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DIRECTORS REPORT

Another year has passed so I would like to thank every one who was on the committee for the past year all of you have done a great job. This also includes the rally committee and those that have helped out with other events. Thank you to the people who have decided to stay on for another year. It takes a lot of people willing to put in a bit of effort to make the club run smoothly. I think you will find that we have another good crew for the 2005/06 season. Geoff Laycock will look good in a Nurses Uniform. Thank you.

It was good to see so many on Sunday 10th July for the A.G.M. held at Richardson's. There were quite a few people who braved the chilly weather and turned up on their bikes.

When sending notices etc for the newsletter please put them on a word document without headers & footers so that it is easier for Cath to add them to the newsletter and to pass onto Tony for the website.

Overnighter at Tall Timbers looks good the more the merrier, book early so you don't miss out.

Tullah on the West Coast for our 2006 State rally is confirmed. The rally will be held on February 3rd, 4th and 5th at the Tullah Lakeside Chalet. All accommodation will be on site with limited camping available.

Registrations forms are included in this newsletter.

Ride safely and I hope to see you all soon.

Director's Quote: I hate advice unless I'm giving it.

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CHAPTER RIDE RULES

Ø *Arrive at Meeting place with a full tank of fuel*

Ø *The Road Captain leads the group. Do not overtake him*

Ø *Adhere to State Road Rules and Speed Limits*

Ø *We ride as a group to and from our destination*

Ø *Ride in staggered formation, not side by side or behind the bike in front of you*

Ø *Use only one lane of a multi-lane highway*

Ø *Make sure you are well off the road when you stop for a scheduled stop*

Ø *If you keep an eye on your mirrors and can always see a rider behind you, we should not get split up*

Ø *Do not “Rubber Band” speed up and slow down*

Ø *If a Rider stops or breaks down Tail end Charlie will render assistance*

Ø *Ride within your safety zone*

Ø *Complying with the Ride Rules keeps you in the official Ride Group*

Ø ***Our object as H.O.G members is to Ride and Have Fun***
Our responsibility as H.O.G members is to Ride safely

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WANTED



YOU'RE ATTENDANCE

SMITHTON, TALL TIMBERS RESORT

August the 27th & 28th

Make you own accommodation bookings for the weekend away or just one night

\$110.00 per Double per night standard room

\$100.00 per single per night standard room

Saturday night meal and entertainment will be at a minimal cost.

When booking don't forget to mention you are a H.O.G. member for a deal on rooms rates Phone 03 6452 2755.

BE THERE or MISS OUT on a good weekend

TOY RUN DINNER

DATE: 10th December

**VENUE: Central Café Bar
73 Collins Street Hobart**

*An open menu for this year, good meals and fair prices. H.O.G. have booked the pub so it will only be us and friends there Entertainment will be provided by the pub and there is a separate area with gambling. A \$10.00 per person cover charge is necessary. 5 minutes walking distance from the Wharf area. Room for 80 party goers so book A.S.A.P. **R.S.V.P with your \$ \$ \$ and name of persons attending to***

*The Treasurer H.O.G., Richardsons Harley Davidson, 468 Bass Highway, Prospect 7250
Make cheques payable to H.O.G. Tasmania*

NOTICES

REMEMBER

IF YOU ARE HAPPY TO DOWNLOAD YOUR NEWSLETTER OFF OUR WEB PAGE TO PLEASE LET THE EDITOR KNOW. OTHER THAN POSSIBLE CHANGES IN FORMATTING, IT IS THE SAME.

Email editor@hogtasmania.org.au or phone 63349636.

IMPORTANT

all articles for the newsletter will have to be emailed in WORD so that we can attach them to the webpage. If you want some info included and haven't got access to a computer or email that's fine. I can type it up.

Deadline for articles is the day of our committee meeting. The Editor.

