

# The 'HOG CALL'

The monthly Newsletter of the Daytona Beach HOG Chapter #0652

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## Message from the Editor

Well, its been a long month between meeting this time of year. With the break, my wife and I had a chance to fly to New Jersey landing in Atlantic City [No gambling this time] to [primary reason] attend a nephews wedding, stop and say 'hello' to old friends, swing-by our old HOG Chapter and dealership, stop-by my old Fire Company, tour the World Trade Center 9-11 Memorial and Museum. Along with staying on Joint Base - McGuire(Air Force)/Dix(Army)/Lakehurst(Navy) Base. It was an enjoyable 9 days, BUT... like they always say 'You can't go/come back home, It's not the same anymore'.

True to the saying, hometowns have changed, neighbors moved away, and being it's considered the suburbs of New York the traffic was horrendous to say the least . . . the trains to NYC were packed, the PATH trains were standing room only, and congestion wherever you went. After all that, we're fine here in Florida and wouldn't have it any other way.

Inside you'll see some of the sights we had a chance to see, in person. And New York City was the usual . . .

Richard 'Stretch' Sawicki

Editor - Daytona Beach H.O.G.





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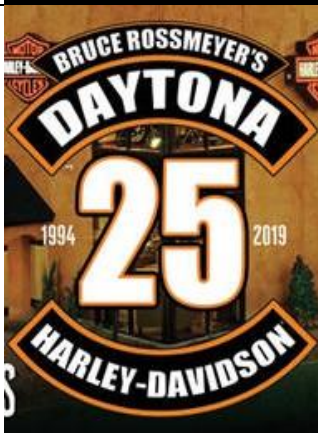
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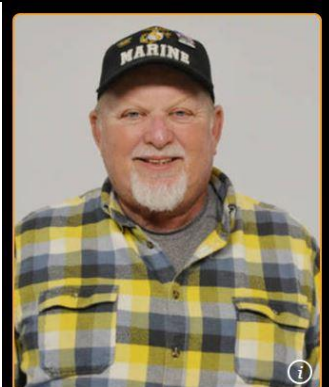
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# *Message from the Director*

*Greetings Fellow HOG's,*

I recently read an article, published back in 2016, in Moto-Garage that highlighted several reasons why we ride motorcycles and I thought it was fitting for our Chapter;

## **1. Passion**

Anything that gets your blood racing is probably worth doing. For many bikers riding a motorcycle is not a hobby or need, it's Passion. All they want in life is to travel to every corner of the world on their motorcycle. There is a deep fire in their belly for riding which will make them achieve impossible miles, paths & terrains. Bikers will not mind devoting a good amount of time and income for their motorcycles. In the hierarchy of needs, for them it's motorcycling that stays on the top.

## **2. Freedom**

Riding a motorcycle gives you a sense of freedom. You are in total control of the moment, you are not just riding, you are flying and there are no set limits to stop you. You can travel to any place with complete freedom. It lets you be you without anyone's permission. Just like a kid who was always restricted to his space but as soon as he gets on his bicycle, it's the moment of freedom, he now breaks those chains and flies through the street on his bicycle with the widest smile on his face.

It might sound like a cliché but it's true, when on your bike you experience the open air with the wind brushing through your face, all the colors around is vivid and vibrant. The sound of the motor, the vibration which you feel. the obscured view going on around you. It's an embracement of senses and acts as oxygen to your soul. We just love it, the sheer enjoyment of being on a motorcycle.

## **3. Speed**

For most of the riders its speed and thrill that keeps them on their motorcycles. Motorcycles are legal drugs that make you high and take you into a transcendent state of nirvana. The high of power and the acceleration they get at the flick of their wrist is something that they look for and can't keep themselves away from. The thrill of clocking high speeds on their odometer after hitting the rev limiter beyond its limit on each shift is something they are addicted to, which gives the best adrenalin rush a motorcyclist can ever ask for. It's a good addiction and a good high provided they ride on safe paths or tracks with all the protective gears on.

## **4. Friendship**

Motorcycling is one thing that keeps friends together and it will till the end of times. Everybody taking out time from their schedule and then going out for a ride is something that you will see only in the motorcycling community. The bond of friendship grows deeper when it is associated to a motorcycle. Be it a breakfast ride, a night ride or a long road trip, they are always up for it.

## **5. Brotherhood**

You will meet some of the nicest people on your rides. When you ride a motorcycle you always wave to each other even when you don't know each other which is not something car drivers do. No matter which motorcycle you are riding nor does it matter from which part of the country you belong, there is always the bond of brotherhood that gets motorcyclist together. They are always there to help each other at any point of time. It makes you less introvert as it is the best way to socialize and know new people during two-wheeled events, including bike shows, rallies and other rider get togethers.



## **6. Stress Buster**

Have you ever seen a motorcycle parked outside a psychiatrist's clinic? We are pretty sure the answer you will have is No, because riding a motorcycle takes away all the tension and stress, like you have rebooted your system. Riding a motorcycle brings a sense of calm and ease to your mind and body, which could be achieved otherwise only through meditation. Also, many riders refer to their bike as their therapist, as motorcycles make you feel energized and refreshed after each ride. It is a therapy, a way of life that helps bind love for a couple riding together. It lets you have your own space while getting time to forget everything that has been bothering you.

## **7. Wheels of God**

Open your map, choose a destination, pack your bags and there you go. No matter what destination you choose, motorcycles are ready to take you there. Into the jungle, over the mountains, between the woods, across the river or beneath the caves, motorcyclists love the solitude and freshness these places give to them. Motorcyclist will research intensively on such places and head towards the destination no matter how tough the road is. Travelling to known places do not interest them, they would prefer over landing where the goal of the ride is the journey itself.

## **8. Improves Mental Health**

As already stated, it's a true fact that you never see a motorcycle parked outside a psychiatrist's clinic. A rider's brain is stimulated and becomes more active while riding a Motorcycle. Riding on your motorcycle daily definitely has positive effects on mental and emotional health, it helps you with stress reduction, it helps you get out of depression and to flush out all your worries. It surely proves to be the best antidepressant in the world which blows the cobwebs from your mind. Bikes are magical that they can turn tragedy into triumph.

## **9. Improves Physical Health**

There is no age bar to ride your motorcycle. We have seen Motorcyclist who say, "82 years old. Ride every day, depending on the weather. Only medication, one baby aspirin a day. No health issues" and they still aspire to ride for another 100 years, which surely is a source of inspiration to us. People suffering from different physical injuries forget their pain when they are riding. All of the activities involved in steering a bike, moving it at slow speeds, etc., serve to strengthen muscles in the abdomen and also helps you with, healthier, stronger knees and thighs. You burn calories while setting up things before a ride or while pampering your motorcycle with a wash. It requires effort while riding to maintain balance, shift, brake, control the clutch, battle headwinds, etc. which ultimately burns a lot of calories and also strengthens those muscles.

## **10. Fun**

All of you would agree to the fact that, Motorcycles are fun to ride. There is a lot of entertainment filled within it that awaits you to get it out.

## **11. True Love**

Have you ever noticed that the motorcyclists will always have a gender to their bike? Guys will refer to their machine as "She" and lady riders refer to their bike as "He". It's because the relationship between a bike and its owners is not about ownership but about love. Motorcyclist get committed into a serious relationship with their motorcycle and it so happens that the motorcyclist would choose a motorcycle over their lover. There is a romance between them, with all the selfies that they take with the bike and update statuses on social media every now and then. So think twice before asking a motorcyclist to stop riding his bike! We have warned you.

AND . . . **Lastly**, we are a riding club so let's cut through all the nonsense and get on our bikes and ride!

I remain open and available to discuss chapter business with any member so please do not hesitate in contacting me or any board member. It is our duty to serve you the membership in the best way possible.

