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DIRECTORS REPORT

Hello to all,

Tullah on the West Coast for our 2006 State rally is a goer. The rally will be held on February 3rd, 4th and 5th at the Tullah Chalet. More information should be out by our next meeting on prices etc. All accommodation will be on site with limited camping available. This is a top spot.

S.A. State Rally 2005 will be held from September the 30th to October the 3rd at Berri. If anybody would like more information contact me and I will send the e-mail address and contact details so that you can download the Registration form etc.

Victoria State Rally 2006 will be held over the March long weekend 11th, 12th and 13th at Mildura. Registration forms etc have not been finalized yet.

As discussed at our meeting at Campbell Town we will be offering an Advanced Rider Training course in October with numbers limited to 20. If this is successful we hope to offer another course next year. The Chapter will contribute some money to help cut costs, as it will cost about \$235.00 per person. Theory will be on the Saturday afternoon and then on Sunday at Symons Plains will be the riding part of the course.

A.G.M. time is coming up with positions on the committee needed to be filled so if you are interested fill out a form.

Ride safely and I hope to see you all soon.

Director's Quote: Never be the first to arrive at a party or the last to go home, and never ever be both.



Harley Owners Group



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NOTICES

Western Underwriters

Richardson's Harley Davidson are Tasmanian agents for Western Underwriters Insurance Pty Ltd and they offer 10% discount to members of Tasmania. For a free quote phone 63444524. If you have a tangle on your bike it can be quoted and repaired by their technicians as their workshop is the authorized Harley repair centre for Tasmania.

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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 MEMBER

North – Gary Young

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

Financial statement

15 May 2005

Opening Balance	<u>6341.04</u>
Expenses	<u>3187.38</u>
Receipts	<u>1898.60</u>
Closing Cash Position	<u>5052.26</u>



NORTHERN RIDE CALENDAR

Sunday May 29 – BBQ Anzac Park Ulverstone – 12pm, Leave HOG Park 10.30am Burnie McDonalds 11.30; Devonport meet at Ulverstone

Friday June 3 – Counter Meal 7pm Molly Malones Devonport Contact Val or Geoff by Wed 1 June.

Sunday June 12 – George Town - Leave Burnie McDonalds 9.30; Devonport Watty Hill 10am & HOG Park 11am.

Sunday June 26 – Golf Day at Country Club Casino – 10:00 am tee off, Country Club Casino, Anyone welcome.

Saturday July 2 – Counter Meal at Duke of Wellington, Launceston. Ph Peter Mainsbridge 0419 899121 by Thursday 30 July.

Saturday July 9 – Counter Meal 7pm Argosy Hotel/Motel, East Devonport. Contact Val or Geoff by Thursday 7 July.

Sunday July 10 – AGM at Richardson's HD 11am. Committee meeting will follow. Leave Burnie McDonalds 9.30; Devonport Watty Hill 10am. CONFIRMED

Saturday July 23 – “Christmas in Winter” – Details on flyer in this newsletter

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 – Bracknell – Leave Burnie McDonalds 10.15am; Devonport Watty Hill 10.45am & HOG Park 11am.

Saturday 27 & Sunday August 28 – overnighter at Tall Timbers Smithton – Details next newsletter.

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

MEMBERS – LONGSTANDING & NEW – PLEASE COME & JOIN US

NOTE: September 14 -18 - National Rally - Alice Springs



CHRISTMAS IN WINTER



JULY 23 - ABEL TASMAN AIRPORT
MOTOR INN, HOBART ROAD
YOUNGTOWN



JOIN US FOR A MID YEAR PARTY.

YES ITS FANCY DRESS
BEST DRESSED WINS A PRIZE.

REMEMBER THE PHOTO'S FROM LAST YEAR - THEY SHOULD
HOW MUCH FUN DRESSING UP IS.

7PM FOR 7.30PM START - \$30 A HEAD FOR 2
COURSE BUFFET TEA & BAND

ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE AT SPECIAL RATE OF \$95 PER COUPLE. LET THEM KNOW YOU ARE A HOG MEMBER

RSVP – To the editor's email or phone 63349636 or Pete 0419899121 by July 15.



If you don't dress up there is a \$5 fine.

Northern ride report

Since our last newsletter we have had some great rides. The weather has been fantastic for this time of year – ideal for riding that Harley Davidson and way to nice to leave it hidden away thinking ‘no, its too cold’, ‘its too far’ or ‘oh, it might rain’!!!!!!.

Leven Canyon BBQ – it's a great spot with a good road to get there. There is nothing like the smell of a steak on a wood BBQ – thanks again to Lawrence for his cooking – surrounded by nature. No need to say anymore.

