

Hard Tack Journal

December 2024

Merry Christmas!

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General's Record

I hope everything had a wonderful Thanksgiving and was able to spent some relaxing time with the loved ones. As Christmas approaches, I'd like to take a second to thank all of you participating in various charity events. It is a wonderful thing for The Copperheads to be involved in and truly displays the character of our brotherhood. The stickers I mentioned in the previous issue of The Hardtack have all been distributed to each state. If there are any related issues please reach out to me or Capt. Crowbar. I have fallen behind on using certificates due to personal reasons, so I'd like to apologize for that. If you are in need of one please let me know immediately.

This will be the last issue of 2024 and I'd like to say how proud I am to be a member of The Copperheads for yet another year. We are truly a quality group that is one of a kind. I look forward to what 2025 has in store for us.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

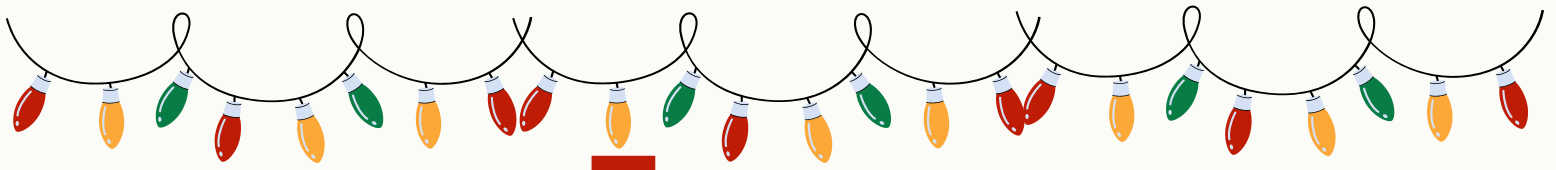
General Lucky
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Founder's Report

Christmas and New Years is upon. We're heading into our 6th year. The Copperhead Nation has grown to over 150 brothers in 13 states with 35 plus Ladies of Liberty standing by our side. Every week / weekend our family is out and about honoring the Confederate soldier and celebrating Southern history. Each month we learn from past experiences on how to be a better organization while allowing brothers the freedom to run their own states as they see fit. We need to stay humble and fluid as we learn from our mistakes and listen to our brothers voices to stay ahead of the curve. Once you feel you know everything and there is no need for change, you have failed as leaders. This doesn't mean we stray from our cause but we have the ability to remove the ego and allow others to help make things better. Brick and I love our brothers, sisters and family that have come along on this journey. We have a lot of things to look forward to in 2025. Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
The Founders
Rocco and Brick



