted on by all club members in attendance to prepare for the upcoming party.

# Minutes from August 14th Meeting

Meeting called to order at 7:35 pm by Bob Tate.

Attendance - There were 30 members/guests.

Pre-Ride – There was not an actual pre-ride but four members rode their bikes to the meeting.

**Visitors** – None in attendance

New Members – Lynn & Doug Mitchell, ride a 2012 Ultra Classic

Bruce Beighey and Sherm Hostetter approved the minutes from the July meeting.

Bruce Beighey and Joan Bundy approved the treasurer's report for the August meeting.

<u>Assistant Director</u> – Sherm is asking for anyone who has photographs from any Harley functions to put them on a memory card and give to him for the Christmas Party.

<u>Secretary/Editor</u> – Kim will be retiring from her position at the end of this year. Please consider attending the Christmas Party when election of officers will be held and taking over an office.

Membership – Joan reported that we have 108 paid members.

<u>Activities</u> – Jeff is still planning a ride to the Erie Zoo and is hoping for good riding weather. He also wants to schedule a few dinner rides.

<u>Ladies of Harley</u> – Denise suggested that we start a "networking meet & greet" Each month, 2 or 3 club members/couples are going to be asked to stand and introduce themselves and tell the group a little bit about themselves. This is a nice way to get to know something about members that joined a long time ago and to meet new members.

<u>Lead Road Captain</u> – Bill reported that Bob Tate, Jeremy Tate, Dave Tate, Dan Lokomski and Bill O'Brien rode to Charleston, SC and they visited Savannah, Georgia and Paris Island. They logged about 2,200 miles on their bikes this trip.

<u>Safety Officer</u> – Terry had nothing to report. <u>Photographer</u> – Zack was unable to attend.

<u>Webmaster</u> – Mark was unable to attend. <u>Historian</u> – Mel was unable to attend

New Business – None Old Business – None

**Sponsoring Dealer** -

<u>Welfare</u> – Val sent a donation to the Catholic Hospice in remembrance of Mary Ralph, mother of new members Kevin & Mary Ralph, and a sympathy card to Dan Lokomski in the recent passing of his grandfather, Harold Haney.

<u>50/50 Winner</u> – Steve Hanna won \$59.00 and the club received \$58.00. Steve graciously donated \$39.00 back to the club. Thanks Steve!

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm. Bill McMahon and Denise Meyer made the motion to adjourn the meeting.

#### MCMAHON'S CYCLE

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> Monday thru Friday 8:00 am - 6:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Closed Sunday



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REMINDER: Newsletters will only be sent to dues paying members, H.O.G. and our local Chapter dues need to be current. Our 2012 Chapter dues are still only \$10.00

Thunder on the Strip, Geneva on the Lake September 7<sup>th</sup> thru 9<sup>th</sup>

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Next Meeting – Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm "Special Dinner Menu & Prices"

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