Lake Leake – what happened to the Southerners – no show. It seems that no one was in any condition to ride. Must be something they ate, drank more like it.

Bridport – another mild day from leaving Lonnie to home again. After lunch we returned via Scottsdale and the Sidling – always a good ride no matter how fast or slow you go. The day ended with coffee at Craig and Bronwyn's (oh that's why Bron didn't come on the ride!!!).

FROM LADIES OF HARLEY.....

I looked over to my left and there was a woman in a brand new Cadillac doing 65 mph with her face up next to her rear view mirror putting on her eyeliner. I looked away for a couple seconds and when I looked back she was halfway over in my lane, still working on that makeup. As a man, I don't scare easily. But she scared so much; I dropped my electric shaver, which knocked the donut out of my other hand.

In all the confusion of trying to straighten out the car using my knees against the steering wheel, it knocked my cell phone away from my ear which fell into the coffee between my legs, splashed, and burned Big Jim and the Twins, ruined the damn phone, soaked my trousers, and disconnected an important call. **Damn women drivers!**



SOUTHERN TASMANIA RIDE and EVENTS CALENDAR

Sunday 29th May

Pancake Parlor at Salmon Ponds the long way round, weather permitting, depart 10.30 am

Wed 01st June tea at the Warratah Pub, Murray Street, Hobart

The Stuart Blair mystery Ride Depart 10.30am

Sunday 26th June

Port Arthur, just a sort ride on these cool winter days, Depart 10.30 am

Wed 06 July, Tea at the Mornington Inn, just off the Tasman Highway

Sunday 10th July

A.G.M of the Tasmania Chapter of H.O.G. at Richardsons H.D...Meeting starts at 11.00 so an early Departure time is required, 8.30 depart. Committee meeting after. Nomination forms are in the newsletter if you want to put your hand up for a position

Sunday 24th July

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

August 2ⁿ Tea at the refurbished Prince of Wales, Hampden Road, Battery Point

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

Bushy Park, it should be nice 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 ride, a long ride so an early start is required 10.30 Saturday more details in newsletter*

Remember all rides leave Hungry Jacks North Hobart, unless specified

Don't forget your local membership is due in JULY

SOUTHERN TASMANIA CONTACTS:

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ROAD RULES

Please read these through. They make for a safe and still fun ride.

1. Remember safety is your responsibility. Please also consider the safety of fellow riders.
2. Fill up with petrol before we leave the meeting point.
3. The road captain leads the group and is not to be overtaken.
4. Ride in staggered formation, not side by side. Do not wander from staggered formation.
5. Use only one lane on a multi-lane highway.
6. Always signal you intention to change lanes.
7. Make sure you are well off the road when stopping at scheduled stops.
8. If someone breaks down the Tail End Charlie must get assistance.
9. It is permissible to overtake slow drivers but please return to staggered formation as soon as possible.
10. Do not 'rubber band' – that is don't speed up or slow down unnecessarily.

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

Hi all

Membership renewals are due in **July**. There is a membership renewal form in the newsletter.

If your details have changed; i.e. address, e.mail or phone numbers could you please fill out the form with the new details and I will change them.

Please return the form back A.S.A.P

All new members who have purchased a new bike in the last couple of months need not send one in because your renewal date is July 2006; the renewal date is on your membership card.

All information on the renewal forms is kept in strict confidence

If you have any enquiries contact Pieter Oud at

membership.officer@hogtasmania.org.au

Cheers Pieter Oud



REMEMBER THE AGM ON JULY 10

ANY NOMINATIONS FOR THE COMMITTEE? OR DO YOU WANT TO BE NOMINATED?

A NOMINATION FORM IS ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER.

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Who amongst you have had a look on our very good web site lately?

If you are on the WEB take a few minutes to have a look
Click on the photos and have a look at the fun we had at TULLAH.

Navigate around the site, there is plenty to see.

There is information about the Chapter rides and the chapter itself.

Membership renewal forms are also available.

If you have photos from your Mainland rides or club events, or would like to publish a item send it to our webmaster at
webmaster@hogtasmania.org.au

If our webmaster approves of the content it will be published

Cheers Pieter Oud



A WEEKEND TO MARK IN YOUR
CALENDAR.....

2006 STATE RALLY

FEBRUARY 3rd 4 & 5

TULLAH CHALET, - ON TASMANIA'S
PRESTINE WEST COAST



View near Tullah, Tasmania

REGISTRATION FORMS & INFORMATION
NEXT NEWSLETTER