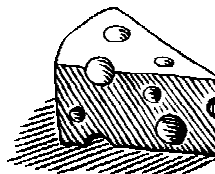
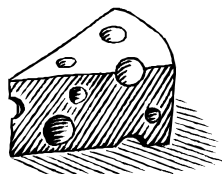


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### NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR

Sorry for the late newsletter this month. With daughters graduation, I forgot to get the newsletter article out in time. We were out on our breakfast ride this morning for the chapter (6/9/2012), and someone one asked if they received the newsletter yet and my stomach sank...OMG, I forgot to do the newsletter for June! So, better a little late than never.

We had a really good turnout for the open house last month! We only had about 8 burgers, 6 brats and half a dozen or so hotdogs left. Great estimations on the food Hokie! I do not know how much we made that day, but it looked really good.

Jeff and I have been doing the Monday night Riders Edge talks and seem to be sparking some interest. We will for sure finish out the Riders Edge training season with these talks to get people interested in possibly joining our HOG Chapter. We have 5 people (2 couples) as prospects right now.

Get ready for Million Mile Weekend folks! On Sunday, June 24, Dave W. will be leading us to Galena for Breakfast and then we will be off to Anamosa, IA for the J&P Open House and the Motorcycle Museum. This ride will be approximately a 230 mile round trip. Then on Monday, June 25, I will lead the chapter or anyone else that wants to go on this ride on a 336 mile ride. Since HOG changed the Million Mile Monday to Harley-Davidson World Ride, the mileage from both Sunday and Monday can be entered on the HOG website within 48 hours of Mondays ride, I think. A map of the route is below.

The overnight ride to LeClaire, IA was awesome. We had 20 people on the ride and a great time was had by all. Great weather for the ride and the food was great also. Thank you Scott G. and Scott A. for setting this up and leading the ride!

## **NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR – continued...**

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Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, June 12. We will meet at Kutter and have a 10-15 minute quick meeting and then we will take the long way to Union Dairy in Freeport for dinner/Ice Cream. What a better way to start the warm night riding than a trip to one of the best ice-cream parlors in the area!

Kegel's 100th Anniversary in Rockford in on June 23. So, if you plan on attending the Breakfast/J&P Cycle ride the 24th, the Million Mile Monday ride on the 25th and roughly 660 miles isn't enough, then Rockford may be a ride for you!

That is all I have for this month.

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*I'm here to assist you any way I can, because it's your chapter too!*

## **HOG Minutes – 5/8/12**

Meeting opened by John D. who also led the pledge of allegiance. John suggested raising the price of our meal deals to \$6 due to the rising cost of beef. Scott suggested leaving the meals for the Sons of American Legion ride at \$5 since they have already printed their flyers with prices on them. Ron Smith motioned to make all meal deals \$6 except on the day of the Sons of American Legion ride. Discussion again on doing a bake sale along with meal deals the day of the open house. It was agreed that we would sell plates of bars along with giving a bar with the meals. The cost of cheese curds will be \$3. Hokie and John are going to work on the food trailer this week as it is in need of repairs. We will be selling 50/50 tickets at the open house. There is a sign up sheet at Kutter for the Open House. Time slots available for Cooking food, Selling food, Bake Sale, Selling 50/50 tickets, and sitting at Hog Info Table.

Million Mile Monday is now Million Mile Weekend. Sunday's miles are now counted. Anyone can go on this ride, we have planned the route as mentioned in last meetings minutes.

Scott G. mentioned that the EMS are doing a fundraiser and would like our help. They are doing a poker run on 8/11 and would like us to have a food stand much like what we do for the Son's of American Legion.

We confirmed that we will be helping with the rider's edge reunion ride, we are waiting for a head count from Kim. It was also suggested that we invite them to our picnic on 8/12. With a rain date of 9/8.

Breakfast ride will leave Kutter at 7am for the Edgewater in Albany then head to Janesville for their open house.

## Calendar of Events:

### 2-Months at a Glance

2012 Calendar of Swiss Valley Harley  
Owners Group  
Chapter Events available online at  
[www.swissvalleyhog.com](http://www.swissvalleyhog.com)

#### **--June--**

- 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> **Overnight Ride – Closed**  
**Time: 10:00**  
LeClaire, IA  
Organizer: Scott & Dawn  
Golackson  
Scott Aebly
- 9<sup>th</sup> **Breakfast Ride - Closed**  
**7:30a.m.**
- 9<sup>th</sup> **MVP Party – MVP Only**  
**Janesville**
- 12<sup>th</sup> **HOG Meeting Ride - Closed**  
**6:30p.m.**  
Kutter – Monroe
- 24<sup>th</sup> **Breakfast Ride - Closed**  
**7:30a.m.**
- 25<sup>th</sup> **Million Mile Monday – Closed**

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#### **--July--**

- 10<sup>th</sup> **HOG Meeting Ride - Closed**  
**6:30p.m.**  
Kutter – Monroe
- 14<sup>th</sup> **Breakfast Ride - Closed**  
**7:30a.m.**
- 22<sup>nd</sup> **Breakfast Ride - Closed**  
**7:30a.m.**
- 29<sup>th</sup> **MVP Gold Ride – MVP Only**

## HOG Minutes – 5/8/12 - continued...

We were not represented last Monday at the riders edge class; Jim suggested that we skip this one due to lack of interest. We will start up again with the next class.