***Take care and ride safe!***

***Paul Gunness***

***Director Daytona HOG***

## ***ALSO to note from the Director***

*Dear fellow HOG Chapter members,*

*At our monthly Board and Road Captain's meeting our Head Road Captain Jerry Gomes decided it was time to step down. I would like to thank him for his years of service to our Chapter in this position and wish him the best.*

*We have appointed ***Gerry "Woody" Smith*** as the new Head Road Captain. Our Road Captains or members can direct questions, ride sheets, concerns and/or e-mails directly to Gerry "Woody" Smith at [woodyrc1@gmail.com](mailto:woodyrc1@gmail.com) or you can call him at phone 687-294-6895.*

*Respectfully,*

***Paul Gunness***

***Director Daytona HOG***

***POST NOTE: Also to let the HOG Chapter know, the Executive Board has appointed Mr. Bruce Cornelius as the Sergeant-At-Arms for the remainder of the 2019 year.***

***Welcome Bruce when you see him at the next meeting, which, by-the-way is this coming Saturday - June 29<sup>th</sup> with the Social time of 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and meeting to start promptly at 9:30 sharp!***



## *Message from the Assistant Director*

All,

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Habit event on June 22. It was a great success and all had a great time. The Coordinator invited us back whenever we want and also asked us to the volunteer picnic in September.

Plan to attend to the HOG picnic after the meeting on June 29. Everyone is invited to come to our house after a short ride, Rory Road Capt., for a cookout and a swim. We are doing this because we want to, and to use up the inventory left from the hot dog stand.

Finally, on a personal note, I have returned to work on Sundays at Rossmeyer's Daytona Harley-Davidson, so if anyone needs anything at the dealership or wants a complimentary bike wash, please stop on by!!

**PAUL DOOLITTLE**

**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – Daytona HOG**

## *Message from the Secretary*

Nothing new to report, everything is fine, so see you all at the June HOG Meeting

**SUSAN DOOLITTLE**

## *Message from the Treasurer*

My 'Treasurer's Report', as always, is available at the meeting for review to any DB-HOG Chapter Member

**HOWARD ROBINSON**

## *Message from the Activity Director*

### **Fall Picnic**

The HOG Fall Picnic will be Sat, Sep 28th, following the Chapter Meeting. Location this year is the Destination Pavilion, with live music by local artist Ed Wolford, and food catered by one of our sponsors, The Chicken Pantry! The picnic is free to members, however you must sign-up!! **Sign-up requires a \$5 deposit which will be returned to you when you check-in at the picnic. Charge for guests is \$10, which is not returned.** Be sure to sign-up at one of the Chapter Meetings between now and the August meeting. Menu includes Fried Chicken, Italian Sausage w/peppers & onions, Meatballs in marinara sauce, Hoagie rolls, Mac & Cheese, and Coleslaw. As always, sodas and water will be provided. Games tickets will be \$1 each or 6 for \$5, paid at the picnic, for Corn Hole Toss and Poker Hand Draw. First and Second prize are awarded for each. We will also have Motorcycle Games, no cost to participate. If you have any questions, please contact Gail at [activities@daytonahog.com](mailto:activities@daytonahog.com)

### **Christmas Party**

Mark your calendar! The Shake, Rattle, and Roll in a Winter Wonderland Christmas party will be held Sat, Dec 7th at the Halifax Plantation Golf Club. There will be live music provided by The Silvertones Rock n Roll Revue and a plated dinner. Come dressed in your favorite attire from the 50's, 60's, or 70's, there will be a best dressed contest! Or wear whatever you want.... there will be some folks in jeans & t-shirts and others in formal gowns.... anything goes!

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

We are looking for volunteers to help with setup and breakdown for the Fall picnic. See Gail at the Chapter Meeting or email [activities@daytonahog.com](mailto:activities@daytonahog.com). Paul G, HOG Director, has confirmed anyone needing to leave the September Chapter meeting early to help setup for the picnic, will be considered present for any of the prize drawings you sign up for at the meeting.

*Ms. Gail Smith*

*Daytona Beach HOG Chapter*

*Activity Director*

#### **YES - IT IS THERE!**

**FIND THAT 'HIDDEN NUMBER' AND SEE IF IT'S YOURS · DON'T GET LAX AND MISS YOUR CHANCE TO WIN A FREE 1-YEAR DAYTONA BEACH HOG CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP**

**NOTE:** Last month [MAY] the HIDDEN number was in the picture of the Old Garage ...

*'Ms. Bonnie Straub' · · · sorry, not present ... NO winner!*



## *Message from the Membership Chairperson*

A BIG Welcome to all our new members and those returning. When you come into the regular HOG Monthly meeting and find that your name may not be on the sign-in sheet at the Greeting Table, **and** you have turned in your new/renew membership application for 2019, then please write in your name either on a blank sheet of paper, usually on the last page of the current HOG Chapter Roster.

**PRINT NAME – SIGN NAME and include your HOG National Number**

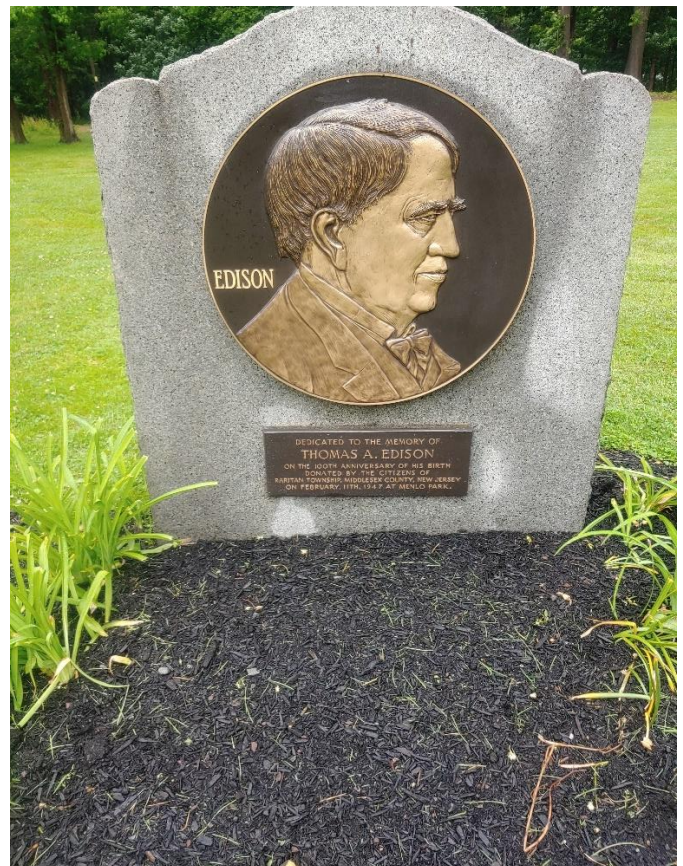
**Please .... remember to check your National HOG renewals.** If your **National HOG #** is not current, then you will be suspended from the local HOG Chapter and all its activities & events until you update your status with dues paid.

Thanks for your understanding. Be well,

***Diane Devito***

Daytona Beach HOG  
Membership Chairperson

Some interesting facts to know . .



*In Edison, New Jersey, there's a little known monument dedicated to Thomas A Edison that stands in the Menlo Park section of this Township. In the base of the 130 ft. tower is one of the original lamps developed in the laboratory that constantly burns [which has 4 different power supplies] inside.*

# TRIKES TO THE RIGHT

*Mitch Powell*

*Safety Officer*

During the recent **2019 International Female Ride**, I had the privilege to assist as a Sweep Road Captain. In the particular group that I followed there was a local female rider group that had a large number of trikes. As I walked along the line of bikes during a pre-ride inspection checking for bald tires, loose mufflers, etc., I reminded the riders that all trikes must ride on the right side of the lane. This initially was not received well and was immediately questioned. I was informed that they ride together all the time and are used to riding trikes in a staggered formation. I explained that no matter how they have ridden in the past, that was the policy that was to be followed on this ride today. Not wanting to leave it there and walk away, I stayed to explain the reasons behind this decision.

