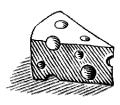
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NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR

Welcome to October! The days are getting shorter, and the critters are on the move, so use extra caution while enjoying the last few riding days of the season. We have a fall overnight ride planned for October 11th and 12th. Leroy and Kathy Rindy have made plans to ride a scenic route to Wabasha, Mn. It is a beautiful area during the fall, and I'm sure they will make it an enjoyable weekend for all who attend.

I hope many of you enjoyed Cheese Days in Monroe. Did you get a chance to visit Kutter's trailer? Unfortunately, we were out of town. Fortunately for us, we were on vacation with the bikes! We rode about 1500 miles in the states of West Virginia and Virginia. Skyline Drive, The Blue Ridge Parkway, The Midland Trail, US 50 and US 33 are all great roads to ride if you ever get out that way. They are very scenic, with great twisties and curves, and very well maintained.

There are a few things to think about before our October meeting. The three dinner rides remaining this year, need to be signed up for by the end of the meeting, or will be canceled. We will drive cars once the riding season is over. Also, we need to start planning the calendar for next year. Anyone with ride ideas is encouraged to speak with Leroy or myself. We will be trying to meet in late October or early November to go over plans and set dates. Anyone with ideas will be welcome to join the road captains and officers to come up with some new and fun rides for 2009. PLEASE HELP!

DON'T FORGET THE HALLOWEEN PARTY!!

Hokie, Chapter Director Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

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Membership Meeting Minutes

Director: Dennis (Hokie) Holcomb

- Called meeting to order with 26 members and 1 guest present.
- Led Pledge of Allegiance
- Thanked volunteers for working the fundraiser for the MERIT Center. We didn't make a lot of profits so we need to discuss making a donation from chapter funds to the MERIT Center.
- Thanked Leroy Rindy for leading the dinner ride to Balltown. Chapter gave Swiss Valley patches in a frame to Mike, the owner of Breitbach's.
- Dinner ride scheduled for next Wednesday. Still need someone to sign up to lead the ride.

Assistant Director: Steve Jacobs

• Received info. on a ride from Bessemer, MI on the Wisconsin border in the Upper Peninsula

Treasurer: Mike Schmid

Secretary: Donna Reel

• Will resign at the end of the year

Kutter H.D. Representative: Scott Golackson

- Thanked members that worked food trailer for fundraiser for MERIT Center. Disappointed in their involvement and advertising of the event, but they were appreciative of Kutters participation
- Cheese Days Sept. $19 21^{st}$. They will allow beer and wine on the square. MVP members get a point every day they signup.
- Chili Cook-off in Monroe Oct. 4th.
- Winter storage list started at Kutters
- Rearranging store in order to create an area for socialization and waiting during service

Head Road Captain: Leroy Rindy

- Fall overnight weekend is scheduled for Oct. 11 & 12th to Wabasha, Minnesota.
- Asked for input from members of possible rides next vear

Safety Officer: Steve Zinsli (not in attendance)

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Calendar of Events:

2-Months At a Glance

2008 Calendar of Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group Chapter Events available online at www.swissvalleyhog.com

(SORRY! Chapter Events page temporarily unavailable online)

--OCTOBER--

8th **HOG Meeting 7:00p.m.** Roadhouse, Monroe

11th / **Fall Overnight Ride:** 12th Wabasha. MN

17th Wednesday Dinner Ride

--NOVEMBER--

1st Halloween Party 6:00p.m.
Amcore Bank

8th MVP party

Kutter, Janesville

12th **HOG Meeting** 7:00p.m. Roadhouse, Monroe

14th **Fish Fry** (location TBD)



Meeting Minutes – continued

Other:

- Tom Holmes will lead ride to Durand Biker Bash on Saturday. Raffle tickets available at Kutters. It is a fund raiser for Juvenile Diabetes.
- Nate Klassy informed members of bus trip out of Woodford Bank on Thur. Oct. 30th to the H-D Museum
- Halloween party on Nov. 1st at Amcore Bank

<u>Door Prizes:</u> \$10. gift certificates donated by Kutters, won by Tom Holmes and Dawn Wolfe. Dave Wehringer won H-D embroidered micro-fiber towel that was donated by Chris Clement.

50/50: Nate Klassy won \$37.

Next HOG Chapter Meeting: Wed. Oct. 8th at Roadhouse in Monroe, WI

Donna Reel, Secretary Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

Meet the Member

Meet the member section will return next month! I did not realize I had not received any questionnaires back until I was typing this newsletter.

October Birthdays

10-2 Michael Cox

10-5 Sarah Goebel

10-8 Curt Moyer

10-13 Craig Tourdot

10-14 Steve Jacobs

10-15 Roxanne Goodman

10-16 Delvin Mau

10-24 Steve Zinsli

10-27 Julie Holmes

10-27 Mike Reel



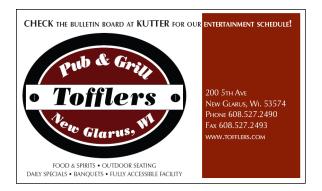
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Road Captain Report

As things wind down and Fall is closing in, we are enjoying a few more beautiful riding days. Make it a point to get out and enjoy a little bit of that Indian Summer before it's gone. It will be a long winter, so get your fill now!

We just returned from a beautiful riding vacation in the mountains of Virginia and West Virginia. These trips are something we never would do if we weren't in the saddle of a Harley Davidson. There's nothing like riding the twisty mountain roads, smelling the scents of autumn and enjoying the newly emerging colors of the mountain foliage.

Our last organized ride of the season will be the Fall Overnight Color Ride to Winona, MN, Oct. 11 & 12. I won't go into detail about it because the sign up has been completed and all hotel rooms are sold out. We have a fun-filled trip planned. Plenty of beautiful sights, great places to stop at, historic restaurants to eat at and plentiful prizes await the group. Let's plan on meeting at Kutter around 9:00 AM for coffee and leaving there at 9:30. The rest of the itinerary is in last month's newsletter. If you have any questions, please feel free to e-mail or call Kathy or me.

Happy riding,

Leroy Rindy, Head Road Captain Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

Safety Officer Report

Cooler nights and thin ground fog later in the evening. This and the fact that Bow hunters (and good luck to all hunters), are stirring up deer movement. Along with the time of year deer start there rutting. You have to keep an extra special eye for road hazards. Classes are being schedule for roadside assistance on Dec. 6th and Jan. 17th. They will be in Beloit at a cost of \$55 per student.

Steve Zinsli, Safety Officer Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

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Halloween Party

Calling all Witches and Warlocks, Pirates and Princesses, Goblins and Ghouls!

It's time again for our Annual HOG Halloween Party, so get your costume on and join us for an evening of ghoulish games, freaky fun, frightening food, and great prizes!

WHEN: Saturday, November 1, 2008 starting at 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: Amcore Bank, on the north side of the square in Monroe, in the Basement Community Room (go through the front doors and turn left for the staircase or elevator)

WE HAVE: Meat or sandwiches

YOU NEED: A dish to pass (side dish, salad or dessert)

Your own table service (plates and silverware)

Your own beverages (alcoholic or non-alcoholic)

No need to RSVP - just be there for a spooktacular good time!

Diane Updike, Activity Committee Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group



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