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"Turn It Down"

So much noise, it's all around. The volume is all the way up, the guitars are screaming the drums are banging and the vocals are piercing. I can't hear the words, the message is jumbled and the clarity is lost in all the noise. Our minds have become antennas, receptors, big

receivers being inundated with millions of tiny messages that create misunderstandings in our minds where clarity and creativity once resided. We are full, processors are on overload and our storage files totally corrupted by all the things that don't matter. Our value has diminished greatly based on the fact that we can no longer function according to what we were designed to do. As humans we were made to be free thinkers, choice makers, life changers, freedom seekers not simply receivers and repeaters.

Director, Greg Roberts

The beautiful part of being a member of the riding community is that we seek freedom, choices, changes and experiences that are personal to us. We create awareness and support by doing things differently than others. It's never about doing what has already been done, it's always about doing it different, bigger and better than others. We do what we do because we want something outside of the norm. We are driven to be free thinkers, choice makers, life changers and freedom seekers. How can we continue to do all of this in a world that overwhelms us with messages of what we are expected to do instead of inspiring us to dream of what someday we could do? It's important for us to realize we need to take all the noise in our lives that is meaningless and "Turn It Down."

The political climate is crazy, we are in the middle of a pandemic, 2020 seems to be right out of a scary movie, we are all masked up, isolated and inundated with 24/7 conflict and concerns. The noise is deafening around us and we need to find a way to "Turn It Down." We need to remember that our time is limited and we need to keep moving forward. So many dreams are changing, opportunities squandered and plans tossed along the roadside. This is not part of our DNA and we need to ensure that we do not allow the outside noise to mutate our DNA from who we truly are to what the world has appeared to become. We need to find ways to infuse normalcy into our day to day lives in an effort to protect our own traditions, needs, families, friends and personal sanity. As I search for a solution to find a way to take the negative noise and "Turn It Down" one of the most tried and true approaches of anyone trying to reclaim their own freedoms and dreams can be found among those living in the motorcycle community as a whole. Motorcyclists tend to live according to established norms or traits like loyalty and respect which are often cornerstones to the lifestyle itself and definitely the type of noise we want in our lives.

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"Turn it Down", Greg Roberts cont.....

What better way to drown out all the negative noise or 24/7 conflict and concerns the world has flooded us with than simply immersing ourselves in the motorcycling community by twisting the throttle and leaving it all behind? If we make our own noise eventually we don't even have to worry about eradicating all the negative or make any effort to "Turn It Down." We will become so drawn to the alternative noises that we are making the meaningless noise will simply fade away. Let's fill the air with sounds of free thinkers, choice makers, life changers and freedom seekers. We have been doing it for years so why should today be any different? We have taken the meaningless noise that says cancer is inevitable or unbeatable and through raising awareness and funding we have taken that negative noise and said "Turn it Down" providing hope for those in our community. We took the negative noise of those struggling with the effects of MS, ALS, CP and other challenges and said "Turn It Down" by providing rides for kids at camp, fundraisers, donations and other forms of support to raise awareness and help those in need. From food pantries, disabilities, homelessness, supporting Veterans, Police and Fire across our communities, giving kids school supplies and even tying blankets for those enduring trauma we have established our Packerland Chapter as being free thinkers, choice makers and life changers. We have always took the meaningless noise and focused our time and efforts to ensure that we always "Turn It Down" while carefully crafting our own positive noise through the love, support and lasting impact we make in our community and beyond...it's in our DNA and no one can change that unless we allow them to.

Join with me, the Chapter and the entire motorcycle community in taking all the negative, meaningless noise in our world and together let's do our part to "Turn It Down." Time to change the message and "Turn It Up" by creating some positive noise. Let's twist the throttle, smoke a tire and let the thunder roll as we make our Chapter, community and the world we live in a better place for everyone to enjoy. Time to wipe the hard drives clean, reboot, reconfigure and reprogram the messages we are receiving and transmitting by focusing on positive messages in our lives such as hope, love and opportunity. It's in our DNA, let's keep it that way!

