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### Director~Jim Stingley



Hello everyone, it's hard to believe that 2015 has gone by so fast! I have enjoyed my time as your Memphis Hog Chapter Director in 2015 and would like to thank each officer as well as each member for helping make this an enjoyable year! Each of you have made the day to day events, day rides, dinner rides and some great overnight rides fun for those that were able to attend them! Great Job Everyone and Thanks Again!

2016 will be another Great Year for our Chapter and an opportunity to shine in the world of HOG. The 2016 Tennessee State Hog Rally will be held in Memphis May 31<sup>st</sup> to June 4<sup>th</sup>, I would like to encourage each of you to not only volunteer at the Rally but also take part as a guest in order to help make this a Spot Light event for Memphis!

Jim Ferguson will be leading our Chapter in 2016!

#### **Congratulation Jim!**

Jim will certainly need your help to make 2016 great, by that I mean get involved with Chapter events, volunteer when you can, that is truly the only way to enjoy your Chapter!

**Ride Hard, Ride Safe, Ride Often!**

### **DECEMBER CHAPTER EVENTS**

- 5** Chapter Christmas Party~~The Butcher Shop
- 10** Road Captain Meeting~Joe's Crabshack

### **January Chapter Events**

- 1** Polar Bear Ride~Watch for more details.
- 1** January Chapter Meeting~Robillio's SideCar Café-12:30pm
- 7** Social~Watch for more details
- 14** Road Captain Meeting~Joe's Crabshack





Well it's December, hard to believe that another year is almost over. Guess it is true time flies when you are having fun. Thank you to those who came out and supported LOH events.

Just to let everyone know that Silver Bells was a success. We had a variety of items donated and the money that we collected at the November chapter meeting we were able to buy 10 sets of twin XL sheet sets.

Thank you so much.

Just a reminder LOH Christmas Party will be December 13<sup>th</sup>; from 2pm to 5pm Tammy Caldwell will be hosting our party again. Bring your favorite holiday finger food and a 15 dollar wrapped gift to play dirty Santa. Come out for the food and a fun time.

Thank you  
Denisce and Tammy



I just want to say thank you to all of the members who were at the HOG Waller, which nominated and voted for me as the 2016 Chapter Director. I have already started planning and putting my team in place and I look forward to serving the Chapter next year! I have some mighty large shoes to fill with the great leadership this Chapter has currently and in previous years! Having served in some capacity over the past two years I know it takes a lot of dedication, effort, and volunteer support to have a successful year!

As your Chapter Director next year, I would like to invite you to get involved in the Chapter, not just next year but now! Even if you are new to the Chapter you could be just the person to bring new ideas and experiences to the Chapter. The last thing we want to do are the same old things year after year, so bring us your fresh ideas. I have a few new ideas of my own, some will be great, maybe others we will just have to try them and see! However, the point is to try some new things and take a few chances.

To the membership, this is your Chapter and I hope you are proud of it! I ask that you show that pride and bring some enthusiasm next year! My team and I will be trying some new things out so come support us and the rest of the Chapter. Let's bring some fun and laughs to the meetings and events and show our new members that we are a first class Chapter. I do understand that life gets in the way sometimes, but I want to personally invite members back that haven't been coming to the meetings and events. Many members have met their closest friends, and riding buddies, through the Chapter and may feel like the Chapter served its purpose. But don't think the rest of us don't miss you and the value, and experience, you bring to the Chapter. Come on back and join us we miss seeing you too! Again, I look forward to 2016 and hope that you do too!

Sincerely,

Jim Ferguson  
Chapter Photographer/Safety, and 2016 Director



I want to thank you all for the opportunity to serve as chaplain this year.

It's Christmas and as final act as chaplain I'd like to remind everyone to please remember the real reason we celebrate this holiday.

One of my favorite passages this time of year is Luke 2: 10-14 (NASB)

<sup>10</sup> But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people; <sup>11</sup> for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. <sup>12</sup> This *will be* a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." <sup>13</sup> And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

<sup>14</sup> "Glory to God in the highest,  
And on earth peace among men with whom He is pleased."



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*Christmas began in the heart of God. It is complete only when it reaches the heart of man.*

*Unknown*

I want to wish everyone a very merry Christmas and a blessed New Year.

Michele Bryant  
Chaplain 2015

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## 2015 Road Captains

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 Brian Bryant  
 David Chadwick  
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## State of Tennessee implements In Case of Emergency Contact list:

I found this online and mentioned at the Chapter HOG Waller that I would post this in the newsletter.

Beginning in October drivers in Tennessee have a new free service available to them to go online and identify In Case of Emergency (ICE) contacts. You can enter multiple contacts that can be notified by emergency responders in the event you are in an accident and are not able to communicate on your own.

You should not only list someone like your spouse but someone not as likely to be traveling with you frequently. That way you should have someone that Police may be able to reach. Please take a few minutes and do this for yourself and your family!  
Emergency Contact Information

Tennessee drivers or identification card holders may now enter emergency contact information for use by law enforcement in crisis or emergency situations.

To submit this information into the Tennessee driver license data base, please follow these simple instructions. More than one emergency contact may be submitted.

Visit the Online Driver Services which can be found on [www.tn.gov](http://www.tn.gov) or [www.tn.gov/safety](http://www.tn.gov/safety).

From there, you must enter your last name, date of birth, Tennessee driver license or ID number, and last four digits of your social security number. Once that information is entered, click submit, then click on "Emergency Contact Information" to enter the name, phone number, email address, and relationship of the emergency contact.

You may also take advantage of other available online driver services from this page, such as renewing your driver license and changing your address.

See more at:

[https://dl.safety.tn.gov/ /](https://dl.safety.tn.gov/)

Jim Ferguson  
Chapter Safety Officer

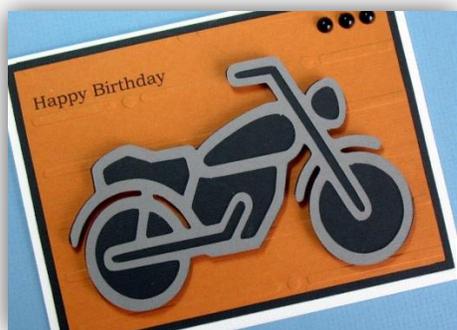


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