I explained that this was all about the safety of everyone participating in the ride. **Each lane of traffic can be subdivided into three smaller lanes. The far left most third of the lane is #1, the middle third of the lane is #2, and the far right third of the lane is #3. Two-wheelers ride in lanes #1 and #3. They are positioned two seconds behind the bike in front of them and one second to any bike to their left or right. This positioning is known as Staggered Formation.** This allows each rider in lane #1 to maneuver around obstacles by having not only their lane #1, but also the middle lane #2. Similarly, riders in lane #3 have their lane as well as the middle lane #2 for avoidance moves. Here is where the difference between 2-wheel bikes and 3-wheel trikes becomes very important. A trike's footprint occupies 2 lanes. If trikes ride in a staggered formation, each will occupy their own lane as well as sharing the middle lane #2 with each other. They will not have the room to maneuver around something ahead of them without impinging on their neighboring trike's interval and space. **According to the Motorcycle Safety Foundation, trikes should never ride in staggered formation** for reasons stated above. Trikes, like 2-wheelers, position themselves two seconds behind the rider in front of them and one second behind the rider to their sides. If trikes follow other trikes, there must be a two second interval. This will make the length of a group much longer if 2-wheelers don't position themselves in lane #1 staggered with the trikes. One of the duties of a Road Captain is to assist in the placement of riders in the group. Shorter length groups are easier to keep together along a route. It's all about safety and fun.

***RIDE SAFELY, HAVE FUN AND ALWAYS KEEP LIV'N THE DREAM!***

*Mitch Powell*

*Daytona Beach HOG – Safety Officer*





1994 25<sup>TH</sup> 2019

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October 6, 2019

Join us for this spectacular event celebrating the 25th Anniversary Bruce Rossmeier Ride for Children benefiting Camp Boggy Creek.

VIP Rider/Passenger  
\$250 each

Regular Rider/Passenger  
\$50 each

On Sunday, October 6, riders will take a police escorted ride from Destination Daytona to Camp Boggy Creek! The day includes a buffet lunch generously donated by Outback Steakhouse, silent & live auctions and live entertainment.

Register TODAY at [www.rideforchildren.com](http://www.rideforchildren.com)

For Ride and Silver Champagne Ball sponsorship information, contact [crobertson@campboggycreek.org](mailto:crobertson@campboggycreek.org) or 352-483-4125.

We hope to see YOU there!

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 CAMP BOGGY CREEK

Remember, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - This will be the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Ride of the 'Bruce Rossmeier' Ride for Children, benefiting and supporting the children of Camp Boggy Creek . . . 'where Kids can be Kids'!

# Bike Stuff

***By: John Devito***

***PLP Instructor***

In the past several years motorcycle fatalities in the State of Florida have been on the rise. There was a minor drop last year but almost not enough to mention. Volusia County has always been in the top 5 on this list. Not a good list to be on top of.

For this reason, the Florida Rider Training Program, FRTTP, applied and received a grant from the state. During the month of May, two of the experienced riders classes were given free of charge. Yes, the state paid the registered motorcycle schools to conduct the class. Not all schools qualified. They had to have an approved range and coaches qualified to teach the class. All you had to do was preregister and show your driver's license with the M/C endorsement and a copy of your insurance card. There were also both a pre and post survey to fill out, the state wanted to learn what the riders thought about the course.

I am happy to report that 4 of our members took advantage of this offer. It is sad to say out of over 160 members only 4 took advantage. I myself rode one and coached 2. There was some confusion as to the class names. The first class offered was called the Basic Riders Course (BRC2) This is the updated version of the old Advanced Rider's Class (ARC) The other is a relatively new class named the Ultimate Bike Bonding Course (UBBRC) Both courses took around 6 hours.

In an effort to beat the heat we started the classes at 8:00 am so we were off the range by 2 with an hour of paperwork. The good news was that there was a good breeze on the range.

If you attend Parking Lot Practice, PLP, regularly, you could have completed either class. The UBBRC was the hardest but offered larger space for the maneuvers, if needed. There was plenty of encouragement and instruction from the staff.

I hope to see everyone at PLP until then please stay hydrated and ride safe.

***John Devito***  
***Daytona Beach HOG***  
***PLP Instructor***

## ***REMEMBER***

*This is YOUR Newsletter - you can submit your vacation, favorite RIDE, a known location for good food and fun . . . Whatever ! ! !*

## *Message from the HOG Regional Manager*

# A WORD FROM THE REGION

We are in the heart of riding season now. It's been great seeing so many of you this spring. Riding is what we do, it's how we live. The Regional Officer Connection sessions are over, and I hope you were able to not only attend, but go home and put some things in action to improve your Chapter.

It's rally season and the Cajun H.O.G. Rally has come and gone, with 1,500+ H.O.G. members and guests having a great time in the Bayou. There are a lot more events to come, so keep checking [HOG.com](http://HOG.com).

Hopefully your Chapter members have signed up for Ride 365 and their first mileage readings are in the system. The Regional Managers have visited and celebrated with all the 2018 award-winning Chapters. The Journey Challenge gives yet another reason to get on the best motorcycles in the world, and Ride and Have Fun.

I hope to see you at one or more of the upcoming rallies this summer and fall. If you find yourself in Milwaukee, please let me know. Perhaps I can take you on a ride for a change. See you on the Road !



**PETE SCHWAB**

H.O.G. Regional Manager - 414-343-7601

## *Message from the Ladies Of Harley*

**PLEASE check the HOG calendar to see all the events that are going on for the current month.**

**Karen Colby, Director . . . JUST RIDE, Karen**





## Daytona HOG Florida Fire Station Tour

To participate, all you have to do is RIDE to the below listed locations between the dates of **MAY 19, 2019 thru SEPTEMBER 17, 2019.**

All you have to do is take a picture of you, and your motorcycle, in front of the Fire Station Sign located at each Fire Station, Company or Squad.

This is a 'Ride on your own' event. We highly encourage you to RIDE with other Chapter members to these destinations. Once you have taken the photo of you and your motorcycle, you must E-mail it to the following:

**[activities@ daytonahog.com](mailto:activities@daytonahog.com)**

**Please . . . you must include your name in the E-mail to receive credit**

ALL photos from this Event must be received No Later Than [NLT] the date of SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. - ANY photos placed on Facebook, or any other social media platform will not count towards that persons credit, as you must submit your entries per the RULES as noted above to receive credit

ALL participants who complete all [12] fire station **STOPS** and follow the requirements will receive a commemorative patch, rocker or pin. They will also be entered into a prize drawing at the September HOG Meeting.