Jeff W. sent out a few invites to some possible new members and invited them on our breakfast ride this week.

Breakfast ride on 5/27 has been canceled.

5/20 White Pines will be led by Scott G, leaving Kutter at 8am. We will go directly to the restaurant then ride afterwards.

5/15 dinner ride led by Curt and Wendy leaving Kutter at 6pm  
6/2-6/3 Overnite ride to LeClaire Iowa-hotel info given. Please sign up as a head count is needed. Sign up is at Kutter. Contact Scott G or Scott A for information. Rooms are being held until 5/19. We will be leaving Kutter at 10am-SHARP!!!

6/24 Breakfast ride to Galena going to JP Cycles and the Motorcycle Museum.

Starting in June our meetings will be held at Kutter at 6:30, we will have a short meeting then head of for a ride to Union Dairy in Freeport.

Jeff Wright announced that 2013 Hog Rally will be held in Minoqua. Soctt G announced that Janesville is trying to get the 2014 Hog Rally.

Treasurer's Report Given by Barb Smith. Barb also reminded everyone to turn in receipts for costs on the overnight rides. She also discussed our raffle license. We currently hold a Class B, but really should have a Class A so she has had applied for that. The cost of each license is \$25.

Wendy H. announced we have 47 paid members. She welcomed 2 new members-Mike Haldeman and Micheal cox.

Diane Updike announced we have the Bank reserved for our Halloween party again. If anyone has any other suggestions, please contact her.

Scott G. announced that Kutter will be closed on May 28-Memorial Day!!!

MVP Party is 6/9 in Janesville

Kegel's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party is 6/23. Scott said that it might be nice to visit them that day as not too many dealerships will make it 100 years. It is a big achievement.

Diane Holcomb let us know that Peddle for Paws is opened up to Motorcycles.

50/50 winner: Curt Moyer

Door Prizes: Chandra Speich and Kathy Rindy Congratulations!!!

Dawn Golackson, Secretary  
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## ROAD CAPTAIN

Okay, here we go. This is my first attempt at an article for our newsletter. As you know I, Dave Wehinger, have been your Head Road Captain for the last several months. As you also know I have been putting off writing an article for our newsletter. I'm not the greatest writer and I just keep on procrastinating about it. Anyway, a little about my background. I started riding on the farm over 40 years ago. You know, minibikes and Honda Trail 70's. My dad bought a 100cc Kawasaki on/off road bike in '73, which I am currently restoring, and was the first full size bike I rode. The day I received my drivers license I wrote the test for my motorcycle permit and soon had that endorsement. I bought my first bike at 18 and have owned various Japanese bikes continuously ever since. The fall of '04 I bought my Softail and I have to say it is by far my favorite.

Well, since the last meeting we've had our 1<sup>st</sup> breakfast ride to the Edgewater Café' in Albany. Thanks Dawn. The food was great and you surely didn't walk away hungry. Afterwards, several of us rode to the openhouse in Janesville. That went well until the ride home. John, Jeff, and I were riding back on Hwy H just north of Hwy 11. A minivan pulled up to the stop sign on a side road. I always watch them carefully, and it was a good thing I did. Sure enough, he pulled out right in front of us. I was too busy on the brakes avoiding him, but I believe someone behind me let the gentleman know that he was number 1. Please pay attention out there. A split second of distraction could have had different results. It still amazes me that three bikes with their lights on couldn't be seen. Our ride to White Pines and the ride afterwards was great. Thanks again Scott and Dawn and Steve and Jody for setting it up. We all ate too much again. We're looking forward with anticipation to our ride to LeClaire on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>. I hope we have a good turnout and good weather. Check the calendar for upcoming rides. See you later. Ride safe and have fun.

Dave Wehinger, Head Road Captain  
Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

## ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

See page 6 of newsletter.

Until next time, see you out on the road.

Jeff Wright, Assistant Director  
Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

6-11 Donna Reel

6-16 Greg Stamm

## OVERNITE RIDE MARCH/APRIL 2012

Our first overnight ride of the season started off March 31<sup>st</sup> at 8:00am at McDonald's. Everyone grabbed breakfast and got into their riding groups. Attending were: Curt Moyer, Wendy Holmes, LeRoy and Kathy Rindy, Dennis and Diane Holcomb, Rich and Chandra Speich, Sarah Goebel, Dawn Golackson and Rachel Aebly.

Our first stop was in Dubuque for a potty break and stretch. After a short break we were off again to Cedar Ridge Distillery in Swisher, IA. Let the wine tasting begin!!! What a nice place, beautiful. If you haven't been there, you are missing something. We tasted several wines and spirits. We even managed to get "cut off", can you believe that out of this group?! FYI they have a 3-tasting maximum. Many of us found something we liked and made our purchases before we headed off to lunch. Not too far from the winery we stopped at Chappy's Dry Dock for a nice lunch and a local bar. Then off again to Amana.

