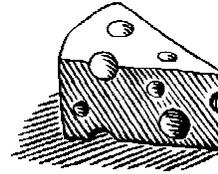
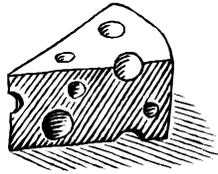


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NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR

Two, maybe three more weeks and the bike goes into hibernation for me. It was a good riding season, if you like desert heat.. Well, maybe not that bad - but darn close. With all the activities going on this summer, Deb and I never really had a chance to go anywhere. Next year in June though, we are heading to Lexington, KY for a week of great riding.

Don't forget the Halloween party coming up on November 3rd at the First National Bank on the square in Monroe at 6:00pm. Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Bring a quart (or as much as two people can eat) and we will be mixing them all together for a community chili feast! Please also bring a side or dessert, and drink with and your place settings.

Scott and Dawn will be leading a Dinner Ride on November 7th. Meet at Kutter at 6:30pm. Location of meal has not been decided yet at this time.

Our next chapter meeting will be on Tuesday, November 13 at 7:00pm at Bonnies and Bullets upstairs. After the normal communication of upcoming activities, we will be deciding how to split up the money we generated this year to the charities of our choice.

If anyone has taken a trip this year and you would like to share your pictures with the rest of the chapter, please bring them with to the meetings so we can see them! If we have enough interest in showing pictures electronically, I can bring in a projector from work and a laptop and we can do a showing that way also. All I would need you to do is have the pictures on a portable thumb drive to connect to my laptop and we can do a slide show.

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NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR – continued...

Kutter Open House in Janesville will be on Saturday, December 1, and the Kutter Open House will be on the following Saturday, December 8. Discussion of helping out during the Open House in Monroe will be discussed at the November meeting.

Start preparing for the calendar for the year 2013 for Swiss Valley HOG. Our meeting in December will be the day we all sit down and plan out next year's plans. Bring your Bucket Ride list with and hopefully we can get some of those implemented for the year!

Since a lot of people are starting to carry smart phones with them these days, I have created a smart phone specific web site for the Swiss Valley HOG site. Load the following website on your smart phones and create a bookmark to your desktop on your phone for quick access to upcoming events and officer contacts. If you bring up the officers page and touch either their phone number or email address, your phone will bring up the proper page in order to contact that officer. Here is the address (This may change in the near future):

<http://www.swissvalleyhog.com/preview/mobile-home.htm>

That is all I have for this month.

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Sunday the 20th was one of those MUST RIDE days so when I had to go to Monroe on an errand I took the bike. Afterwards I gave Dave W a call and said, Lets go to Freeport for Ice Cream. He said he was thinking that very same thing and that Steve and Jody had mentioned at the MVP party that they might be interested. So I headed to Dave's place and we took off for Steve and Jody's. Unfortunately when we got there they had the grill going and couldn't go so we visited awhile and then headed for Ice Cream. The Dairy was out of butter pecan but I managed to get by on scoops of mint chocolate chips and quarterback sneak. We decided to extend the ride and headed out highway 20 past Lena and on through Stockton to Woodbine with an eye towards checking out New Diggings. We turned north on the scout camp road. This was my introduction to the Apple River Valleys and the Galena territory and the riding was awesome. Very curvy roads and wonderful fall odors and scenery that made a person feel great to be riding; It was Golden.

Calendar of Events:

2-Months at a Glance

2012 Calendar of Swiss Valley Harley
Owners Group
Chapter Events available online at
www.swissvalleyhog.com

--November--

3th **Halloween Party – Closed**
Time - 6:00p.m.
First National Bank

7th **Dinner Ride – Closed**
Time - 6:30p.m.
Organizer: Scott & Dawn
Golackson

13th **HOG Meeting - Closed**
7:00p.m.
Doyles – Monroe

--December--

1st **Kutter Open House - Open**
Janesville

8th **Kutter Open House - Open**
Monroe

11th **HOG Meeting - Closed**
7:00p.m.
Doyles – Monroe



ASSISTANT DIRECTOR....continued

I must say that the areas we rode through are the equal of any riding I have seen in Wisconsin. Eventually we arrived at the Stage Coach road which took us west past Scales mound to West Council Hill Road. This dropped us down into a surprising, unexpected scene of a general store in the middle of no-where called Council Hill Station. The place was buzzing with activity. There were Corvettes and collector cars, crotch rockets and Harleys and even a new Triumph with a side car. There were lots of people milling around conversing, drinking, laughing and generally having a great time under the fall sun. Six people sat at a table under an umbrella and played guitars, mandolins and violins while singing folksy tunes. It was an idyllic setting for sure. Dave and I went into the general store and grabbed a couple of brewsky's from a cooler that contained what seemed like a hundred different brands of beer. I had my usual, O'Douls. This location is very interesting in that a train track runs right through it and we had the experience of seeing one go through on its way to Galena or Dubuque I assume. The place has a very old barn made of limestone and a silo that is entirely made from wood, even the inside lining. There is a river walk and a large bar and dance hall in one of the lower buildings. This place looks like a great ride destination for next year, by way of the valleys. The people were very friendly and it was quite a mixture of people from many walks of life. Really a fun time. Finally, we realized the shadows were getting longer and it was time to split so Dave and I headed for Monroe. We did go through New Diggings which also had many bikes and people getting in a last glorious ride. All in all it was a great ride and I logged about 135 miles. Thanks to Dave for leading the ride and showing me this great place!!