Texas



November rides and the TriCounty Toy Run





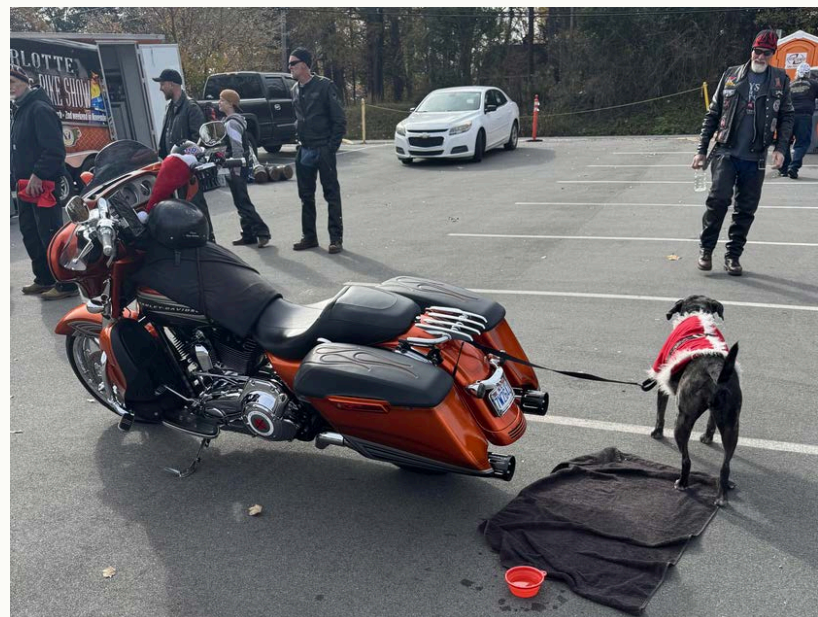
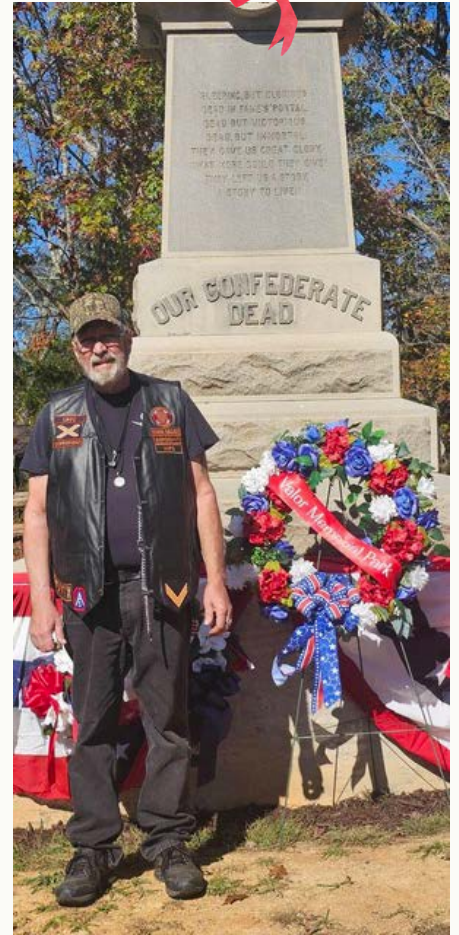
North Carolina



Merry Christmas from the NC Copperheads

The Winston Salem Confederate Monument rededication at Valor Park located in Denton NC was a huge success and was a long time coming. There were around 3000 bikes at the annual Charlotte CBA & Marine Corps Toys for Tots run and I was proud to be a part of it. In closing I hope everyone has a prosperous New Year.

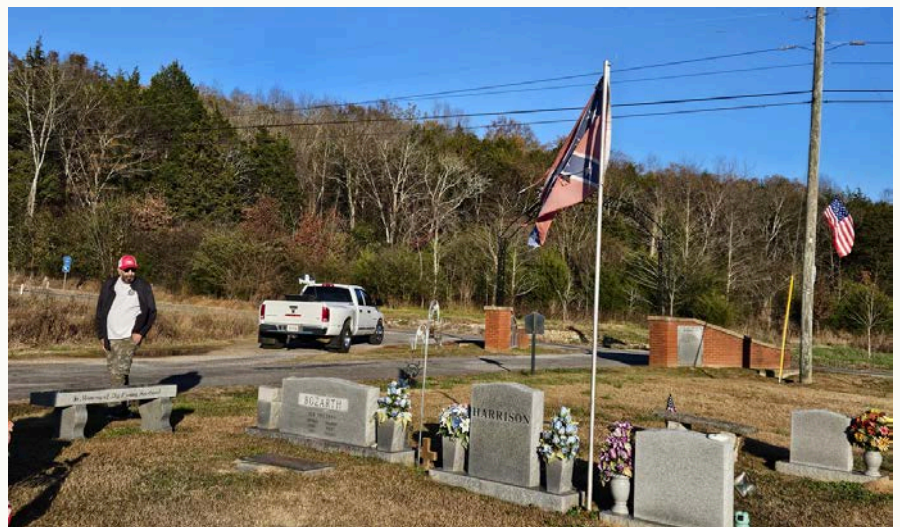
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Alabama

