

# The Hudson Highlander



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## DECEMBER BREAKFAST

This morning, there were 35 attending the retreat breakfast. We have to expect over the next 3-4 months our numbers to be smaller as more leave us for warmer temperatures. I can't say that I blame them and only wish I could go with them.

Ted started the morning off by asking Ruth Reynolds to entertain us with her Santa hat jumping on her head, a necklace that lit up like Christmas tree lights, and her doing a little Santa dance. Ruth was a good sport and her outfit was really great.

There was only one person attending who had a birthday this month, and on Christmas day no less and that was Jim LeVeille. Keith Bull was our lucky 50/50 winner with the following scratch-off winners, Debbie Trask, Willie Grosslinger, Les and Carolyn Thies (with Carolyn winning 3 times) Jim Barr, Elma (also won a free ticket), Arnold Cope (won a t-shirt), Skip Beijen, and Carolyn winning a candy bar donated by Iny LeVeille. Again, there was one table that seemed to win most of the prizes.

Kay mentioned for the ones who will be in Florida, there will be a breakfast planned in March, so if you have a changed phone number make sure you notify her.

We signed a card for Clem who had heart surgery. We were told he is doing well and our thoughts go out to him and Elsa and hope to see them next month.

Have a great Christmas with your families and may each of you have a great New Year. See you in 2012

Don't forget to renew your membership if you haven't done so already.

Terri

## Let's meet for Lunch

The December luncheon was held at Morey's this year. We had 16 members attend, and I believe they all had a great meal. Clem & Elsa were able to join us, he is doing well after his surgery, just watch out tho, he may be mooing the next time you see him.

We were able to stay and visit awhile, which was very nice. The 50/50 was won by Jim Barr. Congrats Jim. Some of the people that were there will be heading for warmer weather before our next breakfast, we wish them safe travels and it would be nice if they sent some of that nice weather up to our area.

We wish everyone a great holiday. See you next month at Brooks Bar-B-Que

## 2012 Overnighter

Not too early to start thinking about them! We intend to do another PER (Progressive Eating Ride.) We have the lunch (in Mohawk) and the ice cream (in West Winfield). We need someone to volunteer to do coffee mid-morning—somewhere in the Otsego/Herkimer County area would probably work best.

For the 3-night overnighter we will be at Aspinwall Motel in Henderson Harbor. They all are \$75 per night, (which is \$67.50 + tax) per night if you pay in cash. Otherwise, it is \$75/night + tax. Next door is a restaurant that serves breakfast and lunch. The dates are Tues-Fri., July 10-13.

The Canadian ferry to Wolfe Island into Kingston, Ontario would be strictly an OPTION. Skip Beijen suggested it, and is willing to “man” this option. For those not interested, like us, we will have other plans. One ferry ride for me is one too many! For entry into Canada you now need more an enhanced driver’s license or a passport.

Aspinwall Motel in Henderson: Barb & Gary Bowman, owners 315-938-5421

Call to make reservations NOW if you think you may go. They have a 2 day cancellation policy. Just tell them you’re with the Oneonta Retreads. July 10-13, 2012. Tues-Fri. You give your credit card to reserve it, but they don’t take anything out of it. If you think you may go, register. There aren’t that many places in that area to rent, so rooms go fast! So far we’ve reserved 18 rooms! Only 5 left, in the front! 5 are rooms with 2 double beds each. The other room has 1 double bed and 2 twin beds.

Let me know the type of room after you register: [tjoe78@gmail.com](mailto:tjoe78@gmail.com) or

315-866-7392 if you have any questions/comments. Any ideas will be welcomed and even considered! If you have a problem getting through, remember,

they are closed now—let me know: I communicate through e-mail with Barb.

We have one single man in one room—if someone would like to split the room cost with him, LET ME KNOW!

We’d love to have you join us!

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## From the Directors

We would like to thank everyone who helped make this past year a good one. We had lots of good rides- a terrific overnighter to the Thousand Islands, very profitable Poker Run and many other activities.

These are all made possible by the cooperation and hard work of the membership. Without the volunteers a lot of the activities would not be possible. I will not try to mention all the names, as I don’t want to miss anyone, but you know who you are, and we thank you all.

We do want to thank Ted & Terri for all their hard work keeping our breakfasts going, as well as the volunteer staff and Skip at the American Legion for the great breakfasts.

We look forward to another good year riding and spending time with you all.