Participation is encouraged and open to ALL Daytona Beach HOG members, and any questions should be directed to [director@daytonahog.com](mailto:director@daytonahog.com) OR [activities@daytonahog.com](mailto:activities@daytonahog.com)



# Florida Fire Station Tour 2019

Lake County Fire Rescue Station # 13	25330 County Route 42 Paisley, FL. 32767
Marion County Fire Department	13323 NE Jacksonville Road Sparr, FL. 32192 **
Alachua County fire Rescue Station # 8	5715 NE US Highway 301 Hawthorne, FL. 32640
Clay County Fire Rescue Station # 20	303 S Oakridge Avenue Green Cove Springs, FL. 32043
St. Johns Fire Station # 12	4405 Avenue A St. Augustine, FL. 32095
Brevard County Fire Station # 24	2280 Columbia Blvd. Titusville, FL. 32780
Orange County Fire Rescue Station # 84	1221 N Fort Christmas Road Christmas, FL. 32709
Sanford Fire Department Station # 31	1301 William Clark Avenue Sanford, FL. 32771
Cocoa Beach Fire Department Station # 50	151 W Volusia Lane Cocoa Beach, FL. 32931
Rockledge Fire Department Station # 1	1800 Rockledge Blvd. Rockledge, FL. 32955
Melbourne Fire Department	3721 N Wickham Road Melbourne, FL. 32935
Seminole County Fire Station # 42	344 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street Geneva, FL. 32732

\*\* SPARR, FL. may also come-up on Map Program and/or GPS as : CITRA, FL. 32113

**Deadline will be September 17<sup>th</sup> 2019 @ 4:00 p.m.**

**Attention: Veteran Community, Friends and Supporters:**



**Your help is needed in supporting the fundraiser sponsored by  
Daytona Beach Vietnam Veterans of America at the Peabody  
Auditorium on August 03, 2019**

**Please share this with all of your friends!**

**Take advantage of the Early Bird Group Discount, get your tickets soon!**

**For more information, please contact:**

**Rod Phillips - 386.690.9553 or Bob Adkins - 614.395.2727**

**Richard 'Stretch' Sawicki – 732.575.6551 or Jerry Gomes**

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*Please see Richard 'Stretch' Sawicki OR Jerry Gomes for more information and tickets to this great show, with proceeds raised by VVA Chapter #1048 going to be used in support of all Local Volusia County Veteran Support Groups*

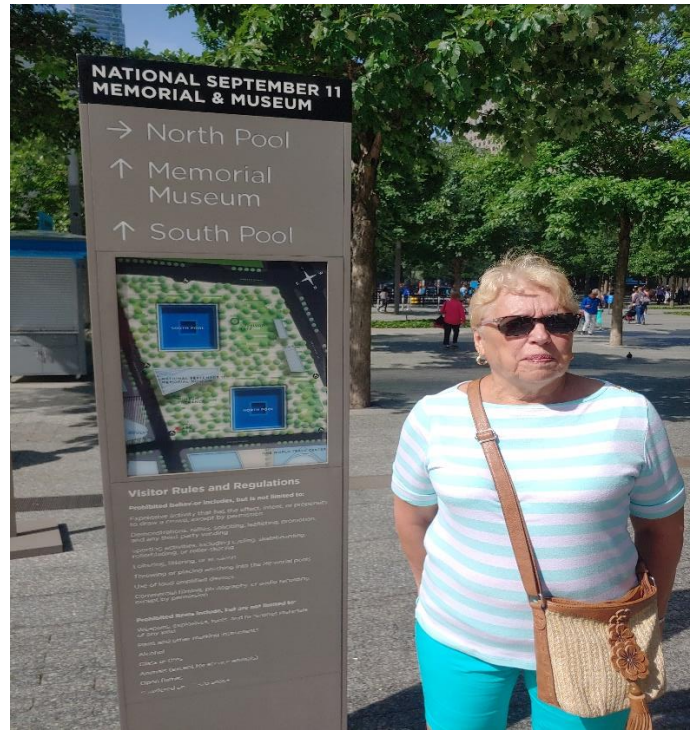


*Our trip (12 JUNE 19) to New York City and the 9-11 Memorial & Museum*

*Richard 'Stretch' & Connie Sawicki*



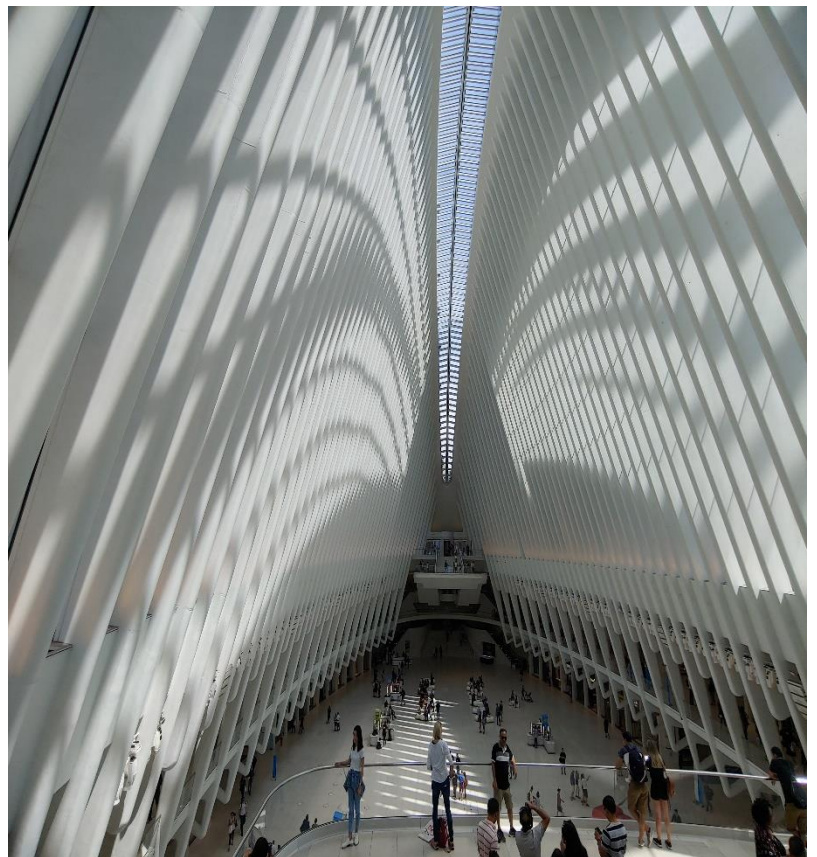
*Richard Sawicki*



*Connie Sawicki*



*(NEW) Freedom Tower at World trade Center Site*



*Interior of the new Port Authority Terminal "OCULUS" in N.Y.C.*

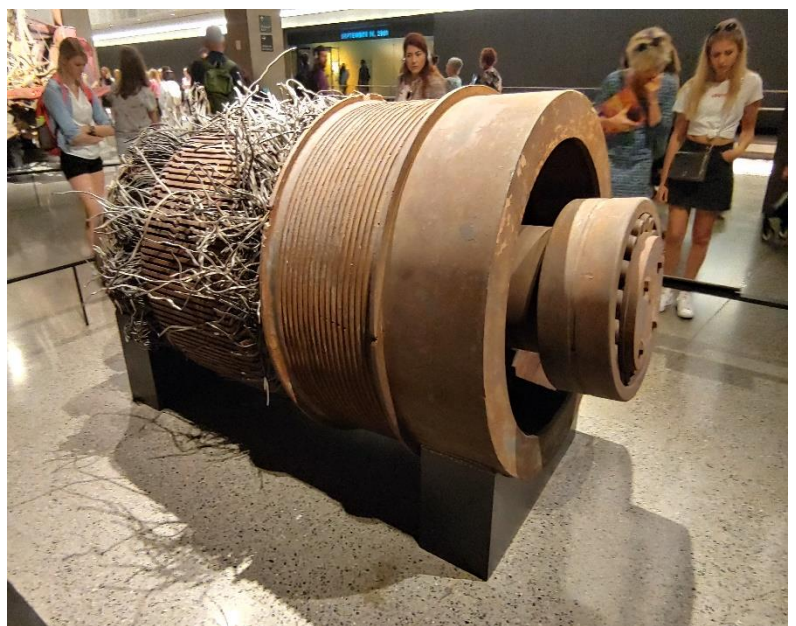




*"NO DAY SHALL ERASE YOU FROM THE MEMORY OF TIME" the blue squares represent each victim*



