



# H.O.G. SQUEALS!



Monthly Newsletter of the Intermountain Chapter - Harley Owners Group #1255

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December, 2025

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Dear Intermountain HOG Chapter Members,

As we bring another extraordinary year to a close, I want to take a moment to share just how grateful we are for each of you. Your passion, generosity, and enthusiasm are the heartbeat of this chapter, and it shows in everything you do.

Please join me in welcoming our new Director, Bob Anderson. Bob, we are truly excited to have you step into this role, and we look forward to the energy, leadership, and camaraderie you'll continue to inspire as we ride into the year ahead.

This has been an unforgettable year thanks to your dedication, whether volunteering at breakfasts, burger burns, or Idaho Patriot Thunder, or simply showing up to support one another. Your spirit of service and friendship continues to strengthen our community and reminds us what makes this chapter so special.

And what an incredible year on the road it has been. Together, you rode an astonishing 938,417 miles, earning Intermountain HOG the number 7 spot in the nation and number 1 in our entire region. We could not be more proud to be your home dealership. Your passion for riding truly sets the standard. We are especially inspired by the seven members who each logged more than 20,000 miles this year. These achievements are about so much more than the numbers. They represent dedication, adventure, and a shared love for the open road that brings this chapter together in such a meaningful way.

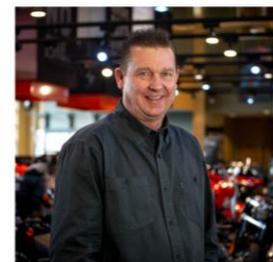
A special thank-you as well to Dennis for serving as the dealership's liaison between HOG and High Desert Harley-Davidson. Your dedication has played a key role in maintaining such a strong and meaningful partnership.

To the entire Board, thank you for your tireless leadership and commitment. Your efforts have helped shape this chapter into one of the very best, and we couldn't be more proud of what we've accomplished together. As we look ahead to 2026, we do so with gratitude for the memories we've created and excitement for the many miles still waiting for us. Wishing you all a safe, joyful, and prosperous New Year.

Like I always say: buy them, ride them, and have fun. That's what it's all about.

Ride safe and ride free,

Mark Duker  
Owner, High Desert Harley-Davidson



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**DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE*****Katherine Clarke***[Intermountainhog.com](http://Intermountainhog.com)

Intermountain HOG Chapter #1255, we don't just ride together — we "do life" together.

Sure, we love a good ride, but let's be honest... this Chapter is just as famous for its parties, picnics, Bunko nights, Bingo battles, poker runs, and any excuse we can find to gather, laugh, and eat something that probably wasn't on anyone's diet plan.

As we head into the new year, I want to thank each of you for making this Chapter such a fun and welcoming family. Serving as your Director has been an honor and a joy.

You've shown up with enthusiasm, humor, generosity, and a willingness to participate in just about anything...sometimes without even knowing what you signed up for. That's the magic of our Chapter.

As 2025 winds down, I'm excited to pass the handlebars to Bob Anderson, your Director for 2026. Bob will bring his leadership, sense of humor, and the courage required to guide this wonderfully spirited Chapter. I know you'll support him the same way you've supported me - loudly, wholeheartedly, and with snacks...ice cream anyone?

Thank you for the memories, the laughter, the friendships, and the countless moments that reminded me why this Chapter is so special. You've made my time as Director unforgettable.

Wishing you all a magical and joyful New Year, filled with good rides, great company, and plenty of events - because let's face it, we're not slowing down.

With gratitude and a full heart,  
Katherine  
Director (for just a little longer)

**Note from the Director****HOG RIDE 365 CHALLENGE**

We're on the home stretch, folks! Our 2025 goal of 1,000,000 miles is right there in reach. We've already blown past last year's 916,284 and are sitting at nearly 940,000 miles — but we need one last big push. The clock runs out December 31st, so let's get those miles in while there's still time to make history!

So, to make this easy for those of you who want to make our 1,000,000 goal a reality for 2025, here's the scoop...

1. Grab up your cell phone
2. Take a picture of your VIN
3. Take a picture of your odometer reading

4. Send your name, HOG number, and pictures to Dennis Peck at 208-547-3474 (text)
5. OR, email your name, HOG number and pictures to Dennis at [dennis@highdeserthd.com](mailto:dennis@highdeserthd.com)

DONE!

Any and all additional mileage recorded will help. Our deadline to Dennis is NOON on Wednesday, December 31st. Dennis is committed to getting in as many miles as possible! Let us know if you have any questions or need help with this.

WE CAN DO THIS!  
Katherine Clarke





## **CHAPTER MISSION STATEMENT**

The Chapter's mission statement is to **"RIDE AND HAVE FUN"**! Every year there are over 45+ Chapter rides and events that provide an opportunity for you to get to know some of the most likeable people you'll ever meet! Chapter communications are done via member emails, the Chapter website <http://www.intermountainHOG.com>, and [our Facebook page](#).

## **GENERAL MEETING**

*Friday, January 30 - 7pm*

General Meetings are held the last Friday of each month (with a few exceptions), at the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, 7025 Overland Road in Boise. We encourage everyone to come early to visit and get to know other members. Our meetings are informative and fun! Don't forget to visit the Merchandise table to buy Chapter rockers, patches, and name badges. AND buy 50/50 tickets for your chance win big!

## **BOARD MEETING**

*Tuesday, January 6, 2026 – 6pm*

Board meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at Idaho Pizza Company, 5150 W. Overland Road, in Boise at 6pm. Chapter members are always welcome! Come check out what goes on 'behind the scenes' and discover if service on the Board is right for you!

