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## **Director, Greg Roberts**



**Congratulations to  
Greg Roberts,  
our Director for  
being a *Teacher  
of Distinction!***



I am really excited about the upcoming year as we “Turn the Page” on the Chapter and start implementing new ideas, events, activities and opportunities. The past years have brought a great deal of stories surrounding rides, donations, events, friendships, and adventures. I would never want to forget any of the past experiences but I am definitely looking forward to what the future holds. Not that there was anything wrong with how things were done in the past but I personally feel like it is time to “Turn the Page” and see what new adventures await us and the community regarding the future of the Chapter and our members.

As humans we become creatures of habit. It is engrained in most of our DNA to find a comfort zone and then stay there. We find solace and safety in remaining where we know the ins and outs of what lies ahead of us or what we might experience. We know that on Mondays when we meet certain people will be there to sell the 50/50, others will register us for the “wish u were here.” You are guaranteed to hear a joke and be stuck listening to me talk about what’s on the agenda regardless if you are interested or not. Chances are I will “Shhh” the people in the back a time or two and someone will make fun of me at my expense. Maybe after the meeting you will partake in a drink or two along with some conversation before parting ways until the next go round. After doing this for several years it’s time to “Turn the Page” as the meetings have become repetitive in nature to a degree and almost totally predictable.

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## **PACKERLAND HOG CHAPTER MEETING**

on **Monday March 30th, at 6:30 p.m..** in the Duck Blind facility.  
**VANDERVEST H-D, GREEN BAY, WI**



## Director, Greg Roberts

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That's why as we "Turn the Page" on another new year with the Packerland Chapter I am pumped about things like the Biker Bingo, Chili Night, Soup Night, Chapter Rides and of course the one thing everyone was talking about at the last meeting..."Mystery Meat!" Hopefully you all noticed a little different tone at the February meeting. Between the Chili and the Biker Bingo it felt different and well received. Again, the past has been great but the intent is to breathe some new life into the meetings and the Chapter. Of course we want to retain all of our current members, while inviting new riders and always welcoming back previous members. We want to create a fun, inviting, interactive meeting place where we can all come together. A place to gather new information, learn about the industry, share in the stories, create new friendships, have a little fun, do a little riding and if the spirit of the wind leads you, allow a place for you to just let go and escape for a little bit one or two times a month.

As I mentioned earlier it felt like the meetings and the Chapter were getting a little too predictable and as a biker the last thing I want is predictability. I want to meet new people, reminisce with old friends and travel the roads with a sense of adventure not knowing where I will end up but feel confident knowing I am on a unique special ride that will eventually end somewhere. The only guarantee I want is knowing the ride will be riddled with twists and turns along every road traveled, nothing long boring or flat, I want adventure. So, in my opinion "Turning the Page" is exactly what we all need to ensure that the ride continues as a unique, fun adventure specifically tailored to meet the needs of everyone in an effort to avoid the mundane, straight, flat, narrow roadways where adventures go to die.

Time to open this year up by twisting the throttle, burning some rubber and "Turning the Page" on an entirely new set of adventures. The Packerland Chapter has been and will continue to be, an organization that I take great pride in being a part of in the past and in the future. My hope is that you will join me in what I envision to be the best year so far! It's time to turn it up and make this thing happen. It's time to "Turn the Page!"

Enjoy The Ride!  
Greg Roberts aka-(Whisper)





## Secretary, open position

### SAVE THE DATE!

KIM'S TAE KWON DO CENTER, holds a tournament every year. Members of their classes go out and collect pledges to break boards, bricks, etc. Each year, they pick an organization to donate their pledges and money raised at the tournament through food and through bucket raffles. A few years ago, they picked the Jerry Parins "Cruise for Cancer" foundation and contributed \$10,000 and then again they picked M.D.A. and raised and donated the same.

Members from The Packerland HOG Chapter have volunteered the day of the event to hold boards, help with the food, make pledges, donate baskets or help in any way they can.

This year's event is Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup> with money being donated to **"Old Glory Honor Flight"**. If you can help out on this day, contact Penny Duggan, member of the Packerland HOG Chapter.

Penny Duggan- Kim's Tae Kwon Do

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### KIM'S TAE KWON DO CENTER, INC.



PROUD SPONSOR OF:

**2020 FUNDRAISER FOR  
Northeast Wisconsin  
OLD GLORY HONOR FLIGHT**



**DATE: MARCH 28, 2020**

Noon – 3:00 PM

**REDEEMER SCHOOL GYM  
205 Hudson St. Green Bay, WI**

Old Glory Honor Flight's mission is to offer local World War II, Korean War and Vietnam War Veterans a memorable, safe and rewarding tour of our nation's capital in Washington DC. It's our way to say "Thank You" for their service and sacrifices to our great country.

