

## MCMAHON'S CYCLES SALES

# Valley Chapter HOG Newsletter

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

**FUNDRAISER FOR THE H.O.G. CLUB** ALL MEMBERS are asked to stop by McMahon's and pickup tickets to sell. **The raffle tickets are only \$2.00 a piece and a \$250.00 GAS CARD will be given away on JUNE, 30<sup>th</sup>. The winning ticket will be based on the PA LOTTERY 3-DIGIT Drawing at 7:00 PM.** All proceeds will go towards the club's annual Christmas Party and help to keep the cost very affordable for all of us to attend. Please pitch in and help sell this ticket, especially with the rising cost of gas today, who wouldn't want to WIN...

#### **SUNDAY, MAY 15<sup>th</sup> BLESSING OF THE BIKES**

**at MONACREST FREE METHODIST CHURCH in MONACA** (724) 774-6606  
Located at 995 Elmira Street.

#### **SATURDAY, MAY 21<sup>st</sup> SPRING OPEN HOUSE AT MCMAHON'S**

Stop in and enjoy a hot dog and snacks.

#### **SUNDAY, MAY 29<sup>th</sup> ROLLING THUNDER XXIV MOTORCYCLE RALLY IN WASHINGTON, DC**

Rolling Thunder 2011 is an annual motorcycle rally held in Washington, DC during the Memorial Day weekend. **Rolling Thunder** calls for the government's recognition of POWs and MIAs.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 11<sup>th</sup> BEAVER FALLS CAR CRUISE** Stop into McMahon's there will be hot dogs and snacks.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 12<sup>th</sup> HOG FAMILY PICNIC, BRADYS RUN PARK, Shelter #15**  
**Volunteers are needed to set-up and prepare the tables.** The picnic starts around noon. Family and Friends are Welcome to attend. There is always plenty of food, lots of games, fun and beverages. **ICE is ALWAYS NEEDED, if you can stop and pick up a few bags, it would be greatly appreciated!!!**

**Chinese Auction:** Please remember to bring a wrapped gift marked for (Boy/Girl or Adult Man/Adult Woman) There will be a professional auctioneer.

#### **JUNE 11<sup>th</sup> thru JUNE 19<sup>th</sup> LACONIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE BIKE WEEK**

This year marks the 88th Anniversary of Laconia Motorcycle Week and you can expect all of your favorite events as well as some new ones thrown into the mix! Don't miss all the action, motorcycle racing and events.

Check out [www.laconiamcweek.com](http://www.laconiamcweek.com).

#### **MONDAY, JUNE 20<sup>th</sup> RIDE YOUR BIKE TO WORK DAY**

#### **JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup> thru JUNE 26<sup>th</sup> THUNDER IN THE VALLEY, JOHNSTOWN, PA**

The World Burnout Tour featuring Nick Lee will be coming to Thunder 2011! Nick participated in the World's Largest Motorcycle Burnout, an extraordinary event led by master bike builder Kendall Johnson at the Full Throttle Saloon.

**Minutes from April 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting**

**Meeting called to order at 7:35 pm by Bob Tate. We had 38 people in attendance.**

Jeff Meyer said that 10 bikes had a great pre-ride through North Sewickley, Ellwood City, Chewton, New Galilee and then to Bridgewater.

**New Members** – None                      **Visitors** – None

Jim Tate and Jeff Meyer approved the minutes from the March meeting.

**Assistant Director** – Sherm is very happy we are finally enjoying some nice riding weather.

**Secretary/Editor** – Kim had nothing to report.

**Webmaster** – Unable to attend. If you know of any upcoming rides, please let Mark know and he can post them.

**Membership** - Joan was unable to attend. Kim reported that we have 100 paid members.

**Activities** – **Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> Dinner Ride to Little Traverse Inn on Rt. 30 in Clinton (WEATHER PENDING). Meet at McMahon's parking lot at 6:00 pm, have a full tank of gas and ready to ride.**

**Ladies of Harley** – Denise had an email invite asking all the ladies to "Celebrate Women Riders" and support the breast cancer research event to be held May 21 and 22 in Harrisburg. If anyone is interested, more details are available at [www.harrisburghog.com](http://www.harrisburghog.com) and then click on the LOH Passport Link.

**Denise would like the LOH to work on a photo album that would showcase all members, their names and what they ride. With so many new members, it would be nice to recognize them. Anyone willing to help, please contact Denise.**

**Lead Road Captain** – John mentioned a lot of dates for Bike Weeks, see pg 1 for more information. He also said that when riding in a group, try to stay together and not let cars get between you.

**Safety Officer** – Unable to attend                      **Photographer** – Debbie had nothing to report.

**Historian** – Mel was unable to attend due to celebrating his birthday with his family, **HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MEL....**

**Sponsoring Dealer** – Bill announced that McMahon's Open House is scheduled for May 21<sup>st</sup>.

Bill reminded everyone that if you are going to Geneva to book a room immediately. A block of 10 rooms has been reserved at Motel 6 on I-90 on South Broadway St.                      **(800)-544-4866 Mention "McMahons H.D"**

**Confirmation # M447600005**                      1 person \$69.99 + Tax, 2 people \$75.99 + Tax.

**Bill also extended an invite to all HOG members, their families and friends to the HOG PICNIC on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>.**

**Old Business** – None

**New Business** – **JUNE 14<sup>th</sup>, Our meeting will be held at The Grand Valley Inn in Fallston.**

**Welfare** - Val had nothing to report.

**50/50 Winner** – Darlene & Joe Grdenich received \$63.00, and they graciously donated \$25.00 to the club.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm. Carol Daley and Denise Meyer made the motion to adjourn the meeting.

Mr. Andy Lucas attended Tuesday night's meeting asking for Volunteers once again for this year's 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix that is held at Schenley Park on July 22<sup>nd</sup> thru 24<sup>th</sup>.

For a number of years, numerous motorcycle groups from the Pittsburgh and the surrounding areas have volunteered their time to help provide security for this event. You do not have to be a motorcyclist to volunteer. You can come along and bring a friend (s).

All volunteers will receive a T-shirt, an official PVGP Pin, food, beverages and an arm band that will allow you to enjoy the weekend races.

**Volunteers are needed for Friday night from 6:30 pm until midnight.**

Andy is asking that anyone from our club that can donate a few hours or longer to please contact him at (724) 776-4309.

Applications are available by contacting Andy Lucas c/o PVGP 217 Old Farm Road, Cranberry Township, PA 16066.

\*\*\*\*Other events sponsored by the Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix will be held on:

**JULY 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> at Beaver Run Motorsports Park in Big Beaver Boro at 201 Penndale Road.**

**JULY 19<sup>th</sup> A CAR CRUISE will be held at the Waterfront in Homestead.**

**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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**Chapter #4155**  
Current Membership 100

**REMINDER:** Newsletters will only be sent to dues paying members, H.O.G. and our local Chapter dues need to be current. Our 2011 Chapter dues are still only \$10.00

**Every Thursday Night – Bike Night  
Sponsored by McMahons @  
Little Traverse Inn on 613 Rt. 30 Clinton**

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**Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>  
Beaver Falls Car Cruise**

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**Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>  
HOG CLUB FAMILY PICNIC  
Brady's Run Park, Shelter #15**

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**Next Meeting – Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm  
GRAND VALLEY INN  
452 Constitution Blvd.  
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