

CALIENTE HOG #2013

Calientegram – 16Dec18

ODDS and ENDS

Dave Gomez lead roughly 12 hardy riders, 11 ghosts a haunting, 10 motorcycles running, 9 folks with feet a aching, 8 hands a freezing, 7 noses running, 6 toes a tingling, 5 butts a scratching, 4 eyes crossing, 3 trikes a rolling, 2 gallons remaining, and one Bad Santa Claus ... to the Roy Maas Center. Johnny drove the "sleigh" and there were a slew of happy kids helping to unload the sleigh. Santa and Mrs. Claus handed out candy canes and we totally enjoyed our time with the boys and girls. From there we had a great lunch at Po Po's. Our ride back was scenic and stress free. A lot of smiles for 110 total miles.

It is time to renew your Annual Chapter Membership for 2019. Your paperwork also serves as your ride waiver for the year which is a **H.O.G. requirement**. POC is Diane, our Membership Officer. Her email is membership@calientehog.com. Ck the roster for gift wrapping as Diane will be at the Dealership at certain times. You can touch base with her then as well.

RIDE CALENDAR:

01Jan19 - Blessing of the Bikes. KSU 09:00 from the Park and Ride I-10 / 1604 on the NW side. LRC F2, SRC Towne. If you don't have an updated signed Chapter Membership on record, the Road Captains will be required to make you sign in with a waiver. This will be effective from this ride going forward for folks who haven't done the paperwork.

13Jan19 - KSU: TBD. LRC Dave G., SRC TBD

26Jan19 - KSU: TBD. LRC F1, SRC F2

EVENTS:

17-24Dec18 - **Gift Wrapping** starts at the Dealership tomorrow. See the bottom of this email for the latest schedule based on your feedback to me. The tables are set up next to the front door by the used bike area as normal. Those going off shift will resupply and restock for the shift coming on like we always do. If you are the first on scene, the money will be in our pickle bucket in the drawer marked "H.O.G." in the Receptionist area. If at the end of your shift, no one comes in to take the next shift, close down the wrapping station and please place the bucket in the drawer in the Receptionist area. If you are "closing shop" so to speak, suggest you obtain an envelope from the receptionist, count the \$ and then put it in the envelope, seal it, sign it with the amt you counted and put it in the bucket. As we proceed, between all of us, we will look at how much we need to keep in the bucket for change. It will probably be in the range of \$20 in ones to start off with. If someone needs to break a large bill (make change), have them go to the Caliente cashier to make this happen. We probably will not have a Square available for most of the shifts so cash is the order of the day however remember we are doing this for tips.

As it stands right now, there are significant gaps (no one scheduled to wrap) and in some areas, we will only be 1 person deep on a shift. As an FYI, the Dealership will close at 3:00 pm on Monday so that last shift will extend out that extra hour vice trying to bring folks in for one hour although if you come in for an hour (at any time), your help will not be turned away. There are a couple of folks waiting in the wings to step in where they can but this is where we are at as of right now. I closed off Friday morning as I had

no volunteers. I will update and re-publish the schedule as I get input. Next year, we are going to radically scale this back as every year this project becomes a real difficult activity to support.

19Dec18 – The viewing for Vincent Marshall will go from 5-7 at the Meadowlawn Funeral Home, [5611 E. Houston St.](#) I will lead a motorcycle ride over to the Funeral Home to represent the Chapter. We will do a KSU of 5:15 from the Dealership with a KSD at the Funeral Home. This will be a weather dependant ride. His funeral will be starting from the Funeral Home on 20Dec18 at 11:00. Vince will be interred at the Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. Amy, Vince’s spouse, invites any Chapter Member who can get off of work to ride in the procession (bike or car). I believe the Patriot Guard Riders will also be present.

CALIENTE CHRISTMAS WRAPPING 2018

	8-10	10-12	12-2	2-4	4-6	6-8
Monday 12/17	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Angelica Nebel	Helen Johnson (2:30)	F2	Lou & Raul
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Cl Ci			Kathy B-W.
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Lynda D.			F2
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Robert J.			
Tuesday 12/18	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Cl Ci	Margie Garcia	Angelica Nebel	Kathy B-W.
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx		Daniel Garcia	Margaret Ascevedo	F2
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Margie M.	Margie M.		
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Wednesday 12/19	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Maria Ruiz			Lou & Raul
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx				Kathy B-W.
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx				
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx				
Thursday 12/20	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Maria Ruiz		F2	F2
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Margie M.	Margie M.		
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Friday 12/21	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx			Diane Pittman	Brian Clem
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx				Mary Helen Clem
	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Chris W.			
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Saturday 12/22		Diane Pittman	Diane Pittman			
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Sunday 12/23	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	Diane Pittman		xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx
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Monday 12/24	Diane Pittman	F2	F2	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxx
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21Dec18 - Open House (Party) at F2's House. 6 pm. Even if you can only swing by for a little while, Lori and I would be honored by your company. I ask that folks shoot me a RSVP so I can make plans on how much "stuff" to get. If you are single, feel free to bring a date. As a reminder, if you are doing the sock exchange, we will do it here. As an FYI, our incoming SGT at Arms will be setting up his Margarita Machine.... 📧📞

05Jan19 - **Chapter Social** 10:30 am – Caliente Dealership

- **Road Captain Meeting** - 8:30 am – Caliente Training Room
- **New Member Orientation** - 9:30 am - Caliente Training Room
- **Fundraiser** – Caliente Dealership - 11:00 am – 4:00 pm – Volunteers needed to help with our Chapter fundraiser.

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.

Group Riding reminders/tips – Sleep... For a better and SAFER ride, get a good night's rest before you get out on a ride. Your reaction times will be better and you will enjoy the ride to a much greater degree.

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Frank Knapp
Director, CCSA