



**2012
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For
Fox Valley H.O.G.®**



The Fox Valley Illinois Chapter of the Harley Owners Group was founded on August 19, 1985 and holds national H.O.G.® Chapter number 1063. Our mission is to “Ride and Have Fun!” FVHOG brings together members of the community who own Harley-Davidson motorcycles for riding, friendship, camaraderie and charity work that benefits our members and the communities we live in. The Chapter sponsors many member activities year-round and has an active Ladies of Harley Group.

Chapter Officers for 2012:

Director	Bob Owens	630-978-1709
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Sponsoring Dealer: Heritage Harley-Davidson®, The #1 Harley Davidson Dealership in the United States for 2009!!!! Located at 2595 W. Ogden Ave. (Rt.34) in Lisle, Illinois. This is one mile east of Naperville Road. Stop in or visit their website at www.heritagehd.com, call 630-420-1942 or fax 630-420-9094.

Chapter Website: Visit our chapter website at www.fvhog.com for more detailed information. Registered chapter members may join our interactive message group at: <http://autos.groups.yahoo.com/group/fvhog/> Our FVHOG facebook group is at: <http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=57707291525>

Annual Events: We bring in each New Year with our “Freeze Yur’ Tail” ride on January 1st. For convenience, our Chapter Christmas Party is held in January. The next couple of winter months bring the Chili Cook-Off, Game Nights, Monthly Dinner “Rides” and many other activities. (This is a great time for bike maintenance and to add a few

accessories!) When the “riding season” begins, it’s off to Starved Rock for our annual Ride/Breakfast Buffet! We also host our annual “Slide into Spring” run, Bike Raffle, New Member Orientations, Dinner Rides, Aloha Rides, Baseball Games, DARE Bike Wash, Overnight Rides and many more. The Chapter participates in the State HOG Rally every year. Look for our LOH Summer Fun Run, “FVHOG Rendezvous” during the Sturgis South Dakota Bike Rally, and MORE RIDING! We have a Chapter Labor Day Family Picnic and our annual “Fall Color” run. We have our Pizza Ride in November and in December we host our annual charity Christmas Party for the kids and families of “Almost Home” a facility that helps families with handicapped children transition from hospital/health care to home care.

Community Involvement: While our primary purpose is having fun riding our Harleys, we’re also active in the community and with local charities. In the last few years, we’ve raised and donated tens of thousands of dollars for various causes including research in Ovarian Cancer, D.A.R.E., LaSalle Veterans Home, local food pantries and shelters, local Police and Fire Departments and funds to benefit local individuals in need.

Safety/Education: FVHOG is well known in the area for hosting safe and well structured rides. Our Road Captains are experienced and specifically trained to make our rides safe and enjoyable. We offer Aloha Rides to members who are new to group riding where safety information and techniques are taught and reviewed before going on an orientation ride to practice your newly learned skills. Our Safety Officer provides a wealth of knowledge, tips and techniques through classes (Safe Rider Skills, MSF Beginner and Advanced, Accident Scene Management etc), info sheets on our website, and maintains our Road Captains training and certification.

To Find Out More: If you are interested in getting the most out of your motorcycling experience, or simply want to learn more about us, come to one of our Chapter meetings. Guests are always welcome. We meet at Heritage Harley-Davidson on the 2nd Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM. All HOG members (or Harley Owners who’d like to become HOG members) are welcome to join us. If you can’t make a meeting or would like us to tell you more, call one of the officers above. We’d be happy to talk to you.

MEETING LOCATION

Heritage Harley-Davidson

2595 W. Ogden Ave.

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