WELCOME TO OUR LATEST NEW MEMBERS

North –

Robert Rubenach, Jamie Philips

North west –

Wayne Cabalazar

South –

Matthew Riley, Jonus August

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU & ALL OTHER NEWER MEMBERS WITH US LONGER SERVING MEMBERS SOON - ON A RIDE, AT A COUNTER MEAL,,,,,,,,,,,,,



Financial statement 10 July 2005

Opening Balance	5052.26
Closing Cash Position	\$3,478.32

Where are you?????

At our last meeting there was discussion on who to involve new members and make them feel welcome. If you have never participated in a club event how about giving us a go. Yes we are all busy and yes some of us can get carried away a bit that might have others wondering but we aren't a bad bunch. We just love being on our bikes and having a few laughs. It would be great to see a few different faces.

NORTHERN RIDE CALENDAR

Saturday July 23 – “Christmas in Winter” Abel Tasman Inn – Youngtown

Sunday August 7 – Boat Harbour – Leave HOG Park 10am, Devonport Formby Road 11am; Burnie McDonalds 11.30am.

Saturday August 13 – Counter Meal at Bella's Pizza Café, Rooke St, Devonport 7pm. Contact Val or Geoff 64248223 by 6 August.

Sunday August 21 – **CHANGED !!!!!** – COMMITTEE MEETING AT ROSS, Man of Ross Hotel – Leave Burnie McDonalds 9.15am; Devonport Watty Hill 9.45am & HOG Park 10.45am.

Saturday 27 & Sunday August 28 – overnighter at Tall Timbers Smithton – See flyer in newsletter.

Friday September 9 – Counter Meal at Argosy Tavern, East Devonport - 6pm. This is to farewell Hoggies heading to National Rally.

Sunday September 11 – Mystery Ride – Leave HOG Park 10am, Devonport Formby Road & Burnie McDonalds 11am.

Saturday September 24 – Dinner at High Tide Waterfront Restaurant, Devonport – 7pm. Ring Geoff or Val on 64248223 by 17 September.

Sunday September 25 – Bracknell – Leave Burnie McDonalds 10.15am; Devonport Watty Hill 10.45am & HOG Park 11am. Meet at Westbury.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 29 & 30 – Advanced Rider Training – see flyer. A counter tea is planned for Saturday night at the TRC – all welcome (at your own expense)

December 10 – MRA Toy Run – see flyer for details for Saturday evening.

MEMBERS – LONGSTANDING & NEW – PLEASE COME & JOIN US

LADIES OF HARLEY PROFILE

NAME: Catherine Goss
POSITION IN CLUB: Editor
OCCUPATION: Development Planner
LIKES: Warm weather
– walking and being outside; going to the gym;
eating out
DISLIKES: People who
don't 'have a go'.
FAVOURITE BIKE: Harley's
(without screens)
**FAVOURITE FOOD
& DRINK:** Cajun chicken
Pepsi max
GOALS IN LIFE: See as much of
Australia as possible; get the most out of life; get a
bike licence and pass Geoff
**IF STUCK ON A DESERT ISLAND NAME 3 THINGS YOU WOULD TAKE
ALONG WITH YOU:** Pete, teddy bear and lollies
**MOST EMBARRASING HARLEY
MOMENT:** being stirred by Royce on her
first poker run

NOTE: this is an unedited version of what Pete thinks.....!!!!

Needed – profiles – of any member – please send in

2005 South Australian HOG Rally at Berri

The 2005 South Australian State HOG Rally will be held in Berri in the Riverland from 30 Sep to 3 Oct 2005. Sponsored by the Adelaide Chapter, this family friendly rally will have plenty for everyone.

Registration will open from Friday afternoon with a meals available at the oval.

On Saturday morning, over 200 Harleys will depart the rally site for the Rolling Thunder Ride and circle the Riverland before roaring back for the People's Choice Bike Show in Berri's town centre. There the whole community will be invited to see our bikes up close and talk with their proud owners. That afternoon will be the gymkhana and chapter challenge on the rally site. Saturday night will find us all swapping stories and enjoying our meal at the oval followed by the activities and entertainment.