**Fundraiser held during our Tae Kwon Do Tournament  
Competitions: Forms, Board Breaking & Free Sparring  
HOG Members Hand Out Trophies**

**Board & Brick Breaking Marathon at 1:30 PM  
50/50 Raffle, Bake Sale & Silent Auctions Noon – 3:00 PM**

**Pledge Money & Silent Auction Items Appreciated – see below**

Kim's TKD Center, Inc. 501C3 Non Profit Corp. #20-0721845 Directed By: Master Penny Duggan  
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## Cabin Fever/Soup-R-Bowl 2020

20 soups were available for the public to come and sample. Some participants even decorated their station to the theme of their soup such as "Cheeseburger in Paradise" by Rick Vandervest and "Peter Piper Pickle Soup" by Dixie Kinnard. Members of the Packerland HOG Chapter had their children/grandchildren come and help serve. (Jacques', Kinnard's, and Kozlowski's) This was truly a family affair. Lynn surprised the kids by giving them a gift for helping serve. David Blackman, a Chapter member won the 50/50 and donated the \$330 to Exceptional Equestrians.

\$3112 was raised through soup sampling, 50/50 raffle, bucket raffle, and baked goods that were donated by Breadsmith.

First Place - Rick Vandervest (Cheeseburger in Paradise)--did not take the prize

Second Place - Lisa and Molly Kafka (Jameson Whiskey Steak)

Third Place - MJ Kapla (Texas Jambalya)

Fourth Place - Julie Stary (Tenderloin French Onion)

Congrats to some of the best soups we have ever had and Thank You to all that contributed in soups, work and or donations added to the raffle prizes.

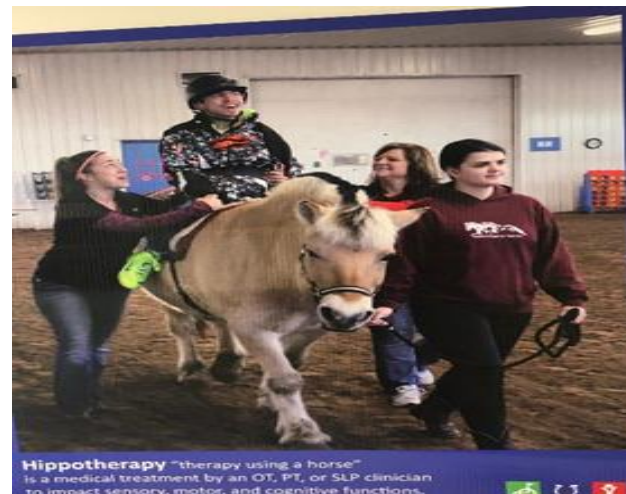
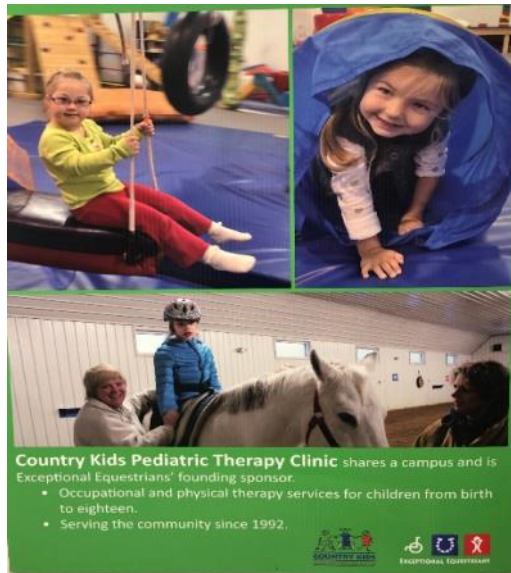


**MJ Kapla 2013 Soup-R-Bowl Event in Peshtigo**



### Vandervest Harley-Davidson donates to Exceptional Equestrians-DePere

\$3089 was donated to Exceptional Equestrians from Vandervest Harley-Davidson's "2020 Soup R Bowl" Event. Exceptional Equestrians is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that provides hypnotherapy, adaptive riding and equine-assisted learning services to children, teens and adults with physical, cognitive, and mental health challenges. When I delivered the check today, I was given a tour of the facility. I have found another organization that has touched my heart. Thank you to my family, the Packerland HOG Chapter-Green Bay, and volunteers from Exceptional Equestrians for making our Soup R Bowl event for this year another huge success.



