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

Calientegram – March 5, 2023

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

For all Rides, you are required to be there 15 minutes prior to KSU (Kick Stands Up) so that you can get signed in and attend the pre-ride briefing.

RIDES & EVENTS

March 12, 2023 (Sunday) – Reminder time change – Daylight Savings Time - Ride KSU 9:30 a.m. LRC Towne, SRC Jack— Chapter Ride - KSU 9:30 a.m. Destination Fredericksburg & Willow Loop... It's a wildflower ride!

March 16, 2023 (Thursday) – Meeting/Social – We will start gathering at 6:00 p.m. – Bring a dish to share. 7:00 p.m. Social. We will gather at Ice on Fire< 7743 Montego Rd, San Antonio, TX 78250 (Off Mainland Rd/Bandera Rd)

March 25, 2023 (Saturday) – Ride -KSU 8:30 a.m., LRC Tony, SRC Bob. Ride to Fannin Memorial in Goliad and "Presidio La Bahia"

April 1, 2023 (Saturday) - Meeting/Social – 10:30 a.m.

April 2, 2023 (Sunday) – Ride – LRC F2, SRC Towne – More info to follow.

April 8, 2023 (Saturdary) – Fundraiser & Easter Egg Hunt at Caliente – Need all hands on deck please. Setup at 9:00 a.m.

April 22, 2023 (Saturday) – Ride - KSU 9:00 a.m. LRC Lou, SRC – F2. = Ride to Panna Maria & Museum.

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! Towne

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

Odds and Ends

It was a beautiful cloudless sunny day – a perfect "spring" day to ride! 13 members on 5 bikes and 7 trikes thought it was a great day for a ride, including some riders who we haven't seen in a while! The morning started out brisk at 59F. Once we got out of the city traffic, our route went on scenic country roads. By the time we hit our gas stop in Bergheim, riders were shedding their heavy jackets. The back road from Kendalia to Blanco was a fun twisty and hilly road with lots of scenery to enjoy. The back road north from Blanco to Rt 290 was twisty, scenic, bumpy, and even gravelly in one stretch. In Hye we literally rode into the middle of the annual Scottish Highland pre-qual games at Rt 290. The smoother trip into Johnson City was welcomed. We had a short wait for lunch at Pecan Street Brewing then visited the historic Vintage Motorcycle Museum where many models of bikes and manufacturers were on display, including an 1942 H-D WLA in full WWII kit and a H-D panhead formerly owned by Jesse James, the famous custom bike builder. The ride back to Caliente involved construction delays on Rt 281 but was otherwise a nice cool ride. We ended the ride with the temp up to 85F. Tony was LRC and David did a great job as SRC. Most riders appreciated this classic Towne route. Tony

SAVE THE DATE

May 13, 2023 (Saturday) – Annual Humor for Heroes Event will be a Humor and Handbags Event. Follow them on Facebook. Volunteers will be needed (men and women).

June 3, 2023 (Saturday) – Chapter Picnic – more info to follow.

Standard Staples

How to earn tickets? Traditionally we have kept track of your participation in all events during the year and you could earn tickets for prizes at the Christmas Party This year we will also have a picnic and you will have the opportunity to use your tickets for both events.

How can you earn tickets?

Every Chapter meeting and ride you participate in earns you a ticket. Every hour you help with a Chapter fundraiser earns you a ticket. Road Captains earn an extra ticket every time they lead or sweep a Chapter ride. Tickets earned December - May give you chances to win awesome prizes at the Chapter picnic. Tickets earned June - November give you chances to win fantastic prizes at the Chapter Christmas party.

Card Punch – for free K service

Attend Chapter or Dealership ride - 1 punch Attend Chapter or Dealership event, ie. Social or Bike night - 1 punch Work a Chapter or Dealership event - 1 punch for minimum 2 hours.

<u>Ride and Seek Challenge</u> - go to <u>www.calientehog.com</u> for details on this lots of other info.

Diane "Strapless" P. Secretary Caliente HOG Chapter #2013