We got to Main Amana in plenty of time to do some shopping and more wine tasting. The Ackerman Winery was very happy to see us come in, I am sure!! We all visited many different shops and had a great time. We had perfect weather to walk around and enjoy all there was to see and do. After the shops closed we went to Ronneburg Restaurant for Supper. They had many German dishes and would serve family style if you like. Our waitress was very friendly and shared some stories with us. After dinner we went onto Homestead to Zuber's Homestead Hotel.

After checking into our rooms and getting settled we all gathered in the common room to play games and have A LOT of fun!! We all laughed sooooo hard and had a really great time. We met some very nice people and some very interesting people!!

Sunday morning we had breakfast at Zuber's then headed off to do some more shopping. We stopped for a glance at AJ's Copper Garden in Homestead then went back to Main Amana to visit a few of the shops again before heading back home.

We decided to stop in Dubuque on the way home to have lunch at Vinny Vinucci's-great meal!!!

Thank you so much to Wendy Holmes and Curt Moyer for a well planned, extremely fun weekend!!

Respectfully submitted,  
Dawn Golackson



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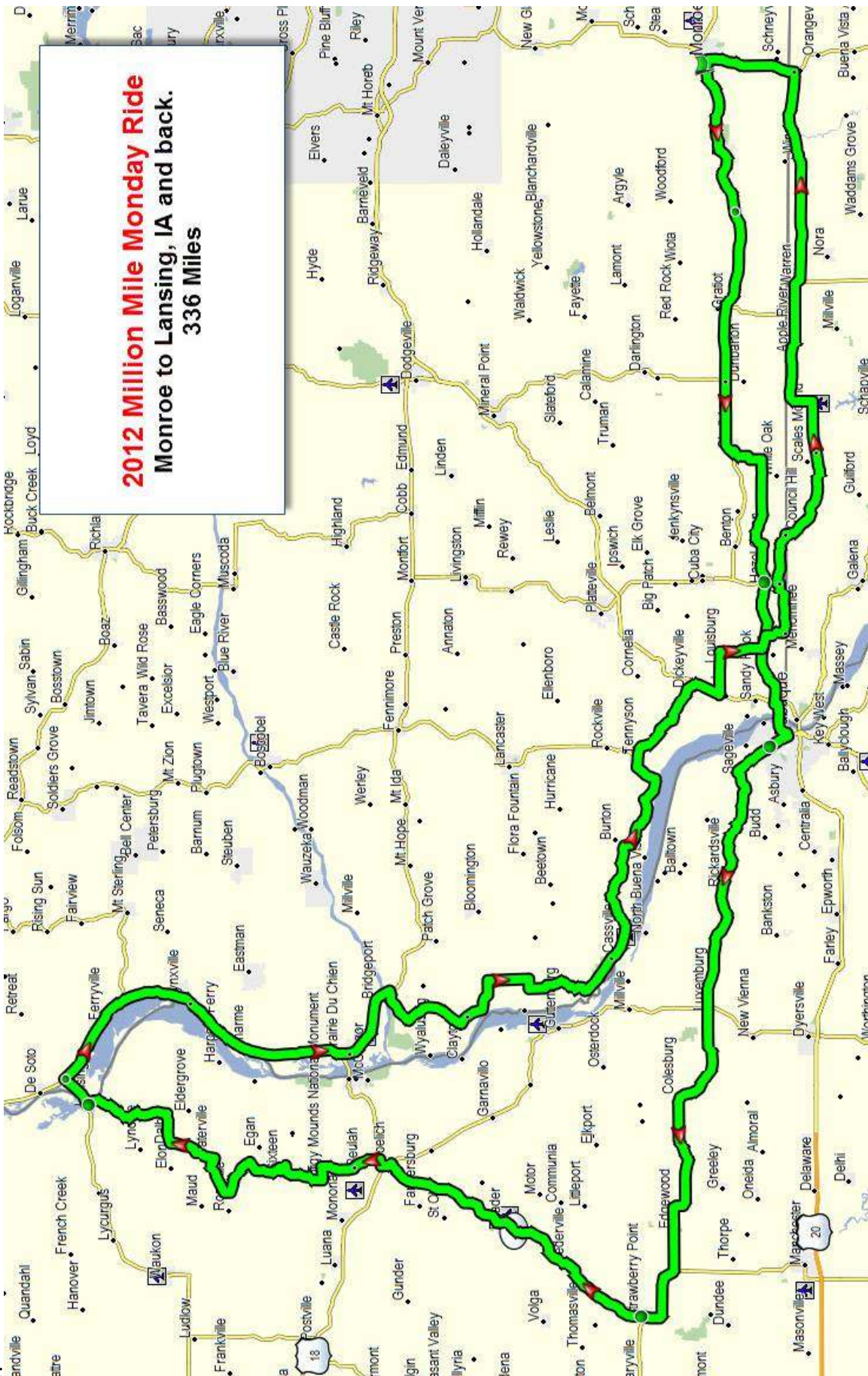
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