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## MEMBERSHIP

**Accepting New & Renewal Memberships for 2020.**

**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:

<https://members.hog.com> 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: \$31.50 Pearl Christopherson No Winner

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 March:*

Dan & Diane Bastien	Mar 10
Anthony & Jeanine Anderle	Mar 18
Robert & Melinda Rosenow	Mar 19
Darren & Michelle Szymik	Mar 25

### *Happy Birthday Wishes for March:*

Ron Kelly	Mar 05
Caryn Forrest	Mar 08
Colleen Kramp	Mar 11
Rick Vandervest	Mar 11
Steve Alberts	Mar 27
Jane Larmay	Mar 28
Ben Heide	Mar 31
Sue Pankratz	Mar 31

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  
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Membership Officer







## Historian, Pearl Christophersen



### Tour of Pensacola Harley-Davidson

As a snowbird in FL., I decided to visit the shop in Pensacola. We viewed many new and pre-owned Harleys both indoors and on display outdoors. Staff were very friendly and made us feel very welcome. We were able to see new bikes that were delivered that day while we were there. For example: An outstanding 2020 Mayhem Bike, only 150 made and are a special order. They do all their own advertising and photo shoots in the shop. They are currently ranked #15 in the nation for bike sales.

I was introduced to some of the technicians, one from Alaska and one from Oklahoma. The shop was very impressive.

I visited the HOG Chapter room which also had games. A man named Matt gave me the tour and it was very interesting.

So Chapter Members when you travel to other dealerships, just introduce yourselves and ask for a tour. Most dealerships are more than happy to do this as they are all proud of what they have built and also of the brand. They also love to connect with the riders coming into their dealerships.



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## **Agenda Packerland HOG Chapter Meetings**

Mamma Tried Friday March 13th  
Possible - Night At The Museum TBD  
Possible - Brewer Baseball Game TBD

Monday March 30th  
Mystery Meat  
Service  
Jeopardy

Monday April 27th  
Soup Night / Cookies  
MotorClothes  
Focus on Parins Ride  
Scavenger Hunt (People)

Tuesday May 26th  
Safety Night Cookout  
Parts  
Finalize Cruise For Cancer

Saturday June 6th **RIDE**  
Chapter Ride Bull Falls (MDA)

Saturday June 13th **RIDE**  
Cruise For Cancer

Sunday June 28th **RIDE**  
TBD - Bike Blessing & Ride



Sunday, July 27th **RIDE**  
TBD—Ride with a Rep

Sunday, August 31st **RIDE**  
TBD—End of Summer

Monday, September 28th **RIDE**  
Wrap up Ride and Meeting—Drift Inn

Monday, October 26th Meeting  
Halloween Costume Party

Saturday, November 7th **RIDE**  
Jack Frost—You Know The Drill



Check out Tina Whetung's (Transportation Services Manager) interview on February 6 with WBAY-TV News Anchor/ Noon Show Host Kevin Rompa as she talks with him about Curative Connections' ongoing need for volunteer drivers. Click on the link to see the video <https://www.wbay.com/video?vid=567626512> Or contact [TWHETUNG@CURATIVECONNECTIONS.ORG](mailto:TWHETUNG@CURATIVECONNECTIONS.ORG) Tina and her husband Jeff Whetung are members of the chapter. People that are retired, this is an opportunity for you to help out. Feel free to forward on to people that you think would be a good fit. Who knows maybe we can get them a driver or two!!

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New from Harley-Davidson!

Just because there is snow on the ground doesn't mean HD stops coming out with new awesome bikes or a great limited edition paint scheme!

First, is the all-new 2020 Road Glide Special with the Special Edition Eagle Eye Paint. This paint is only available on the Road Glide Special, which features a yellow base color with a gloss finish. The bike's paint is highlighted by an eagle that covers the right side of the gas tank and stretches across the sharknose fairing. The paint also includes a Bar & Shield logo on the left side of the tank, and 'Harley-Davidson' on the outside edge of each saddlebag lid. HD has limited this bike to only 900 units worldwide.



Harley-Davidson did not stop there; this year commemorates the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Fat Boy. So, HD came out with the Fat Boy 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Limited Edition Model. This bike is limited to 2,500 in the world. The bike comes equipped with a blacked out Milwaukee-8, 114 V-Twin engine, black disc wheels, exhaust, contrasted with bronze rocker covers and timer cover.



