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Updates from Your Activities Director

HAPPY SPRING !!!!!!!!!!!

Riding Season is here - I don't know about you, but I know I am ready! The next Event we have coming up will be our kick-off to riding season with our Spring Splash Picnic.

That will be held on May 17th, and we will be leaving from the Dealership @10:00 a.m. We will be going to Hager Heights Drive -in, in Hager City, WI. There will be a sign up sheet at April's Chapter Social.

We are also doing a riding challenge starting in May. We will be doing a point system for chapter events, and I will be sending it out on Facebook and e-mail blast with all the info. Passengers are included also, so look for it to come out soon!

Thank You,
Michele Handing
Activities Director



Twin Cities H.O.G. North®

Chapter #3918

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APRIL DEALER EVENTS



Join in honoring our heroes, March 28 through Oct 31, 2025.

Every mile you ride brings us closer to Harley-Davidson's \$1 million donation to support military, veteran and first responder heroes. And as you ride, you'll earn rewards and compete to win one of five brand-new Harley-Davidson® motorcycles.

Ready to join the challenge? Stop by the dealership to get started.

2025 HOG RALLIES & EVENTS

2025 H.O.G. Touring Rallies

- Run to Daytona H.O.G. Touring Rally, February 23-27, Sunrise, FL to Leesburg, FL
- Spring Heat in Arizona H.O.G. Touring Rally, March 28-April 1, Albuquerque, NM to Apache, AZ
- Texas Hill Country H.O.G. Touring Rally, May 7-10, Round Rock, TX to San Antonio, TX
- Great River Lower H.O.G. Touring Rally, May 19-23, New Orleans, LA to St. Louis, MO
- Roaming the Black Hills H.O.G. Touring Rally, June 4-9, Cody, WY to Deadwood, SD
- Great River Upper H.O.G. Touring Rally, August 25-30, Fargo, ND to St. Louis, MO
- Tour of Valor H.O.G. Touring Rally, October 14-20, Hughesville, MD to Dayton, OH

2025 H.O.G. Regional Rallies

- Gulf Coast H.O.G. Rally, May 1-3, Beaumont, TX
- Mid-America H.O.G. Rally, June 5-7, Springfield, MO
- Appalachian Thunder H.O.G. Rally, June 25-28, Cumberland, MD
- Great Lakes H.O.G. Rally, June 26-28, Marquette, MI (See below)
- Pacific Northwest H.O.G. Rally, July 17-19, Spokane, WA
- Valley to the Mountains H.O.G. Rally, August 14-16, Monticello, NY
- Iron Adventure H.O.G. Rally, August 19-23, Bartlett, NH
- Rocky Mountain H.O.G. Rally, September 11-13, Pikes Peak, CO
- Golden State H.O.G. Rally, October 2-4, Fresno, CA

2025 H.O.G. Check-Ins

- Daytona Beach Bike Week, March 1-8, Daytona Beach, FL
- Laconia Motorcycle Week, June 14-21, Laconia, NH
- Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, August 1-8, Sturgis, SD



2025's first touring rally is the Run to Daytona on February 23-25!

GREAT LAKES HOG RALLY - June 26-28

Welcome to Marquette, MI, where the spectacular landscapes of Michigan's Upper Peninsula come to life! Nestled against the majestic backdrop of Lake Superior, this event promises captivating scenic rides, including the iconic route to Copper Harbor. Experience the thrill of the open road as you cruise through lush forests, along rugged shorelines, and past charming small towns. Whether you're a seasoned Harley Owners Group member or a first-timer, this rally offers the perfect blend of adventure, camaraderie, and the unparalleled beauty of the Upper Peninsula.

The block of rooms had been set up at Comfort Suites Marquette. You can call (906) 936-7436 Option 2 to get the front desk. The block is reserved under Scott Ferch. All rooms are king beds with a pullout couch. If you wish to have two queen beds you may ask when you make your reservations. Please make reservations as soon as you know you are going. That way, if we fill up our block of rooms we can request more rooms.

