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

## Calientegram – September 8, 2024

#### 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**

12 - 15 September 2024: The Northwoods Fall Ride in Tomahawk, Wisconsin.

It's all about cool fall weather riding, camaraderie & beautiful northwoods forest roads. If you are interested in participating, we will lodge in a rustic 2/1.5 cabin and enjoy swapping stories around our evening campfires.

On our Return to SA, we will stop in AR for the B, B & BBQ Rally (18-21 Sept). Let's do this! Give me a TEXT/Call. Ride Safely! Towne

#### September 17 – 22 (Tuesday-Sunday) - Dates for the Bikes, Blues & Barbecue Rally, Rogers, AR

Mitch will be leading a ride up there. He will leave SA on 9/17. And leave Rogers on 9/21. There will be a hotel stay (in Mt. Pleasant) on the way up and back; Make reservations early. Anticipate riding approximately 335 miles per day (two days up, two back). We will stay at Towne's place during the rally (14542 Indian Creek Road, Garfield, AR. 72732).

Please RSVP your participation intentions and TEXT both RCs. MITCH R. & TOWNE B

**September 18, 2024 (Wednesday) - Harley Happy Hour** at VFW Post 7108, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. 8795 FM 1560 N, San Antonio, Texas 78254

**September 26, 2024 (Thursday) – Bike Night** at Ice on Fire. 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. – 7743 Montego Rd, 78250 – Official 1<sup>st</sup> night of the trike fest.

September 27 & 28<sup>th</sup> (Friday & Saturday) – 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Caliente Trike Fest – Friday Night will be a movie night at the dealership. Caliente Website has a link to register for this event. <u>https://shop.calienteharley.com/trikefest</u> The website also lists all the events for the weekend. We will need members to help with the event on Friday. Other than the ride on Saturday, we will not help on Saturday so that our members can participate in the activities.

**September 28, 2024 (Saturday) – Ride KSU 9:00 a.m.** LRC Towne, SRC Tony. Ride destination TBD since it will be part of the Trike Fest.

## October 5, 2024 (Saturday) Meeting/Social

9:00 Road Captains Meeting

10:30 – Meeting/Social – We will start selling tickets for our Christmas Party \$20 per member, singles can bring a guest also \$20.

**October 11-14, 2024 (Friday – Monday) - KSU 0730. LRC Tony, SRC Towne.** Leave from Castroville McDonald's. Trip to Big Bend, Alpine area. Holiday Inn Express, 432-837-9597. Travelodge and others nearby. 350 miles one-way. Make reservations early.

**October 19, 2024 (Saturday) – Hot Rods and Harley's** Event – 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. We will also have a fundraiser.

October 19 – 20, 2024 (Saturday & Sunday) – KSU 0800, LRC Tony, SRC Towne. Ride to Center TX for "10 for 2024" HOG Coin.

October 26, 2024 (Saturday) – 2 Events – Trunk or Treat (decorate bikes and pass out candy to kids) and Progressive Dinner, KSU 4:00 p.m. More details to follow.

**October 31 – November 3, 2024 (Thursday – Sunday) - KSU 0830.** LRC Tony, SRC Towne. Ride to Lone Star Rally, League City. Check any reservations you have in Galveston. Some folks mentioned that due to hurricane damage, some reservations got cancelled. Hampton Inn League City, 281-614-5437. Candlewood Suites is immediately adjacent. Make reservations early.

# Odds and Ends

# ATTN HOG members who are Veterans!!

Eric, the photographer who did the Veteran's day photos last year is having another go this year. He is doing the project again to honor his parents and all veterans.

He will be setting up a display every Sunday at Caliente from 1 til 4. At your convenience, stop by to chat with him, answer a few questions, and have your photo taken. There is no cost. Last year, all those who participated received a copy of their photo.

Let's help him make this project a success!

We had KSU at 9:30 am, eight trikes and three bikes, for a total of 11 riders and one passenger. We had an enjoyable ride which took us down 90, to 211, to 471, then through Castroville to Blu Lacy Smokehouse. Aside from the enjoyable ride, we got to see a wrong way driver that turned into the wrong lane on 211.....thankfully, we were all stopped in the turn lane, but got to see a pretty good show in our mirrors). We even had some additional member, Terri and Adrienne, join us at the restaurant. Food was delish, with even better fellowship. After lunch, some even meandered over to 'BAKED by Chef Grecia Ramos' for some tasty treats.

The return trip was a straight shot down 90 to 410, finishing up at Caliente for a total of 59 miles round trip. Great job today by our LRC, Ken and Jack pulling up the rear.

Hope to see everyone at the 2nd Annual Caliente Trike Fest later this month. (Don't forget to register). Kevin

I have a few extra t-shirts available for \$30 each. We have 2 different colors available – charcoal with white writing and a light gray with black writing. First come, first served. Send me an email and what size you need if you are interested.

**Picture Time!** For those with pictures of rides, events, meetings, etc., please feel free to email the Caliente Hog Webmaster at <u>webmaster@calientehog.com</u>.

When sending in pictures, please specify the date and the event (for example, HOG ride to Luckenbach, or Caliente Harley Swap Meet).

No children may be in the photo or background. Be mindful of your surroundings. Kevin

## Future Dates

Future Overnight Ride Dates: HOG Coins Ride to Alamogordo, NM, 9-11 Nov. KSU 0800. LRC Tony.

# Ride and Seek Challenge (2024)

All photos need to be emailed to: Brad and texted to Abby See all the details at: <u>https://www.calientehog.com/</u>

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