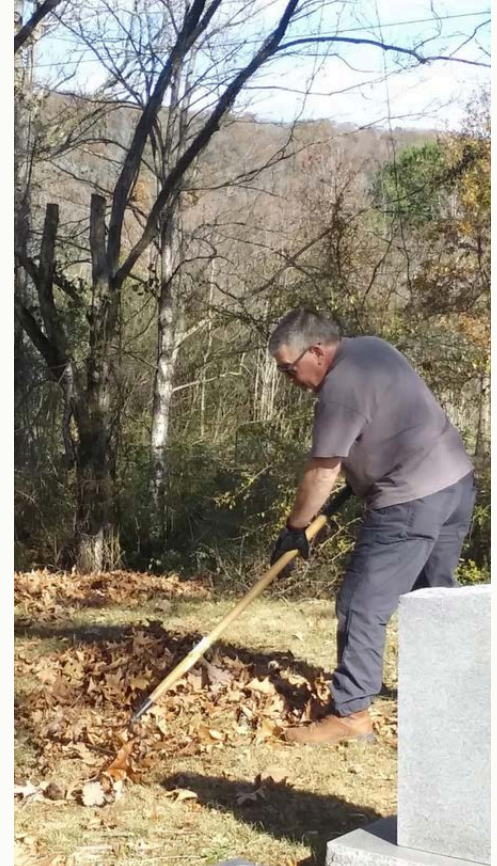
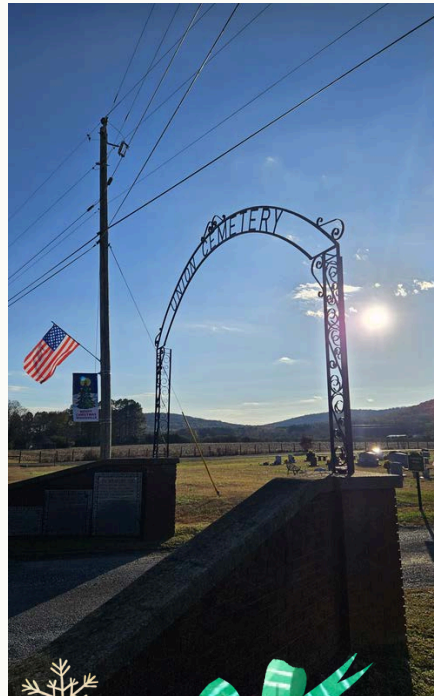
Alabama Copperheads welcomed new member, Ironman. We were able to get out and hit a few cemeteries for cleaning.



Alabama



More Cemetery work....Plus we were HONORED to do a benefit ride for our local Veteran's Memorial. Even made Silver status on their donors monument as a token of their appreciation.





Alabama



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Veterans Memorial Park of Jackson County

September 22, 2024

Mr. Kevin Miller
Alabama State Captain
Copperheads

Dear Kevin:

On behalf of the Board of Directors and all Veterans, I would like to sincerely thank you and all the Copperheads for the recent donation of \$1,010 to the Veterans Memorial Park of Jackson County (VMPJC). The Copperheads' donation is helping our efforts to complete, operate and maintain the Park to preserve the memory and history of our Jackson County military veterans who made the ultimate sacrifice, to honor all military men and women and to provide an educational resource to the community.

We are in the process of constructing a new monument which your grant will be applied to. It is the Monument to the Fallen Soldier and consists of a bronze statue, the Battlefield Cross, which symbolizes the location of a soldier on the battlefield killed in action. We expect the new monument to be completed by Veterans Day, November 11.

School visits, led by Veterans, are part of the mission of the Park to: "Educate our citizens, with an emphasis on our children, on US military history and military conflicts that have been fought to preserve our freedoms".

The Copperheads donation qualify them as a Silver Donor and will be recognized on the Donor Panel located at the entrance to the Park.

Kevin, please convey the Board's thanks to all your members and thanks again for your leadership and support of the Park and the Veterans that the Park honors.