God Bless and remember to always be kind, the world is watching!

Enjoy The Ride!

Greg Roberts aka-(Whisper)

HOGOPOLY 2020 Winners

\$ 500 VVHD Gift Certificate: #94 Jesse Steenport

\$250 VVHD Gift Certificate: #1 Caryn Forrest

\$150 VVHD Gift Certificate: #36 Penny Duggan

\$100 VVHD Gift Certificate: #42 Casey Foley

\$150 VVHD Gas Certificate: #68 Char Veeser











2020 HOGOPOLY STOPS

Riders have asked for the list of ride stops for 2020 as they wanted to go back to visit for the good food/drinks. Here is the list. A few are now closed so if you know of a new establishment that would like to take a spot on the board for 2021, contact Lynn Vandervest

2020 HOGopoly Ride Stops

BASIL'S II BAR & GRILL 5595 S County Hwy P Denmark, WI 920-863-8454	11 PLANK ROAD PUB & GRILL 1632 Mid Valley Dr DePere, WI 920-632-7051	³⁰ GATEWAY BAR & GRILL 706 N Hwy 141 Crivitz, WI 715-854-7943	40 SMOKEY RIDGE BBQ 2850 Humboldt Rd Green Bay, WI 920-468-7707
2 BLACK SHEEP PUB 2638 Bay Settlement Rd Green Bay, WI 920-469-3200	12 WOODY'S BAR & GRILL N7625 Parkway Rd Crivitz, WI 715-757-2408	29 JACKSON POINT SPORTS GRILL N8055 French Rd Seymour, WI 920-833-1116	39 THUNDER MOUNTAIN VALLEY INN W12960 Tracy Ln Crivitz, WI 715-757-3150
3	APPLEJACK'S	28	38
JOE ROUER'S BAR	Restaurant & Pub	BREEZY POINT BAR	AUGIE'S BAR
E1098 Cty Rd X	20W Hosmer St	3896 HWY M35	206 Willow St
Luxemburg, WI	Marinette, WI	Escanaba, MI	Luxemburg, WI
920-866-2585	715-732-4772	906-786-4865	920-845-5030
4 JUST ONE MORE BAR & GRILL 740 N Memorial Drive Green Bay, WI 920-434-7481	14 EAST TOWN PUB 2266 Main St. Green Bay, WI 920-468-8009	²⁷ WOODFIRE LODGE AT TRIPLE J WING & CLAY 2687 Man Cal Rd Brillion, WI 920-864-7070	37 ROUER'S ROADHOUSE 8649 County Rd C Sturgeon Bay, WI 920-824-5100
FARMHOUSE	NARROW BRIDGE	26	36
BAR & GRILL	BREWHOUSE	WATERFRONT	BEAR LAKE RESORT
525 Main St	2840 Shawano Ave	215 N Main St	N4715 Hwy 22 & 110
Luxemburg, WI	Green Bay, WI	Kewaunee, WI	Manawa, WI
920-845-1186	920-393-4015	920-388-0505	906-428-4005
JANDA'S ⁶	CHAMPION PALM	²⁵ CASEY'S BBQ &	35
BAR & GRILL	GARDENS	SMOKEHOUSE	ROCKY TOP
N3696 Cty Rd Ab	6028 Cty Rd K	7855 Hwy 42	1710 Hill Road
Luxemburg, WI	New Franken, WI	Egg Harbor, WI	Greenleaf, WI
920-845-2210	920-844-9422	920-421-0566	920-532-6267
7 RIVER STREET PIER 1984 Velp Ave. Green Bay, WI 920-490-0017	WISE GUY'S ¹⁷ RIVERSIDE BAR 106 Smith Ave Oconto, WI 920-834-2594	²⁴ SCHOOLHOUSE BAR 14007 Hwy 32 Mountain, WI 715-276-9957	34 DAMN YANKEES WATERING HOLE N3517 Cty Hwy M Hortonville, WI 920-779-4902
STEEL MOOSE	WOUTER'S ¹⁸	 ²³ WATERFRONT MARY'S	33
BAR & GRILL	SPORTS BAR & GRILL	BEACH HARBOR RESORT	BOTTOMS UP
7083 Hwy 22	1360 W. Frontier Rd	3662 N Duluth Ave	15013 Maribel Rd
Oconto Falls, WI	Little Suamico, WI	Sturgeon Bay, WI	Maribel, WI
920-846-0344	920-826-7209	920-743-3191	920-367-2171
9	19	22	32
ANIMAL'S BEAR TRAIL	J.J. MALONEYS	21 GUN ROADHOUSE	IRON BUFFALO SALOON
16895 Hwy 64	N1994 Maloney Road	4344 Lime Kiln Rd	14936 Cty Rd K
Mountain, WI	Kaukauna, WI	Green Bay, WI	Reedsville, WI
715-276-6698	920-462-4645	920-337-2122	920-732-1300
10 PEARLY GATES 3551 Finger Rd Green Bay, WI 920-465-4656	20 THE FLAGSTONE 2820 W. Prospect Ave Appleton, WI 920-734-6832	21 SANDY CORNERS BAR & GRILL 5494 WI-32 Gillett, WI 920-855-1722	31 FAT BOYZ 2 E2898 Cty Rd Bb Tisch Mills, WI 920-776-1500

