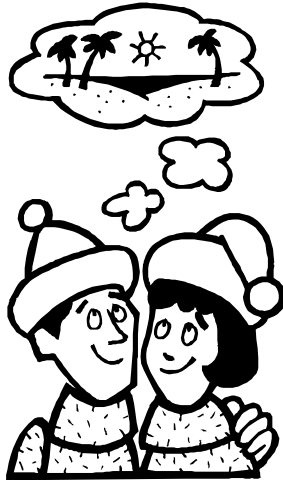
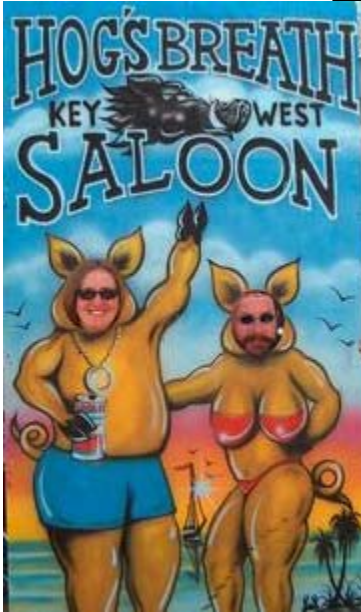


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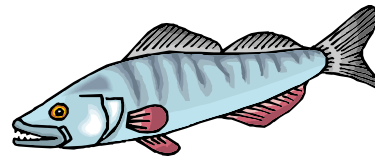
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**FIRST RIDE OF THE SEASON!!**



**TROUT FESTIVAL RIDE**

**APRIL 24**

**Yes, riding season is finally here, so put on your long johns and join us on the first ride of the season to the Trout Festival in Kalkaska. Leaves Classic Motor Sports at noon.**



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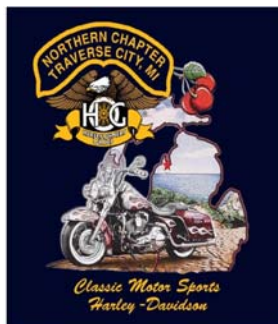
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# NORTHERN CHAPTER HARLEY OWNERS GROUP 2004 Schedule of Events

DATE	THURSDAY—Dinner Ride	SATURDAY RIDE	SUNDAY RIDE
APRIL	1 Chapter Meeting—Elks Club		
	15 Peninsula Grill		
	17	Progressive Dinner Ride	
	24	Trout Festival	
	29 South City Limits		
MAY	2		Mesick & Frankfort
	6 Chapter Meeting—Location Pending		
	8	Central Lake	
	13 Cedar Tavern		
	16		Baldwin Blessing of Bikes
	20 Laughing Horse Saloon		
	23		Petoskey
	27 Fife Lake Inn		
JUNE	3 Chapter Meeting—Location Pending		
	6		Ironton
	10 Friendly's		
	13		Manistee
	17 Woody's—Northport		
	19	Cadillac	
	26 House BBQ—Vince O'Brien		
	27		Gaylord





**March Chapter Meeting Drawings**

*There was no Chapter meeting for March, so April's Membership drawing will be for \$40 and the Classic Gift Certificate will be for \$50.*

**You could be the**

**Next Lucky Winner!**

**Best Wishes for a Speedy Recovery to Terry Coates' son and daughter, who were in a car accident. Please know, Terry, you can call on your "Harley Family" if you need help with ANYTHING! Our Prayers and thoughts are with you.**

**Chapter Website**

**Newsletter**

**New Username: newsletter**

**New Password: 2360HOG**



**APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

Sue Barner	April 3
Mike Manners	April 9
Andy Peterson	April 15
Dennis Svec	April 18
John Welsh	April 22
Dave Berg	April 29
Laurie Stinson	April 29

