



Muletown H.O.G. Chapter 2033 Newsletter



November / December 2012

Editor's Note



By Eddie Zero

This is the last edition of the year, and the last edition that I will be the editor as I rotate into the Asst. Directors role. First let me say that it has been a privilege to be your editor for the last two years. It has been a blast! Hopefully you have had as much fun reading the Newsletter as I have putting it together. I need to thank your Chapter Officer's for writing great reports every two months as well as Tex for sharing his Scoot Stories. Gratitude also goes out to other members who contribute ideas and articles. Please welcome Jon Ullrich (Doc) as he assumes the Newsletter duties. I am highly confident that he will continue to provide the membership with an outstanding Newsletter!

Asst. Director's Report



By Ken Steverson

Looking Forward

It's hard to believe that another year is almost gone but Christmas is just around the corner and before you know it 2013 will be here. I think we had a successful riding season. I know that the road captains put a lot of effort into planning their rides and we owe them a big "THANK YOU".

Next year will bring some changes. After three years as Assistant Director I will be stepping down. Serving as Assistant Director of the chapter has been a great experience and I want to thank everyone for their support during the past three years. I hope you had as much fun as I did.

Jay Morgan will also be leaving office after serving as the chapter Treasurer for the past three years. Jay has done a great job keeping track of our finances, getting bills paid and keeping us out of financial trouble.

Other officers are going to be changing positions and we have some "new" folks coming on board.

Here is the run down on officers for the 2013 calendar year.

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Asst. Director's Report (cont.)

- Director – Bill Isom**
- Assistant Director – Eddie “Zero” Fisher**
- Treasurer- Neil “Tex” Jones**
- Head Road Captain – Jerry Knox**
- Activities Director – Denise Fisher**
- Membership – Terry Fox**
- Newsletter Editor/Secretary – Jon “Doc” Ullrich**
- Web Master – Trish Shearn**

Please thank these Muletown members for their willingness to take on the responsibilities associated with their positions. I know they will work hard for the chapter and that there are bigger and better things to come.



Here's what it's all about !

Muletown HOG

Great Friends!

Great Rides!

Financial Report



By Jay Morgan

Well, here's the last news letter of the year! Wow, another year gone! Can you believe this weather? Still a lot of good riding going on!

I rode to Kentucky this past weekend, and Mississippi a couple of weeks ago. It's been really great. Hope the weather stays this way.

This will be my last Newsletter as an officer of Muletown and I just want to say thanks again to everyone for all your support and help these past few years. I'm sure the new people stepping up will do a fine job.

I'll keep this report short. Hope to see you at the Christmas Party.

Later –

Peace , Jay

Activities Report



*By Denise
Earlywine-Fisher*

Here we are at the end of another year. I hope everyone has got some great events planned with their families this Holiday and winter season.

Things will be a little quiet for the next couple of months but be checking the calendar often as we have events and get-togethers starting as early as February.

Have a wonderful and safe Holiday and remember to tell those you care about how important they are to your world.



Thank You Thank You Thank You!!

Special Thank You goes out to Ken Steverson and Jay Morgan for serving the membership in the officer positions of Ass.t Director and Treasurer respectively over the last three years. Without their dedication and hard work our club would not have been as successful as it is. Take the time to shake their hands and tell them they are very much appreciated.

Turkey Run Hope House Donation

A Thank You is also extended to the Membership for their participation and efforts towards making the Turkey Run a success. Some of you may not be aware that the Turkey Run almost did not take place this year due to not having a suitable location for the dinner. Our own Jon Ullrich "Doc" came up with a solution! He, along with the PTO at Longview Elementary School, was able to allow us the use of the school cafeteria. Jon is the Principal at the school and is appropriately titled Dr. Ullrich. Grace Park Church supplied some great deserts, and Steve Johnson donated his time as custodian. The result was \$450.00 raised for the Hope House to help abused women and children.



Angie from Hope House and Ken Steverson



Head Road Captain's Report



By Jerry
Knox

FREEBIRD'S PARADISE

If I leave here tomorrow, would you still remember me? Sorry folks, I got caught up in the title, but when I was thinking of what my last article of the year would be, I got to thinking of that beloved National Anthem of Southern Rock. That in mind, what is as free as a bird? The only other thing I can think of is being on my favorite roads, Mary Jane sitting behind me, feet on the highway pegs, listening to the roar of the V-Twin under me, and being part of the landscape instead of just checking it out. The Good Lord has blessed us with living in the most beautiful place in the world where we have the best roads to ride, and look and live in it as free as a bird whenever we like! There's nothin' as free as a bird, flying wherever it wants. I think everybody wants to be a Freebird, to quote Ronnie Van Zant.

