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Greetings from your Head Road Captain.

Hope everyone is out riding and putting miles on their bikes. The Bike Blessing was a great day with beautiful weather, even with myself on the ride. Thank you to all who helped make it a success. We have also had our Memorial Ride. It was a nice turnout of 37 bikes as well as some other attendees who came up in cages. It was good to see some new faces and many returning faces. I think that the three different rides and the options for dinners helped increase our numbers. The ceremony was held at the Best Western patio and included the reading of those who have passed. I would appreciate any feedback our chapter has for continuing to increase the attendance for this event. We have started our dinner and fish fry rides and have many rides coming up this next month. The Poker run, a BBQ run, an overnighter to see/ride a steam train and a Frank's Diner brunch run are just a few of our upcoming rides. With all the available rides, we should have plenty of rides with 10,000 miles at the end of the season and therefore eligible for dinner purchased by Keith.

Keep the shiny side up and keep putting those miles on.

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Happy Anniversary to the following HOG members celebrating their marriage in the month of June!

submitted by Joan Lesko

2 Bob & Joan Lesko
5 Mark & Cathy Jensen
6 Randy & Jennie Cook
7 Scott & Deb Eckert
9 Kevin & Sue Kaleck
11 Paul & Tammy Fisher
11 Mark & Christine Roberts
14 Allen & Brenda Thompson
15 Nick & Lynn Badamo
15 Michael & Amie Durkin

15 Don & Maureen Kueny
16 Bill & Colleen Veenhuis
16 Gregory & Vicki Waugh
17 John & Jeanne Zajac
18 Roger & Patricia Davis
21 Carter & Christine Brisbois
21 Jerry & Luann Marvin
22 Jim & Linda Curtis
23 Lawayne & Carol Blank
26 Bill & Shirley Westerlund



Happy Birthday to the following HOG members celebrating their birthdays in June!

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1 John Merten	16 John Tierney
2 Michael Mermel	17 Scott Fitzer
3 Patricia (Trish) Broecker	17 Mark Jensen
3 Richard Lawrence	18 Brian Hawver
5 Kevin Raleigh	18 Coy Roden
7 Pamela Bentz	18 Thomas Tighe RIP
8 Stuart Goldstein	19 John Gordon
8 Scott Haraty	20 Craig Berry RIP
9 Connie Exner	20 Charles Hilleshiem
10 Katherine Borst	21 Summer Begins
10 Laura Zamagne	23 Luann Marvin
12 Jim Barnstable RIP	24 Wanda Mensching
12 Ringo Weiker	24 Cindy Norwich
14 ARMY Birthday	24 R. Steve Thompson RIP
14 FLAG DAY	24 Craig Winger
15 Jeff Vos	29 Chris Cramer
15 Happy Dad's Day	29 Jim (Gym) Fry
16 Steve Rose	29 Paula Stumpf



Hello, Kenosha HOG!

Riding season is in full swing now, and most of us have put some miles behind us. Remember that Keith is buying dinner for anyone who makes 10,000 miles this year! I've got 1,500 after Baraboo, so still a way to go. Where's your odometer?

We had an excellent turnout for the Memorial Ride. The count I heard was 37 bikes, and half a dozen cars. Having so many members turn out for this important event is very nice to see. Thanks to all who joined us. If you made it, I hope you enjoyed it, and if you didn't, see you next year.

Now that we're twisting the throttle again, I was reminded of something (duh!). Every year, at the beginning of season, I get a little sunburned. Some of the folks in Baraboo had lots of sunburn. Get some sunblock, and use it. I keep mine in a zipper bag so when it spills (and it will) it doesn't mess up my whole saddlebag (again). It's also a good idea to have some water with you on a ride, because the wind that feels so wonderful in your hair can also dehydrate you.

On another note, our Webmaster Bill Westerlund is working on some of the details to put Twitter to use for us. If you're on Twitter, you know how convenient it can be to share information with a large audience. If you're not on Twitter, maybe you'll try it out with us, to see if it's useful to you. We'd like to be able to get the word out quickly whenever a member has ride plans...I'm not taking any blame for it, but some of us do these things on short notice (ahem). When I've come up with an idea, and a free day, it's not always possible to get it in the calendar and announce it at a meeting. And I know there's others in the group who'd like someone to ride with, and somewhere to go. We're going to explore whether Twitter can help us with short notice, "pick up" rides like this.

Stamp Book Dinner rides and Friday Fish Fry rides are starting up, see the calendar at the website for dates. These are a great way to meet other members. The destination isn't typically known until we meet, and that's part of the fun! Also coming up is Uke's Open House, Friday June 6th through Sunday June 8th. This is always a fun event, and worth the trip. I'll be out there Friday riding all the new models in the demo rides, maybe over the weekend, too. Hope to see you there!

Be safe, have fun, and repeat!

Randy



Happy
Army
Day!



Smiles
Everywhere!!

Finally! I was able to ride my bike to work today! I hope everyone is ready for a fun-filled riding summer. ☺

Don't forget to get your stamp book and carry it on all the rides. I'm sure our advertisers will welcome you.

The Stamp Book this year was put together by Laura DeBruin and her team with selling the ads and the design and printing was done by Bob Clampitt. The map links on our Chapter Website is thanks to Bill Westerland. Thank you to all who helped including Maggie who helped sell books during my absence at the April Chapter Meeting.

We are collecting to send to the Wounded Warrior Fund – last year we collected almost \$250 from our members and we rounded that up to \$500 to give them. We would like to give them the same this year if possible.

The Chapter purchased coffee makers and supplies for our new meeting room at Uke's, so we will have coffee at our meetings. Sue Lynd is going to bring tea to the next meeting for those of us that don't drink coffee!

See you at the Poker Run!

Vicki - Treasurer

Hi Everyone!

June is here! The Open House will be the 6th – 8th and this year will be a great turnout! Bubba Blackwell Stunt Shows, 2014 demos, 3 different bands, Danny's Meats serving food, beer tent, a Motorcycle Safety Foundation semi-trailer and 20 % off licensed products. We will also be open until 8pm on Saturday! Our 2nd 2-Wheel Tuesday will be June 17th 6pm – 9pm. We are not going to waste a second of this summer! Keith will be leading a ride up the Harley-Davidson Museum on June 19th at 6pm. It is a nice time and even nicer if you can get him to buy you a beer! The Harley-Davidson World Ride is on June 22nd & 23rd. Keith is figuring out the route and there will be prizes for most miles!

1st prize – New rear tire with install

2nd prize – Basic detail

3rd prize – Oil change

Who will win this year?

Ride! Ride! Ride!!

The Uke's Team

Ladies of Harley:

LOH had a meeting at The Village Tap (Lyons, WI) May 15th to review what we have done and what's next. The Thursday night burgers at Village Tap are buy one get one free--they are delish!! A re-cap of the meeting was sent to all LOH that couldn't attend and I appreciate all the feedback and suggestions I've received so far. A suggestion for the next event is the painting lessons from local artists. Date, time and location to be announced soon. Hope to see you all soon!!

Sandy Rapey



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2014





More
Smiles!

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Next Meeting will be @ Uke's,
June 8th, 2014 @ **10:00 A.M.**