Ray & Elma



## BIRTHDAYS



Peggy Secor	4
Beverly Margeson	11
Tamara Jordon	11
Howard Trask	12
Bill Stolt	13
Eleonora Sachno	13
David Evans	14
Jeff Brimlow	14
Penny Grosslinger	15
Mary King	17
Carl Brenn	21
Jim Vroman	21
Ted Beers	25

## Calendar of Events

### JANUARY

8<sup>th</sup>- Retread Breakfast - American Legion @ 9:00am Oneonta, NY  
 21<sup>th</sup>- Let's Meet for Lunch - Brooks BBQ @ 1:00pm - Oneonta, NY

### FEBRUARY

12<sup>th</sup>- Retread Breakfast - American Legion @ 9:00am Oneonta, NY  
 18<sup>th</sup>- Let's Meet for Lunch - TBA @ 1:00pm - Oneonta, NY



## 2012 Events

Mar 9-18 Daytona Bike Week, Daytona Beach, Fl  
 Mar 17-18 Toronto Spring Motorcycle Show, International Center, Toronto  
 May 17-19 Mid-Atlantic Retreads Rally, Bird-in-Hand, Pa  
 June 5-9 Americade, Lake George, NY  
 June 11-19 Laconia Bike Week, Weir's Beach, NH  
 July 23-25 Western PA Retreads Rally, Cambridge Springs, Pa

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**Check our flyer table at the Breakfast and also our web site for flyers for the above Events**  
**Call Ted Beers (607) 988-7433**  
**or Ray Taylor (607) 563-2083**

## Buy & Sell

### **For Sale:**

2005 Honda Shadow - \$4395.00  
 6300 miles - Windshield - Saddle bags  
 Phone: 607-432-1684 for more info.

### **For Sale:**

1990 Trike (California Sidecar) 100,000+ Miles  
 Good Condition \$12,000.00 Price Negotiable  
 For more info: Phone 607-432-3039 - Jim Leveille

### **For Sale:**

1986 Honda Goldwing Aspencade only 29,000 miles  
 intercom—CB Tape Deck- Radio Full Dress \$4,500  
 Call 607-588-6754

### **For Sale:**

My Trike is a 1994 Honda Aspencade (California Side Car) conversion.  
 Converted in 2006 this Trike has it all AM, FM, Cassette, CB integrated radio/intercom, Cruise, reverse, and oodles of chrome. Mileage 14,951 Reason for selling Health Issues \$15,000 Phone 607-563-7316

### **For Sale:**

2005 Red Honda 1800 Trike with 19500 miles asking \$24,000 .  
 Included with the trike is a trailer, electric vest for the passenger, extra new front tire, sirrus radio.  
 for more info Phone 607-638-9464



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# 2012 MID ATLANTIC RETREAD RALLY

## May 17 – 19, 2012



**EARLY REGISTRATION – WEDNESDAY MAY 16<sup>TH</sup> - 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

Headquarters: Bird-In-Hand Family Inn & Restaurant, Rt. 340, Bird In Hand, PA 800-537-2535

[www.bird-in-hand.com](http://www.bird-in-hand.com)

**Mention "Retreads Motorcycle Club" Special Room Rates will be held until April 1, 2012**

Registration & Hospitality Room Open – 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Thursday/Friday – Close @ Noon Saturday

### RALLY PACKAGE INCLUDES

- \* Wednesday Evening Ice Cream Social - Get Together
- \* Thursday Night Dutch Treat Dinner at Shady Maple
- \* Professional Entertainment at Bird In Hand Family Inn - Thursday Night
  - \* Breakfast Buffet (Friday or Saturday – Your Choice)
  - \* Barbeque - Friday Evening
- \* Saturday Night Family Style – Sit Down Banquet at Good N’ Plenty
- \* All You Can Eat Ice Cream in the Hospitality Room Whenever It Is Open
  - \* Rally Pin to first 400 people
- \* Guided Tours, Self-Guided Tours, Charity Poker Run, 50/50