*The original steel footings for the WTC*



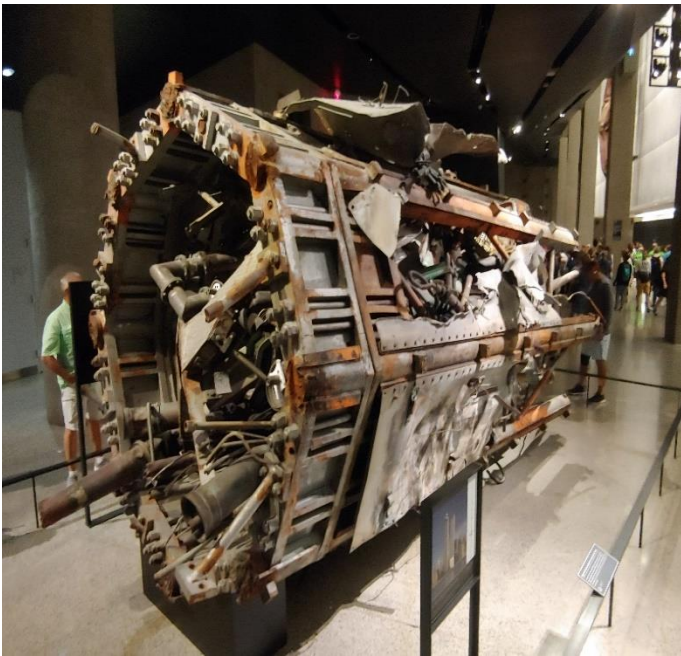
*One of the elevator motors for the twin towers*





*The last piece of structural steel removed from the foundations of WTC [ 7 stories below street level here]*





*Base of the radio/TV tower on top of WTC*

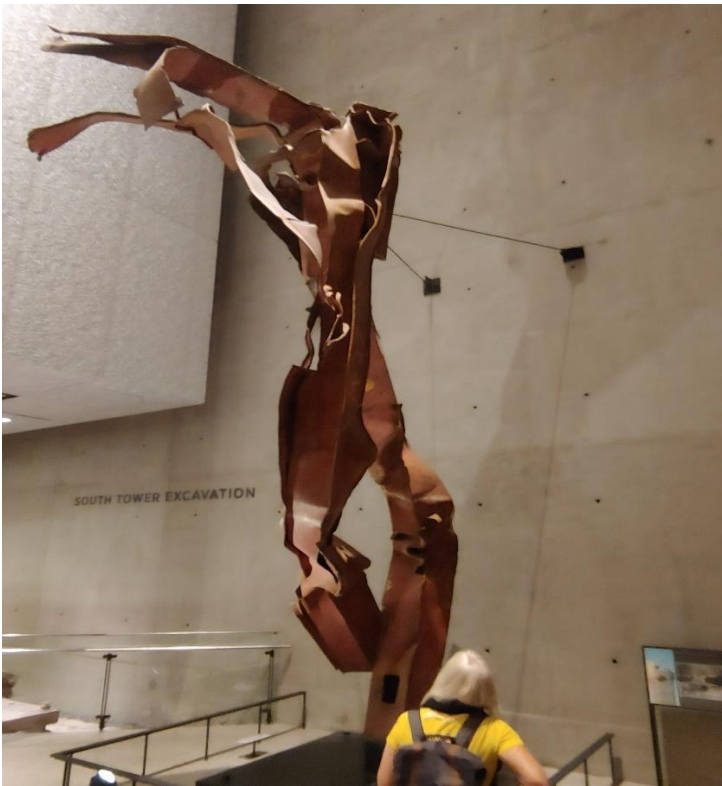


*House 118 Hook & Ladder overhead doors*

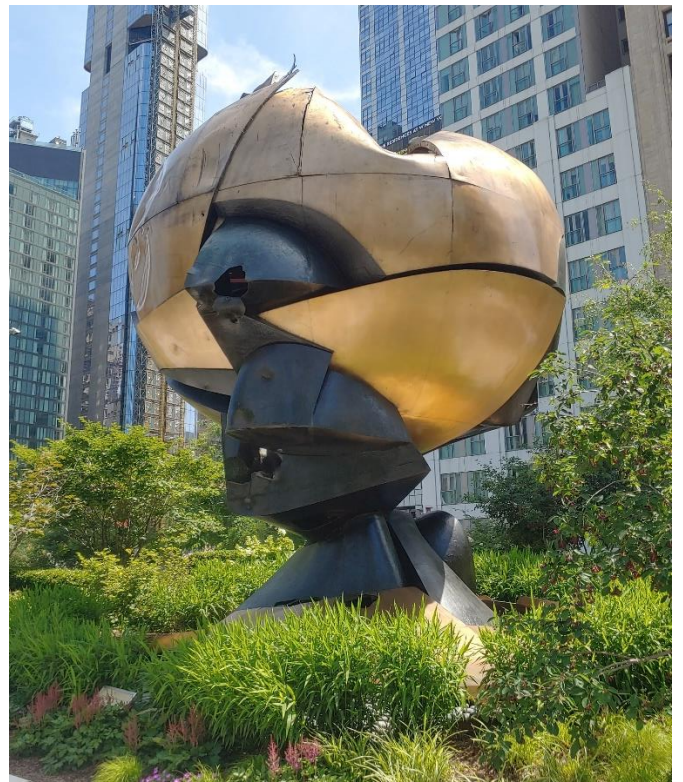


*The crushed remains of Ladder Truck #3 that responded to the WTC disaster. This unit's men perished when the towers collapsed on September 11, 2001. All that remains is the rear section of the fire truck.*





*Some of the twisted structural beams from the WTC*



*This art piece was in the plaza between the WTC*



*Company #10 - closest fire Co. to the WTC with their new apparatus [Pumper Truck and Ladder/Aerial]*



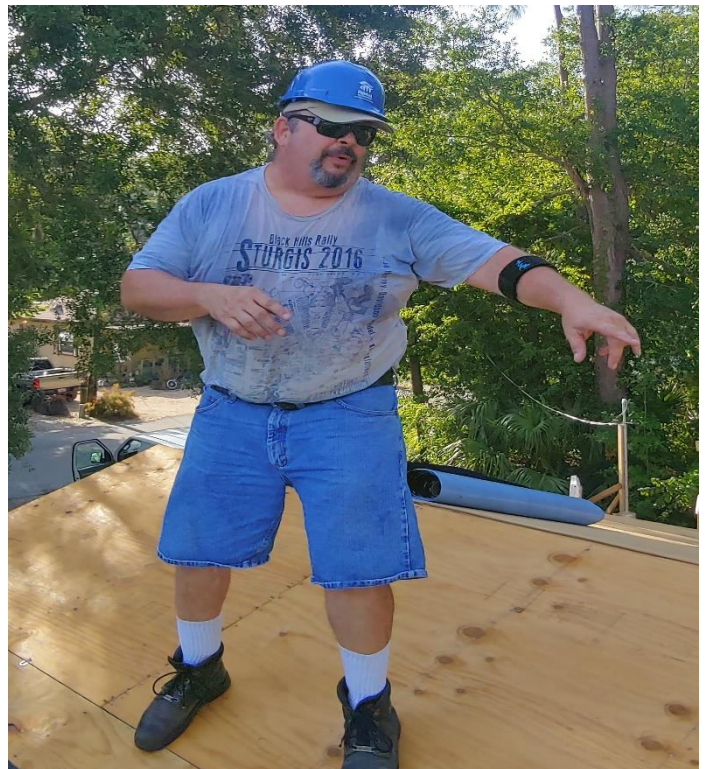
## DAYTONA BEACH HOG & HABITAT for HUMANITY HOME BUILD (Holly Hill)



