

Caliente Chapter San Antonio (CCSA) - CALIENTE H.O.G. #2013
Calientegram – 04July2021

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY TO ALL!

CALIENTE H.O.G. RIDE CALENDAR:
Caliente H.O.G. sponsored rides are a Closed Event

RIDES:

11July (Sunday) – Ride – more info to follow

17July (Saturday) – Overnight trip to Killeen for the Big Humor for Heroes event.

24July (Saturday) – Ride – more info to follow

Do you have any ideas for places to visit or interesting bike routes??? E-mail me or give me a call. We're open to suggestions. Also, if you are interested in becoming a Road Captain and are curious about what that entails, ask me or any of our other fine RCs. We'll be happy to take you on board! Ride Safely!
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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:

8July (Thursday) - Bike Night at Caliente. 5 pm – 8 pm

10July - 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

17July (Saturday) – Caliente Bike Olympics – 11 am – 3 pm. Live Music, food truck, free beer, bike games! Slow roll, weenie bite, barrel racing, balloon toss, mini trike races. Awards given to best & worst.

24July (Saturday) - Christmas in July – 1st 25 people in the door get a free gift. Up to 75% off select items in Motor Clothes and Parts.

29July (Thursday) - Bike Night Chunky's Burgers, 6-10 pm. 4602 Callaghan Rd, San Antonio, TX 78228

July 31 (Saturday): Buffalo Soldiers ride & after-party for Alzheimer's Awareness (live music by Kevin Lovett Band, vendors, ride)

Odds and Ends

On Saturday, 3 July 2021, 14 riders on 5 Trikes and 3 Bikes gathered at the Park & Ride under the 1604 & I-10 interchange for their pre-ride briefing. KSU was prompt at 08:30. A leisurely, straight shot out to Comfort on I-10, put us in a 30-minute holding position at the front of the Comfort Independence Day Parade. All bikes were decorated in Red, White & Blue... ribbons, flags, hats, glasses and more. The

procession started promptly at 10:00, led by the local American Legion carrying the U.S. Stars & Stripes. After saluting and paying respect to Old Glory, we started our engines and fell in line to lead dozens of floats.

We did our best, riding very slow, tossing out sweet treats to the hundreds of youngsters lining the 1.4 mile parade route.

We stopped in Comfort Park for our chapter photo and enjoy some juicy watermelon.

On the ride back to San Antonio, we stopped at Rudy's in Leon Springs for a lunch of BBQ brisket, grilled chicken and smoked sausage.

We all made it back to our homes before the anticipated afternoon thunderstorms.

What a wonderful ride to help celebrate our country's independence!

Total miles: 63

LRC: Towne

RC (in training): Lou Neuman

SRC: BT

Towne Besel, Head Road Captain, CCSA

Please continue to keep Gene (Barry) Skinner in your prayers and his wife in your prayers. Gene has been released from the hospital and is continuing to heal at home. He is required to have someone with him at all times for the next 6-8 weeks. All of the tests done so far have good results with his body accepting his new heart. He will start physical therapy to regain his strength. He would welcome calls or texts at (210)790-1264 and calls or texts to Joanne at 210-328-2950.

Save the Dates

4-7November (Thursday – Sunday) Overnight trip to Galveston

11December (Saturday) – Christmas Party, 6 pm – midnight

Diane "Strapless" Pittman

Secretary

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