



# The H.O.G. Insider

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This Month's Member Meeting

October 20, 2019 @ Lamb's Farm—Magnolia Café

9:00 Breakfast

10:00 Meeting

## October LSHOG Rides/Events

10/10—Weeknight Wanderings—Chatter Box—KSU 6:45PM leaving From dealer  
10/12—Edward's Apple Orchard—KSU 9:30AM— leaving from dealer  
10/13—DuKane ABATE Toy & Food Run—KSU 8:00AM—leaving from Rt. 12 & 120 Volo  
10/15—LOH Night Out—Meet @ Hitz Pizza & Sports Bar—Mundelein—6:45PM—All welcome  
10/19—Revere's Wells Street Tavern—KSU 9:30AM—leaving from dealer  
10/20—Chapter Meeting followed by Fall Festival @ dealer  
10/27—45 Diner—KSU 9:00AM—leaving from dealer  
10/30—Nightmare before Halloween ride—KSU 7:00PM—leaving from dealer  
Be sure to add these dates to your personal calendar

Check out the calendar on our website for more detailed information

<http://lakeshorehog.com/calendar/>

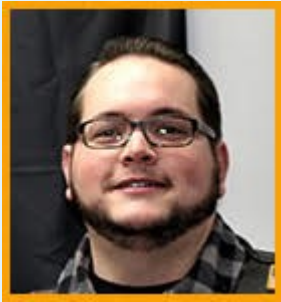


# Let's Ride

CHAPTER RIDE HOT LINE 847-281-3141



## Corey Johnston – Director



Hello October and welcome fall. Fall is one of my favorite times to ride. Crisp cool air, beautiful color changes, and all the great fall treats.

I have three rides this month. Thursday October 3<sup>rd</sup> we left lakeshore at 6:30 for our second installation of my cigar rides. We headed on an hour ride to Mike's Donuts & Chicken in Kenosha. I also lead a ride Saturday October 5 leaving Lake Shore at 10:30 to head through 70 miles on the rustic roads of Wisconsin to the Elegant Farmer for Harvest Fest. **On Saturday October 19<sup>th</sup>** I will be leading a ride through 110 more miles of tree lined rustic roads to Revere's in Delafield. We have several other great rides on the calendar taking us out to see mother nature at her finest. Make sure you check your calendar.

Don't forget our October meeting will be our annual officer nominations. We still need two volunteers to be on our election committee. If you are interested please email me.

Don't forget we have an awesome Fall Festival following our October meeting. All of that being said, let's get out there and soak up that crisp fall air and ride. Until next time enjoy the road.



Corey (Rain Man) Johnston  
"Listen to the wind, it talks..."  
Director/RC  
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## Ralph Lenzini—Assistant Director



Well here we are and it's October. We still have a lot of rides on the calendar and we have the fall event coming up. I don't know about you but a pie eating contest sure does sound like fun. I am hoping that all of the rain will stop. Seems like almost every weekend it rains. Sure would like to finish the riding season in a good way. Like, no bad weather until the end of November ( I'm Dreaming again.). There is really nothing to report in the Harley world as of now other than the fact that we just need to ride as much as we can.

Okay, now onto something that I feel is very important and should be said. This month is the nominations for the Primary positions. If you think you have the time and want to give back to the Chapter then put your name in the hat and do it. But please remember this: if you lose in November IT'S NOT PERSONAL. Maybe our Brothers and Sisters think the other person can do a better job or maybe they have more friends there that day. Who knows and who cares, because in the end, we all have the same goal...to Ride, have fun and eat a lot. But if you win, your going to have fun trying to organize this group. So remember, in the end we are all doing the same thing and have the same goal and that's RIDING AND HAVING FUN.



Ralph "yoyo" Lenzini  
Chase all the sunsets you can. Let's Ride  
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## Rick Cruz – Secretary



Welcome Fall, with fall comes the lovely changing of the leaves and the many colors tied to it. Hopefully you will be able to get out there and enjoy the changing colors, crisp air and beautiful scenery.