Another riding season is in the books, and once again, we have seen the beauty of Middle Tennessee from a perspective that many people don't get to enjoy. The feel of the air, the sights and smells are great even if it is a dairy or hog farm. To me it still smells like home (just in case ya'll don't know, I'm as country as corn). Many would say I'm a redneck. These folks are my best friends. However, I could do without the road kill, especially

skunks!

Looking in the rearview mirror, and once again we have had an awesome riding season. We have revisited some old favorites, and seen new sights as well. We gotta' go back to see Gus for some spicy, greasy fried chicken! The original is in Mason, TN, the hometown of Isaac Hayes. We now have one closer but not near as good a ride.

We had breakfast rides with grits, and gravy, and great catfish at several other places. Who could forget Crawdaddy's in Cookeville? So many roads, so little time! Looking through the windshield I see another great year ahead. One thing I feel was missing this year was an overnigher or two. We will amend that situation in 2013. Also, "The Hoppa' " and I have an idea for a "Mystery Ride". Got your attention?

From the Knox household to ya'll, we wish everyone a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year! Here's to a great 2013!

Jerry

Answers to Sept / Oct '12 Crossword Puzzle

Across: 1. Jimmy Page, 2. Eric Clapton, 3. Steve Miller, 4. Jeff Beck, 5. Jerry Garcia

Down: 1. Leslie West, 2. Duane Allman, 3. Richie Blackmore, 4. Jimi Hendrix, 5. Carlos Santana

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Nov / Dec Birthdays



(If you would like your birthday included in the newsletter, please send your information to licowboy71@yahoo.com)



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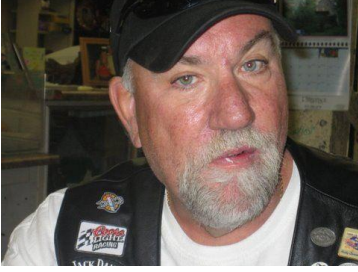
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Membership Report



By Terry Fox

Well here it is December and riding season is winding down. Keep those batteries charged up, though, because you never know when we might get one of those good warm riding days. We ended the year with 52 members. Hopefully we can maintain the same amount next year and add a few more. Our new members were great additions with good fresh ideas.

I would like to thank Ken and Jay for their many years of great leadership. Also I would like to thank Eddie Zero and Neil for stepping up to fill their shoes. I know they'll do a great job.

Our dues for next year will be same as in the past. It will be \$15.00 from the Christmas party until the first chapter meeting of 2013. After that it's \$20.00.

I hope everyone has a safe and Merry Christmas!!!!



Riverview Restaurant Ride



Sounds Baseball Game Fireworks



Who is this masked man?

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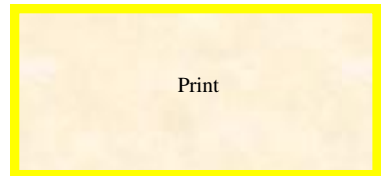
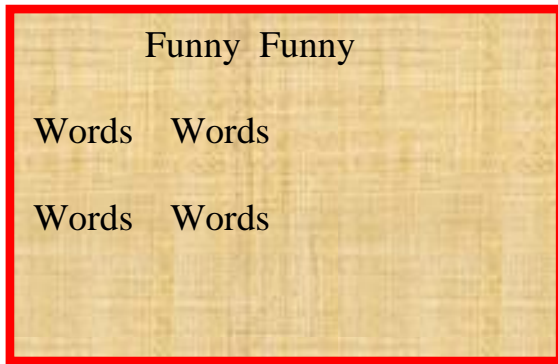
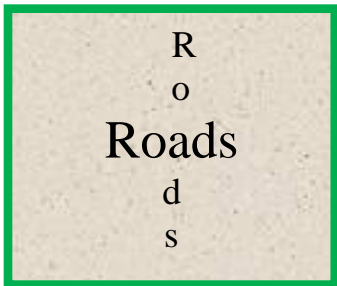
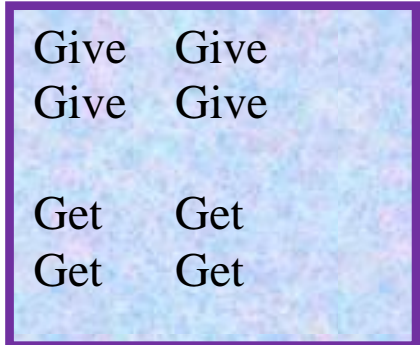
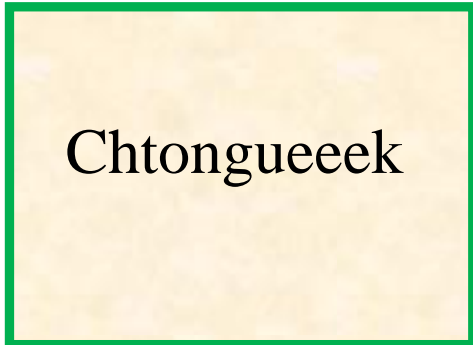
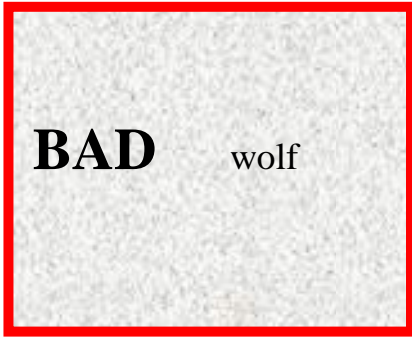
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Rebus Puzzles

