



Muletown Chapter 2033

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Assistant Director's Report

It is December already and our riding season for 2013 has come to a close. It has been a great time of motorcycle rides and fellowship with our members. Last week I got a chance to clean off the road grime on my bike from the Miller's Groceries ride on 11/19. As I was cleaning, waxing, and hooking up the battery tender, I had the time to reflect on our club.

First off, we had some real adventures from our rides on many unknown roads this year. I can honestly say I have never been on a boring ride with this club. We have without a doubt the best road captains in the HOG organization. Thank you to Jerry Knox who has for many years served as our head road captain and has done the leg work to organize these successful rides.

Our non-ride activities were mixed with some new and varied things to do as well as old

favorites. The Chili Dump started off the year at the Mann's, with a Predators game, canoe trip, and paintball adventure planned throughout the year. Those who went to the races at Bristol all had a great time. (What happens at Bristol, stays at Bristol... :) I appreciate the hard work Tony Cornelius did in planning these activities.

The AMBUCS charity ride was a big success this year. We raised our largest charity amount ever with your help.

The Muletown Newsletter continues to be a class act. From Officer's reports and Scoot Stories to the extras that Doc throws in on a bimonthly basis, it is a fun and informative read. I don't think HOG has a competition for newsletters, but if it did ours would be in the winner's circle. Thanks Doc for using your skills and efforts to

make our newsletter an excellent publication.

Trish Shearn has enhanced our website this year. The Muletown site has all the information you need about our club. From the calendar of events, to forms to renew your membership, it's all there. A nice touch has been the quick at a glance "what's coming up next" on the home page. Almost any question you have about the club can be found very easily on our site. Thank you Trish.

Tex Jones has kept our books balanced this year as well as writing the Scoot Stories. We have never bounced a check and I love those stories. Thanks Tex for keeping us fiscally responsible.

Our membership has slowly grown this year. Charter member Terry Fox always welcomes new members and has kept us organized in this area. He will be busy as we renew our

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memberships. Thanks Terry.

I also got to thinking about those members who are always there for the club helping out in the background. Much of the success of the club is due to these unsung heroes.

What a fantastic group of people! I am really looking forward to that first club ride of 2014.

Have a Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! ~Zero

Membership Report, Terry Fox

Here it is December already & almost Christmas, where did the year go!! It was a good year picked up some new members, along with some of our old members.

Speaking of new members, we picked up a new one. Tim "Sleeves" Craig from Spring Hill, he rode with us on our last chapter ride. A super nice guy, his parents live next to Rodney & Patti. That brings us up to 55.

I am sorry to report that a few members may not be coming

back Susan & Gary Davis have moved back to Fla., Tim & Connie LaRonde may not be back because of health issues. Donnie Moore sold his bike.

These members will be greatly missed. I have enjoyed knowing all of these!! It was also good to see some of our old members on rides this year, hopefully some of them may be back next year. I hope every one has a good and safe holiday & it won't be long before we can say...

Screw it let's Ride!!

Muletown Officers

- Bill Isom, Director/
Sponsoring Dealer
- Eddie "Zero" Fisher,
Assistant Director
- Jon "Doc" Ullrich,
Secretary/Newsletter
- Neil "Tex" Jones,
Treasurer
- Jerry "Big Country" Knox,
Head Road Captain
- Terry Fox, Membership
- Tricia Shearn, Webmaster
- "Colonel" Tony Cornelius,
Activities Director

Head Road Captain Report, Jerry "Big Country" Knox

Season's Greetings, Muletown! Well, we have wrapped up another great year of riding. Even though it's cold and icy outside, I recall the many great rides and times we have had this year. From Breece's Café in early March, to Miller's Grocery in late November, and everything in between, it really was a great year.

Once again, and as no surprise, the road captains outdid themselves on planning and executing great rides and events. I don't have enough space here to hit the highlights, because that would include every ride. They were all great. My job is easy with the quality of road captains this chapter has!

Looking toward next year, I

don't have a reason to believe it will be any different. Plans are already in the making. New destinations are being kicked around as of this printing. I plan to have the road captain safety training/ planning meeting on Thursday, February 6, 2014. The time will be 7:00pm, at my house. We will plan rides through July. If you have a destination you want us to hit, send me an email: simpleman12r@yahoo.com As always, reminders will be sent out as the time approaches.

Between now and next spring, if we get decent weather, don't waste it on four wheels when two is better! Merry Christmas to you all, and I'll see you on the road. ~Big Country



Activities Report, Col. Tony Cornelius

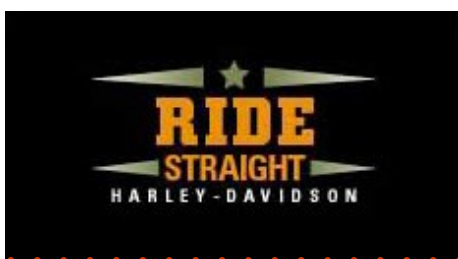
Mark your calendars:

Saturday, January 11th, 2014 – Indoor Golf at Bear Glenn, 1789 Tom J. Hitch Pkwy., Columbia. Cost will be \$10 per person with unlimited play. Time is 10am until noon and then we will grab lunch – location TBA.

Tuesday, January 21, 2014 – Group Dinner – location TBA.

