Caliente Chapter San Antonio (CCSA) - CALIENTE H.O.G. #2013

<u>Calientegram</u> - 03 January 2021

CALIENTE H.O.G. RIDE CALENDAR:

Caliente H.O.G. sponsored rides are a Closed Event

Jan 10, 2021 (Sunday) Towne LRC, F2 SRC KSU 1000. Come join the next planned Chapter Ride. Destination: Baja BBQ (Canyon Lake Marina). Estimated total distance is ~145 to 165 miles. I'm planning a circular route. Take Care! us One Nation Under GOD! Towne

Jan. 23, 2021 (Saturday) BT LRC Mitch SRC TBD

Feb. 14, 2021 (Sunday) Jack LRC Towne SRC TBD

Feb. 27, 2021 (Saturday) Tony LRC TBD

EVENTS:

7 January (Thursday) - Bike Night at Caliente - 5 pm - 7 pm.

- 9 January Chapter Social 10:30 am Caliente Dealership
 - Road Captain Meeting 9:00 am Caliente Training Room
 - New Member Orientation 9:30 am Caliente Training Room
 - LOH Meeting 10:00 am outside in meeting area
 - Fundraiser Please plan on helping.

23 January (Saturday) - Barbacoa & Big Red at Caliente @ 12 pm. Casey is looking for a couple volunteers. Send her an email at casey@calienteharley.com

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ODDS AND ENDS...

Membership Renewal - It is that time of year to renew your membership. The cost is \$25 for the year. National Membership needs to be active in order for you to be a local

chapter member. Each and every member needs to sign a new application for the 2021 year. I have attached an application for your convenience. Bring cash or checks please.

New Year's Day Ride - There was some cold wet weather on Thursday but on Friday, New Year's Day, the sun was out, the snow and ice were melting and the Canadian geese continued on their migration. I poked the wife when the alarm went off telling her to get up so she could go too. She snorted, snickered, and said something along the lines of "bon voyage" and then she and the dog rolled over and with that - I knew I was on my own. On with chaps, on with the liner under the leather jacket, on with the full face helmet, on with the hand grip warmers on the bike, I then worked my way to the VIA bus transfer point under I-10/1604. From there, a large group of virtual Chapter riders started showing up and were anxious to travel west to attend the blessing of the bikes. Leaving the VIA site was actually enjoyable since the redo of this portion of I-10...especially when compared to years past. The traffic was light, making the trip even better. Overall attendance at the site was smaller from what I have seen in past years but there was still a significant assortment of nomad riders and club riders from all points who made the effort. Ceremony complete, we did a Texas tradition and hit Whataburger for a quick bite to eat. The day warmed up considerably and by mid/late morning, it was actually enjoyable. One of the riders decided to scoot out to Luckenback for the day. My thanks to Towne who stepped in to take the sweep position and he did a great job in keeping the formation safe. See you all at the meeting this coming Saturday. Happy New Year and regards to all. F2

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Diane "Strapless" Pittman Secretary Caliente HOG Chapter #2013