

SCHEDULE "A"
WITW – CHINOOK OUTRIDERS CHAPTER BYLAWS
Revised Oct. 19, 2018

1. Chinook Outriders will remain as a WITW Chapter indefinitely. We shall remain an independent group and shall not affiliate WITW Chinook Outriders with any other groups other than groups that promote similar values. New WITW Chapters within an 80 km radius may not use red as their colour.
- 2.) There will be a maximum of 5 Executive positions: President, VP, Secretary, Treasurer and Founder. Executive meetings will be called when deemed necessary. Decisions made by the Executive will first and foremost keep in mind the integrity and safety of our Chapter, and each and every Member. Discussions at these meetings will remain confidential and privy to Executive Members only.
- 3.) Elections for new officers will be held every year in November or as an existing officer resigns her position. An outgoing Executive Member may serve as an Advisor as support to the new Executive for up to a one year. In order to run for office, the nominee must be an active Chinook Outrider, Member in good standing for at least one year and have attended at least 3 meetings within the last rolling 12 months. She may nominate herself or be nominated by another active Chinook Outrider Member in good standing. Terms are for 2 years with President and Secretary voted on in odd numbered years and VP and treasurer voted on in even numbered years. Members may vote in person or by proxy.
- 4.) The Chinook Outriders Bank Account will be maintained by the Treasurer. Any cheques, debits, or withdrawals must be authorized by 2 Executive Members.
- 5.) Our Chapter fiscal year shall be from February 1 to January 31 of the following year. Membership dues are due February 1, and will be collected starting January 1, for submission to WITW International by March 22. Dues for new chapter members after March 22 will be prorated as per WITW International Bylaws.
- 6.) Communications or contact with Home Office shall be through the President or her designate as requested by President of WITW, International Head Office.
- 7.) Order and courtesy to all will be respected by all at meetings, rides, and WITW functions. Verbal, physical or any other types of abuse will not be tolerated and shall be grounds for dismissal from the Chapter.
- 8.) If circumstances dictate, the Chinook Outriders Executive reserves the right to revoke the membership of any Member. Should this occur that Member's dues for the balance of the year shall be refunded to her. Executive will first discuss any issues that arise with the Member(s) involved in an attempt to resolve the issue(s).
- 9.) If a Member resigns or has her membership revoked from the Chapter, as per Article 7 of the WITW International Bylaws, she shall not wear or display on her clothing, motorcycle, or any other place, WITW/Chinook Outriders logos, unless special permission is granted by the Chinook Outriders Executive. (WITW Bylaws state she must surrender the back patch unless Chapter Executive authorizes her to keep it.)
- 10.) Monthly meetings/socials shall be held once a month on a regular date as decided upon by the Membership. January, July, August and December meetings shall be held at the discretion of the Executive Members. The Membership will be advised by email if a meeting will be held. The Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held in November.
- 11.) Any new logos, items produced for sale depicting a WITW or Chinook Outrider logo or marking must first be submitted to the Executive for approval. (As per Article 8 of WITW Bylaws.)
- 12.) Any motions raised to change these Chapter Bylaws will be tabled to the next monthly general membership meeting. All motions will require a quorum of 50% plus one of Membership present in person or by proxy at the meeting, with 50% plus one voting in favour or rejection of that motion. Proxy must bear Member's name, contact info and signature, verification that current year's dues have been paid.