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AT HIGH DESERT HARLEY-DAVIDSON!**

<b>Don't forget to wear your 'colors' to show off your Intermountain HOG Chapter Pride as you enjoy these fun events!</b>		
	<b>January Events</b>	
Saturday, January 3rd	<b>L2R Anniversary Party</b>	1:00pm-4:00pm
Saturday, January 10th	<b>Music Bingo</b>	1:00pm-3:00pm
Saturday, January 17th	<b>Chili Cook Off</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Sunday, January 18th	<b>Heated Gear Workshop</b>	12:00pm
Saturday, January 24th	<b>NFL Trivia</b>	11:00am-2:00pm
	<b>February Events</b>	
Saturday, February 7th	<b>Superbowl Squares</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Saturday, February 14th	<b>Valentine's Party</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Sunday, February 15th	<b>New Model Workshop</b>	12:00pm
Friday, February 20th	<b>Customer Appreciation</b>	10:00am-4:00pm
	<b>March Events</b>	
Saturday, March 7th	<b>Mardi Gras Party</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Sunday, March 8th	<b>Chilly Chaps Ride</b>	9:00am-2:00pm
Saturday, March 14th	<b>St. Patrick's Day Party</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Sunday, March 15th	<b>Get Ready to Ride Workshop</b>	12:00pm
Friday, March 20th	<b>Bike Night</b>	6:00pm-8:00pm
Saturday, March 21st	<b>Bike Night Hangover Party</b>	11:00am-3:00pm
Saturday, March 28th	<b>March Madness Party</b>	11:00am-3:00pm

*Note: There are always fun things to do at High Desert Harley-Davidson! Visit [www.highdeserthd.com](http://www.highdeserthd.com) for more events and promotions.*

**HOG Manager****Dennis Peck**

If you participated in Ride 365 in 2024, please come see me in the Service Department for your “2024 Ride 365 Patch.”

**Ride 365 Miles**

**REMINDER to get your mileage to Dennis no later than noon on December 31st.** This is the last time to submit your mileage for this year. We are number one in our region and number seven in the nation. It takes all of us to make this happen, so make sure and get your final mileage recorded.

**DRAWING FOR EVERY 500 MILES YOU HAVE RIDDEN**

The deadline to submit your miles to Dennis to be eligible for the drawing at the ACCP party is noon on the day of the ACCP (January 10th). For every 500 miles you ride up until the ACCP, you will get a ticket entered into this drawing.

***NATIONAL H.O.G. CHALLENGES*****Let's Ride Challenge Celebrates Heroes and Rewards Riders**

The 2025 Let's Ride Challenge™ Ride for Heroes takes the Harley-Davidson spirit one step further with a seven-month event celebrating our riding community while honoring our nation's Military, Veterans and First Responders. Riders across the country will log miles, earn rewards, and climb the leaderboard, all while supporting a \$1 million donation to charities serving those who protect us here at home.

Open to all Harley-Davidson riders, the challenge runs from March 28 to October 31, 2025, and offers collectible rewards at various milestone check-ins. The challenge culminates with five riders winning new 2025 Harley-Davidson motorcycles. Let's ride and make every mile count!

**Let's Ride Challenge Rewards:**

- Enter the Challenge to compete to win one of five new Harley-Davidson motorcycles
  - ***H.O.G. membership exclusive:*** Any H.O.G. member who wins a motorcycle will receive an additional \$5,000 cash bonus!
- Let's Ride Challenge™ Sticker after first mileage reading
- Let's Ride Challenge™ Coin after accumulating 1,000 miles

- **H.O.G. membership exclusive:** H.O.G. collectible hat plus 2,500 bonus points after accumulating 5,000 miles

### How to Enter:

- **Register:** Stop at Harley-Davidson® dealerships to register and get your first odometer reading. You'll need to get this first reading on or after March 28 *even if you have already entered the 2025 H.O.G. Ride 365 challenge*. Once you've registered, miles recorded as part of the Let's Ride Challenge™ will start counting toward your H.O.G. Ride 365 balance.
- **Ride:** Hit the road and rack up miles
- **Engage:** Interact with dealers and build your Rev Score
- **Win:** The highest Rev Scores will ride away on a new Harley

**RIDE 365** - Visit Dennis in the Service Department as soon as possible to record your beginning odometer reading. Or text photos of your VIN number and odometer to him at 208-547-3474. Please include your name and HOG number.

**H.O.G.® DEALERSHIP PHOTO CONTEST** - Visit at least 10 different U.S. H-D dealerships to earn your first commemorative pin and patch. Bonus: HOG members with the most check-ins also take home a \$2,000 H-D gift card!

**15 RIDES FOR '25** - Plan on riding to incredible locations as you ride your Harley-Davidson motorcycle to one of 15 featured locations.

**50 RIDES, ONE NATION CHALLENGE** – See our beautiful country as you ride your Harley-Davidson motorcycle to identified destinations.

Visit the website, <https://www.harley-davidson.com/us/en/content/hog.html> to see the terms and conditions for each challenge.

### **Photo Submissions for H.O.G. Challenges**

Participating in H.O.G. Ride 365 Challenges like the Dealership Check-in Challenge, 15 for '25 and 50 Rides, One Nation is simple, but members are often confused about how to submit the required photographs to receive credit for their accomplishments. All photos must be uploaded to the member's profile at [members.hog.com](https://members.hog.com), **not the H-D App**.

### **View Annual & Lifetime Mileage in the H-D App**

Thanks to new enhancements to the [H-D App](#), H.O.G. members can now view their mileage achievements easily from a phone or mobile device. Connecting a membership profile to the app allows riders to see how many miles they have accumulated H.O.G.'s Ride 365 Annual and Lifetime challenges and how close they are to their next reward milestone. Riders can also use the H-D App to build and track rides, find nearby events, join riding challenges and connect with fellow riders online.

To enter the Ride 365 and Let's Ride Challenge challenges, riders must continue having odometer readings taken at a Harley-Davidson dealership. Miles recorded with the H-D App will not be automatically enrolled into challenges.



### **2026 H.O.G.® Touring Rally Schedule Save the Dates!**

While final details are subject to change and we continue to fine-tune many aspects of each rally for 2026. You may click on the link below for basic planning information for HOG rallies only.

