

CALIENTE HOG #2013

Caliente Gram Nov. 26, 2017

Lone Star Rally 2018 – The Galveston Rally dates are currently scheduled for Nov. 8 – 11, 2018. There is a meeting scheduled to try to move back to the first weekend but not sure that is going to happen. With that said I would encourage everyone to reserve your rooms now at the Best Western

Galveston West Beach Hotel

[8710 Seawall Boulevard](#)

[Galveston, Texas 77554](#)

Currently has rooms at \$99 at military rate. This can change quickly and it does not cost anything to make reservation online. There is no fee to cancel either.

CHL/LTC Class – Today we had 8 folks show up for the class. We had a great instructor David Urdiales went over the law on CHL/LTC and safety techniques for handling a fire-arm. All passed the written exam and after a break, it was on to the firing range. After getting some more safety briefing, it was time to shoot. We all followed the instructions as carefully as possible to avoid any accidents. All went well with lots of laughs but with care. All received a passing grade and are now able to carry a fire-arm (with a bit more paperwork). Look for another class soon, if we can get at least five people to sign up.

Laredo Ride - Despite the snow (actually not a cloud in the sky) and the freezing temps (actually started off at 50 and warmed up to T-Shirt weather), 50 bikes (actually 5) with 60 folks (actually 6) drove to Mexico (actually Laredo on the North side of the Rio Grande) and spent only pennies (actually, one of the folks in the group bought a new motorcycle). Won't ID the individual as I don't know if they have yet told their spouse so.....

It was a great ride! Had a great lunch at a restaurant called Eduardos which was not far from the dealership in Laredo. It was neat watching everyone gel as we rode. We safely yet efficiently changed lanes and performed all our travels like a precision drill team and it was a neat thing to watch as we rode over 300 miles. We have several rides scheduled before the end of the year. Come on out and get out with the group! See you there!

F2 - Frank Knapp Director, CCSA

Christmas Party - Monday night 11/27 is the drop dead date for signing up for the party. Diane will be at Caliente 6 till 7:30 pm on Monday for Officer Meeting. Folks can come by and get tickets, call or text Diane at [210-260-0607](tel:210-260-0607) by Monday night to reserve your tickets if not able to come by the Dealership. You can pay at the Social or the Event but only after you have reserved a spot. It is a firm commitment...If you reserve your tickets you will have to pay for tickets even if not able to attend. This is due to Diane having to let caterer know the count for the food and a plate will be paid for, when you reserve your tickets...tickets need be paid to enter event and participate for prizes.

Also, at the social we will be renewing Membership for next year. For those that have a Bike Purchase Membership, they also need to sign an app for 2018. App is attached.

Call or text me if you have any questions.

Here is the Membership form and a Supplement form. The Membership form is editable where they are able to type in their information and then print it out.

Thanks, Diane

Calendar

Caliente Dealership – 1,000 GIFT CARD!!!! 1 Free Raffle Ticket per day, every \$50 with Winner announced on Dec. 23rd at noon.

Free Gift with purchase over \$300 on Harley Items

Nov. 27 – Officer Meeting – 6:00 pm – Caliente Training Room

Nov 30 - Caliente Dealership – Men’s Night Out 5:30-7:30, “MEET & GREET” with our Techs. Redneck Heaven Girls will be here serving beverages. We will have Pork Chops on a stick and Sausage Wraps. DJ Tony and Giveaways.

Dec. 1 – Sock Exchange/Ornament Painting (Hosted by Lynda Deyo) – Time 6:00 pm – 6823 Country Lawn

So I volunteered my house to host the Sock Exchange this year. You need a pair of Christmas socks and stuff to fill them, up to \$10 to include price of socks. Make up, alcohol, nail polish, etc. This was lots and lots of fun last year so come participate.

We are also doing an ornament painting. Kind of like painting with a twist. The cost is \$20 per person if you will be painting and you do need to bring a blank round ornament with you. My sister-in-law will provide everything else and the ‘know how’ to do it. We are wanting to display these on our Christmas tree at the Chapter Christmas Party!!! We will need to know if you will be attending and planning to participate in the painting or if you are only interested in the Sock Exchange when you RSVP. Bring a snack to share. I'll have drinks etc. Guys are welcome to come and hang out with Frank and to bring your beverage of choice.

Any questions please call text or email me.

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Hope to see you all there!!

Need RSVP no later than Monday the 27th of November

Name _____ Painting YES or No Sock Exchange Yes or No

Dec. 2 – Road Captain Meeting 8:30 am – Caliente Training Room

New Member Orientation 9:30 am - Caliente Training Room

Chapter Social 10:30 am – Caliente Dealership

Fundraiser – Caliente Dealership – 11:00 am – 4:00 pm – Volunteers needed to help. For our chapter fundraiser, we will be serving up flavored ice during our normal cookout to augment our fundraising activities to give us another opportunity to raise more funds. We will also be selling tickets for raffle on Harley Quilt at \$10 each.

DON'T FORGET: Volunteering, attending meetings (Social, RC meetings & Officers meetings), participating on chapter rides, will get you tickets for chances to get great prizes at the HOG Christmas Party.

Chapter Raffle on a King Size T-Shirt Quilt (120' x 120')

Tickets are now being sold at \$10.00 each, drawing will be held on **Dec. 2nd** . Last chance to buy your tickets for a one of a kind **AWESOME QUILT**.

Dec. 9 – Party Time - 6:00 pm – The Chapter Christmas Party cost is \$20. We will have tickets for sale until Monday 11/27. Contact Diane at membership@calientehog.com or Bobbi at activities@calientehog.com . The date is December 9th at 6 pm, dinner served at 6:30 to

7:30 and will have games, music, etc. Food will be turkey, ham and all the fixin's, pumpkin pie and ice tea too. Sodas, beer and set ups provided. BYOB.

Decorating Detail 12/9 at 9:00 – 11:00 am at the Hall, if you have time to help.

Don't forget about your White Elephant Gift if you are going to participate...please no gag gifts. (\$20 Limit). We will also have an Ugly T-Shirt/Sweater Contest, winner gets a prize.

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Dec. 10 –Chapter Ride TBD – LRC Jack & F1 – KSU TBD

Dec. 16 –Chapter Ride TBD – LRC Abel & Gonzo – KSU TBD –

Dec. 18 - 24 –Chapter Christmas Gift Wrapping – at Caliente...volunteers are needed for various shifts. Contact Frank Knapp if you can help.

Upcoming Rallies and Events:

"By National H.O.G. guidelines, all Caliente Chapter H.O.G. Events are "Closed Events" thus only open to current Chapter Members and their guest(s) unless otherwise noted."

A Closed Event: a member of your local chapter and guest per member.

An Open Event: an event open to the general public or an event where the number of non-chapter guest is more than Chapter Members.

A H.O.G. Member Event: National H.O.G. members only and members may not bring guest.

KSU: Kick Stands Up (time ride scheduled to start and as always 15 min prior to KSU for briefing)

KSD: Kick Stands Down (time ride ends as a chapter ride)

LRC: Lead Road Captain (plans and leads the ride)

SRC: Sweep Road Captain (rides at tail end of the group to assist the lead)

Like always, full tanks, an empty bladder, and looking for a great ride.

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Bea "Bling" Gonzales

Secretary

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