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FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dawn "Firecracker" Makowski



Hello Rockers,

I rode to Kentucky in May and it was just what the doctor ordered. Our hotel delivered one of the best customer service experiences. We visited a few distilleries, toured the Slugger Museum and rode out to Mammoth Cave. A few members from the Derby chapter led us on a day ride, lunch and then a visit to the Blue Grass Harley-Davidson. The ride was fabulous...until we hit the state line on the way home. Temperatures dropped at least twenty degrees. It was crazy cold, but we managed to get home with only a few raindrops. I'll take the cold or the rain, but they don't pair up together very well. This trip was a milestone for us because we successfully, for the first time, kenneled our crazy dog, Bear. The key is finding a place that doesn't use crates, more like little suites with a portion of the wall being cement with the rest plexiglass. He was well cared for and came home tired with no voice. We got to go on an amazing ride! Looking forward to a few more overnights yet to come.

I don't know about you, but I am so embracing this riding season and so excited to be out and feeling a little closer to normal. It's overwhelmingly happy to attend events, see rallies occurring and smiling faces everywhere! Laughter is good for the soul! So many people to see and so many things to do. My calendar is overflowing with summer excitement. Between graduations, weddings, chapter rides and family gatherings I am having to choose. Not a problem we had last year, and no complaints here.

Be sure to stop to stop in at the dealership to get your mileage recorded. See you at the next chapter meeting or on the road.

Dawn

FLAT ROCKER 2021

Have you visited your first Wisconsin State Park yet? Did you download the updated State Park list from the Rock River website? Enjoy beautiful Wisconsin!



From Our Historian

– Carl Samppala

Please welcome the following new members:

Robert Garms

Jon Teraoka

Please congratulate the following milestone:

15 year anniversary:

Luci Wondra-Fauska



CHAPTER MEETING REMINDER

Reminder that our June chapter meeting will be held at the **Ingleside Hotel** located at 2810 Golf Rd in Pewaukee. 6:00 social hour, 7:00 meeting begins.

ROCK WISCONSIN

Four important things going on at the next chapter meeting

- Final opportunity to sign up for the Great Mississippi River ride based on available rooms (only 4 are left). — \$15 pp deposit
- First opportunity to sign up for the Wonderful Waterfalls Ride. — \$15 pp deposit
- First opportunity to sign up for the Tugfest II Ride. — \$15 pp deposit
- Pick up an info flyer for the Door County ride

All ride information flyers are available on our website – find them on the Rock Wisconsin tab

H.O.G. CHAPTER CHALLENGE

It's still early in the riding season. If you have not had the dealership enter your 2021 starting mileage, ride your bike to the dealership or the chapter meeting. After the meeting Ken can record it for you. He will need your mileage and the last six digits of your bike's VIN.

Currently we rank 321 of 345 chapters nationally and 40th of 85 in our region (Market 3 Plains)! with 721 miles total.

I guess I better get my mileage checked again since I know I've put on 2500 miles already this season. You too?



SENIORS RIDE

DATE: July 24. Saturday.

WHERE: Stage at New Berlin Police Station 16300 W. National Avenue, New Berlin.

8:30am KSU 8:50 to Regency.

WHAT: Escorted ride with passengers about 25 miles. Should be done about 10:30.

John Manka
414-313-4669



July 24th, 2021

Seniors Wanna Ride!

Willing to take a senior passenger for a police escorted ride? Staging at City of New Berlin Police Dept 16300 W. National Ave, at 8:30am, KSU at 8:50am. We'll head to the Regency, load up passengers and hit the road for about 25 minutes.

The picture to left pretty much sums up how the residents at the Regency of New Berlin feel about riding!

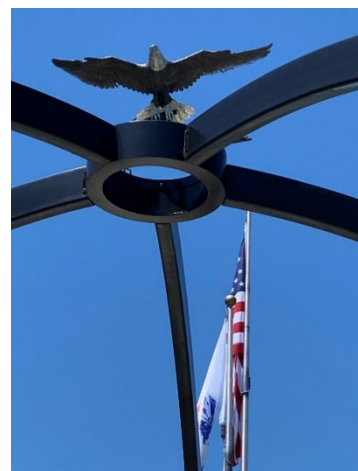
HONOR RIDE WRAP UP

A bit cool at the start but a beautiful day overall.

An estimated 450 bikes participated – certainly a wonderful honor to our military.