Certainly, some of you will be anxious to schedule time off, take care of rider registration and book your hotel rooms. Please note that the date for the *2026 Tour of Valor* may change, so please look for new information as soon as it is available.

[https://members.harley-davidson.com/s/hdmn-rallies?language=en\\_US](https://members.harley-davidson.com/s/hdmn-rallies?language=en_US)

The H.O.G. team is working behind the scenes to update the details and the registration page and you can anticipate that several rallies will be open for registration very soon. As in the past we will fully open registration for most of the rallies, but it is possible that hotel and route information will not be available right away. Not to worry, once everything is worked out and assuming you've registered, you will receive planning details.

We hope the information provided will be helpful in your initial planning and look forward to seeing you at one of the H.O.G. Rallies.

On a personal note, 2026 will be my last year of coordinating all touring rallies, so I hope that you will come out and attend as many touring rallies as you can. Let's sell out every single one and let's ride together and have a whole lot of fun!

*Bill Davis*, Rally Coordinator  
National HOG Touring Rallies

**2026 H.O.G.®  
Touring Rally Schedule  
Save the Dates!**

February 23-27, 2026  
[Run to Daytona H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

April 3-7, 2026  
[Spring Heat H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

April 16-18, 2026  
[Cajun Country H.O.G. Rally](#)

May 16-22, 2026  
[Route 66 East H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

May 27-30, 2026  
[Smoky Mountain H.O.G. Rally](#)

June 10-22, 2026  
[Open Road Posse Ride](#)

June 11-13, 2026  
[Great Lakes H.O.G. Rally](#)

June 11-13, 2026  
[Rocky Mountain H.O.G. Rally](#)

June 17-20, 2026  
[Blue Ridge Rumble H.O.G. Rally](#)

July 16-18, 2026  
[Iron Adventure H.O.G. Rally](#)

July 23-25, 2026  
[Cruisin' the Catskills H.O.G. Rally](#)

August 17-22, 2026  
[10 State H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

September 1, 2026  
[Tour of Valor H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

September 9-12, 2026  
[National H.O.G. Rally](#)

September 22-28, 2026  
[Route 66 West H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

October 14-19, 2026  
[Ride Home H.O.G. Touring Rally](#)

**WEBMASTER****Mark Rowan**[IMC-webmaster@craggymtn.com](mailto:IMC-webmaster@craggymtn.com)

Dear Intermountain HOG Chapter Members,

In this day and age, and with electronic means being the primary method of communication, we all misplace or lose valuable and critical information that we wish we still had at our fingertips.

Your HOG Chapter is no different. We send out email blasts, ask you to see the website for info, publish a newsletter, and post on Facebook, and still, we fail to reach some of our members. As a last resort, although hopefully not the only reason, chapter members can attend the monthly meetings to find out what events and rides are planned for the near future.

So I had an idea to send this email to each of you, to keep up with the planned rides and events. Please keep this letter somewhere, taped to your computer, your calendar, or the refrigerator, so it is a handy reference anytime you have a question about your HOG Chapter activities and Events.

Let's list the ways to get information about the chapter activities.

- 1) The HOG Chapter website is here, [www.intermountainHOG.com](http://www.intermountainHOG.com), the shortcut is IMCHOG. Anything you want to know about our chapter can be found on this website. As a side note, your board members are listed here and can be contacted directly through the Website.
- 2) All of our events/rides and other activities can be found on the calendar at this link: [www.intermountainhog.com/see-what-s-up](http://www.intermountainhog.com/see-what-s-up).
- 3) Email blasts are sent frequently to each chapter member, telling about an upcoming event or ride from [intermountainhog@mychaptermanager.com](mailto:intermountainhog@mychaptermanager.com). It is important to configure your email software to receive mail from this address.
- 4) The newsletter is published each month about a week before the General Meetings, and again, this is in an electronic form and posted on the website at [www.intermountainHOG.com/members](http://www.intermountainHOG.com/members). The newsletter is password-protected, so you will need to enter the current password to see it. Currently, the password is "GLIDEINTO25".
- 5) Our Flickr photography site is a collection of photos and videos taken by members of the chapter. As an informational page, it shows all of our rides, stats, and events. You can access this site through the website at <https://www.intermountainhog.com/photos> or directly with this link: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/imchog/albums>.
- 6) Some chapter members are also members of our Facebook group. Facebook is a way to disseminate information and share photos from activities that we sponsor. Our Facebook page is at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/100251386685824>, and anyone who is a chapter member can request access to this group.
- 7) The chapter email account is [intermountainHOG@gmail.com](mailto:intermountainHOG@gmail.com). If you have a question or concern and want to contact someone for an answer, this email is monitored regularly, and someone will get back with you within a few hours.

- 8) Our General Meetings are held on the last Friday of the month (with a few exceptions) at 7:00 pm at the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, 7025 Overland Road in Boise. We encourage everyone to come early to visit and take the opportunity to get to know other Members.

We strive to inform all of our members of the events and activities that our HOG Chapter plans. If you know or suspect that someone in the chapter is not getting these emails, please share this information with them.

Ride and Have Fun!,

Mark Rowan

**MY FACE EVERY TIME  
I START THE HARLEY**



**CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP*****Dawn Renn, Membership Officer***[IMCHOGMembership@gmail.com](mailto:IMCHOGMembership@gmail.com)

The cost of membership to the Intermountain Chapter of HOG (the best Chapter in All the Land!) is only \$20 per member. When submitting payment, we ask that you do so with a check made out to 'IMCHOG' and avoid using cash. There is no way to track cash and if something happens and your payment isn't received by the Treasurer, a stop-payment can be placed on a check.

