

# IMPORTANT INFO

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Just want to say hi and introduce myself. I'm Kat Urban and I will be taking over the Treasurer position from Brenda. I will do my best to fill her shoes. I just want to thank her for everything she and Al have done for this chapter. You guys will be missed and you better stay in touch.

Kat Urban, Treasurer

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

submitted by Joan Lesko



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|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 4 Scott & Lynette Haraty       | 22 Robert & Peggy Johnson  |
| 5 Christopher & Ruth Cleveland | 26 Ken & Janell Dickinson  |
| 5 Richard & JoAnne Panzer      | 26 Tulaga & Lynn Faumui    |
| 7 Ron & Joy Buttke             | 26 David & Tammy Wesenberg |
| 7 Terry & Jeannette Hannaman   | 27 Jim & Eva Pribel        |
| 8 David & Ruth Brobst          | 28 Keith & Carol Drysdale  |
| 10 Jim & Gail Clifford         | 29 Bob & Jill Clampit      |
| 15 Steve & Jayne Bella         | 31 Steven & Susan Lynd     |
| 15 Theron (Ted) & Sue Mulligan | 31 Dave & Margaret Walther |
| 21 Frank & Mindy Ludwig        |                            |

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

submitted by Joan Lesko

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|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 Ed Elk             | 19 Karen Willhelm              |
| 2 William Trapp      | 20 Robert Syre                 |
| 3 Michael Walton     | 21 Theresa (Muddflap) Cucunato |
| 4 COAST GUARD        | 22 Marco Kremser               |
| 5 Gary Stutts        | 25 Joe Geraci                  |
| 7 Joe Grahovac RIP   | 29 Michael Underhill           |
| 11 Richard Marquardt | 30 Joan Busalacchi             |
| 11 John Slavin       | 30 Dorothy Ludwig RIP          |
| 13 Scott Eckert      | 31 Les LaPhilliph              |



Here is their address to put in your GPS for a visit - Road Trip ;-)

Al & Brenda Thompson  
4917 NW 161st St.  
Edmond, OK 73013

Love you Two!!!



Hi Everyone!

This has been a great summer – we have been so lucky with this weather! Just want to remind everyone that Military, Police, Fire and EMS workers can get a FREE beginning rider class until the end of the season. Want to get everyone through in case Harley-Davidson does not offer it again next year. August 13<sup>th</sup> we are having a summer cookout we would love to see you! Our Uke's Party will be Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> and we have booked the Smage Brothers – they put on such a great show. We will have more details in upcoming emails. Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> will be our 2017 New Model Open House to check out what is new with the 2017 models. I am sure you have heard rumors!

Ride Safe,  
The Uke's Team

**All lady of Harley that are interested in going to Gin Blossoms in Richmond, IL and out to lunch on August 14th at 11:00 let me know. It's a neat place to go.**

**I dropped off the tie blankets at children's last week and they said they can use more blankets. What do you think of making more for children's let me know if you're interested in making more blankets.**

**Cindy Norwich, LOH**



Our's is said to be a life of freedom that we find on the open road. We get to see the open road from a vantage not realized by the majority of our counterparts, yes I'm speaking of the cagers. We are blessed each time we throw our legs over our machines and open up the throttle to explore our surroundings.

Let's not forget, that with freedom, comes responsibilities.

We're all familiar with the term double check and as bikers we should practice it on every occasion.

Safety is a discipline and it is not to be taken lightly. Seldom are we the beneficiary of a second chance when it comes to trials we find on our machines.

Learn and practice the art of "double-check."

Before you hit the road in the morning have you "double-checked" your bike, ensuring it is safe for both you and your passenger? When making a turn at speed did you take a moment to "double-check" that it is free of gravel or potholes? Take a moment and "double-check" before you switch lanes.

In group riding we all rely on each other to travel in a safe manner, this is why our road captains take the time to review hand signals, and "doubles-checks" each move the group takes.

We have many opportunities to take the necessary time to perform our "double checks," so don't miss out on your next "double-check," it just might make all the difference!

Let's be safe out there!

Bob Clampit  
Safety Officer

Greetings from your Head Road Captain

Hope everyone is out there putting miles on their Harleys, I know that I am. It is great to be back riding with a variety of members from the chapter. As I write this newsletter article, I am drying out from Bill Foster's Ride (attempted ride) to The Cave of the Mounds. We put 1,015 combined miles for seven bikes but were thwarted from getting to the caves by rain and lightening. Since the picnic ride we have also had Paul's Cheese ride, a Friday fish fry ride and opportunities through Ukes for charity rides. In regards to the Rider's Cup, keep hitting those stampbook stops and attending the rides. I will be leading rides to Frank's Diner, my favorite place and at least one other ride in the near future. Keep checking Facebook and the calendar for chances to ride. And as always, feel free to send me ideas for rides, questions, pictures and concerns.

Gym

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1	2	3 6:30pm - Board	4	5	6
7 10am - Chapter	8	9	10	11	12	13 LD's BBQ Ride @
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 11am - Ride to Ice	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3

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**Dear KHOG members!**

**As was announced at the picnic, I'll be leaving Kenosha soon. The particular mix of feelings is nearly indescribable. Sadness and joy, anticipation and trepidation, endings and new beginnings, courage and fear. I've been asked if it scares me, and it most certainly does. This is a huge undertaking, and I'm afraid I won't be able to handle some challenges.**

**In a way it's like the first time I rode a motorcycle. My first experience was at a very young age, an AMF sportie and some very sketchy guidance. I was scared to death! But I did great, and it was one of the most fun experiences of my life... Life changing, for sure.**

**When I first joined the HOG Chapter, I felt a lot like this, too. I didn't know any of those scary biker folks, and would I fit in? Is anyone even going to notice me, or at they just going to ignore me as the new guy? Would I make friends or would it just be another thing I tried?**

**I can tell you two things for sure that I've learned at KHOG: (1) Don't let your fears stop you from trying something new, and (2) It's going to turn out great. You just might have the most fun of your life, perhaps even life changing!**

**My first experience with KHOG was meet with openness, support, and sincere friendship. Chef Paul showed me the ropes, Moses made sure I had fun, and then Director John Tierney invited me to be seated with him at dinner. When I became a road captain Bob Evans was sure to yell at me like anybody else. And people started to recognize me at rides and events, and ask about me if I missed one. Clearly I had found more than just ordinary friends...I found KHOG.**

**So yes, I have fears about this next chapter of my life. Guess I should know by now that means it's going to turn out great.**

**And as someone said at the picnic meeting, you all have a new destination! I've already joined Biggs Chapter in North San Diego County. I was greeted with open arms, and you will too.**

**And although I'll be missing my Chapter, I'll be back, and I hope you'll find your way out for a visit. I'll have guest rooms..**

**Thanks to each and every one of your for your love and support!**

**Randy**

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Return Service Requested



Next Meeting will be in the HOG Room  
@ 10:00 A.M. on August 7th, 2016