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU...**

**Riding Season Kick-Off Event:**

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**1ST ANNUAL**

**PROGRESSIVE DINNER**

**APRIL 17**

**3 P.M.**

**\$5/person**

**BYOB**

**RSVP by April 9**

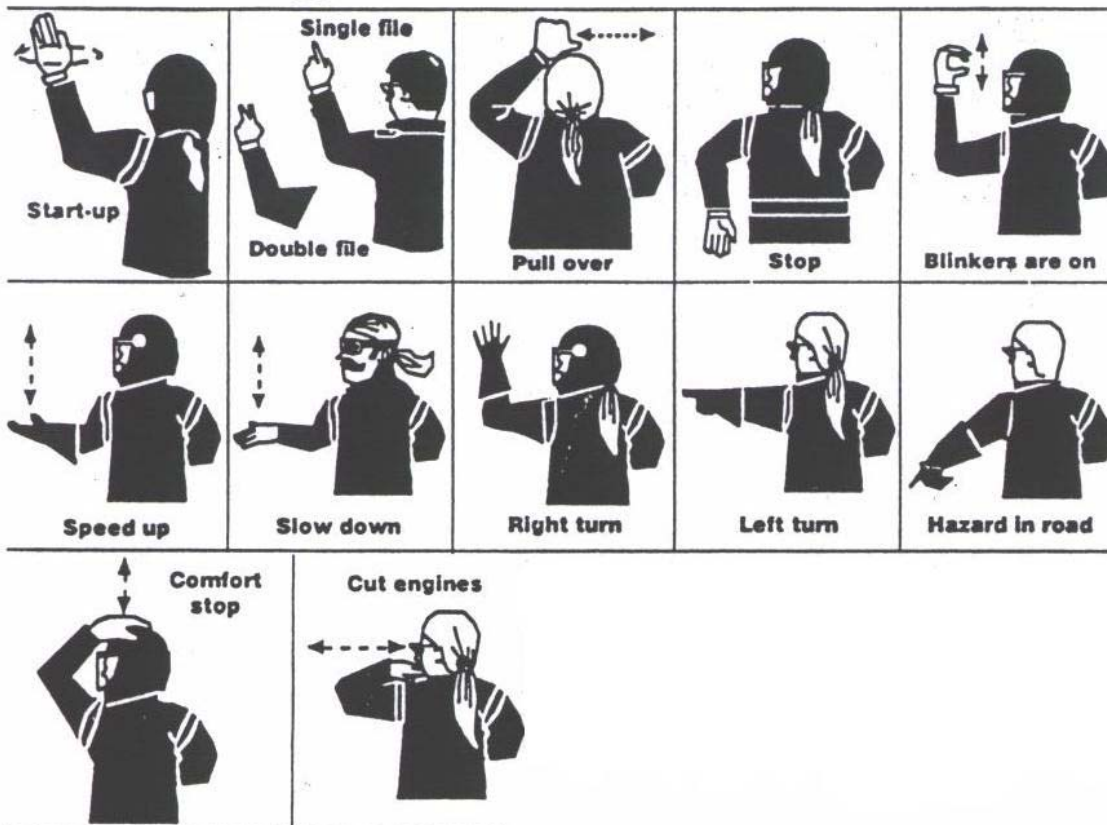
**We are having a progressive dinner starting at Emanuel's house. The theme will be Mexican with all the food reflecting that. For those of you who don't know what a progressive dinner is—it is a 4 course dinner with each course being at a different house. We start at Deb & John Emanuel's house for appetizers, then drive to Jeanette & Greg Sherman's house for soup & salad, Cheryl & Eric Fischer's house for the main course and Paula & Raggs Mack's house for dessert. We still need volunteers to help at each house—one person is not enough to handle this crowd!**

**You MUST call to let us know you are coming by April 9. We need to know how many are coming so we can plan. Call Paula @275-5403 or Cheryl @ 275-6658**

**Starting at John & Deb Emanuel's :**

**9069 N. Tottenham Rd. off of W. Long Lake Road which is off S. Long Lake Road. If you need further directions, call them at 943-3569.**

# Handsignals Could Save a Life



## **GROUP RIDER RESPONSIBILITIES**

Riders of different performance levels in close quarters all need to know exactly what a rider is going to do and when.

1. Riders who choose to follow in a group must do just that, follow. If a mistake is made, follow in a group until it can be safely corrected. Example: missed turn, missed exit.
2. Each signal is passed back by every rider so you can be sure everyone is informed. If you carry a passenger, they assume the responsibility of passing hand signals back.
3. Riders have a responsibility to be aware of the bike beside and the two bikes behind them (spacing, relaying signals).
4. Clearly communicate your intentions with as much extra information as possible using your left hand.
5. A rider should be visible in the mirror of the bike ahead. If you can see their face in the mirror, they can see you.
6. Maintain a steady pace with a few drastic speed changes or sudden moves.
7. Ride as if your motorcycle is as long as the whole group behind you.
8. When a lane change is signaled, do not move until the front road captain does. Rear road captains will pull out and block lane before group lane change occurs. Follow front road captain!

If you leave your place in the group, re-enter at the rear in front of rear road captains.

**REMEMBER... THIS IS A FUN RIDE – NOT A RACE!!!**



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### **Welcome New Members!**

Don Sturm  
Brian Zionkowski

### **APRIL CHAPTER MEETING:**

*Thursday, April 1  
Elks Club  
7 p.m.*

### **APRIL BUSINESS MEETING**

*April 20  
7:00 pm  
South City Limits Restaurant*  
**ALL MEMBERS WELCOME!**

### **APRIL DINNER RIDES**

*Thursday, April 1  
Chapter Meeting  
Elks Club*

*Thursday, April 15  
Peninsula Grill*

*Thursday, April 29  
South City Limits*

Meet at the restaurant at 7:00.

Dinner Ride Questions?

Call Tom French @  
(231)218-4971