*Daytona Beach H.O.G. at the Habitat for Humanities Home Build - June 22, 2019  
Gerry, Paul, Jim, new home owner, HFH Coordinator, Susan, Tom, Jackie, Randy, Tony, Stretch and Jan  
Kneeling in front - Foreman-Keith*



*Jan Bogard the ground safety supervisor*

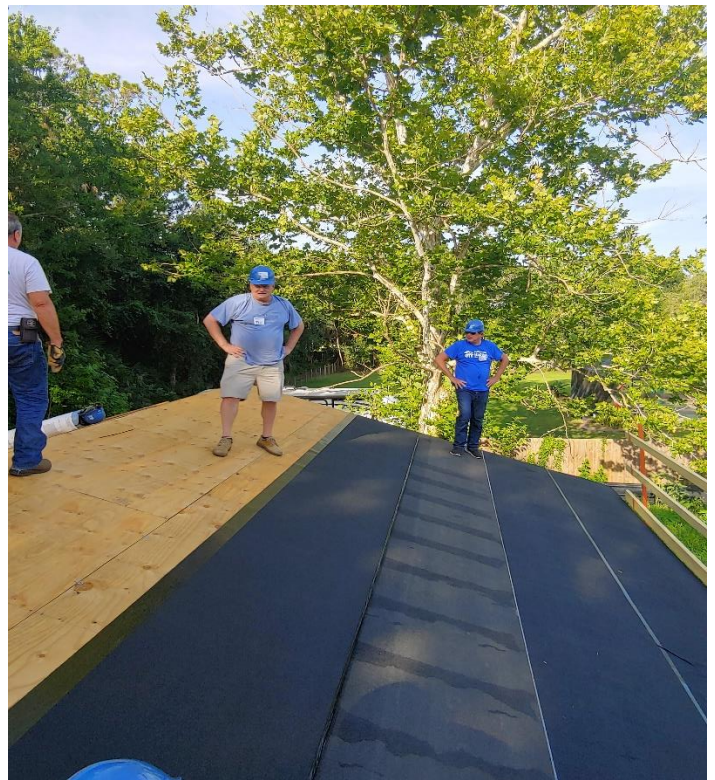


*Gerry Smith our 'lead person' in roof work*





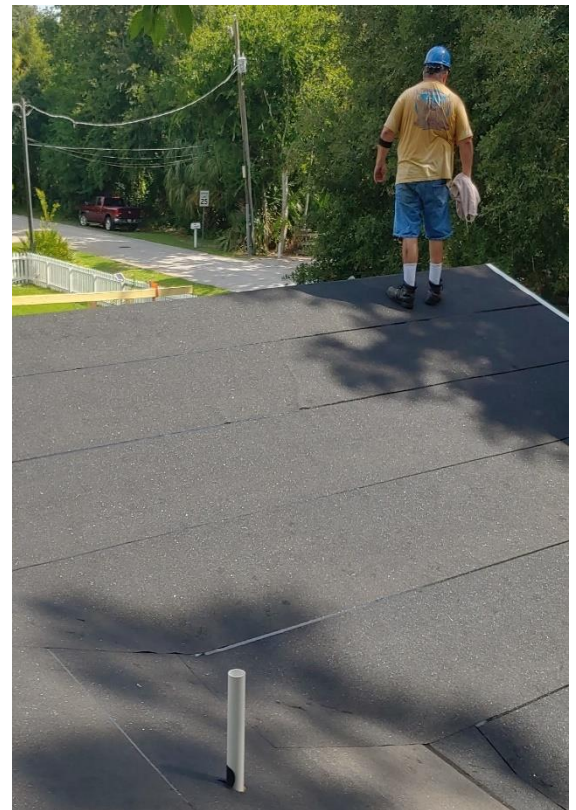
*Tony Foltz making a 'clean sweep' Before start*



*Randy, Tom and Paul after another row of barrier*



*'Woody', Jim, Tony & Tom 'water-bottle break time'*



*'Woody' letting all know job complete on the roof*





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*The first 'LiveWire' Charging station now ready at the Dealership [by Service Area]*





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Dealership Representative



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## *RIDE 365 PROGRAM*

The 'Program' is alive, well and making great strides for the RIDING year 2019. Jean Abeling is at the Daytona H-D Dealership to record your starting mileage on your motorcycle. This is not only a personal item for riding, but as a whole to achieve a rating for the Daytona Beach HOG Chapter in overall standings within the State, as well as the Nation.

Call the Dealership: **386 – 671 – 7100 [ext. 1311]**

Ask for Jean Abeling. She is there to record your starting mileage figures for 2019 . . . No matter when you start

So get out there and ***RIDE*** .....

'those miles will add up benefiting you and the Chapter'



Please remember our chapter brother and sister, Richard and Theresa Nichols, who are struggling medically. My God deliver mercy, grace and everlasting love. We are all with you and holding you up, also looking to be reunited soon, All of our love ... Pastor Ron

There will be a **Monthly Ceremony** presented by our own Chapter Chaplain Ron Cain. After the end of each HOG Monthly Meeting, just outside the back doors of the facility. Ron & Carley will be doing the Bike Blessings in the parking lot east of the building.



This is MONTHLY ... please see Chaplain Ron Cain

## *Message from the (Past) Head Road Captain*

### **THIS IS MY FINAL REPORT AS THE HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN**

AS OF JUNE 11<sup>th</sup> I HAVE FORMALLY REIGNED FROM THIS POSITION. IT HAS BEEN MY PLEASURE TO BE THE HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN FOR THE WORLD FAMOUS DAYTONA HOGS FOR ALMOST SEVEN YEARS. AS A CHAPTER WE HAVE RODE THOUSANDS OF MILES ON OVER A THOUSAND RIDES.

I WISH THE NEW HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN GREAT RIDES, AND SUCCESS.

I WILL STILL BE OUT THERE RIDING WITH YOU.

AS ALWAYS RIDE SAFE AND HAVE FUN.....

**JERRY GOMES**  
**(FORMER) HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN**  
**DAYTONA BEACH HOG**

**Please ..... REMEMBER WHEN YOU SIGN IN FOR A RIDE, please PRINT....**  
**IF THEY CAN'T READ YOUR NAME, THEN YOU GET NO RIDE CREDIT**



## ATTENTION ALL RIDERS

I am already getting a start on the 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL HOG INTERNATIONAL RIDE during the annual DAYTONA BEACH Bike Week of MARCH 2020. This event is sponsored by the Daytona Beach HOG Chapter, in support with Daytona Harley-Davidson and HOG of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. IF you have ideas, comments, concerns and other items you think the Road Captains should OR would address to make 2020 better than we just had in 2019, please come forward and let us all know what needs to be discussed, changed, improved, deleted, added, etc.

**You may contact the Head Road Captain OR any Road Captain**

**HRC – Gerry 'Woody' Smith**



*Mr. Will Rossmeier - Vice President*  
*Bruce Rossmeier's Daytona Harley-Davidson*  
**Dealership HOG Chapter Sponsor**

**Mr. Will Rossmeier - Vice President**  
**386 – 671 - 7119**



## *Message from the Quartermasters*



**Tony & Michelle Foltz**  
**Quartermaster**

Good day fellow members . . . .

Great news, the Memorial Patches are in. Also, if you ordered a name tag, they are in as well. Stop by the Quartermaster Table before the meeting to pick these items up are any other HOG merchandise we have. Hope to see everyone at the meeting.

*Tony and Michelle Foltz*

*Quartermaster - Daytona Beach H.O.G. Chapter*

E-mail us at: [daytonahogquartermaster@aol.com](mailto:daytonahogquartermaster@aol.com)

### **REMEMBER**

CHECK THE DAYTONA HOG WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE FOR INFORMATIONS,  
RIDES, EVENTS, SPECIAL HAPPENINGS, DEALERSHIP PARTYS, Etc.