\$18,470 Donated to MDA by Vandervest Harley-Davidson of Green Bay and the Packerland HOG Chapter

Vandervest Harley-Davidson of Green Bay and the Packerland Harley Owners Group (HOG) Chapter presented an \$18,470 check to the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) on Monday, Oct. 26. They raised the money during their summer-long HOGOPOLY riding event, titled "Miles for Smiles Ride" this year. Major and Ride sponsors donated money to be on the HOGOPOLY board, and riders paid to receive the board. Riders with the boards, stopped at places represented on it during the riding season to receive stickers to fill it. The more stops made, the more stickers and chances they have to win Vandervest Harley-Davidson gift certificates. Funds will be used to help children affected by Muscular Dystrophy to attend MDA-sponsored camps.

In the photo, from left, are: Greg Roberts, Packerland HOG Director; Murphy Maes, MDA Executive Director; Jim Junion, Packerland HOG Chapter Member; and Lynn Vandervest, Vandervest Harley-Davidson of Green Bay.

I'd like to thank our major sponsors this year: Schneider, Vandervest Harley-Davidson, Jones Trucking, Ducat Trucking, Joski Trucking, Kewaunee Fabrications, Olde 41 Banquet Facility, Krist Food Marts, Allstate Insurance. Algoma Motors, Anna's Healthcare, Ansay & Associates, Bay Settlement BP, Dean Dist., Degroot Inc., Home Instead Senior Care, Luxemburg Motor Co., Van's Lumber and Custom Builders, McMahon's Furniture, Plumbers and Steamfitters Local 400, Teamsters Union Local 662, Luxemburg Implement. I will send a list of ride stops in the next Chapter newsletter as many have asked. If you know of a business that would like to participate, let Lynn know.

Added Thank You: Jim Schultz-Vandervest H-D Marketing for designing the books and mailings to ride sponsor businesses, Vandervest MotorClothes girls for selling the books, Jim Junion and Joe Langer for getting our major sponsors on the board and to all Packerland HOG Chapter members and friends for buying the books.



Just sharing a thank you note that we received from one of our Harley T-shirt vendors about the money raised from our 2020 HOGOPOLY fundraiser for MDA. Gina's son, Andrew was diagnosed with Muscular Dystrophy about five years ago. We sent her the photo of our check presentation and here was her reply:

Oh my goodness. This is AMAZING! Andrew and our family were supposed to be part of MDA's Annual Black and Blue Ball here in Milwaukee. It was canceled (because of COVID) but they did the event virtually. Here is his artwork that he created that sold for \$500! The MDA means THE WORLD to us. Thank you for sharing. Please give a personal "thank you" to the Vandervest family and your HOG members. You guys mean the world to us all! Xxxooo Gina Rocha



Throughout November, we will be collecting non-perishable food items, to be donated to local food pantries.