Rally Package Options

Orange Package - \$40

Includes Rally Wristband, commemorative rally T-Shirt, pin and patch. Registration closes 5/28/2025

Black Package - \$30

Black Package includes Rally Wristband, pin and patch. Registration closes 6/25/2025



Great River Upper H.O.G. Touring Rally August 25-30

Fargo, ND to St. Louis, MO

Get ready for the second leg of our thrilling motorcycle touring rally as we embark on the scenic Upper Great River Road, following the majestic Mississippi River from Fargo, ND, to St. Louis, MO! As we traverse this picturesque route, you'll enjoy the camaraderie of fellow bikers and create unforgettable memories. Join us for an adventure that embodies the essence of the river and the spirit of the ride!

The Rally will be making a Dealer Stop at our TCHDN dealership between 10:00 am and noon. We are invited to represent our local chapter, so try to stop by!



2025 CHAPTER RIDES

Twin Cities North HOG Chapter Ride and Event Schedule

| Date | Time | Ride/Event | Location | Leader | C/P |
|------------------------|----------|--|------------|----------------|-----|
| Sat. April 19th | 10:00 AM | Director's Ride | Dealership | Wayne Sather | C |
| Wed April 23rd | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Ryan Ellefson | C |
| Sun. April 27 | 10:00 AM | 2025 Food Truck | Dealership | Mike DeVine | C |
| Wed. May 7th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Mike Shifflett | C |
| Sat. May 17th | 10:00 AM | Spring Picnic Ride - Hager Heights Drive-In Hager, WI | Dealership | TBD | C |
| Wed. May 21st | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Kurt Walter | C |
| Mon. May 26th | 10:00 AM | VA Memorial Day Decorated Vehicle Parade starts at 11:00 AM | Dealership | Scott Ferch | P |
| Sat. May 31st | 10:00 AM | Thirsty Otter, Balsalm Lake | Dealership | Lauren Marlow | C |
| Wed. June 4th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride to Famous Dave's, Forest Lake | Dealership | Mike Devine | C |
| Sat. June 14th | 9:00 AM | Fagen Fighters WWII Museum leaving WPHD at 10:00 am | Dealership | David Baker | C |
| Wed. June 18th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride to Northern, Chisago City | Dealership | Ryan Ellefson | C |
| Thur. June 26th - 28th | | Great Lakes HOG Rally, Marquette MI | | | C/P |
| Sat. July 5th | 10:00 AM | VA Independence Day Decorated Vehicle Parade starts at 11:00 AM | Dealership | Scott Ferch | P |
| Wed. July 9th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Mike Shifflett | C |
| Sun. July 13th | 9:30 AM | TBD | Dealership | Ryan Ellefson | C |
| Sat. July 19th | 10:00 AM | Moose Lake Agate Days, Moose Lake, MN | Dealership | Ryan Ellefson | C |
| Wed. July 23rd | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Kurt Walter | C |
| Sat. Aug. 2nd | 10:00 AM | Ride to Northwoods Steak House Mora, MN and Mille Lacs, MN | Dealership | Scott Ferch | C |
| Wed. Aug. 13th | 5:30 PM | Dinner Ride to Otsego Bike Night at Rockwoods Otsego, MN | Dealership | John Ewer | C |
| Sun. Aug. 17th | 10:00 AM | Ride to Big Guys BBQ | Dealership | Gary Feidt | C |
| Wed. Aug. 27th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Wayne/Scott | C |
| Sun. Aug. 30 | 11:00 AM | Wanderoos in Star Prairie | Dealership | Mike Devine | C |
| Wed. Sept. 10th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride Acapulco Andover, MN | Dealership | David Baker | C |
| Sat. Sept. 13th | 10:00 AM | TBD | Dealership | TBD | C |
| Wed. Sept. 24th | 6:00 PM | Dinner Ride | Dealership | Mike Shifflett | C |
| Sat. Oct. 4th - 5th | 10:00 AM | Fall Colors Ride Overnight, Owatonna, MN | Dealership | Mark Ellers | C |

All rides and events are subject to change.

See website or Facebook for the most up to date information.



The Key To Happiness...

Enjoy the Riding Season!



Chapter Socials

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| January 5th | July 10th |
| February 6th | August 7th |
| March 6th | September 4th |
| April 3rd | October 2nd |
| May 1st | November 6th |
| June 5th | December 4th |



Check with Wendall Schwenzfeier if you are in need of any patches, name badges or bike flags!

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