Membership forms are at HDHD in the HOG box on the wall by motor clothes or pick them up from me at the General Meetings. If you prefer, you can also download them from the Chapter website ([https://www.intermountainhog.com/files/ugd/69076e\\_dae54af4c769498cac67aea7f6fa607.pdf](https://www.intermountainhog.com/files/ugd/69076e_dae54af4c769498cac67aea7f6fa607.pdf)) and put the completed forms and check in the mail addressed to "HOG Membership Officer" and mail to:

**Intermountain HOG Membership Officer  
2310 E Cinema Dr  
Meridian, ID 83642**

Please email me any changes to your email address, home address, or phone number. If you are not receiving Chapter emails, it could be that you've changed your email address and haven't let us know.

**Volunteer Opportunity – Biker Buddies**

We are implementing a new plan next year, and we need your help! Remember how intimidating it can be to be "the new kid" in a room full of people who already know each other? We are looking to pair current members with new members. No training, just a willingness to show a new member around.

- \*Introduce yourself and share contact information.
- \*Call and remind them of an upcoming meeting/ride.
- \*Save them a seat at a meeting. Introduce them to some members.
- \*Meet up with them at a ride. Introduce them to some members.
- \*Make sure they know where we're going, how they will get home.
- \*Help them find information on our website calendar.
- \*Be available to answer questions.
- \*2-3 month commitment.

For questions or to sign up, reach out to:

Dawn Renn [IMCHOGmembership@gmail.com](mailto:IMCHOGmembership@gmail.com) 208-800-7900  
 Bob Anderson [batman247@comcast.net](mailto:batman247@comcast.net) 408-218-5188  
 Al Scholtec [alscholtec@gmail.com](mailto:alscholtec@gmail.com) 208-571-4707



**DECEMBER NEW MEMBERS**

Lou Ann Misasi  
Sheila Winkler

Lisa Efantis  
Moses Efantis



**DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

Jamie Allies  
Shirley Audens  
Richard Berglund  
Russell Briney  
Harmon Bryant  
Jeff Gilbert  
Cole Johnson

Piper Kalac  
Forest Kline  
Amanda Larsen  
Angela Machtmes  
Scott Machtmes  
Katie Moseanko  
Gary Nelson

Dawn Renn  
Corinna Robishaw  
Doug Robishaw  
Ronald Tate  
Cara Teague  
Jennifer Tipton  
Paula Triplett

**LEAD ROAD CAPTAIN**

*Brett Allies*

[LRCHOG@gmail.com](mailto:LRCHOG@gmail.com)

IMCHOG 2025 ride information/totals:

29 rides for the calendar year

184,385 total yearly miles

981 members involved

33.8 average of members per ride

375 bikes

261 trikes

5 overnights



**EDITOR*****Kathy da Rosa***[Kdarosa@citlink.net](mailto:Kdarosa@citlink.net)

The Chapter's newsletter is sent to the Chapter by email the Sunday before the General Meeting. It contains information on upcoming events, past events, the Chapter and High Desert Harley Davidson calendars, and much more. There are articles from our Board members and Chapter members, information on upcoming contests, necessary forms, etc. that you won't want to miss in each month's newsletter.



As always, I look forward to and welcome any suggestions, articles, etc. to add to our newsletter. Please email me at [kdarosa@citlink.net](mailto:kdarosa@citlink.net).

**FOOD SAFETY OFFICER*****Margie Linsky***[margielinsky@gmail.com](mailto:margielinsky@gmail.com)

If you are interested in being a Chapter cook, the process is quite simple. Go to <https://foodsafetyexams.dhw.idaho.gov/> to register for the Idaho Food Safety Exam; a multiple-choice and true or false test with questions based on the content of the Food Safety Manual (included on the site).

After successfully answering at least 75% of the questions, a certificate will be provided to you as a PDF that you can save. Your certification will remain on file with the Idaho Department of Health & Welfare and be valid for five years. Send a copy of your certificate to the Food Safety Officer and you are ready to go!

**ACTIVITIES OFFICERS*****Marcia Seibel, Activities Officer******Sandy Carroll-Kesner, Assistant Activities Officer***

I want to again sincerely thank everyone that volunteered this past year. Without all of you, and all of your wonderful help, we as a group would not have been able to make so much money in our tip jars to give to Meals on Wheels. I look forward to working with everyone next year at our Biker Breakfasts and Burger Burns. For those not able to be at our Friendsgiving when we presented a check for \$7,504.00 to Meals on Wheels, thank you for your part in these funds. Also, a huge thank you to our tip funds "matching" couple Rich and Cheryl Stuppy, and for the donation from the Clark family in memory of Henry (Hank) Clark.



Looking forward to next year - see everyone at the ACCP!

Marcia

**CHAPTER PHOTOGRAPHERS****Jeff D'Agostino, Photographer**[jjdag@gmail.com](mailto:jjdag@gmail.com)

Join Our Photography Team!

Are you passionate about photography? We're looking for additional photographers to join our team.

You do not need a fancy camera or special software. We will gladly work with you and provide training.

What We're Looking For:

Photography Enthusiasts: If you have a good eye and a passion for photography, we want you!

Editing Skills: Basic photo editing skills a plus, but not a requirement.

Social Media Savvy: Ability to post photos to social media platforms to share.

What You'll Do:

Attend and photograph assigned HOG events and rides.

Post photos to social media.

What's In It for You:

Be part of our HOG photography team (no Board participation required). It's just photography.

Showcase your photography skills and images.

Take your photography to the next level.

Volunteer card.

Interested in joining our team?

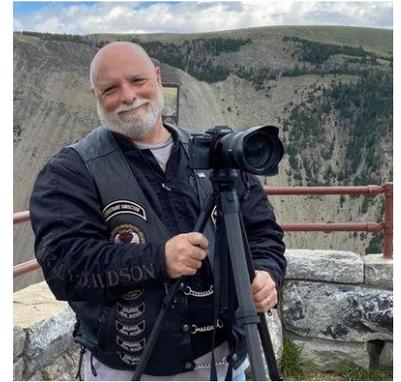
Feel free to send us your questions, no obligation. Or, if interested, send us an email. We will be scheduling a get together soon.