Jeff Wright, Assistant Director
Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

November Birthdays

11-2 Diane Updike
11-15 Chandra Speich
11-21 Kathy Rindy
11-23 Brad Mau



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ROAD CAPTAIN

Well, the cold weather is here. Unfortunately, it is probably here to stay. I usually put my bike away just before Thanksgiving so that gives me about another 3 weeks of riding left. I have no plans for it this winter, but I'm sure Kutters will temp me with something. It has been a rather slow month for riding during October. I was planning on riding to Kansas City a couple of weekends ago but changes down there made me cancel. That was okay. It allowed me to attend the MVP party. As usual, the food was great and the beer was cold. It is always nice to gather together with old friends and talk to new people. Thank you Harley-Davidson for giving us the opportunity to all come together and enjoy each others company. As you read in Jeff's article, the two of us went riding on the following Sunday. When I get a call for ice cream I just can't say no. Steve and Jody were gracious hosts. Steve even allowed us to watch a little bit of the Packer game. Or maybe he just wanted to see how a professional team plays. Ha Ha. Unfortunately, they couldn't join us. I don't blame them. The steaks smelled wonderful on the grill. The ice cream was great. By the time you read this, though, Union Dairy will be closed for the year. Like Jeff said, we then set out for New Diggings. We did make it to Woodbine and turned north. I had been on that road before and enjoyed it. What I didn't expect was a road closed sign and detour. That got me lost. Here I am worried about where I was and how was I going to get to where I wanted to go. It then dawned on me that "Hey, I'm riding on my motorcycle down some wonderful out-in-the-sticks country roads on a nice sunny fall day. Who cares where we are and where we end up." Isn't that why we all ride. Just to get away from everything and all our worries and enjoy what mother nature throws at us. Anyway, we finally came out on the Stagecoach Trail and I was found again. We started heading towards New Diggings and I made an executive decision to check out the General Store at Council Hill. I had been wanting to go there all summer but just never made it. It was well worth the trip. After a quick brew it was time to head for home and possibly the end of another great riding season. Just think, it all started on a dinner ride in March. Speaking of dinner rides, Dawn and Scott are leading us on one on the 7th. Scott promised it would be great. Also, keep in mind that our December meeting is also our planning meeting for next years activities. Please be thinking of activities and places we can go to and do. See you at the next meeting.

Dave Wehinger, Head Road Captain
Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group

HOG Minutes – 10/9/12

Meeting held at Bonnie's, Pledge led by John Deakman.

Jeff Wright gave an overview of our Balltown ride for those who were unable to attend. Jeff checked HOG Officer News, Office training will be held in Milwaukee, dates were not given.

Wendy H, Curt M and Scott Saunders showed up for the Rockton Chicken run, but decided to go on the Slimy Crud Run instead since it was just the three of them.

MVP Party in Janesville is October 20, 2012-wear your costumes!!!

HOG Halloween Party: Nov 3rd 6:00pm Happy Hour. Bring a Pot of chili to add to our pot for a unique chili. Dawn agreed to come up with some new games. Remember that it is very warm in the basement of the bank, dress accordingly!! **Wear your costumes-it is Halloween!!!** John Deackman motioned that we spend \$75 on prizes.

Barb Smith gave treasurer's report-not all bills have been paid from the Cannon Ball Run. Scott Golackson gave details on the Cannon Ball Run numbers...Barb from Barb's Potato Salad wrote a check back so the Chapter owes \$182.00. Rockow's Family Sausage donated ALL of the brats. The bill would have been \$275 if we would have received one. They would like a donation made in their name, we can decide on the amount. Scott suggested that we decide the amount at the next meeting and he asked that we thank Rockow's personally if we should happen to see him. Kutter picked up the bill for the paper goods, condiments and drinks. The final bills from this event will be paid by next meeting so we will know how much we will have to donate.

Cannon Ball website has footage of Kutter on it-check it out!!

Scott Golackson discussed officer training. He asked if it was necessary for us to attend the training as it is an added expense that will take away from donations. Jeff W. mentioned that we have taken away some good ideas from the meetings. John D would prefer not to go. Barb Smith feels that it would be good for new officers to go. John suggested seeing what the classes are before deciding if anyone should go. Jeff W. is not interested in going. Barb pointed out that it costs \$500-\$700 to the chapter. Steve J. supports new people interested in being an officer going to the meetings. We will wait and see what classes come out. Jody J. Supports sending new officers.

Scott G. mentioned that **Winter Storage** has changed. Spend \$495 total in parts, labor, warranty, etc. you will get free storage. Remember that storage is heated and the bikes are covered.

Scott mentioned Kutter's new Stuff the Bus idea. This will collect toys for Toys for Tots. They plan to park the Kutter 30 ft trailer at Shopko and Walmart and ask that patrons place items in the trailer to be delivered to the Toys for Tots event in Monroe. The tentative dates for donations are Nov. 10th and 17th. The Hog chapter can get involved if they would like. Scott will get more info to John as it becomes available.

Dave W. had no report. Just hopes that we will get more riding in yet this year.

John D. mentioned that he has designed a new web page for smart phones calling it Swiss Valley Mobil. Log onto <http://www.swissvalleyhog.com/preview/mobile-home.htm> from your smart phone to see an abbreviated version of our full site. It includes info on officers, our calendar and general info on the chapter.

Bring Ideas for donations to the next meeting. Barb updated on where donations went last year. Will have around \$2500 available but do not have to donate all of it.

Upcoming Events/Dates:

Nov 7: Dinner Ride: Scott G will lead Site undetermined. Leave Kutter at 6:30pm.

Nov 13: Next Meeting: Discussing Open House and Donations!!!

Dec 8: Kutter Open House-Monroe

Dec 11: Planning Meeting!!

Kutter will be CLOSED the week of Christmas and New Years!!!!

50/50 winner: Ron Smith He took home \$13.00

Gift Cert winners: Steve Jacobs and Dave W. congrats!!!!

Respectfully Submitted,

Dawn Golackson, Secretary
Swiss Valley Harley Owners Group