(Can you solve these rebus puzzles? Answers found elsewhere in the Newsletter)



Scoot Stories

by Neil “Tex” Jones

I'm going to veer away from my usual column on scoot stories this time to discuss the major concern we all have as motorcycle riders—safety. Recently I took a step concerning riding safety that I had put off for years. I took a motorcycle safety course, the one for experienced riders. There is also a course for beginning riders. The courses are conducted by Rider's Edge, sponsored by Harley, and others, like Middle Tennessee Motorcycle Education Center.

I did not take the course earlier because of three reasons: cost, time, and the biggest reason that held me back was I thought I knew it all. After 50+ years of riding, I thought there was nothing the course could show me.

Cost: The cost for my course was \$120 but I got a veteran's discount that brought it down to \$90. And if you look at your benefits of for HOG membership, you'll see a \$50 reward (gift certificate and pin and patch) sent to you from Harley for sending in proof of successfully completing your motorcycle safety course. And finally, take your certificate of completion to your insurance man and get a permanent reduction in your motorcycle insurance.

Time: It will take one to two days of your time, depending on the course you take. You choose the time and location of the class that fits your schedule.

Pride: I had to swallow my pride and admit I didn't know everything about motorcycle safety. And I did learn some things. Finally, I note that we are fortunate in this chapter to have two excellent motorcycle safety instructors, Denise and Trish. They are the experts and the ones you should speak to for more information about the courses.

We are all vulnerable out there. We need to learn everything we can to make us better defensive riders.

Let's saddle up and ride—safely. Tex

Club Rides

Turkey Run 11/17/12

From the dealership we took 99 East to take a right on 431 S toward Lewisburg, we then took a left on 50 E for a short bit and turned on the first right at Ellington By-Pass. Next we took a right onto Old Columbia Hwy until we made a left on Webb Rd which T'd into 373 which we turned right on. Next we took a left on Globe Rd and followed until the stop sign and turned left onto New Lake Rd. From there we stopped at Cornersville Hwy (31-A S) and took a right for a short distance then turned left on Cochran Cemetery Rd. As it ended we turned right onto Yell Rd and then a quick left onto Firetower Rd which ran the ridge and forked off to the left. Following to the stop sign we turned left onto Springplace Rd until the By-pass in Lewisburg, the next stop sign and took a right. That was followed to the fourth stop light and turned right on Nashville Hwy (31-A North) and then took the next left onto Verona Caney Rd. We rode north through Verona until we hit 99 and took a left until the stop at 431 which we took a right and headed north. From there we caught a left on Duplex Rd and followed it to Commonwealth, which we took a right and that brought us to the Longview Elementary School and some wonderful (not to mention delicious) Thanksgiving food and better company.



Larry and Trish at the Sounds Game

Answers to the Rebus Puzzle

Big bad wolf
Tongue in cheek
Forgive and Forget
Crossroads
Two funny for words
Small print
All Dressed up and nowhere to go
See for yourself
Peace on Earth
Last not Least
Lounging around the house
Horsing around
Walk in the Park

