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## January 2020



### PROTECT YOUR FAMILY & FINANCES

- Dave "Judge" Patterson - Director  
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- Holly "Best Shot" Adams - Membership  
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Ron McBee with AirMedCar Network will be speaking at the January Chapter Meeting



### PLANNING FOR SUCCESS

- Becky & Scott Fite - Activities  
activities1@pigtrailhog.com

Hello everyone! We're moving into a new year with all kinds of possibilities. So looking forward, I am calling a meeting of the Activities Committee to plan our 2021 excursions.

I have notified the committee, but if you would like to be in on this planning and would like to be on the committee, please come January 16 at 10:00 a.m. at Pigtrail conference room. If you have any suggestions of what you would like to see the Chapter do this year and can't come to the meeting, please e-mail me at activities1@pigtrailhog.com.

Here's to a fabulous year of fun and riding! - Becky and Scott



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## PASSING THE BATON

- Garry "Doc" Raymond -

I'm excited that I was recently elected to the Board of Directors at our church. My duties will commence January 2021 and I look forward to serving in this new capacity. With the increased demand on my time, and in fairness to the PT HOG Chapter, I will be stepping down as your Assistant Director. I truly appreciate David Patterson, Warren Sherman, Kyle Johnson, and Paul Johnson having faith in me and asking me to serve the Chapter as your Assistant Director. At the January 2021 HOG meeting, I will "pass the baton" to Chuck Yarbrough. Chuck has much experience in HOG officer positions with Pig Trail as well as in a couple of other chapters. He will do an outstanding job.

It has been a real blessing working under the leadership of David Patterson and his team of Warren, Chuck, Sarah, Debra, Sean, Holly, Jim, Becky and Scott. Judge dedicates boundless energy and commitment to ensuring that the Pig Trail HOG Chapter is the best one on Planet Earth. Rest assured, I'm not going anywhere – I will continue on as a Road Captain and volunteer to help out wherever I can be of assistance.

I LOVE my HOG Chapter and consider each of you to be a special part of my "family." Screw it, let's ride!!!!

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

The Pig Trail HOG Chapter would like to say a special THANK YOU to the officers transitioning out of their roles this year. Although we do not have a set time to serve, these individuals have elected to step down for various life changes and priorities but all still plan on being heavily involved in the chapter. You all made a difference in the chapter and brought excellence to the role you played within the officers team. From the entire chapter, we appreciate all you have done! Thank you...



Garry Raymond  
"Doc"



Jim Moss  
"Gator"

## WELCOME TO THE TEAM

With the changes from those stepping down, the officers team would like to welcome the new members of the team to take on responsibilities of these roles going into 2021. Welcome aboard...



Kellie Naylor  
Secretary



Randall Nelson  
"Smokey"  
Head Road Captain



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## WRAPPING UP 2020 & PLANNING 2021

- Debbie "Keeper" Raymond - Ladies of Harley  
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Happy New year to all. 2021 has to be a better year! Let's pray COVID-19 goes away so we can plan events and actually do them. Our annual Activities Planning Meeting for our chapter is January 16 at 10:00 AM and all are welcome.

I wish to thank all the ladies (and Director Judge) for wrapping gifts for donations to the Children's Shelter. Great volunteers, doing great things, representing our Chapter and the Pig Trail H-D Dealership.

Come with ideas for activities and events that you would like to do, and that a group can do! Ideas could include another trip to the Escape room, camping, game nights, golf, miniature golf, bowling, and lots of rides, a chapter soft ball game, family picnic, etc!

We will do mystery dinner again in September.

See ya all soon!



## HOW BIG DO MY FEET NEED TO BE?

- Chuck "Tusk" Yarbrough - Assistant Director  
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I am extremely blessed to be ask to serve the chapter as Assistant Director during this next term. But I wonder how big do my feet need to grow to fill the shoes of Garry Raymond? When you take a new challenge, you like to follow someone who was not that successful so there is room for improvement. But in this case, I am following a legend. Besides being a Director, Assistant Director, Secretary and Road Captain, he has taught many people how to use communication systems and route planning programs.

He has led several HOG rides, SUNDAY Riders, Screw-it Lets Ride group events and has hosted several out-of-state HOG Chapters and our good friends from Long Island Riders. Plus, he has started HOG RV group for camping and long trip planning. He provides great support for his church and his lovely wife Debra, and cooks daily for his wonderful mother-in-law, Betty. Thanks for your many years of service, Garry. We will all still lean on you.

As we close a crazy year of 2020, a friend of mine said wait until 2021 when it is old enough to drink. I'm looking forward to working with a new officer's crew and planning for a great year.



## Account Update

- Sarah "Flip-Flop" Jackson - Treasurer  
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Pig Trail H.O.G. Chapter #2075

Account Balance as of  
December 15, 2020

**\$4,571.69**

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## KNOW YOUR ROLE IN THE CHAPTER

- Sean "Ole' Ticker" Branham - Media  
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We are starting a new year and I feel it is important that you know your role in the Northwest Arkansas H.O.G Chapter. You may think you are just a member of the chapter and have no role within it, but you are wrong. Every member is not just part of the chapter, you are the chapter. You have a very important role and I encourage you to embrace it this year.

We always encourage and ask members to get involved in a committee but some of you do not for various reasons. However, that does not mean you have no role. Think back to when you joined, why you joined and why you are still here. Most of the answers will revolve around a connection with someone else. Whether that was another member inviting you, a salesperson telling you about it, or an organized campaign to help encourage you to come to a meeting. It usually takes someone taking an interest in you. That is a role we all play.

Do you ever see other Harley-Davidson riders on the road and wonder who they are or if they are part of our chapter? There are riders all over this beautiful area of the country who are not a part of our group. Do they not know about us, do they have a misconception of what a HOG Chapter is, or do they just not know anyone or how to get involved? Word of mouth is one of our best marketing tactics and there are opportunities on a daily basis to engage in conversations.

We are a Chapter made up with people of all ages, beliefs and walks of life who love riding motorcycles and enjoying the wind and open road. We are part of the community who goes out and spend time and money at local restaurants and venues. We are a group of people who like to help charities like the Northwest Arkansas Children's Shelter. We support our great veterans of this country and do what we can to help. We are a group of people who have each other's back when in need. We are a group of people who have love and respect for each other. That is who we are and is an easy story to tell so use opportunities to tell this story to others, bring on new members and let's have a great 2021.



## PREPARE FOR THE ADVENTURES AHEAD

- Randall "Smokey" Nelson - Head Road Captain  
roadcaptain2@pigtrailhog.com

2021 will be a new adventure for all of us. I look forward to being part of that. Being trusted to be the Head Road Captain is a responsibility I do not take lightly and I appreciate the opportunity to serve in this role.

I hope everyone takes good care of your tires and batteries over the winter. This time of year, some of us don't ride as much and our bikes get less attention. Keep your battery hooked to a tender if possible, this will help when the temperatures get cold and help maintain the battery. When you get ready to ride, please check the tire pressure. The temperature changes can cause the tires to lose some pressure and that can be a very serious issue. Also, make sure everyone dresses for the ride. Make sure everyone has an extra layer when the day gets long, don't let yourself get too cold, it can cause slow reactions and have severe consequences.

I look forward to seeing and riding every member of our amazing Pig Trail HOG Chapter!

Have fun and lets ride.  
Randall "Smokey" Nelson



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# MOMENTS THAT MATTER

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