## Steel Horse Saloon's Toy Run

The Steel Horse Saloon, located at 1818 W Bell Rd in Phoenix, hosted their 22nd annual Toy Run on Saturday December 16. Once again, their beneficiary was the Crisis Nursery. Event sponsors included <u>Law Tigers</u>.

The ride started and ended at the <u>Steel Horse</u>. This was a family-friendly gathering, with Santa Claus visiting with the kids in the morning at the Steel Horse.

Stops included Peaks & Valleys on Carefree Hwy and the Road Runner on Black Canyon Hwy. 75 riders took the trip and the Steel Horse Party Bus made the run as well; with additional people choosing to let someone else do the driving.

The day also included a Poker Hand. Best hand winner was Dana Mahoney and Low went to Tommy Shaw. Prizes were gift certificates for Steel Horse Saloon.

Donation requests focused on toys and needs for children infants to 10-years.

In addition to \$2400 being collected from the event, there was a wall inside the Steel Horse that was stacked high with toys & goods.

Horse Saloon sends along thanks to everyone who supported this event. Extra shout-outs go to Mike & Suzanne Emch, who donated a pallet of diapers and to Cheri Mason from <u>St Nick's</u> for the great job she did on their event.

Saint Nick's Pub Crawl Sleigh Ride was held on December 9. It started & ended at St Nick's with stops at Beaver Bar, Maverick, Steel Horse, & Larry's Cocktails. We learned that this event rolled everything collected forward into the Steel Horse fundraiser for the Crisis Nursery. Nice!

Joanna shared that this will be her last toy run ~ well at least that she's organizing. What you say????? Yup... the lady is *retiring!* WooHoo ~ good for You!

SO... there's gonna be a Retirement Party at the Steel Horse on January 27. Joanna invites everyone to bring pictures, bring stories, and c'mon down. Details will be posting to their Facebook page soon.

Congratulations Steel Horse Saloon on another successful event, and best wishes Joanna for an enjoyable retirement!

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