AND ... THERE IS A **NEW PASSWORD** TO THE 'MEMBERS ONLY' SECTION ...

PLEASE ASK AN EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER FOR IT AT THE HOG MEETING

### **NOTICE - NOTICE - NOTICE**

For those that DO and/or DO NOT know the rules for the "HIDDEN NUMBER" let's refresh:

1. The 'HIDDEN' number is located within the pages of each DB-HOG monthly Newsletter  
IT is for you, the HOG member to FIND IT, CHECK IT and SEE IF it is your current  
**NATIONAL HOG Membership Number**.
2. You also must be a member in good standing with the HOG Chapter.
3. IF it is your number, you must come forward PRIOR TO, DURING or BEFORE I make the  
Monthly Newsletter Report at the meeting ...
4. YOU can also come forward and reach-out to any Executive Board member OR to me, the  
Editor, letting one of us know you are the 'owner' of that number and claim your reward.
5. The prize for finding 'your' number and claiming it as noted above - a 'FREE' one (1)  
year [next calendar year] HOG Chapter membership [value @ \$20.00]

### **PARKING LOT PRACTICE**

Parking Lot Practice (PLP) will continue throughout the current RIDING year. It is held at the  
pavilion across from the J & P Cycle Store over at "Destination Daytona".

This is a **FREE** monthly session for Daytona Beach HOG members **ONLY**.

Roger White, Dan Vassallo, and other riders, as well as myself [John Devito] will continue to  
give you the best instruction and practice courses in riding 'your' type of motorcycle.

Be it two [2] wheel OR three [3] wheels, we will continue to endeavor and make your  
experience worthwhile when attending these instructional courses.

**Parking Lot Practice – 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY of the Month – 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.**

**[WWW.DAYTONAHOG.COM](http://WWW.DAYTONAHOG.COM)**

**[WWW.BRHD.COM](http://WWW.BRHD.COM)**



## **MESSAGE FROM THE DEALERSHIP....**

THE MILES YOU RIDE SHOW YOUR  
DEDICATION TO FREEDOM AND THE OPEN ROAD.

# **RIDE 365**

*Whether it's an afternoon get away or a transcontinental journey of a lifetime, every ride you take brings us closer together. Keep track of your lifetime mileage, because the miles count. If you aren't enrolled in the Lifetime mileage program, see your dealer to enroll.*

**What is Ride 365?** Ride 365 is The Official Mileage Recognition Program for The Official Riding Club of Harley-Davidson. Ride 365 includes the existing Lifetime Recognition and two new programs—Annual Recognition and an annual Chapter Challenge.

**Why are we doing it?** To encourage you to focus on the reason you own H-D motorcycles—to ride them!

**What's in it for me as a H.O.G. member?** • Celebrate good times—log your miles and be recognized • Track your riding experience—rack up miles and celebrate the milestones • Contribute to your Chapter's Challenge mileage goal—have fun as you strengthen your Chapter

**How will mileage be tracked?** You must have your odometer mileage validated at your H-D dealership at the beginning of the calendar year. After that, you can return to the dealer throughout the year to add to your total annual mileage. **Can I enter mileage myself?** To maintain the integrity of the program, mileage must be read and entered at authorized Harley-Davidson Dealership.

**Who is eligible to participate in Ride 365?** Any H.O.G. member can and should participate!

**If I trade in a motorcycle, can I keep the miles?** Yes. The miles ridden by you, belong to you.

**What if I have more than one bike?** Can I register all of them in Ride 365? **Yes.**

**Can H.O.G. members start the program at any time during the year?** Yes. You may check-in your mileage at any time during the year. The annual program recognizes miles ridden from January 1 through December 31, so it's smart to check-in mileage at the beginning of the year.

**How many times each year do H.O.G. members have to check-in their mileage?** You need only to have your odometer checked in two times each year at the dealership—the first time to validate miles on or after January 1, and the second time is for a final annual total on or before December 31. However, you'll want to check in with your dealership frequently to enter your updated miles so you can earn digital badges and add to your annual and chapter totals throughout the year. Adding your mileage will instantly update the HOG.com website and your chapter totals.

**What are the individual levels, rewards and recognition offered in the Ride 365 program?**

- 1,000 miles Digital badge
- 2,500 miles Digital badge
- 5,000 miles Digital certificate & digital badge
- 7,500 miles Digital certificate & digital badge

- 10,000 miles Digital badge, certificate & patch
- 15,000 miles Digital badge, certificate & patch
- 20,000 miles Digital badge, certificate & patch
- **25,000 miles Digital badge, certificate, patch, Challenge Coin**
- **50,000 miles Digital badge, certificate, patch, Challenge Coin**
- **75,000 miles Digital badge, certificate, patch, Challenge Coin**
- **100,000 miles Digital badge, certificate, patch, Challenge Coin**

PLEASE STOP BY THE DEALERSHIP AND HAVE YOUR  
MILEAGE READ.....

**RIDE**365

## Message from the local Harley-Davidson Dealership

### ROSSMEYER REWARDS

In celebration of 25 years in business, we are rewarding you - our most valued customer - with a brand new points reward program designed specifically to enhance your shopping experience at each of our Bruce Rossmeyer's Harley-Davidson® store locations.

When you join our free Rossmeyer Rewards program you'll earn valuable points for every purchase you make at Daytona Harley-Davidson® and New Smyrna Harley-Davidson® which can then be redeemed toward future purchases. That's right, shop with us, receive reward points for each purchase then redeem those reward points on even more great Harley-Davidson® items!

### Here's how it works:

Sign up for your free Rossmeyer Rewards Card with one of our sales associates.

Carry your card and each time you shop present your Rossmeyer Rewards Card for credit to your account on all qualifying transactions at checkout. You must present the card at time of purchase to add the points - so carry your card at all times.

As a loyal Rossmeyer Rewards customer we will credit you points for every \$1.00 spent on nearly everything you purchase in our parts, service, MotorClothes® and motorcycle rental departments (excludes motorcycle purchases, internet/on-line purchases, taxes, promotional add-on items, and certain service/ warranty work - see store associates for details).

As your Rossmeyer Rewards points increase, so do your rewards which can be redeemed for dollars toward future purchases in Bruce Rossmeyer's Daytona Harley-Davidson® and New Smyrna Harley-Davidson® anytime you like. Maximum points a member can have at any one time is 10,000 points.

Rossmeyer Rewards points will expire at the end of each calendar year.

Rewards become available up to 24 - 48 hours after your purchase and 48-72 hours for specials.

To convert the points to a Rossmeyer Reward certificate simply print the certificate as instructed and bring it to our dealership where the cashier will apply it to your purchase. Reward certificates printed by the customer will automatically expire within 30 days from the date that the certificate is printed. Lost or stolen certificates cannot be replaced. Defaced certificates will not be accepted by the dealer. Reward certificates cannot be redeemed for cash. Reward points cannot be issued retroactively so carry your card at all times.



Once you redeem your rewards, the points will be automatically deducted from your total.

Only one Rossmeyer Rewards card per person will be issued. Replacement cards will invalidate previous accounts which may result in loss of earned point totals.

### **Earn Bonus Points!**

Rossmeyer Rewards members will be the first to know about the arrival of new items and services. Plus, we will notify all Rossmeyer Rewards members of ways to increase your earnings with bonus point offers for attending special events and unique sales events throughout the year which can occur at anytime, in any department!