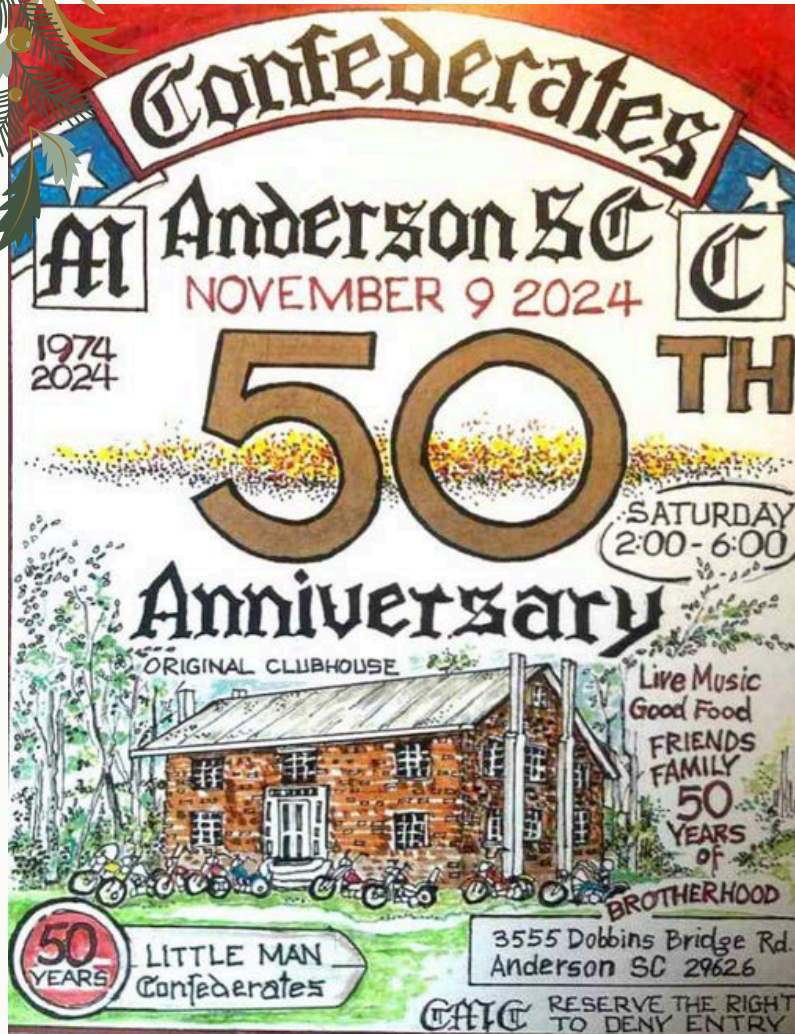
Sincerely,

Jim Olyniec
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The VMPJC is registered as a
non-profit 501(c)(3) organization



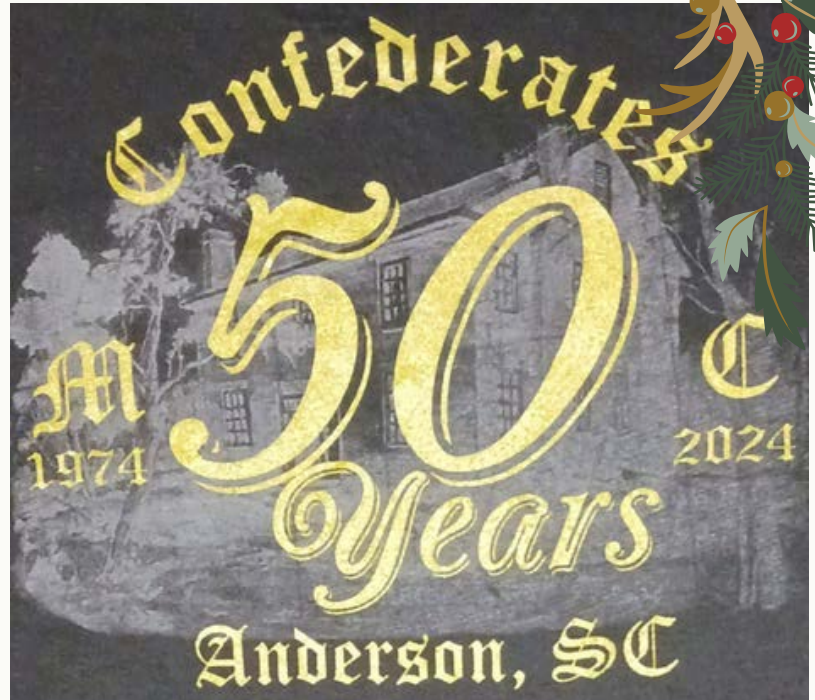
South Carolina



SC upcountry members attending 50th anniversary of Confederates MC in Anderson, South Carolina