From our September General Meeting:  
Meeting opened at 10:03 AM.

- \* To date we have 210 members.
- The Chapter finances are on track.

- The Fall Festival will be Sunday October 20, after the General Meeting and will be held at the Dealership. See flyer for details. We will also be drawing the winner for the activity cards.
- The Holiday party is scheduled for Saturday December 7, 2019 at the Doubletree in Mundelien again this year
- There is no special theme
- There are a number of rooms blocked and available now. Use (Lake Shore H.O.G.) when you call (847) 949- 5100 to reserve your room, the cost is \$109.00
- The cutoff to reserve your room at this rate is Friday November 15, 2019
- The "Hot Diggity Dog" contest ends October 1<sup>st</sup>, get those pictures submitted!
- Welcome to our newest Road Captain James Hancock
- The Chapter Mileage Contest officially ends at the October General Meeting, Sunday October 20. You can see John to get your mileage counted at the meeting, or you can see Kory at the Dealership up to the day of the General meeting to have your mileage count for the 2019 riding season.
- If you don't get your numbers in by October 20<sup>th</sup>, and it must be in person, you can still get your mileage entered to start the 2020 riding season by seeing Kory at the dealership.
- There are still a number of great rides on the Calendar through November, take some time to look at the calendar and join us on one of those many rides.
- Stay tuned for information forthcoming regarding the Packing and Delivery of the Teddy Bears / Matchbox Cars.
- Remember the Do's and Don'ts when emergency braking, Ride defensively at all times and try to stay out of "blind Spots" It's good to practice braking, find a parking lot where you can safely practice, as well it's always good to attend one of the available advanced rider courses.
- October will be the Nominations for the 2020 Primary Officers, there will be a committee of three members that will run this process at the October General Meeting.
- If you are interested in being an officer, don't hesitate to nominate yourself or have someone nominate you, please see the rules found on our Lake Shore H.O.G. website.
- The voting will take place at the November General Meeting.
- When a chapter member passes away, the chapter will take donations to purchase a rivet and have it installed on the wall at the Harley Davidson Museum. We also create a memorial patch and will offer these for sale to those who want to purchase one in remembrance. Once the rivet is paid for and the patches are covered any extra money is donated to the surviving member to use as needed. Regarding Steve Bachner, once the rivet and patches were covered, we had an additional \$135.00 which was given to his surviving Spouse Gretchen, which she graciously accepted and stated the money would be donated to an animal shelter in Steve's Name.
- October General meeting is Sunday October 20, 2019 at Lambs Farm. Breakfast starts at 9:00 AM with the meeting starting at 10:00 AM. After the meeting there will be the Fall Festival at the Dealership.

**REMEMBER** If you get a friend to join the chapter you get 2 activity cards filled out and entered into the drawing at the end of the year! Encourage all your Harley riding friends to join, let them know that all they need is their national H.O.G. membership and the passenger can be an associate member! (If both join, that equals 4 completed activity cards!)

Rick Cruz  
Secretary  
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## Anne Weimer—Membership



Welcome fall, I hope everyone has been able to enjoy the interesting September weather we have been having. With October beginning there are still plenty of rides on the schedule so get out there and enjoy the cooler weather and hopefully it continues to allow us to keep riding quite a bit longer.

Our membership continues to grow, this month we welcome to our family **Stephen Neff** and **Michael Peat**. I truly hope to see you at meetings and on the rides. Reminder, when attending a ride please don't forget your green card, you will be asked to show it before the

ride begins.

October's meeting is on **Sunday October 20<sup>th</sup>** at the Magnolia Café at Lambs Farm. Breakfast begins at 9:00 am and the meeting starts at 10:00 am. Afterwards is the Fall Event which promises to be a lot of fun.