With your donations, you will be entered for a chance to win a \$50 Vandervest Harley-Davidson gift card.

Thank you for your continued generousity!



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Harley-Davidson Visa Offers Special Perks for New Customers

Harley-Davidson Visa is looking to give back to those who support them! Harley-Davidson Visa introduced, <u>for new sign ups</u>, a '0% Intro APR and 2,500 bonus points after 5 purchases. For anyone who already doesn't have the Harley-Davidson Visa, you can come in to the store, and ask for Eric Kinnard, and I can gather a bit of information, submit to Harley-Davidson Visa, and if approved, you will be entitled to the many benefits of the Harley-Davidson Visa Card. With approval, the current promotion, you will receive 0% Intro APR on purchase and balance transfers **for 12 billing cycles**, earn 2,500 H-D Genuine Reward Points after making five purchases in the first 60 days. See below for the many benefits for the Harley-Davidson Visa Signature Card.

www.harley-davidsonvisa.com for more info.

Eric Kinnard, Vandervest H-D Sales Manager





Fall into savings with Vandervest Harley-Davidson

\$50.00 off any 1k, 5k, or 10k factory recommended service with synthetic oil* Valid Oct. 16th-Nov 28th



*Some exclusions may apply. See a service consultant for details. Cannot be combined with any other promotion or discounts. Promotion not valid for winter storage customers.



Historian, Pearl Christophersen

What's In a Name?

Have you ever questioned, how your name came about? Take Harley-Davidson for example. Three men started working together. The Harley family got going on the motor and the two Davidson's worked on the other parts. When deciding how the name should be, Harley, Davidson, Davidson, just didn't sound right or make good business sense. One of the Davidson brothers went to college and then came back and all worked together.

1901- Twenty one year old, William Harley and twenty year old Arthur Davidson started designing-single-cylinder motorcycles.

1903- Walter Davidson together with Arthur Davidson and William Harley, assembled the first H-D prototype. The "Famous Shed" was built after their mother kicked them out of the house for making too much of a mess. Janet Davidson, sister to Walter and Arthur hand painted "Harley Davidson Motor Co. in all capital letters on the Shed's front door. She also hand painted Harley-Davidson on the tanks once the bikes were complete.

1903- The Davidson bother's Uncle James McLay loaned his life savings to help finance the boys dream. Then three more bikes were SOLD! Then it didn't take long for factories to be built from the famous SHED. And still continues in 2020. I'm sure am glad because I'm the past owner of eight Harley-Davidsons, over 150,000 miles logged. I feel it's been an honor to me as the H-D Motor Co. has respect, character, history and passion for the brand and their customers. They have a love for designing amazing unique motorcycles for us all to enjoy.



Pearl, Historian



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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Donors will receive a coupon for \$10.00 off the purchase of any one Vandervest H-D logo shirt AND **every donor** will receive an entry to win an exclusive Vandervest Harley-Davidson gift basket!

To schedule your life-saving donation, call 800.280.4102. You can also register online at www.save3lives.org. Use Sponsor Code OT112. Thank you for scheduling in advance





Membership

Accepting New & Renewal Memberships for 2021.

Chapter membership runs January to December each year. Dues remain at \$10.00.

Here is the link to check the status of your HOG membership: <u>https://members.hog.com</u> or call 1-800-CLUBHOG (1-800-258-2464). ** Note: I had to use Google Chrome as my internet browser to access the site.

Wish You Were Here Drawing:

To win the pot, you must sign in at the meeting and also enter the drawing by paying \$1.00. If there is no winner, the monies carry forward to the next meeting.