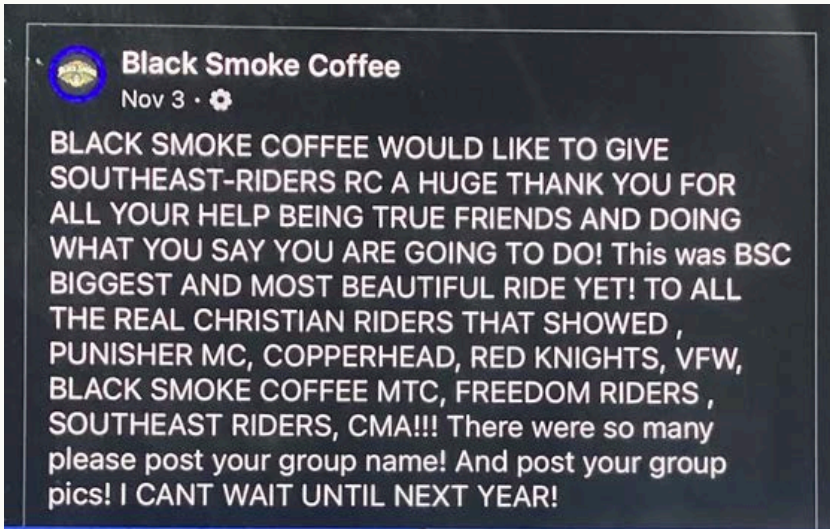


South Carolina





Georgia



The Tribe held a meeting on November 17.

Doughboy received his 60-day rocker

The Tribe members rode at the 4th Annual NOFA (No One Fights Alone) ride on November 2nd. Black Smoke Coffee gave us a shout out for supporting the cause!





Georgia



The Tribe attended the Annual Ride for the Wind Walker's Toy Drive and Auction on November 30.



Maryland



We had a great time attending Remembrance Day in Gettysburg. Addison Warner earned his bottom rocker at the event. We then headed to Annapolis to support the Eastern shore crab sandwich fundraiser. The only event coming up is our Holiday party January 11 at the Otter Point Yacht club. Everyone is welcome to attend, the information is on our Facebook page. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

