



**HOG PERTH CHAPTER WA (Inc)
HOG TORQUE WRAP UP
9th January 2012
EAST VICTORIA PARK RSL**

Attendance: 71 members

- Welcome New Member - Mark Doyle with his Fat Boy
- Apologies nomination forms did not go out with newsletter
- Nomination forms due Friday 27th January. Positions available are Assistant Director, Safety Officer, LOH Officer and Historian for one more year and Director, Treasurer, Photographer and Memberships Officer positions for full term of two years.
- Director position applicants must have an expression of interest handed in to the dealer. This complies with the HOG Chapter Charter since 1982.
- 2011 AGM minutes will be sent out to members to be confirmed at the 2012 AGM in March.
- Next Intro Ride coming up – we need volunteers to help out with the BBQ.
- Bushfires in Margaret River – A fund Raising email has been sent out; there will be a Poker Ride on 22nd January which fundraises for the Lord Mayor's Distress Relief Fund Margaret River Fire Appeal 2011; and a First Lady's Ride to Margaret River 28th and 29th January. Keep an eye out for more information!
- Volunteer Appreciation Event is being organized for the volunteers at the National Rally– details TBA
- Assistant Director mentioned the 2 rides we have done for the Aged Care Facility. Willy was dressed up as Santa. Graham (Groucho) couldn't make it but Willy presented him with a thank you gift from the residents of the facility at the HOG Torque.
- Tomorrow (Tuesday 10th January) is the final day to register for the Albany Rally.
- Road Captain Appreciation Awards presented to Geo and Luigi.
- Apologies from the Printers that the Newsletters are late getting out.
- Margaret River patch is still available as the order hasn't been submitted yet.
- Name patches can be ordered at any time.
- Mugs are available and proceeds go to Camp Quality. Optional personalized photo of your bike.
- Jennacubbine Overnighter ride to the hall, eat at the pub and blessing of the bikes in the morning.
- State Rally accommodation still available in Albany.
- Bali Davidson around \$1500 including airfares, accommodation and Harley Hire (less for scooter hire). Keep an eye out for more information!
- Rides are on every weekend through till May at this point in time. See the ride calendars!
- There are 457 members. Welcome packs are still on their way! Membership Renewal Day is on 14th March 2012 at Frasers.
- The Safety Officer has reminded everyone to check the air in their tyres.

- Please do a refresher course in HOG ride rules by reading the article in the Newsletter!
- The Historian asks everyone to please email him anything that is relevant to the club.
- We would like to have a toast at the start of every Chapter Meeting (HOG Torque) to our fallen riders and in memory of our loved ones who are no longer with us.
- Meals at HOG Torque will be served between 6 and 7pm so that the volunteers can get back to their seats before the meeting starts.