Happy Anniversary Wishes For Nov/Dec:

Dale & Teri Jaeger	Nov 02
Doug & Julie Johnson	Nov 06
Kerry & Kay Kozlowski	Nov 13
Craig & June Williams	Nov 14
Don & Cathy Carlson	Nov 28
Peter & Terri Tilkens	Nov 28
Tim & Carol Van Gompel	Nov 29
Jim & Mary Stallard	Dec 04
Raymond & Lorraine Samson	Dec 11

If I missed your special day, email the Month and Day of your Birthday and/or Anniversary. If your address, phone # or email address changes, email me the changes and effective date.

Kay Kozlowski – Membership Officer kaykozlowski 123@gmail.com



Happy Birthday Wishes For Nov/Dec:

Michael Gilson	Nov 08
Robert Wiggins	Nov 09
Penny Duggan	Nov 10
Brenda Burdick	Nov 11
Donna Hebel	Nov 12
Brian Weber	Nov 12
James Pawlak	Nov 15
Tracy Weyde	Nov 17
Scot Steinberger	Nov 19
Barbara Kimmeth	Nov 20
John Novak	Nov 21
Patti Jacques	Nov 25
Tim Baynton	Nov. 26
William Krohn	Nov 27
Jeanine Anderle	Nov 30
Joe Vandenlangenberg	Nov 30
Nancy Treml	Dec 01
Michelle Richter	Dec 02
Kay Kozlowski	Dec 03
Julie Johnson	Dec 04
Glen Merkle	Dec 05
Jennifer Steffen	Dec 05
George Rollins	Dec 06
Dave Ducat	Dec 09
Randall Van Den Eng	Dec 14
Lee Christopherson	Dec 15
Steve Schreiber	Dec 15
Victor Brushafer	Dec 16
Sharon Tilly	Dec 16
David Weckerle	Dec 17
Jerry Reince	Dec 19
John Kimmeth	Dec 20
Tony Kapla	Dec 24
Raymond Samson	Dec 26



Dealership news.....



Security Monitored and Heated Storage Available Oct. 24, 2020 - April 24, 2021

There is NO better time to have Vandervest Harley-Davidson perform service or accessory installations on your motorcycle. While your storing your bike with us, we'll get your ride set up with all the custom adds you've had your eye on all Summer. VIP storage is FREE with a minimum qualifying service order of \$599.99*

Price does not include tax or shop supplies. Trikes and sidecars \$999.99

VIP Storage Includes: (FREE w/qualifying service order of \$599.99 or more)

Multi-point inspection by H-D authorized technician Live enzyme pre-storage fuel system treatment Charge & test battery w/periodic trickle charge while stored Courtesy bike wash (Not a complete detail cleaning) Heated & security monitored storage Final release inspection prior to pickup *10% discount w/Rider Rewards Pts on H-D® parts/accessories

*Some stipulations apply

Basic Storage Includes: (\$295.00* / Due at drop off)

Multi-point inspection by H-D authorized technician Live enzyme pre-storage fuel system treatment Charge & test battery w/periodic trickle charge while stored Courtesy bike wash (Not a complete detail cleaning) Heated & security monitored storage Final release inspection prior to pickup

*add \$200.00 for trikes





All service work orders must be finalized at time of drop-off or by December 31, 2020 to qualify for specials and discounted storage. Storage is for Harley-Davidson[®] models (1995 or later) only. No choppers. Save Money Now With Great Financing Rates!!

With winter right around the corner, our lenders are looking to drum up some business, so they are coming out with great terms. Interest rates from <u>36 months at 1.99%</u> to <u>84 months at 4.24%</u> pending on credit and collateral.

So, combining Vandervest Harley-Davidson's 'End of Year Pricing' on all new 2020 Harley-Davidson models and these great financing rates, there's no better time to buy than now! Stop in to see one of our sales associates.

Eric Kinnard, Sales Manager



Sunday, Dec. 6th Event

Due to the present numbers of COVID, we, and the officers decided to postpone the End of Year party originally scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 6th. We'll watch the numbers and try to book something more in the late winter or early spring if possible. Stay Safe and Happy Holidays.

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