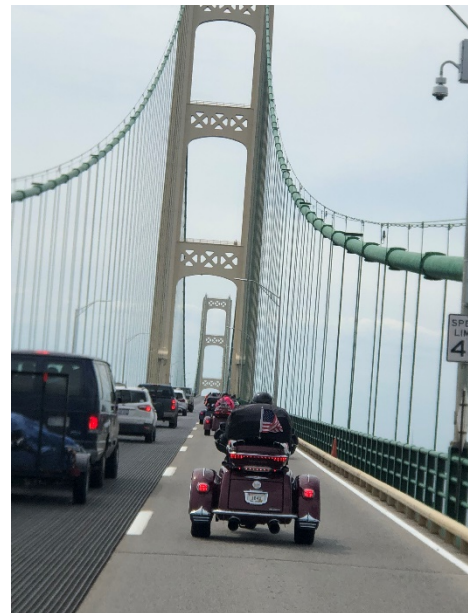


**COMING IN AUGUST
TEXAS STYLE BBQ
SUNDAY RIDE & LUNCH
WATCH FOR DETAILS**



LAKE MICHIGAN SEMI-CIRCLE TOUR

19 Bikes
25 people
741 miles



July Chapter Meeting

We will not have an "official" meeting and instead are going to join Wisconsin Harley-Davidson for their July 7th
Bike Night with Cherry Pie



- Rock WI will have tables inside the dealership for ride information
 - Also looking for 50/50 Extraordinaires for 30 minute shifts
- HOG Hospitality Tent outside volunteers needed for 30 minute intervals

Please watch newsletter, website, Facebook and your emails for additional information!

Back by popular demand!

HOG Night at Slinger Speedway

- July 25th
- \$28 Advance
- \$30 Door
- Leaves Wisconsin Harley-Davidson 4pm
- Tickets on sale at next chapter meeting

**Sunrise Ride - Mark your calendars
August 28th!**

**Contact Ed Stein for either ride
at 262-844-9744**

**Thank
you!**

I want to personally thank all of the
Road Captains that helped with
Honor Celebration. I could not have
done this without you!

Leslie



SUMMER HAS STARTED, IT'S TIME FOR
SOME FUN!

Want to listen to some tunes while serving
some icy cold beverages? Or maybe take care of
some garbage while walking around?

Looking for help for the following dates:


July 7th from 5:30-9:30 pm

July 10th from 11:30 - 3 pm

Looking for 2 to 3 people to help bartend and
take care of garbages

Please email leslie.smith@wishd.com if your
interested



** All dates subject to change ** (TBD) Date to be determined			2021 Rock River HOG Chapter Calendar of Events						 Volunteer Opportunity		
Updated: 06/13/2021											
January			February			March			April		
16th	Sat	Officers Meeting	9th	Tue	Officer Meeting	9th	Tue	Officer Meeting	2nd	Fri	Good Friday Pizza Ride
9th	Sat	Chili Cookoff	6th	Sat	Sip n Shop	13th	Sat	Bikes n Brew ★	3rd	Sat	Swap Meet ★
16th	Sat	Holiday Party	16th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	16th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	13th	Tue	Officer Meeting
19th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★							20th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★
									24th	Sat	Spring Open House ★
May			June			July			August		
2nd	Sun	Bike Blessing - 50 bikes max	3-6th	Thu-Sun	Rock WI MI Semi-Circle Tour	7th	Wed	Bike Night - Cherry Pie	4th	Wed	Bike Night - King Kong
11th	Tue	Officer Meeting	8th	Tue	Officer Meeting	4th	Sun	4th July Parade	7th	Sat	Wauk Cty Sheriff K9 Ride
15th	Sat	Safety Check Noon-2pm WI HD	9th	Wed	Bike Night - Rebel Grace	7th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★@Dealership	5-8th	Thu-Sun	Rock WI - Waterfall of WI
18th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	12th	Sat	Bikes N BBQ/Sound Off	10th	Sat	BBQ Bash & Burn Camp Ride	10th	Tue	Officer Meeting
29th	Sat	Honor Ride	12th	Sat	RC- Ride to Doc's Harley-Davidson	11th	Sun	Chapter Picnic	13-15	Fri-Sun	Rock WI - Tug Fest
			12th	Sat	K-9 Ride & Combat Ride	13th	Tue	Officer Meeting	14th	Sat	Riding Academy Alumni Ride
			14th	Mon	Flag Day Ride	15-18th	Thu-Sun	Rock WI - Mississippi River run	17th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★
			15th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	24th	Sat	RC-Lodi ferry ride for ice-cream	28th	Sat	Sunrise Ride
			18-20th	Fri-Sun	RC-Hillsboro	25th	Sun	Slinger Speedway			
					Wild Things Grow						The Heroes Ride
September			October			November			December		
2-5th	Thu-Mon	Rally ★	9th	Sat	Octoberfest ★	9th	Tue	Officer Meeting	1st-24th		Advent Calendar Deals of the Day
10-12th	Fri-Sun	Rock WI - Door County	12th	Tue	Officer Meeting	16th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	4th	Sat	Photos w/Santa
14th	Tue	Officer Meeting	19th	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★	26th	Fri	Black Friday deals	11th	Sat	Customer Appreciation ★
17-18th	Fri-Sun	Tomahawk Fall Ride	22nd	Fri	RC-Hamburger house	27th	Sat	Small Business day	14th	Tue	Officer Meeting
21st	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★				29th	Mon	Cyber Monday	21st	Tue	Chapter Meeting ★ @Dealership
25th	Sat	Rock WI - Civil War									
					Trikes n Bikes						Christmas Parade
Dealership Events & Supported Rides			RRC Supported Events			RRC Events			Changes in Red		