

Eagles View

May 2016 Edition Newsletter

28th Year

New Bern Harley Owners Group 3528

UPCOMING NEW BERN EVENTS

- May 1 (Already Started) HOG Chapter Mileage Challenge
- May 7 Harley-Davidson of New Bern 40th Spring Open House
- May 15 VFW Breakfast
- May 20 HOG Dinner Dash (The Silos, at Oriental NC)
- May 21 ~~Ride for Kids with Autism and Special Needs CNX.~~
- May 22 HOG Sunday Surprise Ride
- Jun 5 VFW Breakfast
- Jun 7 HOG Meeting

Fliers Posted On the HOG Bulletin Board

May 14 Blue Knights Officer Down Memorial Ride (Newport)

See other rides on Page 4

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From the Director:

Congratulations to Jimmie Allen and Harley-Davidson of New Bern on their 40th Year Anniversary.

I would like to thank the HOG Chapter for all of their support during my year as Director.

May is Women's Riders Month. Also I would like to wish all HOG Mothers a very Happy Mother's Day

**Ride Safely,
Tom**

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



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The Chaplain's Corner

Ride Baby Ride

Brooks, Dunn and Reba recorded a song about a girl that was given a pony, when she fell her father would always say "cowgirls don't cry, Ride baby ride."

She grew up, and ended up in a bad marriage, but never showed the hurt she felt in her heart. The song goes on to say a lesson learned in life is not to cry, but ride.

Years later early one morning she got a call, her mom had been crying. Mom said "you need to come home your father is dying. Mom laid the phone down by his head, the last word that he said, "Cowgirls don't cry Ride baby ride". Lessons in life show us that in time too soon God lets you know why. If you fall get right back on, the good Lord calls everybody home.

A biker told me "preacher I have a friend that can't talk, his family is having his life support taken off, he wants it to stay on" I told him I would pray about it. After praying, I climbed on my Harley and rode to the hospital. I told the patient "if you can understand me, blink your eye once," he blinked one. I then said "if you do not want your life support equipment removed, blink twice", he blinked twice.

I went and got his nurse told her what was going on, ask her to go with me. Upon entering his room I repeated the same question again, he blinked twice again. That little nurse took his face in her hand and said, "You are of a sound mind, I am going get your doctor and you do the same thing and no one will touch your life support." He got better, and was able to request the life support removed and lived several months.

All the way home I found my self-singing, "Cowgirls don't cry Ride baby ride." I thought to myself, what is going on, that nurse must be a Cowgirl?

Then God showed me when I crashed several years before, and stopped riding like many people advised me to do, I would have missed that blessing. Not to mention all the many miles of fun. 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



**Margaret Henries 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



Jeff Nicoli

Tom Linton

Tommy Debue

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.

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



Fliers Posted on the Bulletin Board (Continued)

May 21 - Ride to Breathe On, in memory of Guy Woolard (Greenville)

May 22 – Biker Sunday (Greenville)

Sep 24 – New Bern Elks Monument & Mystery Tour (New Bern)

UPCOMING NEW BERN EVENTS

Open House & Ride-in Bike Show: Saturday May 7

Come celebrate Jimmie’s 40th Anniversary Party! Harley-Davidson of New Bern is holding their 40th Annual Spring Open House featuring demo rides, tent sale, food, and entertainment. In conjunction, the HOG chapter is sponsoring a Ride-in Bike show. \$10 gets your bike entered, but it needs to be legal and ridden to the show (no trailer queens). We’ll need help setting up and getting ready, so please plan to come early.

Myrtle Beach, Baby!: Saturday May 14, Kick Stands Up 7:00 am, return TBD

Anyone headed to Murrells Inlet for Bike Week that wants to ride down with fellow HOG members, let us know and we’ll figure out what time to meet and hit the road.

Dinner Dash: Friday May 20, Kick Stands Up 6:00 pm.

How about a short, Friday evening ride for pizza or a burger? If you’d like to go, meet at the dealership prior to 6 pm; or, meet us at The Silos in Oriental around 6:30-45.

Sunday Surprise Ride: Sunday May 22, Kick Stands Up 9:00 am.

Join us on a relaxing Sunday ride to Bear Grass for lunch. (Is it still a surprise if we say Bear Grass?) Route currently planned for approx. 120 miles round trip.

Memorial Day weekend in D.C.?: Saturday & Sunday May 28/29

Anyone headed to D.C. for Rolling Thunder that would like company along the way, let us know and we can coordinate meeting location / time.

Breakfast is served at the VFW on Old Cherry Point Road every 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 9am; cost is \$7; everyone is invited.

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.

ANNUAL MOTORCYCLE EVENTS

Thunder in the Smokies – Maggie Valley, NC	May 13-15
Myrtle Beach Bike Week – Myrtle Beach, SC	May 13-22
Rolling Thunder XXIX – Washington, D.C.	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
Ray Price Capital City Bikefest – Raleigh, NC	Sep 23-25
Biketoberfest – Daytona Beach, FL	Oct 13-16

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.

ELECTIONS

**It is that time of year when we need to start to think about being
a member of the HOG Chapter Board**

***ALL POSITIONS ARE AVAILABLE
FOR 2016 – 2017 YEAR***

If interested please contact Jimmie or Sheila
***Elections are at the May meeting and the
New Board will take over at the June Meeting***

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