Sunday morning we will have a number of separate guided rides heading in different directions with something to please all riders.

Registration of only \$80 includes pin, entertainment, bike show, gymkhana, camping on the rally site, rolling thunder ride, chapter challenge, sightseeing guided rides and much more. The Saturday night meal is included but the rest are pay as you go.

Download the Registration form and all info at <http://www.adelaidehogsa.asn.au/> or emailing Jan Whittington at oyzo3@bigpond.com.au

JOKE AND STORY CORNER

THE BEST IRISH JOKE - BY FAR.....

John O'Reilly hoisted his beer and said, "Here's to spending the rest of me life, between the legs of me wife!"

That won him the top prize at the pub for the best toast of the night!

He went home and told his wife, Mary, "I won the prize for the "Best toast of the night."

She said, "Aye, did ye now. And what was your toast?"

John said, "Here's to spending the rest of me life, sitting in church beside me wife."

"Oh, that is very nice indeed, John!" Mary said.

The next day, Mary ran into one of John's drinking buddies on the street corner.

The man chuckled leeringly and said, "John won the prize the other night at the pub with a toast about you, Mary."

She said, "Aye, he told me, and I was a bit surprised meself. You know, he's only been there twice in the last four years.

Once he fell asleep, and the other time I



had to pull him by the ears to make him come."

Golf Day. Casino Sunday 26th June,

What a beautiful sunny morning with only an inch of frost on the ground. It was good to see Boss Hog and his Head Road Captain there to see the only two avid golfers off at the first tee (one of my mates and me). The day progressed into a warm winters day with not even a breathe of wind. Score for the day four lost balls and found two others while clocking up about 18kms for the game.

See you at the next one
Tim.

A MAN AND HIS HARLEY DAVIDSON

A young man had always dreamed of owning his Harley Davidson. One day he has finally saved up enough money so he goes down to his local dealer. After picking out the perfect bike the dealer warns him that if he leaves his Harley in the rain the chrome may have a tendency to rust. He tells the young man an old biker's trick to keep a jar of Vaseline handy and smear it on the chrome if the bike must be left out in the rain.

A few months later the young man meets a woman and falls in love. She asks him to come home and meet her parents over dinner, he readily agrees and the date is set. At the appointed time he picks her up on his Harley and they ride to her parents house. Before they go in she tells him they have a family tradition that whoever speaks first after dinner must do the dishes.

After a delicious dinner everyone sits in silence waiting for the first person to break and get stuck doing the dishes. After a long 15 minutes the young man decides to speed things up so he reaches over and kisses the woman in front of her family.

And no one says a word....! Next he decides to take a more direct approach so he throws her on the table and has sex with her in front of everyone. And still no one says a word....! Now he is getting desperate, so he grabs her mother and throws her on the table. They have even wilder sex. But no one says a word...!!!!

By now he is getting very worried and is still wondering what to do next when he hears thunder in the distance. His first thought is to protect the chrome on his Harley, so he reaches in his pocket and pulls out the Vaseline. And the father says, "Okay dammit, I'll do the bloody dishes."

SOUTHERN TASMANIA

Southern ride reports and things to do

The Stewart Blair Mystery Ride

With winter upon us and the days short and cold the rides groups have been small.

This was one of those rides. The two hardy riders that did turn up, Stewart and Darrel, decided to chance the day and head for the hills for an egg and bacon roll which Stewart supplied and cooked. The day turned out fine and the mystery ride is still that so next time it can still be a mystery for those who will turn up. Robyn & Julie

Port Arthur Ride

A beaming clear but crisp day. Only made it to Dunalley as you do. The food at the pub too good to pass, or was that the warming influence of a beverage. Good numbers today and the bonus of a few new faces and a few very old ones. Yes Patrick you, hope to see more of your presence.