Jeff D'Agostino: [jjdag@yahoo.com](mailto:jjdag@yahoo.com)

Anna Anderson: [annaa28@comcast.net](mailto:annaa28@comcast.net)

Sincerely,

Jeff and Anna



**Anna Anderson, Assistant Photographer**  
[annaa28@comcast.net](mailto:annaa28@comcast.net)



**More Ways to Participate!**

Our Chapter hosts several fun photo contests and challenges throughout the year, and while this year’s contests have wrapped up, there’s plenty to look forward to next year!

Contests and challenges can overlap, so you can take part in more than one at a time. Whether it’s the Director’s Challenge, the 5 for 365 Photo Contest, or the 15 for 25 Challenge, you can capture and submit your favorite shots while working toward multiple goals.

So get ready to ride, explore, and document your adventures in 2026! Your next great photo could be just around the corner!

Sincerely,  
Anna  
[annaa28@comcast.net](mailto:annaa28@comcast.net)

**MERCHANDISE OFFICER**

**Sherry Pursell**  
[skfreund@gmail.com](mailto:skfreund@gmail.com)

Chapter patches and name badges can be ordered at the monthly general meetings or by contacting Sherry.

- Large Eagle HOG Patch (full color) - \$18      Small Eagle HOG Patch (full color)- \$6
- Large Winged Skull Patch - \$18                      Small Winged Skull Patch - \$6
- Large HOG Eagle Silver Patch - \$15                Small HOG Eagle Silver Rocker - \$5
- Large Silver Chapter Rocker - \$21                  Small Silver Chapter Rocker - \$11
- Large Gold Chapter Rocker - \$21                    Small Gold Chapter Rocker - \$11



Name Badges - \$5

**FOR SALE! \$20 First Aid Kit**  
The kit has a durable case that measures 7”x9” and includes 200 essential first aid items!



**POST RIDE/EVENT REPORTS**  
(check out all the photos on the Chapter Flickr site!)

***Boise Holiday Parade***

***29 November***

***Shannon Weston, Herb Weston, LRC***

23 miles

2 bikes

6 trikes

12 members



The bike thermometer read 30 degrees at High Desert Harley-Davidson as we gathered to ride downtown to the Boise Holiday Parade. At the staging area everyone got busy decorating themselves and their rides. As we rolled thru the parade, the crowds cheered and waved because they love Harleys too!



**Friendsgiving Potluck and Meeting  
5 December**



Friendsgiving (n.) — A festive gathering of friends who eat too much, laugh even more, and remind each other why community matters.



Our Intermountain HOG crew got together last night for our Friendsgiving potluck and meeting. Great food, great people, and the perfect way to kick off the holiday season together.

Thanks to everyone who came out and contributed and a special thanks to Mark and the HDHD crew for making all this happen. It was a wonderful night!



**High Desert Harley-Davidson Gift Wrapping Event**

**November 28 to December 24, 2025**

**Shannon Weston, Lead**

Thank you to the 53 Chapter members listed below who volunteered to cover 94 time slots during the 19-day Gift Wrapping Event at High Desert Harley-Davidson this year! Their combined efforts totaled an incredible 380 man-hours spent wrapping customers' gifts.

All of the donated funds directly benefit Chapter members by helping offset the costs of rides and events. Your time and generosity truly makes a difference - thank you for supporting our Chapter!

**Our Amazing Volunteer Elves**

- |                  |                    |                |                       |
|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Brett Allies     | Cheryl Brenenstahl | Frank Moseanko | Mindy Smith           |
| Jamie Allies     | Russ Briney        | Katie Moseanko | Gary Teicher          |
| Anna Anderson    | Mary Clark         | Matt Oswald    | Karen Teicher         |
| Bob Anderson     | Katherine Clarke   | Bill Ream      | Bev Tessin            |
| Kathy Anderson   | Mason Clarke       | Connie Ream    | John Tessin           |
| Michael Anderson | Sandra Conrad      | Kathy da Rosa  | Jennifer Tipton       |
| Shirley Audens   | Sandra Crumley     | Lou da Rosa    | William (Brad) Tipton |
| Shannan Bate     | Gayle Day          | Lou Ann Rowan  | Herb Weston           |
| Buzz Beauchamp   | Wayne Day          | Mark Rowan     | Shannon Weston        |
| Cathy Berglund   | Susan Garces       | Al Scholtec    | Sheila Winkler        |
| Carol Blair      | Cliff Lewis        | April Scholtec |                       |
| Chris Blair      | Joanna Lewis       | Dennis Seibel  |                       |
| Christal Boyce   | Jim Moore          | Marcia Seibel  |                       |
| Scott Boyce      | Valerie Moore      | Justin Smith   |                       |





**MEMBER ARTICLES****American Motorcyclist Association**

The U.S. Department of the Interior announced on Tuesday, Nov. 25, that the America the Beautiful pass will once again cover two motorcycles per pass at national parks across the United States, starting in 2026. This announcement follows the provisions of H.R. 4386, **the America the Beautiful Motorcycle Fairness Act**, introduced by Rep. Tim Walberg (R-MI-05), which passed the House Natural Resources Committee by voice.

**R2P Marysville 2026**

Yes! You heard correctly!! North Cascade HOG Chapter and Sound Harley-Davidson are hosting the next Rockies 2 Pacific in Marysville Washington (35 miles North of Seattle).

Registration is open!

Just go to [www.rockies2pacific.com](http://www.rockies2pacific.com) and click on the Registration menu tab

Event Dates: 16 July to 19 July 2026

Tickets: \$100

Host Hotel: Best Western...\$161 + tax (link on Registration page)

Max Attendance 350...so don't wait. Our local R2P event this year sold out!

Click here to see the full schedule of this amazing event!!

<https://www.rockies2pacific.com/schedule-2>

See you in Marysville!

