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Redwood Empire Chapter HOG #3494



Directors Report

Greetings everyone,

June is here, only 207 more shopping days until Christmas but who's counting. Thank you to all our members who have had a chance to ride with us this year. The COVID restrictions have been a bit of a pain but our

turnouts for rides have been awesome. Great job ride leaders for mixing it up and finding a way for us to ride and eat together, even when it's a "bring your own lunch" ride. Our COVID riding restrictions will stay in effect until Sonoma County and Phil our dealer says differently, we are hoping like many that June 15th we will see an easing of restrictions. Until then:

1. Face coverings must be worn at all times when off your bike or within 6 feet of someone else.
2. Social distancing must be observed at all times remaining at least 6 feet apart.
3. Road captains will check in all riders, and guests.
4. Rides will be broken up into two separate rides. The first ride will end when the road captain declares that the first ride is over. There will be at least an hour break then the second ride will begin from that destination. Road captains will again check in riders who plan on participating in the second ride. We encourage road captains to end the first ride at a destination where food can be purchased and riders entering any establishment do so at their own risk. There will be no social gathering organized by the road captain.

I understand and respect each person's rights to wear or not wear protective face coverings. So if you disagree with these guidelines please do not participate in the rides for now. I thank you for your cooperation in advance.

There will be a change to the Oregon ride. Originally scheduled for August 6-9, I found it too short to really explore and enjoy our neighboring state to the north. More details will be sent out in a separate email for hotel reservations and route description. **New date are departing Sunday August 1 and returning on Saturday August 7. Please mark your calendars.** I am very excited about planning this trip; if we are lucky we will have a tour of the Tillamook Ice Cream Factory...how cool is that? Pun intended.

The June 25-27 Tahoe ride is still on. Heidi will not be available to lead; in her absence I will lead this overnight. Details below:

Ride Safe & Have Fun

Randy Mack

Director



Assistant Directors Report

What's up everyone in the HOG Nation??

I hope everyone enjoyed their Memorial Day. Not only is Memorial Day a day to honor the fallen soldiers, it's also the official start of Summer!! I spent my Memorial Day honoring the soldiers at the Santa Rosa Memorial Cemetery with about 200 of my fellow enthusiasts. A beautiful day and a heart warming ceremony.

June is here!! Everyone is speculating that June 15th is the day we get to throw out the masks. I hope so. I

want to see everyone's smiling face again!! Going forward, until we hear it from our dealer, masks will be worn when off the bike. Yes, even if you're vaccinated. Rules is rules!! I'm also hoping to start having general meetings again. Since the start of the pandemic, I haven't had the chance to fulfill my AD duties like some of my awesome predecessors, ie: Jim "Wheelie" Wheeler and Doug "JD" Barnes.

June 6th, our esteemed Road Captain Glen, will lead us on a great ride through the back side of Marin. This is a new member ride so all new members (yes, and old one's) are encouraged to attend this particular ride to get acquainted with our riding style. Who knows, you may even win a gift card. The other June rides are overnights and you can get that information from our HOG website www.rechog.org, or, it's most likely somewhere in this newsletter.

That's it for this month. Ride safe, have fun, and enjoy the Sun!! (Wow, I'm a poet and didn't know it)

Stevie P

AD

PhD Wind Therapy.

RECHOG OVERNIGHT

Heidi's Run to Tahoe and the Sierra Nevada Range

Friday June 25th to Sunday June 27th

Meeting at Johnny's Java 8:00 Departs at 8:30



Arrival: Friday, June 25, 2021

Departure: Sunday, June 27, 2021

RESERVATIONS PROCEDURES

Phone Reservations: Reservations are to be made on an individual basis by calling our Reservations Department at 775-783-6629 and mentioning your group number 2943 or group name Redwood Empire Harley Group. CAUTION: Do not call any other number you find on the internet with the exception of 800-321-6983. Other numbers may come up on searches and many of these go to online travel agencies who are not always forthcoming with accurate information.