Sunday, February 2, 2014 – Super Bowl Party – Cornelius Residence, 1180 McCoury Lane, Spring Hill. Party starts and 4:30 pm (game 5:20 pm Central) Please RSVP to Tony Cornelius at 615-499-0127 or tonywane2000@yahoo.com. We will have food, soft drinks, and adult beverages. Bring a snack or side dish if you would like!

Hope to see you all in the off season! Rumble On!



THANKS MULETOWN!!
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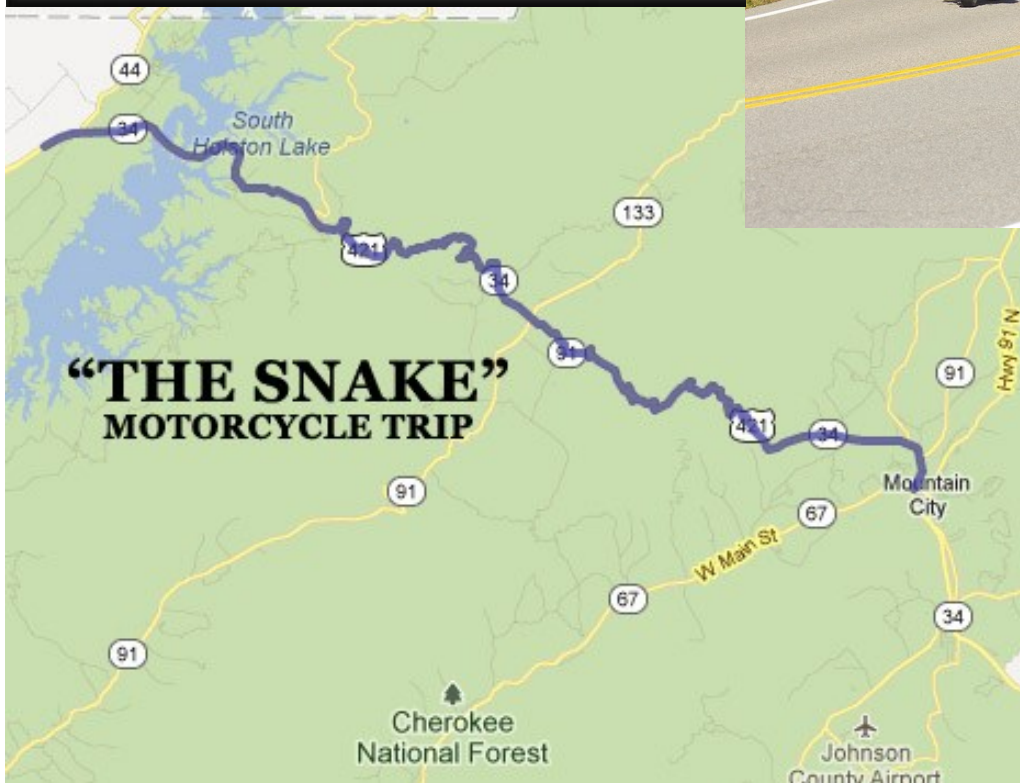
DIY, Assignments from the Principal. Jon "Doc" Ullrich

My Muletown Brothers and Sisters, it has been a great year! Thank you for all you have done to make this year one where we ride often, ride safe, and ride often!

This holiday season your assignment is to think of rides for us to enjoy and reach out to Big Country. Some days it is just too cold to ride. Those are the days we think about riding, read about riding, and wish we were riding.

Think of it as a Muletown 2014 Ride Bucketlist. 2014 is soon to be born and before we know it, it will be gone. Let's make it memorable. The assignment came to me when I came across an article recently talking about those roads we all should ride one day. This particular road is right in our own backyard—so to speak. It's US Route 421 in TN aka "The Snake" and it looks sweet!

As the Head Lizard at Longview it always is nice to see a reptile connection! Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to you and you and your's! Ride Safe, ~Doc



Financial Report, Neil "Tex" Jones

Our club's bank balance as of this writing is \$484.66. We are funding the Christmas Party using the fund balance so that we go properly into the next fiscal year. ~Tex



Scout Story?, Jon "Doc" Ullrich



Neil's regular column will return in 2014. His stories make us laugh and reminisce about

our own stories from the rides we have taken. I won't try to match Neil's skills. People say a picture is worth a thousand words. If you have every had the pleasure of riding with Neil he always reminds us at picture time that we are "bad ass bikers" so look the part. You are the best brother!

The following few thousand words tell the stories of the rides we have taken this year. Some have included many of us while others just a few. They all have written their own stories of friendship and brotherhood. We share them with our significant others...well, some of them. Thanks for all the stories Muletown and thanks Neil for sharing so many personal ones over the years.



Scot Story?, Continued...



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**It is about the bikes and the people,
after all.**

Chapter Purpose

The purpose of this chapter is to promote responsible motorcycling activities for local Harley Owner Group (H.O.G.) members by conducting Chapter activities and encouraging members to participate in other H.O.G. events. Chapter activities and operations shall be conducted in a manner consistent with a family oriented, non-political, philosophy. We are dedicated to advancing the enjoyment, image, and safety of the sport of motorcycling.

We do more than ride!

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WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS

Tim "Sleeves" Craig
Spring Hill, TN