Reminder: if you let your National H.O.G. membership expire, your membership with Lake Shore is inactivated until you renew your national membership. In addition if you would attend one of our rides you will be required to fill out another release form. Renewal can be accomplished easily by logging onto [www.hog.com](http://www.hog.com)

Remember our motto "RIDE AND HAVE FUN"

Anne Weimer

**Membership Officer/Volunteer Coordinator**

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## Ron Alghini — Activities Officer



Happy Fall everyone! The Hot Diggity Dog Competition is coming to an end as of Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. The competition was tight. The winner will be announced at the October meeting. Thank you to everyone who participated!

The Fall Festival will be held at the dealership following the meeting on **October 20<sup>th</sup>**. Come one, come all for some fun games and chances to win prizes. We will also be having the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual LSHOG Pie Eating Contest. See the attached flyer for more details.

The Holiday party will be here before you know it. It will be held at the Karma Restaurant in the DoubleTree Hotel in Mundelein on **Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>**. There is a block of rooms reserved. Mention LSHOG for the discounted rate of \$109. The sign up flyer is attached. Availability is limited to the first 80 that RSVP. Print off the flyer and send your check to Ron. Checks should be made out to Lake Shore H.O.G. Flyers will also be available at the meeting.

Ron Alghini

"Ronster"

**Activities Officer**

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## John R Sweeney Jr HEAD ROAD CAPTAIN



Let's welcome our final new Road Captain for this season, James Hancock. All 5 applicants have now successfully completed all of the necessary steps and have received their rockers. Some of them have already added rides to our chapter riding calendar. I want to thank each and everyone one of them for stepping up and going through the procedure.

As the year starts to wind down, I just want to thank all of the Road Captains for a great riding season. We've had a ton of rides with a lot of diversity and it is all because of them. My hat (huh, dew-rag) is off

to all of you. ;—)

The riding season is coming to an end. Soon for some, a little bit away for others. (For some of us nuts, it NEVER ends... ;—) But for our mileage contest, our October meeting is the final check-in for our Chapter Mileage Program. If you can't make the meeting, be sure to check in with me or Kory sometime before that meeting date of **October 20th (Sunday)**. If you miss the deadline, you are not eligible to win in any of the three categories. But be sure to eventually check-in, because that reading becomes your mileage for next years contest.

As I've talked about before, Ride365 check-in should be done whenever you are ready to call it an end to your season, even Dec. 31st if you want. That has to be done at the dealership, not me.

For those that are not quite ready to put their bikes away for the year, there are still many rides on our calendar, we are trying to set up a ride to deliver the bears (if possible). My wrists have really curtailed my riding this year, but if weather permits, I'm going to try ONE LAST time to get the Devil's Run in this October. No promises, but I am trying.

Lastly, if you didn't get a chance to take some type of riding/training course this year, be sure to try next year. Brushing up on your skills is always a good idea, plus many insurance companies give you a discount if you complete some type of safety course. So see if you can fit one into you schedule next year. It definitely will not hurt and it really will help.

John R Sweeney Jr  
aka (Motor Mouth)  
"It's not the destination; it's the journey"  
Head Road Captain—Lake Shore H.O.G Chapter  
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## **Ladies of Harley**

### **Sammie Sweeney**



Sammie Sweeney  
LOH Co-Chair  
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Happy Fall Y'all...

I can't believe that its October already. Summer flew by too quickly. I hope it was a great summer for everyone. Let's all meet at Hitz Pizza and Sports Bar in Mundelein. Have some dinner and share with your sisters, stories from your summer travels. (Boys can come too...)

**Tuesday, October 15th - 6:45pm**

**Hitz Pizza and Sports Bar**

**700 Butterfield Rd.**

**Mundelein, IL**

Hope to see you there...

If you want to get more involved in the chapter and specifically LOH, please let either me and one of our Primary Officers know.

Sammie out...



### **Teddy Bear Corner**

## **TEDDY BEAR BINGO!!!**

Two stuffed animals or 8 Hot Wheel cars. That's all you need to play Teddy Bear Bingo on **Friday, November 15th at 6:45pm.**

Here is a chance to play a little Bingo, maybe win a prize, help our Teddy Bear drive, and mingle with friends.

We'll play 10 games. 6 regular, 3 specials and a cover-all. The cover-all will win you a \$50 dealer gift card.

Flyer with location and additional information will be available soon. Hope you can join us...

Sammie out...

## Dan Marcotte—Safety Officer

### 5 Tips for Motorcycle Riding in Autumn



#### 1. Look Out For Dry Or Wet Leaves

Yes the leaves are full of color and look beautiful in the Autumn season, but they are hazardous to riders once they start to fall to the ground, and potentially very dangerous. Dry leaves can pile up on the road and cover potholes or any other inconsistencies. Keep your eye on the road and try to take routes you are familiar with. Rain or morning dew will bring a different kind of hazard as they will create wet leaves causing them to make a slick pavement surface. This could make your bike slide on the road so try and avoid

these kind of situations whenever you can. If you approach a pile of leaves on the road, try your best to drive slowly until you're past the obstacle.

#### 2. Deer Season

Deer are prominent for being more active in the Fall, whether they are searching for food or scarcely running away from hunters pushing them into new areas. More collisions with deer happen during this season so you don't want one to come in your path while riding your motorcycle. Make sure you put on your protective gear before going out for a ride, and always scan the road sides if you're cruising in any rural areas. Stay alert during dusk and dawn as these are the times of day when deer movement reaches its peak.

#### 3. Leather Is Your Best Friend

The cool, crisp air is very exhilarating during the Fall. Temperatures are much more enjoyable to ride in compared to the heatwaves that occur in the Summer time. This is the time of year when leather truly is your best friend. Leather protects you from the wind and will keep you comfortably warm while riding.

#### 4. Cold Autumn Nights

The weather is more unpredictable this time of year. It can go from chilly in the morning, warm in the afternoon to below freezing at night. Bringing extra layers with you is something to keep in mind. Once the sun goes down, the temperature can significantly drop and you don't want to run into some unexpected mechanical problems while under dressed. You may want to bring your rain gear too because frigid rain can cause hypothermia - and no one wants that.

#### 5. Frosty And Icy Surfaces

Cold Autumn nights only lead to one thing - morning frost. Its important to be aware of frost on the roads in the early morning because that pavement could have a thin layer of ice above it which will force you to lose traction. Shaded areas will frost up first so its important to be knowledgeable of your surroundings while cruising.

*In closing, Autumn can be the most captivating time for riding. Traffic on the back roads has decreased, the colors are full and the air is pure. Once the leaves begin to drop, the landscapes become more open. The new settings that come with this season aren't more backbreaking compared to those of others, but you will need to be prepared for the conditions to come.*

Let me hear your ideas for future topics... I can be reached at [safety@lakeshorehog.com](mailto:safety@lakeshorehog.com)

Thanks for your time and input,

Dan Marcotte

Safety Dan

**Safety Officer/Road Captain**

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## Doug Wrobel—Historian



Well, I don't know about everyone else, but I'm really getting sick of this rain. As riding season is slowly winding down, we seem to be getting all the S\$%&%y weather. When did Chicagoland become Seattle Washington? When anyone figures it out, let me know.

Had to cancel my ride to Edwards Apple Orchard because of the rain. But never fear, for Karen and I have Rescheduled the ride for the **12<sup>th</sup> of October**.

Now for a tidbit that I ran across.