### **Daytona & New Smyrna Beach H.O.G.® Member Special Benefits**

Bruce Rossmeyer's Daytona and New Smyrna Beach H.O.G.® members who participate in the Rossmeyer Rewards program will be awarded 2.0 points per \$1.00 spent in the Bruce Rossmeyer's Harley-Davidson® stores. That's twice as many as non-members! Bonus points will also be awarded for a member's active volunteer service during special events and other approved chapter activities. See store H.O.G.® coordinator for details.

### **MOTORCYCLE SALE REFERRALS GET EXTRA POINTS!!\***

Customers who refer Bruce Rossmeyer's Harley-Davidson® to friends and family who purchase a motorcycle from either of our Florida dealerships will be awarded bonus points in the Rossmeyer Rewards program at the following levels:

- 2000 points for the first referral.
- 3000 points for the second referral within one year of first referral.
- 4000-points for the third referral within one year of first referral.
- 5000 points for the fourth referral within one year of first referral.

\*In order to qualify for the referral points, the motorcycle purchaser must identify you - the referring Rossmeyer Rewards member - to the sales person and finance manager prior to the motorcycle purchaser signing the purchase paperwork and taking delivery of the motorcycle - absolutely no exceptions.

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***PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS***

*This year there has been a change-up in the way we will be supporting all of our sponsors who gladly buy-in to our newsletter advertisements, as you see in the following pages.*

*There will NOT be any more RIDE and have FUN BOOKS as there were in the past.*

*We, Jackie & Randy Port, have solicited those same vendors, as well as new ones, to advertise in our Daytona Beach HOG Newsletter. They have done so graciously, with a 'buy-in' to the VENDOR SUPPORT PAGES*

*You will note that some vendors are offering % percentages off of meals, as well as other discounts like AAA, AARP, Military/Veteran*

***PLEASE, support those who support your great Daytona Beach HOG Chapter***  
**REMEMBER .... YOU CAN SUPPORT EACH and ANY VENDOR .... ANY TIME, ANY DAY**

*THANK YOU .... Jackie & Randy Port*





### 3 Bananas

11 S Lake St - Crescent City FL 32112

386.698.2861

[www.3bananas.com](http://www.3bananas.com)



### Beach Front Grille

2444 S Ocean Shore Blvd - Flagler Beach FL 32136

386.693.4839

[www.beachfrontgrille.com](http://www.beachfrontgrille.com)

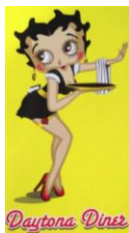


### Ruthy's Kozy Kitchen

618 Canal St - New Smyrna Beach FL 32168

386.423.9656

[www.ruthyskozykitchen.com](http://www.ruthyskozykitchen.com)



### Daytona Diner

1043 S Atlantic Ave - Daytona Beach Shores FL 32118

386.256.2603

[www.daytonadiner.com](http://www.daytonadiner.com)



### Racing's North Turn Beach Bar and Grille

4511 S Atlantic Ave - Ponce Inlet FL 32127

386.322.3258

[www.racingsnorthturn.com](http://www.racingsnorthturn.com)



### Alfie's Restaurant

1666 Ocean Shore Blvd - Ormond Beach FL 32176

386.441.7024

[www.alfiesrestaurant.com](http://www.alfiesrestaurant.com)



### Giuseppe's Steel City Pizza

3658 Nova Rd - Port Orange FL 32129

386.761.4717

[www.giuseppessteelcitypizza.com](http://www.giuseppessteelcitypizza.com)



### Blackwater Inn & William's Landing

55716 Front St - Astor FL 32102

352.759.2802

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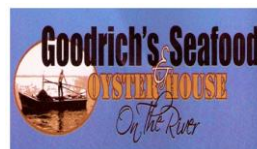


### Saints and Sinners Pub

1635 N US Highway 1 - Ormond Beach FL 32174

386.671.7108

[www.facebook.com/saintnsinnerspub](http://www.facebook.com/saintnsinnerspub)



### Goodrich's Seafood and Oyster House

253 River Rd - Oak Hill FL 32759

386.345.3397

[www.goodrichseafoodandoysterhouse.com](http://www.goodrichseafoodandoysterhouse.com)



**Dogs R Us Titusville**

4200 S Washington Ave - Titusville FL 32780  
321.269.9050

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**Renegade's On The River**

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386.524.4052

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**Java Joint Beachside Grill**

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386.439.1013

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195 S State Road 415 - Osteen FL 32764  
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**Pitmasters BBQ**

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185 S US Highway 17 - East Palatka FL 32131  
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[www.shilohssteakandseafood.com](http://www.shilohssteakandseafood.com)



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### DOUG & LIL'S POTATO PATCH

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Ormond Beach FL 32176  
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[www.bilystaproomormondbeach.com](http://www.bilystaproomormondbeach.com)

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### SPARKY'S PLACE RESTAURANT

24646 State Road 40  
Astor FL 32102  
352.759.3551

[www.sparkysplace13.com](http://www.sparkysplace13.com)



### 'World Famous' OASIS RESTAURANT

4000 A1A S  
Saint Augustine Beach FL 32080  
904.471.3424

[www.worldfamousoasis.com](http://www.worldfamousoasis.com)



### Dixie Crossroads

1475 Garden St  
Titusville FL 32796  
321.268.5000

[www.dixiecrossroads.com](http://www.dixiecrossroads.com)



### THE NEW CHICKEN PANTRY

600 E Moody Blvd  
Bunnell FL 32110  
386.437.3316

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### TOMOKA RIDERS

ABC MOTORCYCLE MINISRTY  
Ron & Carley Cain  
Ormond Beach FL 32176  
386.441.8776

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<b><i>EXECUTIVE BOARD ROAD CAPTAIN MEETING DATES</i></b>	<b><i>MEMBERSHIP MEETING DATES</i></b> Please make note of date changes for <u>Monthly HOG Meetings</u>	<b>Chapter Dealership Bruce Rossmeyer's Mr. Will Rossmeyer Vice President 386 – 671 - 7119</b>
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**CUT OUT THE FOLLOWING LIST AND KEEP NEAR YOUR HOME CALEDAR**

<u>Meetings are held on Tuesday Evenings</u> <u>5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.</u> <u>H-D Dealership Training/Break Room</u>	<u>Membership Meeting</u> <u>9:00 a.m. till 9:30 a.m. 'Meet &amp; Greet'</u> <u>9:30 a.m. till 10:30 a.m. Meeting Time</u>
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January 08, 2019	January 26, 2019
February 12, 2019	February 16, 2019
March 05, 2019	March 30, 2019 <b>##</b>
April 09, 2019	April 27, 2019
May 14, 2019	<del>May 18, 2019</del> <b>**</b>
June 11, 2019	June 29, 2019 <b>##</b>
July 09, 2019	July 27, 2019
August 13, 2019	August 24, 2019
September 10, 2019	September 28, 2019
October 08, 2019	October 26, 2019
November 12, 2019	November 23, 2019 <b>[Holiday Weekend]</b>
December 10, 2019 (Transition Meeting)	<b>NO regular HOG Chapter Monthly Meeting</b>
There will be NO regular meetings for the Month of December Due to Holiday Season	Make note that due to holidays & conflicts March - May - June - November meetings are CHANGED in the month

Any & all meetings are open to the entire membership and participation is encouraged  
EXECUTIVE BOARD & ROAD CAPTAINS will NOW be meeting at Daytona H-D Dealership

**>>>>“NEW MEETING LOCATION – NEW MEETING TIME” <<<<**

**THIS NEW MEETING LOCATION HAS A NEW TIME**

**>>>>>> STARTING AT 5:30 p.m. <<<<<<**

**Regular HOG Chapter membership meetings are held at HOULIGAN's  
in the dining room area (NEW TIME) 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.**

**(\*\*) Denotes meeting will be on third [3<sup>rd</sup>] Saturday (##) Denotes meeting will be on 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday**