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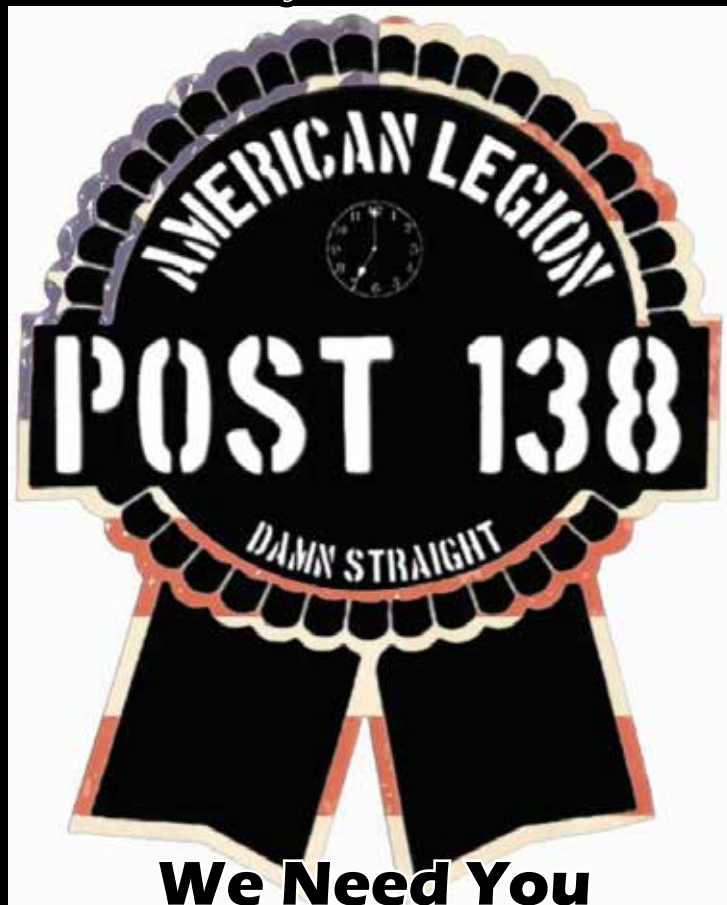
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Hello AriZona Riders!

On this month's cover ... Stunt riders are just some of the cool entertainment you'll find at this year's AZ Bike Week. Everything ABW starts at WestWorld in Scottsdale this Wednesday, April 3rd.



Please welcome our newest Advertiser. American Legion Post 138 is excited to announce their new Mesa location; as well as their final event in Tempe -- *May the Fourth Be With You*.

It's time to start making plans for Too Broke For Sturgis. It's moved back to its June dates. More info is on page 7.

The calendar has rides & gatherings posted from all around the state. Choose a direction to go and have fun!

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# 2nd Annual Pawn Stars Poker Run 2024 for the Hundley Foundation

It was another great turn out for the 2nd annual Pawn Stars Poker Run Arizona, in support of the Hundley Foundation. Brett Hundley, founder & former NFL quarterback and Rick Harrison owner of the Gold & Silver Pawn Shop in Las Vegas, Nevada were both in attendance.

The event took place on February 24, 2024, with its start location at Superstition Harley-Davidson® in Apache Junction. Ride stops included Jolie's Place in Chandler, The Hub Grill & Bar in Ahwatukee, the Preserve Tavern & Grille in

Scottsdale, and the Elks Lodge of Chandler. Mainstreet Motorcycles in Mesa was a 'ghost stop' offering an opportunity to purchase raffle tickets. The end location was Roosters Country Bar on Main in Mesa.

According to organizer Shannon Sparling Abdul-Wahab, CEO of Hundley Foundation, there were 274 Riders. The event raised close to \$15k. Trevor Keefe was the best hand winner and collected \$2000. Worst Hand Winner, Shane Collett, received \$1000. Congratulations to all the winners of the day!

The Hundley Foundation is dedicated to improving the lives of children and families in need. The Foundation will create and support initiatives that focus on health, wellness, and education in disenfranchised communities. <https://hundleyfoundation.org/>

My thanks to Shannon Sparling Abdul-Wahab, and photographers Skeeter Peak and Randy Anagnostis for their contributions to this article.

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You get the idea. ☺ And so, for now ~

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### ⌘ Gone But Not Forgotten ⌘

Richard Bennett 'Tor' Meyers ~ April 29, 2000  
Patrick Dwayne Buckler ~ April 30, 2003  
George Chang ~ April 10, 2005  
Jerry Haviland Best ~ April 11, 2005  
Eddie Ray Whittley ~ April 12, 2006  
'Oilcan' John Fields ~ April 22, 2006  
Charlie Zap ~ April 23, 2006  
Dickson Smith ~ April 3, 2008  
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William Wolven ~ April 26, 2018  
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Steve Whitecotton ~ April 8, 2021  
Joe McPhee ~ April 24, 2022  
Duane Moore ~ April 28, 2022  
Karen Svoboda ~ April 28, 2023  
'Santa' Tony Gasorowski ~ April 28, 2023


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March 7, 2024 ... Tom & Heather Lazzara were married on this day. CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES for many more happy years together.

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March 26, 2024 ... The Mountain Motorcycle Association of Arizona {MMAA} shared the sad news that their member Barry Groom passed away on Tuesday March 26. This was posted by his brother, Bob Groom "Hello New Friends, I am so very sad to inform you that your past secretary, founding member and friend to all, my lit-

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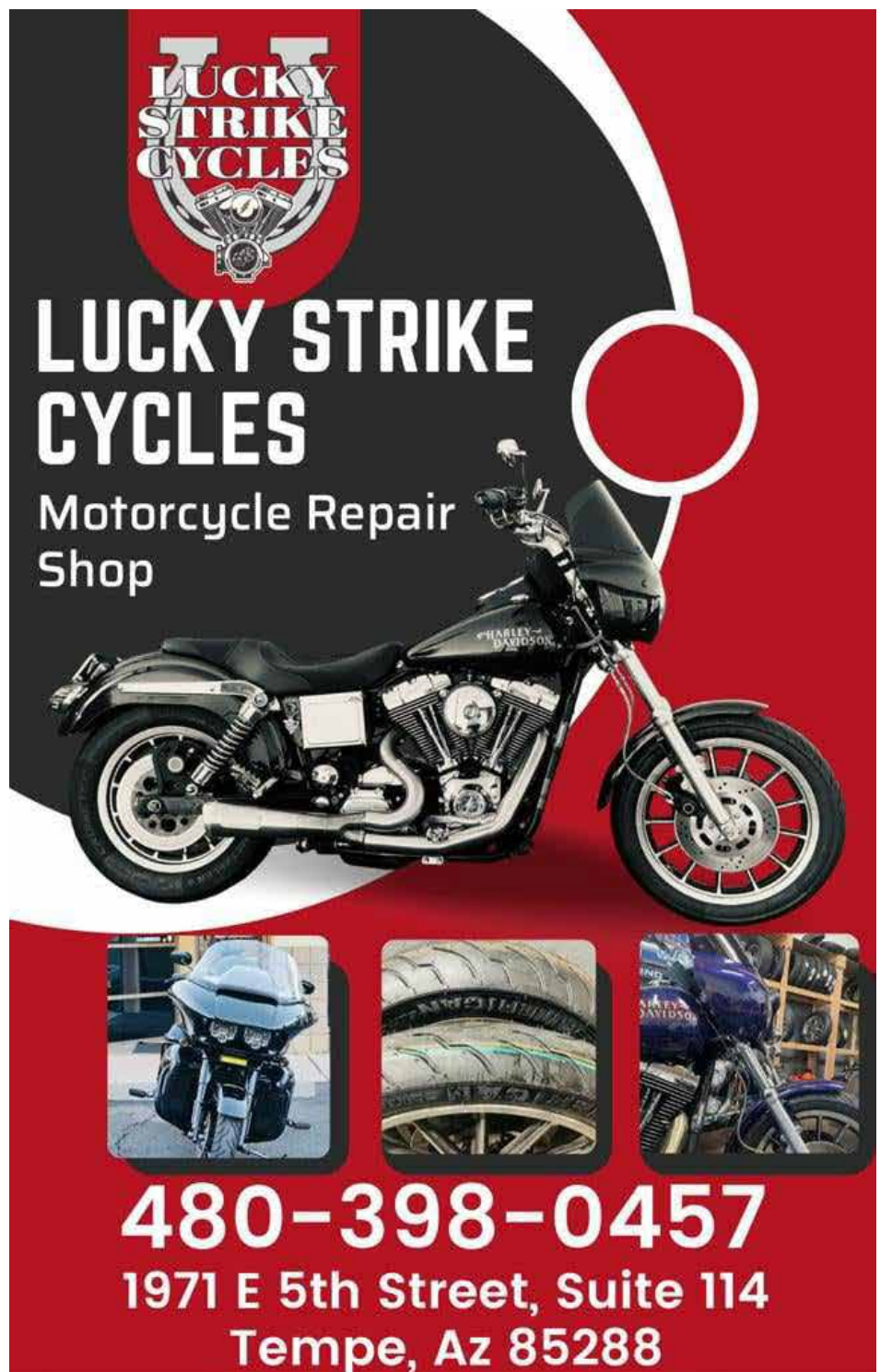
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tle brother, David Barry Groom, passed from this life on March 25th at 6:16 p.m. while in Hospice at Summit Regional Hospital. He slipped into a coma and never woke up. He died peacefully. You were important to him. He spoke with great PRIDE in belonging to this group. He sent me pictures of his vest and new patches. HE Loved To Ride, even as his body slowly deteriorated and made it painful. He loved being with his friends in MMAA. The sense of belonging, contributing and riding with you all was precious to him. Good Man Gone. We will have a memorial service for Barry up in Show Low / Pinetop / Lakeside in October when his sisters Susan and Lisa can join us. Barry loved October and the turning leaves signaling the changing of seasons. I hope you will come and be a part of his memorial. I wish you all peace, health and happiness. Keep Your Knees in the Breeze and Always keep the shiny side up."

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December 22, 2023 ... Recall ~ NHTSA Campaign Number: 23V884000

Insufficient Illumination from Low Beams/FMVSS 108  
 Summary: **BMW** of North America, LLC (BMW) is recalling certain 2021-2024 BMW R 18B and R 18 Transcontinental motorcycles. The headlight low beam attachment points may break, shifting the reflector out of position, and resulting in insufficient illumination. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 108, "Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment." Insufficient illumination from the headlight can reduce visibility or cause a glare for oncoming traffic, increasing the risk of a crash.

Potential Number of Units Affected 2,369

Read more about NHTSA Recall # 23V884 here.

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February 2, 2024 NHTSA Campaign Number: 24V069000 Brake Lights May Illuminate Unexpectedly/FMVSS 108

Summary: **Indian** Motorcycle Company (Indian) is recalling certain 2020-

2022 Challenger, Challenger Dark Horse, Challenger Limited, 2022 Challenger Dark Horse Icon, Challenger Elite, FTR 1200, FTR 1200 Rally, FTR 1200 S, FTR 1200 R Carbon, Pursuit Dark Horse, Challenger JD Limited Edition, Pursuit Limited Icon, Pursuit Dark Horse Premium, Pursuit Limited, Pursuit Limited Premium, 2019-2020 FTR 1200 S, FTR 1200, and 2020 FTR 1200 Rally motorcycles. The brake lights may illuminate unexpectedly and without brake application from the rider. As such, these motorcycles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 108, "Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment." Unintended illumination of the brake lights may

create confusion for the drivers following the motorcycle, increasing the risk of a crash. Potential Number of Units Affected 11,648

Remedy: Dealers will update the ABS module software, free of charge. Owner notification letters were mailed March 1, 2024. Owners may contact Indian customer service at 1-877-204-3697. Indian's number for this recall is I-24-03.

Read more about NHTSA Recall # 24V069 here.

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February 15, 2024 ... Recall ~ NHTSA Campaign Number: 24V113000 Fuel Pump May Fail

Summary: **Honda** (American Hon-

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da Motor Co.) is recalling certain 2018-2024 GL1800 (Goldwing), CBR600RR, and 2018-2019 CBR1000RR motorcycles. The fuel pump impellers may have been improperly molded, which can cause them to deform and result in fuel pump failure. Fuel pump failure can cause an engine stall while driving, increasing the risk of a crash.

Potential # of Units Affected: 29,301

[Read more about NHTSA Recall # 24V113 here.](#)

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March 6, 2024... Recall ~ NHTSA Campaign Number: 24V177000 Engine May Overheat and Leak Coolant

Summary: **Triumph** Motorcycles America, Ltd. (Triumph) is recalling certain 2022-2024 Speed Triple RS, and Speed Triple RR motorcycles. The engine may overheat and cause the fan motor to fail, resulting in a coolant leak. A coolant leak can increase the risk of injury.

Potential Number of Units Affected 1,545

[Read more about NHTSA Recall # 24V177 here.](#)

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March 21, 2024 ... Recall ~ NHTSA

Campaign Number: 24V221000 Damaged Spark Plugs May Cause Engine Stall

Summary: **Kawasaki** Motor Corp., U.S.A. (KMC) is recalling certain 2023-2024 ZX400S and ZX400P (2023 Ninja ZX-4RR KRT Edition, 2024 Ninja ZX-4R, and 4RR) motorcycles. The spark plugs may have been damaged during the vehicle manufacturing process, which can result in unstable idling, hesitation, and engine stalling. An engine stall increases the risk of a crash.

Potential Number of Units Affected: 1,579

Remedy: Dealers will replace all four spark plugs, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a schedule for recall notification. Owners may contact KMC customer service at 1-866-802-9381. KMC's number for this recall is MC27-04.

[Read more about](#)

[NHTSA Recall # 24V221 here.](#)

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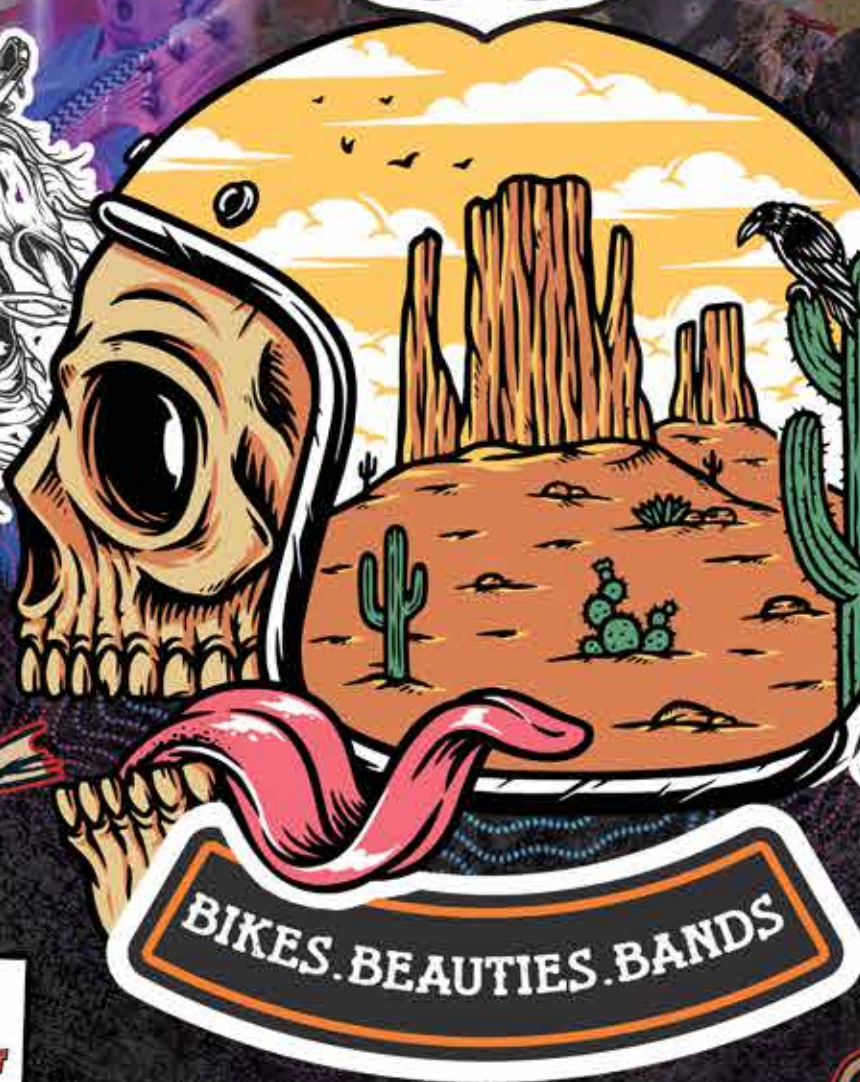


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*From Dewey Jefferson ...* The 7th Annual Pinal County Poker Run was held Saturday, March 2, 2024. Registration was held from 9 am to 10 am, with the last bike out at 10am. The event was open to bikes and cages. This was a dice run, meaning you roll dice at every stop and count numbers for a total.

At the end they paid high and low total points. Also, they had a 50/50, and a raffle, and door prizes. The cost was \$25 for a single and \$35 for a couple which included a gift bag and T-shirt. The second T-shirt was \$10. The Post Auxiliary provided breakfast burritos for donation, and sloppy joes for lunch. Big thank yous to the ladies. The food was great.

This year's route was to the General Kearney Inn, in Kearney; then the Ore House in Oracle; and the Cadillac Chaparral Steak House on Hwy #79, before heading back to Florence. The first and last dice roll was held at Post #9.

The weather was perfect, and the ride was great. After the winner pay outs, the proceeds will go to veteran organizations such as Fisher House, Dogs For Vets, Grounded No More, Packages From Home, and others. Donations for the silent auction included a Smoker, a Desert Picture, a Motorcycle Pet Carrier, a Golf Certificate at San Tan Highland, and more. Some door prizes were Certificates from Bar 727, Uncle Bears, Valentinos, Total Concepts; plus a Bird Feeder, Wall Hanging, and more.

The High Points winner got \$500 and Low Points got \$150. The 50/50 Winner got \$250. The Raffle winner got \$500 and second place won a Cross Bow. We had 74 riders and 26 partners, making a total of 100 participants. It was our biggest poker run yet. Riders were back by 3:00pm. Drawings and prizes were done by 4pm. A big thank you to all that participated and all the volunteers who helped make this event a success. See you next year!



## National and Regional News

**San Francisco** — Waymo's application to expand its robotaxi service in Los Angeles and San Mateo counties has been suspended for 120 days by the California Public Utilities Commission's Consumer Protection and Enforcement Division. The decision doesn't change Waymo's ability to commercially operate driverless vehicles in San Francisco. However, it does put an abrupt halt to the company's goals to expand where it can operate — at least until June 2024.

The Commission said on its website that the application has been suspended for further staff review. According to Waymo, the "suspension" is a procedural part of the CPUC's standard and robust review process. However, San Mateo County Board of Supervisors vice president David J. Canepa took a different position. He stated that Waymo has hindered meaningful discussions regarding planned expansion into Silicon Valley and that this delay will provide the opportunity to fully engage the autonomous vehicle maker on their public safety concerns.

Waymo noted that it has reached out to two dozen government and business organizations as part of its out-

reach effort, including officials in cities throughout San Mateo County such as Burlingame, Daly City and Foster City, the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office and local chambers of commerce.

Waymo operates a commercial service 24 hours a day, seven days a week throughout San Francisco. Waymo is also allowed to give people free driverless rides in parts of Los Angeles. The company kicked off robotaxi ride testing with employees in Santa Monica around March 2023 and has since opened it up to some members of the public, but is still not able to charge for those rides.

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# Live With Courage

The 'Live With Courage' Camp Courage Fundraising Event took place on February 4, 2024. It was sponsored by Law Tigers Arizona and held at the Main Stage music venue & bar in Cottonwood, AZ

*Shared by Rebecca Riffel, owner of Main Stage*

Rex the CEO of Arizona Burn Foundation came in today and I was able to hand over a check for \$18,098 from the money that was raised here at Main Stage on Feb 4th at the Camp Courage Fundraising Event sponsored by Law Tigers Arizona.

This money will send 12 children burn survivors to Camp Courage this year, to spend a life-changing week at a camp which will serve as an integral milestone in their burn journey. This is full circle for me, as this is a camp that I personally went to as a child after suffering 3rd degree burns to 17% of my body. Camp Courage is a camp that changed my life in the most positive way after some of the toughest times for me and my family. This camp helped give me the courage to endure the year of bandages and treatments and painful healing that I needed.

It's a camp that showed me that I wasn't alone in what I had endured and that I could still be a kid despite any trauma we endured. But my love for the Arizona Burn Foundation doesn't stem just from my own experience. It stems from the stories of the children I met, of how they came to be burn survivors, and the trauma they had experienced. It's the little boy Mikey that was in the hospital room next to me for months at the burn unit who, at 5 years old, reached for a french fry from a boiling pot when his babysitter wasn't looking and now had 80% of his body in 3rd degree burns. Mikey would spend months in the hospital and years of treatments and surgeries and navigate a life of people looking at him differently from his visible scars. It's watching Mikey later at camp, smiling and laughing and just being able to be a kid again for a week without anyone looking at him because he looked different from any other kid.

It's the kids that have endured more than we can imagine and their inspiration and courage to embrace their scars and heal from it. Their stories, their courage and their strength is something I have carried with me throughout my life. So this is for all those kids, to give hope back to them when they need it the most. Thank you

to everyone in the community who came together and rallied together for good; to make a lifelong impact for these children and their families. You really are making such a difference and I'm humbled and proud to be a part of it all.

Thank you to EVERYONE that helped make this happen, to everyone that donated, contributed, volunteered and showed up in support! You all did a whole lot of good.

*Additional follow up & acknowledgements from Main Stage ...*

“THANK YOU, THANK YOU, and THANK YOU! I'm so excited to announce that last Sunday at the Camp Courage Fundraising Extravaganza, we raised over \$18K for the Arizona Burn Foundation's Camp Courage! What a community can do when we rally together for good is amazing! And this community showed up! It was a packed house all day with such great energy and so much love. I couldn't be more humbled and grateful to be a part of it all. It takes a lot of amazing people to pull this off, and we are thankful for each and every one of you. We hit this one out of the park for sure!

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\$18,000 brings a tear to my eye for what was raised, and just as important it will bring hope to so many young burn survivors. We almost doubled the amount raised last year! The cost per camper is \$1,500, which means we can send 12 campers to spend a life-changing week at a camp, which will serve as an integral milestone in their burn journey.

Thank you to the Law Tigers Arizona, for not only sponsoring this amazing event but for all the work you do leading up to and during the event. It would not happen without you and we love you guys. They also organized 80 amazing riders who came up from Buddy Stubbs Harley-Davidson and rode up to the event on Sunday braving the cold. Thank You Neanderpaul from KSLX 100.7 PHX for riding up from PHX as well and helping announce on stage. Thank you to Yavapai Broadcasting for the live broadcasting and all the help you extended to us for this event as well.

Thank you to the @Sisterhood Connection Foundation, Inc. for all the work you do to help make this happen. From collecting donations to working the event, to the popcorn, cotton candy, and cupcakes, and to our littlest sisters who sold lemonade for the event and donated all the money for Camp Courage!

Thank you to the Vintage Photo Co. - Photo Booth Trailer in Northern Arizona for coming out and donating amazing photos for family and friends all day!

Thank you to Cindy from Looky Lulus, who did an amazing job at face painting for the kiddos! And Mad Honey Food Truck and Nana's Tacos! And of course to Harley Davidson, (the man) & WELL DRESSED WOLVES for the killer music. You guys rocked and kept the dance floor packed!

Special thank you to the Cottonwood Arizona Fire Department for bringing the truck out and spending the day with us. The kids loved checking out the new ladder truck and so did we! Thank you to our amazing Sedona Police Department Chief of Police Stephanie Foley & our Cottonwood Arizona Police Department Chief Christopher Dowell for letting us auction them off with a Ride-A-Long!! That was amazing and so much fun!

Thank You to everyone and to every business that donated items for our silent auction, live raffles, and raffles. Ambiente A Landscape Hotel the 2-Night stay donation was such a hit! Jay Conner from Law Tigers Arizona. Thank you for the amazing E-Bike worth \$4000 & rocking it all day with us!

And THANK YOU, to all these amaz-

ing local business that donated: Vital Essence Bodywork & Botanicals Billy Desmond: Custom woodwork butcher board. ARtery Tattoo. Verde Canyon Railroad. Breakthru Distributors. Southern Distributors. Sedona Golf Resort. Oak Creek Country Club. DA Vines Vineyard. Belfry Brewery. Moscato Italian Restaurant Pines Inn & Suites: 2 Night Stay. Hensley Distributors: Custom Wooden Cornhole Set. Laser Lounge Cottonwood. Old Town Red Rooster Cafe . Convenient Chiropractic Care Pillsbury Wine Company. @Manzanita Restaurant Noah Pfeffer: Custom Jewelry. Christopher's Meals, Chef Chris Dobrowolski. SpringHill Suites by Marriott. THE ASYLUM Restaurant. Cliff Castle Casino Hotel & Storytellers Restaurant. Wild lilac skin studio. Neck Of The Woods Screen Printing. Jerome's Jewelry, Rick Hernandez Designs. Mystic Mountain Treasures, Jerome. Cove Mesa Vineyard. Spirit of the Past Law Tigers: 2 Tickets to Doo-bie Brothers Concert at Footprint Center. Bananas in Old Town 10-12 Lounge. @Copper Mountain Bookstore. Four Eight Wineworks. The Hive Eatery & Juice Bar. Pink Rain. Looky LuLus

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**Saturdays Apr 2024 { 4/13, 4/27 }:** Superstition HOG Chapter Rides start at Superstition H-D - 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction, AZ. 85120. Come ride with our HOG Members. Meet at 7:30a, KSU 8a. FMI: 480-346-0600

2nd Saturdays: Bike Nite at VFW Post 1433 {phn 623-934-2152}, at 7618 N 63rd Ave, Glendale. Hosted by Veterans MC AZ 7p-close. Karaoke, kitchen, bar, dart boards, pool tables, & more.

**Sundays Apr 2024 { 4/7, 4/21 }:** Superstition HOG Chapter Rides start at Superstition H-D - 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction, AZ. 85120. All welcome. Meet 7:30a, KSU 8a. FMI: 480-346-0600 <https://www.superstitionhog.com/calendar>

1st Sundays: Roosters Bar & Finn's Mainstreet Motorcycles host Saddlebag Sundays. Starts 2pm at Roosters, 3731 E Main, Mesa. No cover, live music, complimentary food. FMI: 480-985-4088, 480-357-7595

**2nd Sundays: ABATE-AZ Phoenix-Shadow Mtn Chapter meeting. 12:30pm at VFW Post 1433, 7618 N 63rd Ave, Glendale. Post opens at noon.**

2nd & 4th Sundays: Desert Thunder MC cooks up breakfast 8-11am @ the Thunder Dome, 3137 W. Virginia Ave, Phoenix. \$5/plate. FMI: desertthundermc87@gmail.com

**3rd Sundays: ABATE-AZ East Valley Chapter meets 10a at American Legion Post 138, 107 E Broadway Rd, Tempe. {B'fast available before meeting} FMI: Joe Silk 480-628-8598, miterangers@msn.com**

2nd & 4th Tuesdays: Desert Thunder MC hosts an Open House @ the Thunder Dome, 3137 W. Virginia Ave, Phoenix from 6-11pm. No cover charge. Dinner available \$7. FMI: desertthundermc87@gmail.com

**4th Tuesdays: ABATE-AZ Yavapai Chapter meeting ~ 6:30pm at VFW Bucky O'Neill Post 541, 202 N Arizona Ave ; Prescott 86301 FMI: Timothy, 360-720-3465 tntblaster@netzero.net**

**Wednesdays Apr 2024 :** Superstition HOG Chapter Rides depart Superstition HD - 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction. Ride with our HOG Members. Meet 7:30am, KSU 8am. FMI: SHD-HOG hotline 480-346-0626, or main @ 480-346-0600.

Wednesdays: Verde Valley Bike Night 5-10 at the Robbers Roost Sports Grill in Cornville. Live Music, vendors, cigar bar, outside bar, heated patio, & more.

For more MC bike night listings, visit <http://www.azcmc.org/calendar>

**4/3 - 7, 2024 AZ Bike Week #27** at West-World in Scottsdale. Music includes Godsmack, George Thorogood & The Destroyers, more. Rides, vendors, bull-riding, bike shows, +++.

**4/3 {Wed} Day of Hope Ride**, an event to raise awareness & bring attention to the child abuse epidemic. Childhelp is partnering with AZ Bike Week, Bikers Against Child Abuse, Dixxon Flannel, and Harley-Davidson of Scottsdale. Ride starts at HDoS; with stops at the AZ State Capitol and Dixxon. Ticket includes complimentary b'fast at HDoS, + admission to ABW Yelawolf concert. Participants will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win Diamondback tickets. There will be food trucks & music at the stops. Tickets are \$48 in advance or \$60 day of. FMI: Jessica Parsons [jparsons@gcjpr.com](mailto:jparsons@gcjpr.com)

**4/6 {Sat} 19th Annual East Valley Fire-fighter Charity Ride.** Departs from Superstition Harley-Davidson, 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction.

4/6 Thunderbird Throttle Bike Run in support of the Phoenix Indian Center and MMIP ~ Missing & Murdered Indigenous People. Sponsors include Rez Riders IMC. Sign-in 8:30am @ Huhugam Cultural Center, 21359 S Maricopa Rd, Chandler, AZ. \$40/pp {1st 250 receive shirt, lunch, gift bag} FMI: thunderbirdthrottle@gmail.com

4/6 Redrum MC 'Run to Sacaton' meets 9:30a at Comfort Inn, 7400 W Boston, Chandler. \$25/pilot, +\$10/2-up. Proceeds benefit Gila River Basketball Youth Teams. FMI: 408-449-0465, votsunaz@gmail.com

4/6 Shamrocks & Shenanigans with Hooligans MC & Lost Dutchman MC. Sign-in 10a @ HMC clubhouse, 2663 W Lone Cactus. \$20/sgl, \$25/cpl. Last stop LDMC Peoria clubhouse.

**4/13 {Sat} Motorcycle Day at the Dome 8a-5pm at Wesley Bolin Plaza hosted by ABATE-AZ. FMI: president@abateofaz.org ; lobbyist@abateofaz.org**

**4/13 {Sat} Easyriders Bike Show @ Superstition HD, 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction from Noon-4pm.** This is a first at Superstition H-D and we couldn't be more excited! Best of Show Winner will WIN a feature in *Easyriders Magazine!* Awards for all Classes. Meet Easyriders Covergirl Cassie, Live Music, Vendors, Raffles & More. Entry Fee \$20 Early Bird, \$25 Day of show. Follow Link to Pre-Register & Save! FMI: 480-346-0600

**4/13 Shriners Ride for Kids & End Party @ Superstition HD®.** Sign-in 9am @ El Zaribah Shrine 552 N. 40th St Phoenix. KSU 10:30a. End Party 12p-4pm @ SHD®, 2910 W Apache Trail, AJ. Live Music, *Easyriders* Bike Show, Vendors, Beer Garden, Food Trucks, & More! Pre Register here <https://ride.superstitionhd.com/rideregistration> OPEN TO THE PUBLIC! ALL ARE WELCOME! FMI: [office@el-zaribah.org](mailto:office@el-zaribah.org) or SHD @ 480-346-0600

4/13 Old Koots On Scoots RC 7th Anniversary Party from 1-7pm at OTG - On The Green, 801 S Power Rd - Ste 101, Mesa. Live music, vendors, & more. \$1,000s in raffle prizes. 1st 150 people to donate \$20 will receive a swag bag loaded with goodies & a drink ticket. Benefits Hospice of the Valley. FMI: oldkootsonscoots@gmail.com

4/13 2nd annual Iron Horse Mustang Poker Run. Benefits AMVETS Riders and Basecamp For Veterans. Sign-in 11am @ AMVETS Post 770, 3015 S Kinney Rd, Tucson. \$20/pilot, +\$10/2-up. FMI / pre-reg at [amvetpost770riders.com](http://amvetpost770riders.com)

4/13 Heathens MF 2nd annual Tortilla Flat Run. Meet 8am at Jack in the Box, 305 W Grant, Tucson. KSU 9am. After ride party @ The Buffet Bar, 538 E 9th St. FMI: [Heathensmfdesertcrew@gmail.com](mailto:Heathensmfdesertcrew@gmail.com)

4/17 {Wed} Bike Night at AZ Boot Boutique, 4647 E Chandler Blvd, Phoenix. 6-8pm. BBQ, music, bike contest, vendors, etc. FMI: [info@azbootco.com](mailto:info@azbootco.com)

**4/18 {Thurs} Ride with Superstition HD to Skies Bar & Grill, 945 E Scenic St, Apache Junction, AZ! Live Music, Drink/Food Specials, swag, raffles, good times. Meet @ SHD West Lot, 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction. KSU 6:15pm or meet us there! FMI: 480-346-0600**



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**4/20 {Sat} Casas Por Cristo Poker Run. Register 8-9am at Superstition Harley-Davidson 2910 W Apache Trail Apache Junction AZ 85120 FMI: 480-346-0600**

**4/20 Bike Blessing & Breakfast at Superstition Harley-Davidson, 2910 W Apache Trail Apache Junction. Free Pancake Breakfast served up by New Life CMA 9-10:30am, followed by a Bike Blessing. FMI: 480-346-0600**

4/20 Loners MC San Tan Chapter Spring Fling at River Bottom Saloon {520-868-3131}, 2501 N Hwy 79 in Florence from 11a-4pm. \$20/sgl, \$30/cpl. Poker walk, chicken shit bingo, & more.

4/20 Rough Riders MC Papago Chapter 'In Memory' Party at Sandy Coor VFW Post 1433, 7618 N 63rd Ave, Glendale, AZ. Starts 6pm. \$10/pp. Benefits the Paralyzed Veterans of America AZ Chapter. FMI: Pockets, RRMCA 480-298-8039, PocketsRRMC@gmail.com

4/20 Rescue Riders MC Bike Night at Salty Dawg II, 6121 E Broadway Tucson, from 6-9pm. Benefits 'That Others May Live Foundation' <https://www.thatothersmaylive.org/>

4/20 Unbroken MC Child Abuse Awareness Event at Royal Blue Pools, 34501 S Old Black Canyon Hwy, Black Canyon City. 11a-5pm. FMI: 480-735-1122, bambam@unbrokenmcarizona.com

4/25 {Thurs} Mayhem Motorcycle Rally Commencement Ride. Meet 9a at Bullhead City Community Park KSU 10:30a. FMI: Mayheminfo@yahoo.com

**4/26-4/28 {Fr-Sun} Thunder-Rode Bike-Fest, at Thunder-Rode Motorcycle Accessories, 102 E Beale St, Kingman, AZ. FREE Entry. 9a-7pm daily. Live Music, Biker Games, Bike Contest, food trucks, & more. Proceeds from beer sales benefit homeless Veterans! Free Ice/Water, Clean Restrooms, A/C'd Shop to Cool Off Indoors. Tent for shade with misters! Ms Thunder-Rode Search. Vendor booths \$100-\$150/3-days. FMI: 928-377-3608**

**4/27-28 {Sat-Sun} 2 Day Basic Rider Course. Taught by TEAM Arizona at Superstition HD, 2910 W. Apache Trail, Apache Junction. 6am-3:30pm. FMI: 480-346-0600**

**4/28 Motorcycle Swap Meet Sunday at Superstition Harley-Davidson® - 2910 W. Apache Trail Apache Junction from 10a-2pm. Turn those old parts into some cash! Spaces are limited! Stop in and Reserve your spot today! Motorcycle Parts only. SHD® reserves the right to refuse anybody selling products not deemed to be in the spirit of the event. All are welcome to attend. FMI: 480-346-0600 for more details & to secure your space**

4/28 Spring Fling Bike & Car Show at the Rhythm Room { 602-265-4842}, 1019 E Indian School Rd, Phoenix. Fundraiser for AZ Veterans 'Instruments For Success'. Doors open 3pm, jive dance lessons 3:30, music starts 4pm. Vendors, food trucks, 'Ms Cowgirl Corral' Pinup contest.

5/4 {Sat} American Legion Inaugural Stage Coach Ride. Sign-in @ Post 105, 1818 W Bell Rd, Phoenix, AZ. [602-938-1811] Last stop at American Legion Post 29.

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5/18 {Sat} NFF Shop 3 host it 7th annual Rocker Ride dice run. Sign-in 8-9:30a at VFW Post 6739, 277 W Highway 260, Camp Verde AZ. \$25/sgl, +\$5/2-up.

**5/25 {Sat} 4th annual Memorial Poker Run to Honor Lost Brothers & Sisters. Sign-in 7-9am at Slaughterhouse, 7303 E Main, Mesa. \$15/pilot, +\$5/2-up. Event benefits the AZ Patriot Guard Riders and Troll's Teddy Bear Run. Stops include a Veterans Memorial before last stop at Superstition Harley-Davidson, 2910 W Apache Trail, Apache Junction. Sponsors also include Law Tigers. FMI: 360-451-1795, troll@trollsteddybearrun.com**

**5/25-26 {Sat-Sun} 2 Day Basic Rider Course. Taught by TEAM Arizona at Superstition HD, 2910 W. Apache Trail, Apache Junction. 6am-3:30pm. FMI: 480-346-0600**

6/14-16 {Fr-Sun} Friends of the Kids {FOTK} 17th annual ride to support the kids of the White Mountain Apache Tribe Children's Shelter in Whiteriver. Ride departs 7am from QT 9229 E University, Mesa 85207. If staying overnight, recommended lodging at HonDah in Pinetop. Reservations 928-369-0269. FMI: Jeannie Kyser 602-793-0614, Mike Kyser 602-703-8546, <https://www.az-fotk.org/>

**6/20-23 Too Broke For Sturgis hosted by ABATE-AZ in Winslow AZ. Music by Perfect Storm, Bad June, Last Train to Juarez. Tent & RV dry camping available. \$35/weekend ABATE members, +\$5 non-members, \$30 for RV parking, \$25 Saturday pass, \$15 night pass to see band. FMI: <http://toobrokeforsturgis.com/>**

**6/22-23 {Sat-Sun} 2 Day Basic Rider Course. Taught by TEAM Arizona at Superstition HD, 2910 W. Apache Trail, Apache Junction. 6am-3:30pm. FMI: 480-346-0600**

10/13 {Sun} Bikers For Boobies <https://www.bikers4boobiesaz.org/>

10/17-19 {Th-Sa} Run to the Rez 2024 <https://www.runtotherez.com/>

10/31-11/3 {Th-Su} CMA AZ State Rally 2024

11/2 {Sat} CVMA Chapter 32-5 2nd annual Steel Horse Round Up. Starts & ends at The Tack Room, 10300 S Miller Rd, Buckeye, AZ. \$25/sgl, +\$10/2-up.

**12/7 {Sat} Troll's Teddy Bear Run. Details TBA. Sponsors include Superstition HD and Law Tigers AZ. FMI: <https://www.trollsteddybearrun.com/>**

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10/26 {Sat} 2nd Annual CVMA 32.8 Superstition Treasure Hunt at Superstition Harley-Davidson Details TBA. FMI: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/cvma32.8/>

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