

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

Calientegram – July 23, 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

August 5, 2023 (Saturday) – Meeting/Social

- Road Captains Meeting 9:00 a.m.
- Meeting/Social – 10:30 a.m.

August 13, 2023 (Sunday) – Ride

August 26, 2023 (Saturday) – Ride

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

Odds and Ends

Friday, 21 July 2023 - It was 'Meet & Greet' night at Caliente Harley-Davidson Dealership for their inaugural Trike Fest. At 7 PM, 11 Caliente HOG Chapter members, along with invited out-of-town guests headed over to Chunky's Burgers for some after-hours dinner and entertainment. Two bikes, 19 trikes and one trailer made the three mile trek. Live music was provided by Arrowhead. Enormous hamburgers, baskets of hot french fries, door, prizes, biker talk/camaraderie encouraged with gallons of beer were the order of the night. LRC: Towne, SRC: Bob

Saturday, 22 July 2023 - The morning started out like all mornings for the past six weeks, promising sunshine and heat. So, KSU was at 08:00, to ensure we made our planned HOG Chapter Ride to Vanderpool and back, before the roads became oven-temperature HOT, again!

Seven Chapter members along with several guests participating in the Trike Festival completed the 170 mile trek. Three bikes and eleven trikes completed the ride in under five hours; this

included three long rest breaks, so we could HYDRATE and cool down. No stop to eat; just water, snacks, potty and fuel. Bob recorded our temperatures between 79° & 96°. Upon our return to the Dealership, we were able to enjoy several more hours of the Trike Festival, including live entertainment, food merchants, games, tri-cycle races, bike shine & sound competition and vendor tent sales. LRC: Towne, SRC: Bob

Folks, it might be HOT in Texas right now; probably will be for 6-8 more weeks. So What! You can still ride and get some quality 'Wind Therapy'. Do it, just start early in the morning (or at dusk) and get a few hours in, 100-150 miles. And take breaks every 50ish miles, so you can HYDRATE. Ride safely! Towne Besel, Head Road Captain, CCSA #2013

Save the Date

Renaissance Festival trip, Columbus Day weekend 10/6-9/23

Standard Staples

Join the Stack Team App - new way to advise folks of ride changes, cancellations or general news about the Caliente HOG Chapter that needs to generally be gotten out quickly.

When you pull up the app, put your email address and join. It will then have you search for the CCSA #2013 and you can ask to join. An Admin will approve you.

iOS: <https://www.teamapp.com/ios-app>

Android: <https://www.teamapp.com/android-app>

If you'd prefer the website version, please click here: <https://ccsa2013.teamapp.com? webpage=v1>

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, i.e., Social or Bike night - 1 punch.

Work a Chapter or Dealership event - 1 punch for minimum 2 hours.

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

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