Lastly, HD's released the 2020 CVO Road Glide. The CVO Road Glide comes in the premium Sand Dune monotone finish, equipped with the Milwaukee-8, 117" powertrain, H-D Connect, Reflex Defensive Rider Systems, Heated Kahuna Collection, Knockout 21-inch front and 18-inch rear wheels, Color matched Front Spoiler, and Saddlebag lid speakers, just to name a few items.



**Congratulations to Mike and Laura the winners of our "Fuel Your Love" gift basket valued at \$500.**

**Dinner for two, a night's stay at the AmericInn, Harley Wine Glasses and wine, and chocolates and popcorn from Seroogy's!**



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## MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 24, 2020 MEETING

### "Chili and Biker Bingo Night"

Members were treated to a variety of home-made chili by chefs: Members: Lynn Vandervest, Randy VandenEng, Jean VandenLangenberg, Mark Coogle, Tom Hlava and Jeff Whetung all donated a chili for the night. Dave Weckerle donated a veggie platter and Randy VandenEng added his famous home-made pickles for a treat. Four \$25 gift cards to "Chili's" were given away as a random drawing with those that made a chili-- The 4 winners were: Jean, Mark, Tom and Jeff.

BINGO WINNERS - \$100 Mark King, \$55 Patricia Weber and pot was split with 3 other winners Lynn Vandervest, dealership put together a "Golden Apple" table with Apple Pie for dessert to honor our Director Greg Roberts, for receiving the Golden Apple Award of Distinction for 2020. Greg is a teacher at Ashwaubenon High School.

6:30 meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance to follow

No Guests

New Member: Hank

Introduced our new Editor: Caryn Forrest

We are looking to fill our "Secretary" position. David Konrath stepped down. This position is to be at the meetings to take minutes. If you cannot make it, Lynn usually covers for you. Therefore, if you are someone that comes to most of the meetings, this position is for YOU. Let the dealership know if you are interested. [lynn@vvhd.com](mailto:lynn@vvhd.com)

Member Penny Duggan- Penny talked about KIM'S TAE KWON DO CENTER'S fundraiser. Sat., March 28 from noon to 3 p.m. Members needed to help hold boards, bricks and attend the function. The Packerland Chapter has continued to help Penny with this event for many years. Every year a different cause is chosen to receive funds. This year, Old Glory Honor Flight will be the recipient. Info will be sent out in a FLASH.

Erik Vandervest (Dealership) Paul Gagnon (Sales) Matt Steinhausen (Service)----Dealership A video was played on the big screen with new Harley's just introduced. Three new models were on display at the meeting and Paul and Erik pointed out the new features. Steiny touched on Spring Service Specials which will be advertised soon.

Rick-Dealership talked about our trip to Friday, March 13 to Milwaukee to attend the Mama Tried Flat Track Races at the Fiserv.



Minutes from February 24th meeting cont.....

Call the dealership at 920-498-8822 or stop in to pay to reserve your spot. Coach bus ride and ticket to get in. Bus will leave at approximately 4 p.m. and return to the dealership after the races. Food/drinks allowed on the bus.

CP Telethon: Sunday, March 8th - The Packerland HOG Chapter/Vandervest Harley-Davidson will be donating \$500 this year again. Greg Roberts and Tim VanGompel will represent us on the air.

Treasurer, Robert Jacques gave a 5 year review of donations made. Over \$14K has been donated to local charities. This does not include HOGOPOLY donations made to MDA. An average of \$24K gets donated each year from HOGOPOLY sponsors/book sales.

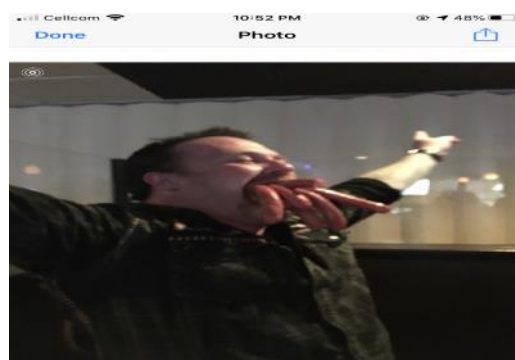
Sat., March 14 - St. Patty's Day Event at the dealership. Watch for details. Prizes, food, etc.

50/50 Winner - \$155 Cinnamon Harley

Wish you were here - \$32 Pearl Christofferson - No winner - still in Pensacola

Attendance gift certificate - Will start at March's meeting with entries from February attendance.

\*\*\*\* **Next Chapter Gathering is Monday, March 30** - Service Talk, Mystery Meat Raffle and Jeopardy!



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