

Eagles View

January 2016 Edition Newsletter

27th Year

New Bern Harley Owners Group 3528

UPCOMING NEW BERN EVENTS

Jan	9	1 st HOG Ride of the New Year/Saturday Surprise Ride
Jan	9	6 th Annual Chilly Riding Mileage Challenge Starts
Jan	17	VFW Breakfast
Jan	31	HOG Sunday Lunch Run
Feb	2	HOG Meeting
Feb	14	Valentine's Day

Fliers Posted On the HOG Bulletin Board
6th Annual Chilly Mileage Challenge

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From the Director:

I hope you had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Our December meeting was a delicious dinner provided by the HOG Chapter and its members. If you missed it, you missed a good time.

HOG Chapter members also delivered our annual donations to the social services offices of our four counties.

It's a New Year, Ride when you can!

**Ride Safely,
Tom**

New Bern HOG Chapter Website: www.newbernhog.com.



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The Chaplain's Corner

Inventory Time

Spring is a time to check out the bike, have you or has your dealer gave it a safety check, repair/replace what is needed, test drove it, if all is well, hit the road Jack! What about an inventory of what we have been told? How many times I have I ignored a mechanic that instructed me, to replace something, and later found myself stranded in the middle of nowhere.

I well remember a time when NADEP (Naval Air Depot) required workers to count every tool, bolt, nut, and part for inventory. January is a time to check or look back and see how much we made, how wisely we spent it, how much we saved, how much we still owe. It is also a time to see how many taxes we paid, and how much we still owe.

When do we inventory how well we deal with our fellowman? Here I must add a little humor found while waiting in Dr. Axelson's office. It came from a paper called **Coffee News**. "If you want to trace your family tree, run for public office or win the sweepstakes". I love that paper.

Let's inventory how well we listen to others. That brings me to how I got the idea for this article. One of our HOG members complemented my articles. To sum up the conversation, my articles caused them to inventory their spiritual relation with God. Let's pursue that a little farther. In the Bible we are told, in **Prov. 18:24a**, a man *that hath* friends must shew himself friendly. **Phil. 3:13,14** more or less tells one not to look back, yet we must in order to see how we treated those we came in contact with. Finally how do we measure up in God's eyes? You know in boot camp I wore a web belt, if my DI could get his fingers behind that belt, he would jerk you off your feet. I've never forgot to check and be sure that belt was tight. You know in real life we have a belt, either we keep it tight, or someone else will. It's the same in our spiritual walk, 4 times in the Bible God tells us to examine ourselves. See you in the wind.

Chaplain Webber

Our HOG meeting is held the first Tuesday of each month at 7pm.

Join us at 6:30 for food prior to the meeting.

Look for us on Facebook: New Bern HOG



Kathy Mizell Kathy Yaeger Faye Jarman
Barbara Thompson

To all our members who may be sick or down at this time, we miss you and hope you are on the mend soon. Please keep all of our members who have been in the hospital or Under-going tests, in your prayers.

HOG-Cares: Please make sure I get info on any sickness or death. You can call or text me at (252) 876-3855 Thank You, Alesia Nicoli.



BIRTHDAYS

Tommy Roach Carl Yaeger Claude Banks
Keith Stroud Bob Mendell John LaManna

If you haven't seen your birthday listed in the newsletter, and would like to get on our Birthday list, Please contact Fred Bender at derf1022@suddenlink.net. Thanks.



Upcoming HOG Events

Saturday Surprise Ride: **Saturday January 9, Kick Stands Up 9:30 am.**

Come out for the Chapter's first ride in 2016 with a winter surprise ride (on a Saturday this time). Route will be approx. 170 miles overall, with pee/stretch and lunch stops.

Sunday Lunch Run: **Sunday January 31, Kick Stands Up 10:00 am.**

Hopefully it's not too cold or wet for a lunch run, but as it's getting into winter we'll plan to keep this ride shorter than normal. Route planned for approx. 1 hour / 50 miles and ends at Kings Restaurant in Kinston.

Suggestions for Chapter rides & outings are ALWAYS welcome! Call or write Scott (Scott Stubbs, Events Coordinator at SMStubbs@gmail.com or 740-502-7167) ***and we'll put something together.***

Breakfast is served at the VFW on Old Cherry Point Road each 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. Cost is \$7 Everyone is invited.

ANNUAL MOTORCYCLE EVENTS

Easyriders Bike Show – Charlotte, NC	Jan 23
Daytona Bike Week – Daytona Beach, FL	Mar 4-13
Outer Banks Bike Week – OBX, NC	Apr 16-24
Thunder on Tobacco Road – Seven Springs, NC	Apr 28 – May 1
Thunder in the Smokies – Maggie Valley, NC	May 13-15
Myrtle Beach Bike Week – Myrtle Beach, SC	May 13-22
Rolling Thunder - XXIX Washington, DC	May 29
Laconia Motorcycle Week – Weirs Beach, NH	Jun 11-19
National Ride to Work Day – Everywhere, USA	Jun 20
Gettysburg Bike Week – Gettysburg, PA	Jul 7-10
Sturgis Motorcycle Rally – Sturgis, SD	Aug 8-14

LADIES of HARLEY:

All Ladies who are members of the New Bern Chapter are, by virtue of that membership, members of LOH. Whether you ride solo or as a passenger, the LOH helps promote ladies participation in the world of Harley-Davidson. Check our emails for the next meeting date, time and location.

***Be sure and check Harley-Davidson of New Bern's website and emails
For events that are taking place during the month.***