

# East Valley Biker Rodeo

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Saturday October 1st, 2022 was a fine day to play outdoors ☺ Riders from around the Valley of the Sun gathered at The Chateau, located at 7000 E Main Street in East Mesa, for the 4th annual East Valley Biker Rodeo; in support of the Rough Riders MC Longbow Chapter mission to support Veterans & Veteran Causes.

The games were co-ed ... testing the rider skills of guys & gals. Emcee Navigator called the action.

Bike games included....

*Keg Roll* – after the elimination rounds reduced the field of players, the final winners were determined by the timer. Winners were: 1st place Herb 17:75 ; 2nd = Setback 18:56 ; 3rd = Audrey 22:48

*Slow Roll* – even though you are riding next to another bike, you are competing against the clock. Winners were: 1st place = John 27:40 ; 2nd = Timbur = 21:13 ; 3rd = Setback 19:98

*Dog Bite* : 1st place = Alex & Kat ; 2nd = Toro & Teri ; 3rd = Cameron & Charity

People games included ...

*Keg Toss*: 1st place = Setback 19' ; 2nd = Trenton 18'8" ; 3rd = Jay 18' ;

*Skillet Toss*: 1st place = Sparky 40'7" ; Trenton 34'9" ; Siss 33'11"

Congratulations to all the winners! The creative talents of RRMC members came together to create the custom trophies.

Vendors included Law Tigers Arizona, Custom Cycle Seats, Discount Biker Supply, ELMM Law Group, Semper Fi Heating & Cooling, and Simply CBD. Music throughout the day was provided by Richie Darling; a talented solo artist who plays a variety of classic rock, blues, & country music.

The food at the cook station all looked delicious... tacos, rice, beans, & more... prepped up & served by RRMC Brothers, their Ladies, & supporters.

Raffle donors included Oregon's Pizza, Thigh Brush, and the various vendors. There was a variety of goodies available to win... restaurant certificates, home &/ garage décor, ammunition, adult beverages, apparel, bath & bod type spa

items... soaps and such, detailing products for bike &/or truck, & more.

The 50/50 winner donated their \$170 prize back to the day, in support of the beneficiaries American Service Animal Society {Dogs4Vets} and Operation Shockwave.

Dogs 4 Vets / the American Service Animal Society is a nonprofit organization dedicated to enabling disabled veterans to live a more productive life through the use of service animals. Learn more about D4V by clicking here.

Operation Shock Wave's mission is centered on Veteran Suicide Prevention. Learn more about OSW by clicking here.

American Service Animal Society also raffled off a custom AR platform rifle as an additional fundraiser.

Thanks go out to the more than 17 different rider organizations that were represented. Thank you Rough Riders MC for your support of Veterans! Congratulations on a good day!

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