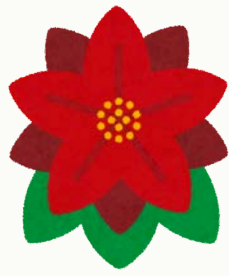


Captain Rocco
Founder



Maryland

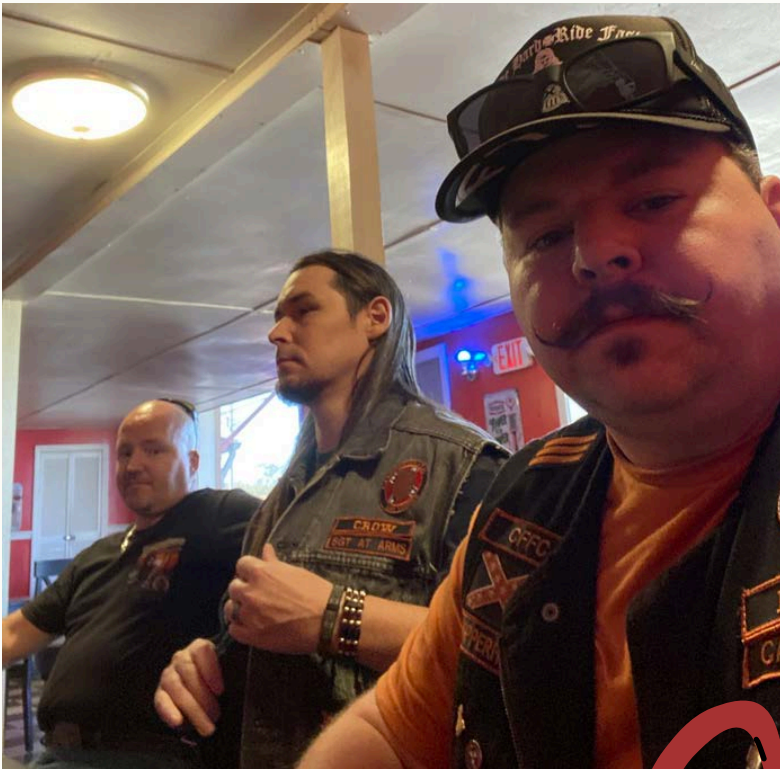




Tennessee



Back before Thanksgiving Captain Bull, Sgt at Arms Crow, Stone Cold, and Captain Soundman meet with a couple of Board Members of the Southern Independence Association. We hope to have a good working relationship with this group in protecting our Southern history!



In February we are planning to bring in the New Year with some Brotherhood and Fellowship at Legend's Steak House Friday 2/7/2025 at 5:30 pm and then on Saturday taking a tour to see new exhibits at the National Confederate Museum at Elm Springs Saturday 2/8/2025 at 9:00 am. All are welcome to join us!



BREAKING COPPERHEAD NEWS

Join Us in Bringing in the New Year and Freeze your Balls Off!
Legends 2/7/25 @ 6pm & Confederate Museum 2/8/25 @ 9am

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Tennessee

Tennessee would like to wish all the brothers in Copperhead Nation a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We are starting to plan events for 2025 and look forward to getting that information out to everyone!

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NASHVILLE

LEBANON TENNESSEE

**JANUARY 31ST
FEBRUARY 1ST 2025**

James E. Ward Agricultural Center
1033 Sparta Pike, Lebanon, TN 37087
8AM to 8 PM Friday and Saturday

Vendor registration opens
November 1st on AMCA website

Free Parking
Onsite camping available
National AMCA Bike Judging

just 100sqft nice, warm,
dry concrete



Ladies of Liberty

The Ladies have been busy preparing for the holiday season! We want to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and all the blessings for a wonderful new year! Here's a special recipe shared by Corkscrew, Crowbar's Lady (Virginia). Enjoy!

Ingredients:

35-40 Saltine Crackers
1 cup of butter
1 cup of Brown Sugar
2 cups of semi-sweet chocolate chips
Toppings to use (optional)
Chopped pecans
Red and Green M&Ms
Red and Green Christmas sprinkles



Instructions:

- **Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Line a 10x15 inch baking sheet with aluminum foil and spray with cooking spray.**
- **Place saltine crackers in even rows and set aside.**
- **In a saucepan over medium high heat, melt the butter and brown sugar. Wisk the mixture and let boil for a few minutes.**
- **Pour the mixture over the saltines and spread out. Bake in oven for 5 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle with chocolate chips and let it sit.**
- **Spread the chocolate out over the saltines and sprinkle toppings of your choice and let harden. Cut into pieces and serve!**

Needham's Notes



John Needham
Copperheads Historian
www.civilwarfactcheck.org



For all your patches and biking needs, call the Bikers Tailor!

HQ Merchandise available

Contact your state captains to purchase. Contact info is located on the website.

www.copperheadnational.org

**Merry Christmas
& A Happy New Year!**

from The Copperhead Nation!





Every motorcycle rider writes his own story and makes his own journey. It's time to make that journey count.

Our nation's Confederate Heritage is under attack. In nearly every town square across Dixie, and even up North and out West, the symbols of our People are being removed. Our Founding Fathers' belief in States Rights is precisely what those brave Southern men and women sacrificed for. Our adversaries intend to destroy any monument to that legacy. It's damn well gone far enough.

We're gaining new members daily, with chapters in Maryland, South Carolina, Virginia, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, North Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Texas... and a *Ladies of Liberty* organization to support us. We're a family you'll surely recognize.

To join the Copperheads, Confederate ancestry is not a requirement. Being a true American is. If you have a motorcycle, if you are willing to saddle up and defend the memory of the Confederate soldier, and if you share our ancestors' desire for a limited government, we hope to hear from you soon.

Compatriots, we have the momentum, and we plan on keeping it. It's time for all of us to ride. Together.

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