**WHEN MY FRIENDS ASK HOW MANY  
MOTORCYCLES I NEED**



**1 BIKE, 2 BIKE, RED BIKE, BLUE BIKE,  
3 BIKE, 4 BIKE, OLD BIKE, NEW BIKE...**

**IMCHOG RIDE / EVENT SCHEDULE**

**REMEMBER:** Always refer to the Chapter calendar at [www.intermountainhog.com](http://www.intermountainhog.com) for the most up-to-date information.

Date	Name of Event	Coordinator Name	Email	Location	Time
1/1/26	Frozen Butt Ride	Brett Allies	<a href="mailto:Jarheadbda1@gmail.com">Jarheadbda1@gmail.com</a>	High Desert Harley-Davidson	9am
1/6	Board Meeting	Bob Anderson	<a href="mailto:Intermountainhog@gmail.com">Intermountainhog@gmail.com</a>	Idaho Pizza, 5150 W. Overland Road, Boise	6pm
1/10	ACCP	Bob Anderson	<a href="mailto:Intermountainhog@gmail.com">Intermountainhog@gmail.com</a>	Nampa Civic Center	4pm
1/30	General Meeting	Bob Anderson	<a href="mailto:Intermountainhog@gmail.com">Intermountainhog@gmail.com</a>	Eagles Lodge, 7025 Overland Road, Boise	7pm
2/3	Board Meeting	Bob Anderson	<a href="mailto:Intermountainhog@gmail.com">Intermountainhog@gmail.com</a>	Idaho Pizza, 5150 W. Overland Road, Boise	6pm
2/8	Annual Road Captain Meeting	Brett Allies	<a href="mailto:Jarheadbda1@gmail.com">Jarheadbda1@gmail.com</a>	High Desert Harley-Davidson	11am
2/27	General Meeting	Bob Anderson	<a href="mailto:Intermountainhog@gmail.com">Intermountainhog@gmail.com</a>	Eagles Lodge, 7025 Overland Road, Boise	7pm

**UPCOMING RIDES / EVENTS****Annual Frozen Butt Ride**

**January 1, 2026, Meet Time: 09:00 a.m. KSU: 09:30 a.m.**

**HDHD, 2310 E Cinema Dr, Meridian, ID**



It is the time of year once again for our first IMCHOG ride of the year. This would be our annual gathering for the Frozen Butt Ride taking place on January 1st, 2026.

We will meet at HDHD, 2310 E Cinema Dr, Meridian, ID, at 09:00 with KSU at 09:30.

Weather permitting, we will ride or cage to the Stage Stop, 23801 S Orchard Access Rd, Boise.

We will be ordering from a modified menu in order to make it easier on the cooking staff at the Stage Stop.

You will be responsible for the cost of your meals.

We hope to see all of you for the Frozen Butt Ride on the first day of 2026 in order to kick off our new riding season in grand fashion.

**After-Christmas-Christmas-Party****Saturday, January 10, 2026****Bob Anderson and the ACCP Committee, Lead****Location: Nampa Civic Center, 311 3<sup>rd</sup> St. S, Nampa****Social 4:00 pm****Seating 5:00 pm****Dinner 6:00 pm****Dancing 7:00 pm**

Intermountain HOG Chapter 2026 After-Christmas Christmas Party  
Saturday, January 10, 2026

**HOGS in Paradise**

Door prizes, Paradise Photo Fun, 50/50, Live Music by Straightaway

Social - 4pm | Dinner - 6pm  
Seating - 5pm | Dancing - 7pm

Event: Nampa Civic Center 311 3rd St South, Nampa  
Hotel-Best Western Peppertree Inn 205 3rd St South, Nampa (same parking lot)  
HOG Block Rate \$130.76 plus tax / Deadline Dec. 10, 2025

<https://tinyurl.com/ACCPHotel>

Member ACCP Dinner \$45  
Guest Member ACCP Dinner \$55  
Hawaiian Style Buffet

Deadline Dec. 24 2025 Dinner Party is non-refundable (no shows forfeit)

Early Bird Registration Closing Dec. 31st Must be Priced To Sell

**Rockies-2-Pacific****Thursday, July 16, 2026****Ric Tallada, LRC****Meet at the Chevron on 44 and 30 exit 25****Meet time 8:00 am - KSU 8:30 am**

Welcome HOG members,

This HOG Ride will be traveling and participating to the Rockies-2-Pacific event in July 2026. We would like to keep approximately 15 bike limit. Don't hesitate, need to reserve now and contact us.

The utmost importance is to:

Register to the R2P Rally

Reserve your R2P Rally Hotel - July 16 - 19th

Reserve your Spokane Hotel - July 15th

July 15, 2026 - Wednesday

Meet at the Chevron on 44 and 30 exit 25

Meet time 8:00 am

KSU 8:30 am

New Meadows for gas and a break.

Lewiston for gas and lunch.

Stopping in Spokane, staying the night at the Hilton Garden Inn and dinner.

Hilton Garden Inn Spokane Airport

9015 W HIGHWAY 2 Spokane, Washington 99224-9413

Checking in July 15th - Checking out July 16th (1 night)

You are welcome to stay there or anywhere nearby. This is close to the 195 and 2 (using the backroads to Leavenworth).

Eateries nearby the Spokane hotel are the Rusty Moose and Bruni's Philly Cheesesteak and Burgers. There is also an onsite restaurant too.



July 16, 2026 - Thursday

Meet at the local Gas Station

Meet time 8:00 am

KSU time 8:30 am

We will be stopping for gas and a break between Spokane - Leavenworth.

We then will be stopping in Sound Harley Davidson dealership, 16212 Smokey Pt Blvd Marysville WA.

Rally check-in and registration packet pick-up. Collect assigned and self-guided ride information.

We will be checking in at the Best Western Plus (near the dealership). There are two other hotel options to choose from.

5:30 BBQ Dinner hosted by Sound HD

July 17 - 19, 2026

Please follow the R2P event calendar

Heads up, Ric and I are not sure where we are heading after the R2P event. Some riders will be traveling to various areas going back to Boise. You are responsible for communicating with others on their plans back to Boise. We will keep you informed as time gets closer within our small group.