Club Rides

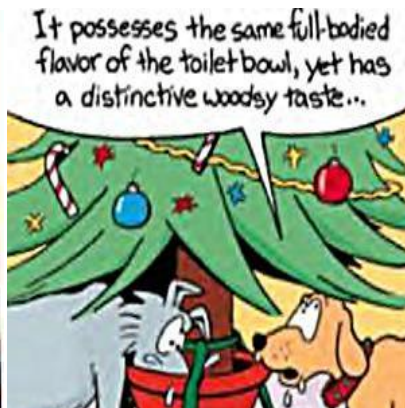
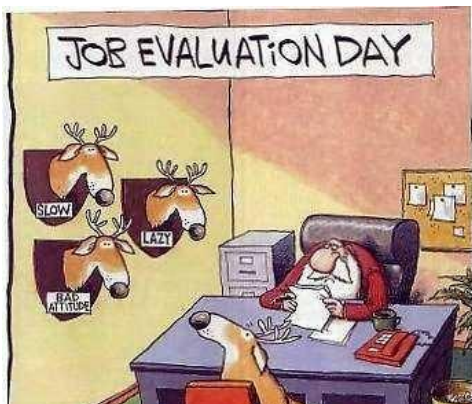
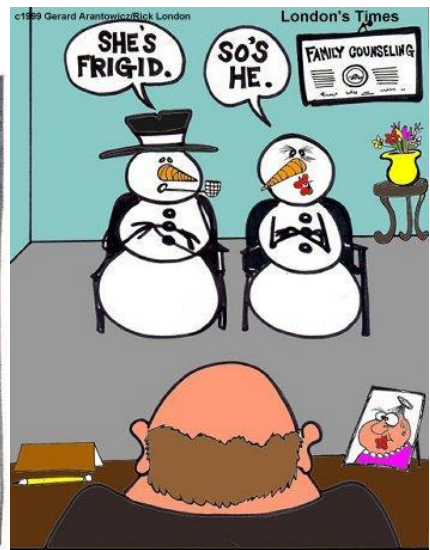
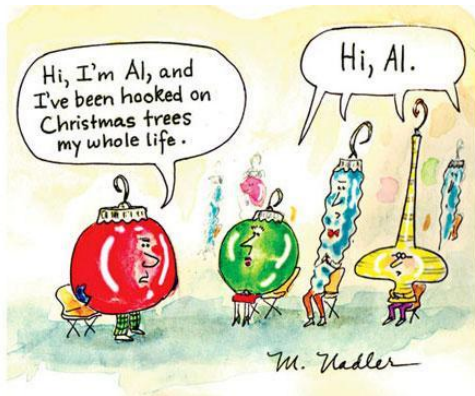
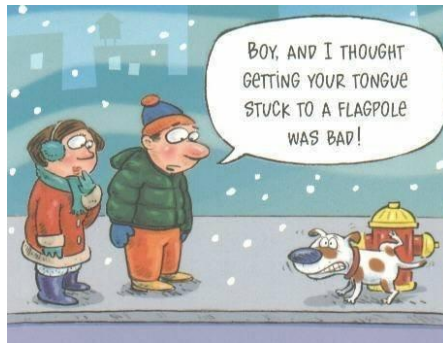
Gus' World Famous Chicken Mason, TN 10/13/12

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1. Head north toward Bear Creek Pike 0.3 mi
2. Turn left onto Bear Creek Pike 7.4 mi
3. Continue onto US-43 S 6.6 mi
4. Turn left onto the ramp to TN-99 W/US-412 W/Hampshire Pike 0.3 mi
5. Turn left onto TN-99 W/US-412 W/Hampshire Pike Continue to follow US-412 W 60.2 mi
6. Turn left onto TN-100 W/Hwy 100 W 4.3 mi
7. Turn right to stay on TN-100 W/Hwy 100 W 64.2 mi
8. Turn right onto TN-100 W/US-64 W/Hwy 100 W 0.2 mi
9. Take the 1st right onto E Main St 1.2 mi
10. Turn right onto Oak St/Short St Continue to follow Oak St 0.6 mi
11. Continue onto TN-179 W/Chapel-Whiteville Rd/Whiteville Rd 0.3 mi
12. Turn left onto Fayette Corner Dr 2.8 mi
13. Turn right to stay on Fayette Corner Dr 308 ft
14. Turn right to stay on Fayette Corner Dr 7.3 mi
15. Turn left onto Dancyville Eurekaon Rd 0.2 mi
16. Continue straight onto TN-179 W/Dancyville Rd 3.9 mi
17. Turn left onto TN-179 W/Stanton Koko Rd Continue to follow TN-179 W 3.9 mi
18. Keep left at the fork 0.1 mi
19. Turn right onto W Main St 0.2 mi
20. Take the 3rd left onto TN-1 W/US-70 W/US-79 S Destination will be on the left 8.8 mi

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A Little Humor





Muletown Event Calendar

Date	Time	Event	Destination / Place
Dec 15	7:00 pm	Chapter Christmas Party (Closed Event)	Stoneybrook Golf Clubhouse
Feb 2	10am	Easyrider Bike Show (Non-Chapter Sponsored Event FYI Only)	Nashville, TN / Convention Center