- Amish Country Motel - Rt. 340, Bird In Hand, PA – 800-538-2535
- Best Western – Intercourse - Rt. 772, & Rt. 340, Intercourse, PA 717-768-3636
- Carriage Corner Bed & Breakfast – 3705 East Newport Road (Rt. 772), Gordonville, PA – 717-768-3059
- Country Living Inn – 2406 Old Philadelphia Pike, Bird In Hand, PA – 717-295-7295
- Countryside Motel – Rt. 896, Ronks, PA – 717-687-8431
- Dutch Treat Motel – 265 Herr Rd (At Rt. 896), Ronks, PA – 717-687-7998
- Eastbrook Inn – 21 Eastbrook Rd (at Rt. 896), Ronks, PA – 717-397-2550
- Hershey Farm Motor Inn – Rt. 896, Strasburg, PA – 717-687-8635
- Old Amish Inn – 33 Eastbrook Road (at Rt. 896), Ronks, PA – 717-393-3100
- Orchard Inn – 44 South Harvest Road, Bird In Hand, PA – 717-768-3644
- Quiet Haven Motel – 2556 Siegrist Road, Ronks, PA – 717-397-6231
- Smoketown Motor Lodge – Rt. 896, Smoketown, PA – 717-397-6944
- Spruce Lane Lodge – 2439 Old Philadelphia Pike (Rt. 340), Smoketown, PA – 800-446-4901
- Travelers Rest – 3701 Old Philadelphia Pike (Rt. 340), Intercourse, PA – 717-397-8731
- Camping – Country Acres – 20 Leven Rd., Gordonville, PA – 717-687-8014
- Camping – Beacon Hill Camping – Rt. 772, Intercourse, PA – 717-768-8775
- Other motels in the area can be found at [www.padutchcountry.com](http://www.padutchcountry.com)

Make check payable & mail to: Mid Atlantic Retreads, 37 E. Wolfert Station Road, Mickleton, NJ 08056 - 856-241-8979

Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Rider: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (To Receive Confirmation) or send SASE to address above: \_\_\_\_\_

# of People \_\_\_\_\_ x \$59.00 each with Banquet (\$69.00 each AFTER April 14, 2012) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# of People \_\_\_\_\_ x \$49.00 each without Banquet (\$59.00 each AFTER April 14, 2012) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OPTIONAL – Shady Maple Dutch Treat Dinner – Thursday Night \_\_\_\_\_ # of People x \$16.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirts (Collars & Pockets): \_\_\_\_\_ S \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_ XXL \_\_\_\_\_ XXXL = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$13.00 per shirt for S, M, L & XL or \$18.00 per shirt XXL and XXXL TOTAL: = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

You must be 40 years of age and have a current membership card to be eligible for event-sponsored awards. Guests, sponsored by a Retread are always welcome. No trophies for trailered bikes.

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

## New York State Hudson Highlands Retreads Motorcycle Club

New: ( )                      Renewal: ( )                      Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum Annual donation:

Family \$20.00

Single: \$15.00                      Circle One

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Co-Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ AMA No. \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ AMA No. \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Applicant

Please Make Checks Payable to:

Hudson Highlands Retreads Motorcycle Club

Send donation to:

Ray & Elma Taylor  
2457 County Road 35  
Bainbridge, NY 13733

### **This must be signed by all members:**

I understand that the Retreads cannot assume responsibility for any aspect of my safety and that if I participate in any event, ride, gathering, or other, I do so Voluntarily on my own assessment of my ability, on any course, road, or other and all facility conditions, assuming all risk; and I release and hold the Retreads Harmless for any injury or loss to my person or property which may result there from.

I understand that this means that I agree not to sue the Retreads or any person connected to the Retreads, for any reason, including injury or accident to myself or my property at any such event.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Other or Co-Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Retreads Motorcycle Club  
Hudson Highland Area  
2457 County Road 35  
Bainbridge, NY 13733**

Serving a membership dedicated to safe riding .... and good times

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**JANUARY 2012**



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**If the date on your label is not 1/1/2013  
your Membership is due!!**

## **Retread Breakfasts**

### **Hudson Highland Area:**

2nd Sun. American Legion - 279 Chestnut St. Oneonta, NY @9:00am Host Ted & Terri Beers 607-988-0081

### **North County Area:**

**North** 1st Sun. Lawrenceville Fire Hall, Co Rt 54, Lawrenceville, NY @ 9:00am Host: Francis & Elaine Poquette, 315-389-4040

**South** 2nd Mapleview Family Restaurant on Rt 104 meeting @ 9:00am. Host James & Cindi Forbes, 315-592-4696

**West** 3rd Sun. The American Legion Black River, NY @9:00am Host Jeff Houghton 315-788-5817

For more information on any of the listed events, check past issues of your newsletter, or contact Ted Beers for copies of the actual event "flyers". Members may advertise items for sale at no charge as long as space permits. Send your ad or your article for publication in the newsletter to Ray Taylor or Ted Beers.

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