Take Care,

Ric and Judy Tallada

Rictallada@gmail.com and/or [DeadlyTomato9@gmail.com](mailto:DeadlyTomato9@gmail.com)



## We Value Your Input!

At Intermountain HOG, we are continually striving to enhance our member's experience. The "Feed the Hog Box Feedback Form" is a convenient and easy way for you to share your suggestions, ride information, and any other thoughts you may have.

### Why Your Feedback Matters

Your insights help us understand what we're doing right and where we need to improve. Whether it's a new idea, or a suggestion for improvement, your feedback ensures your voice is heard and contributes to the growth and enhancement of our HOG community.

### How to Use the Feed the Hog Box Feedback Form

1. Access the Form: The forms are available at the monthly meetings; at HDHD next to the membership mailbox; or download from the newsletter.
2. Fill in Your Details: While providing your name and contact information is optional, it can help us follow up with you for more details if needed.
3. Share Your Thoughts: Be as detailed as possible to help us understand your feedback.
4. Submit: Once you're done, simply drop off the form at HDHD HOG mailbox or at the Feed the Hog Box at the monthly general meeting.

### What Happens Next?

Every piece of feedback is reviewed by the Board. We prioritize addressing issues and implementing suggestions that can improve our services and your experience. While we may not be able to act on every suggestion immediately, rest assured that your input is highly valued and considered.

### Privacy and Confidentiality

We understand that some feedback may be sensitive. Please be assured that all feedback is treated with the utmost confidentiality. If you choose to remain anonymous, your privacy will be respected.

We are committed to fostering a community where your voice matters. Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts with us. Together, we can make better and more responsive to your needs.



### Feed the Hog Box Feedback Form

Rev up your ideas and drop them in the HOG Suggestion Box at the General Meetings or in the membership box at HDHD!

Would you like a response? If you would like us to follow up with you, please select "Yes" and provide your contact information.

[ ] Yes [ ] No

Contact Information (Optional ): If you selected "Yes" above, please provide your preferred contact information.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Remain Confidential [ ] Yes [ ] No

Remain Anonymous [ ] Yes [ ] No

We assure you that all suggestions are confidential. Your identity will not be disclosed unless you choose to provide your contact information for a follow-up response.

**Your Suggestion(s):**

Feel free to share your ideas for rides, events, improvements, general suggestions, a desire to help, or perhaps join a committee, etc.

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*Drop your completed form in the HOG Suggestion Box at the General Meetings or in the membership box at HDHD!*



**2025 Intermountain Chapter Harley Owners Group Board**

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We try to be as accurate as possible and the information above is correct at the time of publication. However, events sometimes change due to unforeseen circumstances, so please check the **Chapter** and **Dealership** event calendars often for the latest on what's happening!

**Chapter event calendar:** <https://www.intermountainHOG.com/see-what-s-up>

**Dealership event calendar:** <https://www.highdeserthd.com/events>

If you have suggestions or comments about the newsletter,  
or if you have something to submit for inclusion in a future newsletter,  
please email them to our editor at:  
[kdarosa@citlink.net](mailto:kdarosa@citlink.net)

So long for now and see you on the road... and as always...

***Ride Safe, Ride Often,  
& Have Fun***



# CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP ENROLLMENT FORM AND RELEASE

Chapter Name: INTERMOUNTAIN CHAPTER – HARLEY OWNERS GROUP #1255

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Nat'l H.O.G. Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date of National H.O.G.® Membership: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the *H.O.G.® Chapter Charter* and hereby agree to abide by it as a member of this Dealer sponsored Chapter.

I recognize that while this Chapter is chartered with H.O.G., it remains a separate, independent entity solely responsible for its actions.

### THIS IS A RELEASE, READ BEFORE SIGNING

I agree that the Sponsoring Dealer, Harley Owners Group® (H.O.G.®), Harley-Davidson, Inc., Harley-Davidson Motor Company, my Chapter and their respective officers, directors, employees and agents (hereinafter, the **“RELEASED PARTIES”**) shall not be liable or responsible for injury to me (including paralysis or death) or damage to my property occurring during any H.O.G.® or H.O.G.®

Chapter activities and resulting from acts or omissions occurring during the performance of the duties of the Released Parties, even where the damage or injury is caused by negligence (except willful neglect). I understand and agree that all H.O.G.® members and their guests participate voluntarily and at their own risk in all H.O.G.® activities and I assume all risks of injury and damage arising out of the conduct of such activities. I release and hold the **“RELEASED PARTIES”** harmless from any injury or loss to my person or property which may result from my participation in H.O.G. activities and EVENT(S). I

UNDERSTAND THAT THIS MEANS THAT I AGREE NOT TO SUE THE **“RELEASED PARTIES”** FOR ANY INJURY OR RESULTING DAMAGE TO MYSELF OR MY PROPERTY ARISING FROM, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR CHAPTER DUTIES IN SPONSORING, PLANNING OR CONDUCTING SAID EVENT(S).

### WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER STATE STATUTES

I further agree to waive all benefits flowing from any state statute which would negate or limit the scope of this Release and Indemnification Agreement including, but not limited to, Section 1542 of the California Civil Code which provides:

“A general release does not extend to the claims which the creditor does not know or suspect to exist in his favor at the time of executing the release, which if known to him must have materially affected his settlement with the debtor.”

By signing this Release, I certify that I have read this Release and fully understand it and that I am not relying on any statements or representations made by the **“RELEASED PARTIES”**.

Member Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR CHAPTER**

Rev. 10/30/24



High Desert Harley-Davidson® Intermountain H.O.G.®  
Member Information Sheet

**Membership Information**

Welcome to our Chapter! You MUST have an “active” National Harley Owners Group® (H.O.G.) membership to become of member of the chapter. If you need to become a National H.O.G.® member, go to [www.harley-davidson.com](http://www.harley-davidson.com) and click on “OWNERS.” That will take you to the area to join. Have your VIN readily available when you log in to join. Once a member, you will receive your National H.O.G.® membership number.