Room Type	Rooms	Rate
Motor Lodge Non-Smoking Two Queen Beds	6	\$119.00
Motor Lodge Non-Smoking One King Bed	4	\$119.00

Room rates shown are per night for one or two persons, one or two beds. Occupancy tax (13%) is extra. For over two persons in a room, add \$10 per person per night plus tax. The Carson Valley Inn does not add any Resort Fees or Parking Fees.

RESERVATIONS DEADLINE

All guests will be responsible for their own reservations, guarantees, and payment for rooms and any incidental charges. Rooms held in the block do not guarantee a reservation. Please ask your guests to make their room reservations as far in advance as possible. Two weeks prior to Friday, June 04, 2021 we will start releasing any unreserved rooms and all unreserved rooms will be released by **Friday, June 04, 2021**. Any reservation requests received after this date will be filled subject to availability at prevailing rate.

Ride Photo's Remembering 2021













A Message from your Regional Manager

Spring is in the air and riding season is upon the entire country. We recently kicked off Rally season or as I call them Family Reunions. We are holding the first ones in Texas, Arkansas and Missouri as I type this. Hopefully, you have been able to get out and put some miles on your Harley-Davidson. One of the first things you and your members should do is ride over to your dealership and get your first Ride 365 mileage reading for 2021. Once that is done, continue to stop in multiple times during your riding season to get your mileage entered. See below for more about how important this is.

Now for some awesome news: we have announced the winners of the Ride 365 2020 Chapter Challenges. Despite the pandemic of 2020, overall participation and miles ridden were on par with 2019 and that is awesome! Officers like you did an awesome job of putting together rides and challenges for your membership to participate in despite the unusual challenges we all faced. Congratulations to the winning chapters and Thank You to everyone who participated. Now let's get it on for 2021!

We appreciate the time and effort you put into the roles you have stepped up to fill. Check-out the H.O.G. rallies for 2021 and I hope to see you at one of them or just out on the road enjoying the thrill of riding our Harley-Davidson motorcycles.

Thank you!

PETE SCHWAB

H.O.G. Regional Manager - Southeast/West
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Upcoming Events and Rides

June Events

June. 3rd General Meeting is
CANCELLED.

June. 6th New Members Ride.

July Events

Jul. 1st General Meeting is
CANCELLED.

Jul. 11th Benbow Lunch Ride.

**For full details go to the
RECHOG web site calendar**

Meet at dealership 10am and depart at 10:30am. Glen is ride lead.

June. 17th Board Meeting by conference call.

June. 25th-27th Tahoe Ride. Meet at Bad Ass Coffee of Hawaii, 140 Stony Point Rd. E. 8am and depart at 8:30am. Randy is ride lead.

Meet at Bad Ass Coffee of Hawaii 8:30am and depart at 9:00am. Randy is ride lead.

Jul. 15th Board Meeting by conference call.

Jul. 23rd Nike Missile Site Ride. Meet at dealership 10am and depart at 10:30am. Glen is ride lead.

Jul. 31st Mystery Ride with Heidi. Meet at dealership 10am and depart at 10:30am. Heidi is ride lead.



Dealer Update

Pan America is Here! Come check it out today!

Schedule your Pan America Test Ride Today!

WELCOME to the Chapter New Members for May

Christopher Marshall, Tim Jacobsen, Mariah Sharpe,
Jorge Cazarez-Barreto, Danika Johnson, Mellisa Nguyen, Michael Fiske,
Anthony Chavez Jr. and Fancisco Maldonado.

Membership **Board Meeting** Topics

- Randy: 2021 Membership update: 138+
- Robert: Financial update: Plenty of reserves
- Asst Director: Steve update: Rallies may start up again
- Head Road Captain: Glen update: New member ride June 6
- New Business: Covid restrictions: Guidelines have not changed for our chapter.
- Summer Run: We will keep it on our calendar until we here otherwise. We will research alternative sites just in case.
- Lunches will continue as part of giving back to the membership.

Membership **General Meeting** Topics

- No general meeting.

For full details go to the RECHOG web site

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