

**Oakland Harley Owners Group  
Mileage and Participation  
Award Guidelines**

**Purpose**

To encourage members of the Oakland Harley Owners Group to participate in the group riding experience.

**Mission statements**

To provide the membership a FUN environment to participate in a fair, well defined contest that rewards participation.

**Qualifying events for Mileage and Participation**

The following event types will be used for the accumulation of points and Participation.

Rides which are properly posted as defined below

Seminars you attend

Ladies of Harley meetings you attend

Chapter sponsored events in which attend or you volunteer to assist. i.e. Halloween, picnic etc.

Dealership events in which you attend or volunteer to assist

**Mileage Awards Guidelines**

- A. All rides which are duly scheduled by the road captains and put on the calendar and HOG line would qualify for points and mileage unless otherwise stated. These scheduled rides must be put on Yahoo Groups reminder notices and all other forms of ride notification i.e. HOG hot Line. No informal rides put on without sufficient notice to give opportunity for all members to participate would qualify for mileage and points. Each ride would be treated as a day ride regardless of whether or not the ride may require an overnight stay. If a second day ride is scheduled for an overnight event, this ride must meet the same requirements for any other scheduled rides and the yahoo reminder would state the second day ride mileage.
- B. Road Captains would have sole responsibility for determining the leave and pick-up location.
- C. It is the responsibility of the road captain to determine origination and report *exact* mileage on the sign in sheet and surrender this sheet to either the Head Road Captain or the responsible keeper of records as designated by the Chapter Director.
- D. The identical mileage for each ride would be awarded to each person (MIGS, members in good standing) attending the ride who participated from any leave location or pick-up location the lead road captain designated on the yahoo groups reminder notices and completed the ride to the designated destination or end of ride.
- E. If no ride is scheduled for either a second day ride, if overnight, or a second day local ride during the weekend, only the first ride in any weekend will be counted for that particular weekend. Example: an overnight ride is schedule with a and second day at the destination is planned. If there is no second day ride scheduled locally for those at home, only the first days mileage would be counted for the overnight attendees. Conversely, if a ride is planned locally for both Saturday and Sunday but an overnight event is planned for Saturday only then only the mileage for the Saturday ride would be counted for the local ride attendees.
- F. Only rides in which the participant is riding a motorcycle will be qualify unless the ride is designated Rain or Shine event, in which case driving a vehicle would also count.

Mileage award would be made annually on the basis of cumulative miles earned during the year by riding in accordance with award guidelines.

**Participation points Guidelines**

Participation points would be awarded as follows:

1 point for each day ride, *if a second day ride is offered for both local and overnight events.*

3 points for each Target ride as designated to be a BAD ride sponsored by local Harley Owner Group Chapters

5 points for participation in San Francisco Marathon

In the event of a tie, the member with the most punches in his/her membership card would be the winner. In the event this does not break the tie, the member with the highest mileage would win the participation points award.

Contest rules will apply from December 1 of the preceding year through November 30. Participation awards will be made at the end of each three month period.