**Local chapter dues of \$20 expire December 31<sup>st</sup> each year. Dues paid by new members joining the chapter on or after the 15th of October are good through the following year.**

Checks should be made out to “IMCH.O.G..” Returned Check Fee of \$17 will be charged for any insufficient fund checks.

Return the *Chapter Membership Enrollment Form*, this *Member Information* sheet, and your check in our H.O.G. box near the lounge at High Desert Harley-Davidson, 2310 E. Cinema Drive. Meridian, ID 83642. Or mail to:

**H.O.G. Membership Officer  
2310 E Cinema Drive  
Meridian, ID 83642**

**Additional Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Significant Other Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of the Intermountain Chapter before? No  Yes  Since: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Birth Month: \_\_\_\_\_

What do you ride? \_\_\_\_\_

**Image Release:**

*Photographing, filming, recording and videotaping of activities can occur at chapter events. By entering a H.O.G. event area, you irrevocably grant permission to the Harley-Davidson Motor Company and its agents to photograph, film, record and/or videotape you and use (and authorize the use of) your name, image, likeness, voice and/or biographical or other information in any and all media now known or hereinafter developed in perpetuity for any and all purposes.*

By signing, I certify that I have read this Image Release and fully understand it.

Member Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Significant Other Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Information is used only for internal purposes of the Intermountain H.O.G.® Chapter and will not be shared with any other entity.*

VIP: _____	Paid: _____
H.O.G.: _____	Ck No. _____
Treasurer Rec'd _____	



Intermountain Harley Group
MEMBERSHIP ENROLLMENT
DISCOUNT

Please check the appropriate box to indicate whether this enrollment form is for a new or existing membership:

[ ] New Member [ ] Existing/Renewing Member - Member ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Domestic Partner: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

List Additional Eligible Household Members:

Includes any of the following family members living in the same household: dependents claimed on your tax return, disabled family members, and/ or family members who are 65 years or older living in the same household.

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Four rows of blank lines for listing household members.

CHOOSE A DISCOUNTED MEMBERSHIP OPTION:

- [ ] Annual Air Transport - \$80
[ ] Annual Fire/Med Ground Transport - \$90
[ ] Annual Air/Fire/Med Ground Transport - \$165
[ ] Optional: Tax Deductible Donation: \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT INFORMATION

[ ] Check (payable to Life Flight Network Foundation)
[ ] Credit or Debit (Visa, M/Card, AmEx, Discover): Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_
Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: / \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_
Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

hereby authorize Life Flight Network to charge the amount indicated above.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN TO LIFE FLIGHT NETWORK MEMBERSHIP OFFICE:

PO Box 3841 • Portland, OR 97208-3841 • Phone (800) 982-9299 • Fax (503) 217-1413

This application is valid through 12/31/2023. Please contact the Membership Office for an updated application if this form is expired. Membership benefits take effect upon receipt of completed application and payment. Life Flight Network transports patients based on medical need, not membership status. Medicaid beneficiaries should not apply for membership. Life Flight Network operates under its own FAA Part 135 Air Carrier Certificate.

Office use only: DISCOUNT: H.O.G. GROUP \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_ TRACK CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

## STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

**By becoming a Life Flight Network Member, you agree to the terms stated below.**

A Life Flight Network Membership relieves you from liability for out-of-pocket costs of emergent, medically necessary transports completed and billed by Life Flight Network. Your membership is not an insurance policy but secondary to insurance carriers and health care cost sharing programs. All available insurances will be billed first including health, auto, workers compensation and third-party insurance. Life Flight Network will accept payment from insurance carriers and other third party payers as payment in full.

Membership benefits are available for those eligible household members listed on the member record at the time of transport if the transport is an emergent, medically necessary transport to the closest, most appropriate facility, performed by Life Flight Network, its contracted agents, or reciprocal partners, subject to the reciprocal program's rules.

Membership benefits are extended to the primary member, his/her spouse or domestic partner and dependents claimed on their income tax return. Dependents must be added to the member record within 30 days of birth or adoption. Elderly (age 65+) and disabled family members living in the same household are also covered. Life Flight Network may require documentation or other verification of membership eligibility.

Emergency medical transports are based on medical need, not membership status. Medical need can only be determined by a physician, EMS provider, hospital or another qualified third-party recognized by Medicare, and is in all cases subject to the final determination of the health insurance carrier, if any.

Non-emergent transports are not eligible for Life Flight Network membership benefits.

Availability of service cannot be guaranteed due to weather conditions, maintenance, commitment to another transport, out-of-service equipment, and other reasons.

New and lapsed membership benefits take effect upon receipt of a completed enrollment with payment.

Membership fees are non-refundable, non-transferable and are not tax-deductible. Life Flight Network may cease selling and servicing memberships should any governmental body, now or in the future, determine memberships can no longer be offered within their jurisdiction. No refunds will be made for any memberships already purchased.

**I transfer directly to Life Flight Network my rights to insurance payments due to me for services provided by Life Flight Network.** Such payments shall not exceed Life Flight Network's regular charges. Denial of a claim by an insurance provider must be received by Life Flight Network in writing. Membership benefits do not extend to transports deemed not medically necessary or when insurers deny payments due to coordination of benefit issues. Per government regulations, individuals covered by Medicaid are not eligible for Life Flight Network membership and should not apply.

**I specifically release and waive any and all rights, claims or causes of action against Life Flight Network and its employees and agents with respect to my Life Flight Network Membership.**

The Membership Program may be canceled at any time for any reason, including financial feasibility and governmental regulation of such programs. Terms and conditions are subject to change. For current terms see [www.lifeflight.org](http://www.lifeflight.org)

### LIFE FLIGHT NETWORK LOCATIONS