*The Wild One may be the first movie featuring a Harley.*

While 1969's *Easy Rider* is viewed as the quintessential Harley-Davidson motorcycle movie and could be the first movie where its bikes took center stage, it was the 1953 classic *The Wild One* with Marlon Brando that gave Harley its first featured big-screen performance. Of course, Brando wasn't riding a Harley, but rather a Triumph Thunderbird 6T. However, Brando's nemesis, Chino, of the the rival Beetles motorcycle gang (played by Lee Marvin), straddled a 1950 Harley-Davidson Hydra Glide. Additional fun fact: The Beetles motorcycle gang is said to have helped inspire a rock band to later name itself something very similar. While the band's name was also a play on Buddy Holly's band The Crickets, and a reflection of the type of music they played, *The Wild One* was a favorite of one early member of The Beatles.

**Saturday 10/12—Edward's  
Apple Orchard—KSU 9:30  
am—leaving from dealer  
2nd try—rescheduled from  
September**



Doug Wrobel  
Historian/RC  
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# Lake Shore H.O.G. 2019



Join us Sunday October 20, at the Dealership after the Monthly meeting for some guaranteed fun!



*Come and play some games, Win a prize and Compete in the First Annual Pie Eating Contest!!*



Who doesn't like pie.



We will also draw the Activity Card winner at this event



# Lake Shore H.O.G. Holiday Party

Saturday December 7, 2019



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Join us for an evening of good  
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Menu

6:00 p.m. Appetizers/(Cash Bar)

7:00 p.m. Buffet Dinner

8:00-12:00-Dancing

Seating is limited to 80

\$20 per member

\$50 per quest

House Salad with Ranch/Italian Dressing

Sliced Beef with Madeira Wine Sauce

Sautéed Breast of Chicken with Lemon Caper Sauce

Rosemary/Maple Glazed Salmon

Garlic/Basil Mashed Potatoes

Green Beans with Peppers

Apple Pie with Carmel Drizzle

Rooms are available.

Mention Lake Shore H.O.G. for the discounted  
rate of \$109

RSVP by Nov. 8

Mail to:

Ron Alghini

208 Sprucewood Court

Round Lake Beach, IL 60073



RSVP by Nov. 8

Write full name and amount enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Member \_\_\_\_\_

Guest \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Ron Alghini

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# Mighty Oaks Foundation First Annual Fundraiser Run



The Mighty Oaks Foundation tackles Post-Traumatic Stress with our peer-to-peer resiliency and recovery programs offered at NO cost to our honored service men, 1<sup>st</sup> responders and women. Learn more about how you can make a direct impact today and effect positive change, guiding our service men and women to find a new life purpose through hope in Christ.

## Saturday, October 12, 2019

### POLICE ESCORTED RIDE

**COST:** \$25 Rider/\$10 Passenger- (price includes lunch)

\$10 for lunch for each non-rider

**REGISTRATION:** Gander RV at 9AM

6802 118th Ave, Kenosha WI 53124

Coffee & Donuts will be provided!

**SAFETY BRIEFING:** 10:30 AM

**KICK STANDS UP:** 11:00 AM SHARP!

**FIRST STOP:** Southern WI veterans Memorial Cemetery

21731 Spring Street, Union Grove, WI 53182

\*Marine Corps Color Guard And Prayer Service by Navy Chaplain\*

**SECOND STOP:** Antioch Police Dept/Fire Station #1

433 Orchard Street, Antioch IL 60002

\*Antioch Fire Dept. Honor Guard & Prayer Service by

Blue Knights Chaplain

\*Treats served by the Antioch and fellow Lake County Pageant Queens

**FINAL STOP:** Lakeshore Harley Davidson

14000 W. Rockland Road, Libertyville IL 60048

Finish the day with lunch provided by Mission  
BBQ, raffles and your chance to win the 50/50!!!

**Raffle Tickets:** 5/\$10 or 15/\$20

**50/50 Tickets:** \$5 each or 5/\$20

**Pre-Register by OCTOBER 8th to receive a \$10 gift!!!**

@ <https://officially-crafty.square.site/mighty-oaks-foundation>

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