The frost and ice curtailed a longer ride to Port Arthur, as the evidence of cars and broken road barriers strewn on the way up Tunnel Hill were testament to. Better Safe than Sorry. Robyn & Julie

N.S.W. TRIP

Mid October

Visiting Canberra and or the N.S.W. coast

Contact Pieter or Robyn for details

A 10 day trip or a 6 day trip, two departure times

Call us for exact details

A good number of membership renewals are coming in but don't let it slip your mind, membership renewals for your local chapter are due **NOW**.

Be sure your international H.O.G. membership is also paid up

because you can't be local without international
Cheers Pieter Oud

SOUTHERN TASMANIA - RIDE and EVENTS CALENDAR

Sunday 24th July

Dice Ride, it was so popular last time we will run another one, start time 10.30
Also there is a ***XMas in Winter*** party up North, more detail in newsletter

Wednesday August 2ⁿ. Tea at the refurbished Prince of Wales, Hampden Road, Battery Point.
PLEASE!! let Robyn know by the 1st if you will be going

Sunday August 7th

Dover. A couple of attempts have been made to get there, success this time maybe Depart
10.30 am

Sunday August 21st

H.O.G. Committee meeting at Ross depart 10.30

The weekend of ***August 27th and 28th*** we the Tasmania Chapter of H.O.G are organizing a
weekender away at ***TALL TIMBERS Smithton***, it is a good long ride so an early start is
required 10.30 Saturday more details in newsletter

Sunday September 4th FATHERS DAY

Ride to The Steppes, up past Bothwell, depart 10.30am

Wednesday September 7th Tea at The Wagon & Horses. ***PLEASE!!*** let Robyn know by the 5th
if you are going

Sunday 18th September

Stewart Blair has another destination up his sleeve, be there to find out where. Depart 10.30

Sunday October 2nd

East coast is a good destination, Coles Bay if the weather 10.00 departs

Wednesday 5th October. Tea at the Central Bar and Café, in Collins street, ***PLEASE*** let
Robyn know by the 5th if you are going

Sunday October 16th

Derwent Bridge, daylight saving is on so an 10.00 departure time

Sunday October 29th & 30th

Advanced Rider course run by ***Stay Up Right***. More info in newsletter

Remember all rides leave Hungry Jacks North Hobart, unless specified

SOUTHERN TASMANIA CONTACTS:

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ADVANCED RIDER TRAINING

The Tasmania Harley Owners Group recently decided to promote and partly sponsor an Advanced Rider Training course. This will be a unique opportunity to learn and participate with your fellow Harley riders.

The course will be limited to 20 riders and will be held over two days with a defensive riding seminar on the Saturday and a practical day on the Sunday.

WHEN:

Saturday 29th October 2005 – 1.00pm to 4.00pm – Prospect High School, Ralph Street, Prospect. Meet at front entrance near the eagle statue at 12.45pm

Sunday 30th October 2005 – 8.30am to 4.30pm – Symmons Plains. Meet in pit area at 8.15am. Lunch is provided.

WHAT TO BRING

Yourself – Book in early as there is a lot of interest and we can only take 20 riders.

Your Bike – Make sure you have a full tank of fuel for the Sunday.

Your Licence – Make sure it is current.

Open Mind – Be willing to listen and learn.

Support Crew – You can bring a pillion if you wish – for a small charge of course.

COST

Rider - \$200 (Reduced from \$235 by Tas. HOG sponsorship)

Pillion - \$95

GENERAL INFORMATION

Insurance – You may wish to advise your insurance company that you are participating in a supervised training course with a registered training company (Stay Upright) as distinct from a ride day at a race track. Your insurance company may give you a discount on your premium after you have completed the course.

Weather – The course will go ahead regardless of the weather.

Refunds – **We are unable to offer refunds.** If you pay and then can't make it let us know as we may be able to find someone to take your place.

Social – A counter tea has been organised for the Saturday night at the TRC Hotel at 7pm.. See registration form for bookings.

Registrations – Close on 7th October 2005. See form for other detail.

Enquiries – Kerry Ollington: Ph. 6327 4088 or Email. olliekemm@bigpond.com

Advanced Rider Training Registration Form

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