

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

### CALIENTE H.O.G. RIDE CALENDAR:

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

#### RIDES:

**11 April - (Sunday) – LRC Towne, SRC Dave Lindsey, KSU 0900. Ride to Panna Maria oldest Polish Parris in US. Painted Church.**

**17 April – (Saturday) – Jesse Fernandez memorial ride and fundraiser to support Pancreatic Cancer Action Network of San Antonio.** Info from Facebook – There will also be a plate sale after the ride \$7 Pulled Pork plate.

**18 April - (Sunday) – This is a Dealer Sponsored Ride – Open – LRC Dave Lindsey, Mitch SRC. KSU 10:30. This ride will benefit Mothers Against Drunk Drivers.**

**24 April - (Saturday) – LRC F1, SRC BT. Info pending**

**9 May – (Sunday) – LRC BT, SRC Dave Lindsey – KSU 0900. Mother’s Day Ride – short and sweet ride to Castroville and Sam’s for breakfast.**

**22 May – (Saturday) – LRC Dave Lindsey, SRC David Algarin., KSU TBD.**

Ride cancellations, postponements, destination and KSU changes will be posted in a Calientegram or Chapter Members can text me. Towne Besel, CCSA, Head Road Captain, Cell: (210) 373-4788

#### EVENTS:

**3 April - 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 stay for a bit to help with the fundraiser today. The dealership will also be having their Annual Easter Egg Hunt “Spring Fling & Easter Egg Hunt” – 12 – 3 p.m..

**10 April - 4:00 pm.**

LOH Wind Chime get together. Come enjoy making wind chimes. They can bring luck into your home and good energy to your garden. Ladies prepare to have fun while the guys hang out or join the fun. We’ll meet at 850 SW 37 Street at 4:00 pm. Please RSVP so that we will have enough materials for everyone. Feel free to bring treats or drinks to share. RSVP to [LOH@calientehog.com](mailto:LOH@calientehog.com)

APRIL 26 – 29, 2021

TEXAS HILL COUNTRY H.O.G.® TOURING RALLY

**Austin, TX > San Antonio, TX – It will end at Caliente on Thursday. Details to follow.**

Log onto [hog.com](http://hog.com) to complete your registration.

Springtime in Texas is designed for riding. We will be making three different loops out into the glorious Texas Hill Country with each night ending at a Harley-Davidson dealership where that good ole' fashioned Texas hospitality is as big as the Texas Star on their state flag. Texas is rich in history; while we will only be able to touch a little of what Texas is all about, what we do touch will be amazing and memorable.

With the picturesque roads you will be on between stops, you will be entertained with the endless beauty of spring in the Texas Hill Country. If there is a wet winter, expect to see and smell an abundance of wildflowers including their famous Texas Bluebonnet.

If you are playing the 50 Rides, 1 Nation H.O.G.® challenge, you will have the opportunity to visit one location on this rally (The Twisted Sisters).

Four days, three nights - Austin, New Braunfels, San Antonio (both north and southwest side).

All H.O.G.® touring rallies offer the opportunity to map your own route and choose what sites to see along the way giving you plenty of freedom to make it your own ride. But if you follow the suggested route below you will be guaranteed one of the best riding experiences of your life.

[Suggested Route](#)

Do you need help with hotels? Click the Lodging tab above for more information on how to secure discounted rates.

While this rally is not sold out at this time, we will be limiting registration to the first 250 H.O.G.® members and their guests for this touring rally.

For more information please contact: Bill Davis • Rally Coordinator • 760-644-2118 • [bill@hog-rally.com](mailto:bill@hog-rally.com)

Rally	Package	Options
	Orange Package - \$60	

- Includes Rally Wristband, Commemorative Rally T-Shirt, pin and patch
- Orange Package registration closes 3/28/2021

Black Package - \$50

- Black Package includes Rally Wristband, pin and patch
- Black Package registration closes 4/25/2021

Rally packages are not shipped prior to the start of the rally. All packages must be picked up at check-in.

***Both packages include a great riding adventure!***

**ODDS AND ENDS...**

The ride on Saturday was excellent. Everyone showed up on time and we were out away from Caliente within a minute or so of the stated KSU. A good mix of trikes and bikes with 9 total and 10 folks. It stayed overcast until we started coming home and then the cloud cover burned off and the sun came out. The Pie(s) everyone purchased to include full up pies to take home were varied. The pies we ate there were excellent. I had a coconut creme that was pretty outstanding and would have rivaled Mary Ann's off of Gilligan's Island. Whatever calories we ate were burned off as we pulled into San Antonio off of I-10. TXDOT failed me as it showed "all ok". Nope, not quite. The sun was now out full force and traffic went into slow motion as they pushed everything into one lane with us finally exiting I-10 for about a 1/2 mile only to hop back on it again. The typical "I am a moron in a truck or a car" passing everyone on the right and the left because they were too "special" to wait their turn was probably the most frustrating but that is how it goes. In retrospect, it was not as bad as some of the traffic snafus we have come across on rides in the past but I will say the only mammal that would come near me when I got home was the dog. I guess 200 miles in the saddle with the last 20 or so under a "heat lamp" will do that. Kudos to my sweep (Tony) in keeping us all together and a thank you to Towne for starting the sign in roster and keeping things together in the middle of the pack. Misha has been prepping to be a Road Captain for several months now and I told her to prep to lead an upcoming ride. She has ridden beside me as a sweep, we have been in the middle, and today, she rode next to me up front and we discussed the 5 W's of leading a ride at just about every light. Look for her to become one of our newer RCs in the coming months. Weather is getting better so we hope to see more of you on rides. It is also getting warmer so consider bringing sunscreen and drink plenty of fluids. See you on the roads. F2

#### **Future events:**

MAY 3 – 6, 2021

RIDING THE OZARKS H.O.G.® TOURING RALLY

**Little Rock, AR > Rogers, AR**

From the twisty Ozark asphalt and rolling mountains to the Pig Trail, it is safe to say that Arkansas and Missouri were made for motorcycling. There are many reasons to explore this area on two wheels, but the motorcycle-friendly attitude is very appealing and that is why we have selected the Ozarks for our touring rally. That and, of course, the sprawling mountain views, wide open scenic landscape, and all the fresh air that country life has to offer. We have selected a route that winds its way from Little Rock, AR to Springfield and Joplin, MO and ends in Rogers, AR. Along the way, your ride will take you through shaded forests, on rolling hills, and across streams, lakes, and rivers too numerous to mention. Motorcycle destinations include Mountain View, the Pig Trail, The Buffalo National River, and Eureka Springs.

**May 16, 2021**- KSU 9:30

LOH Ride. Summer is in the air. Join us as we visit Fanick's Garden Center and then go for lunch nearby. More details to follow.

**June 12, 2021** - This will be the Humor for Heroes event. Anyone know of vendors that would be interested please let Lynda Deyo know at [Treasurer@calientehog.com](mailto:Treasurer@calientehog.com) More info to follow.

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**Diane "Strapless" Pittman**

**Secretary**  
**Caliente HOG Chapter #2013**