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## 2014 MEETING OF THE MINDS

As I write this the 2014 Meeting of the Minds has not yet happened. As you read this, the 2014 Meeting of the Minds will have just concluded. So, here we are, locked up with Schrodinger's cat, therefore the verschrankung, and nothing new to report. We have..., er, had 44 volunteers step up before the event kicked off and we would like to thank all of those who have helped in any way whatsoever in making the 30th MOTM the success we know it will be..., er, was. Thanks to those who were not able to attend, yet saw the importance of the event and sent auction items, supplies, etc. Look in the next issue of the Freedom Press for the full wrap-up report.

Martin

## 2015 FEW Seminar

Okay folks it's time to throw it into overdrive and begin the preparations for the 2015 FEW Seminar. With all the other major events FORR has had on its plate, this committee has been sharing their time and energy but it's time to turn our attention to the first chapter of 2015.

This year's theme is Where Do We Go From Here? In 2014 we learned where we came from and saw a renewal of the spirit which founded Freedom of Road Riders. 2015 will allow us to bring to the table all we've learned from events such as the Meeting of the Minds and Mid-south Mile. Knowledge is power and in this case we've had the opportunity to network with like minds from around the globe. The FEW is a membership event and this is our opportunity to share wisdom from some of the finest legislative advocates available in any motorcycle rights organization.

The location has been secured at the VFW Post 280, 1509 Ashley Street, Columbia Missouri. Last year we saw record attendance to the point of not having any more room to set up tables. This location is larger and includes a back area suitable for setting up the auction items. In short, we won't be stacking people like cord wood you'll actually be able to sit a table to eat instead of balancing your plate and hoping the food makes it to your mouth.

Speaking of food, the VFW offers breakfast at \$5.00 until 11:00 am. In past years we have had to use the catering services of the hosting facility, not so for 2015. While this gives us flexibility in what we eat it also presents a couple of challenges. Breakfast and dinner are covered but if we wish to offer lunch to allow everyone to visit and play games during this break period we will have to consider whether or not to approach a local business for instance a motorcycle dealership or plan on having it catered. Dinner will be provided by the VFW, and the menu will be similar to last years with the exception of desert – angel food cake with topping! The decision on the color of patches has been made and the choice is; red, white and blue. Helen Wesson of L10 is the creative genius behind this choice. We have no doubt they will represent everything FORR and the FEW are all about. Because we ran short and the volunteers had to sell their own patches we've decided to order 100 for 2015. We will also have leftover patches available from previous years for those wishing to update any they may have missed. Debra John, L31 has volunteered to cover the sale of patches and she'll be set up at a table close to registration.

Registration will again be handled by J. Jack Flagg and his lady of L25. Pre-registration remains at \$15.00 per person up to December 15, 2014, this will include the seminar, banquet, auctions and entertainment. You will be able to register at the door for \$20.00 but we can't guarantee food. (We had nothing left over from two meals in 2014.) Because we have an extra session for 2015 registration will begin at 7:30 am. While this committee is not one to melt down over the agenda being less than absolutely by the book we will have a full day. We hope the earlier check in time will allow us ample time to enjoy each other and all the FEW has come to mean.

Melinda Lewis, L19 and Tina Hall, L9 will be our "cruise directors" after

you check in with Jack and Kim. These two have a scary energy level and we hope the power grid of Columbia is up to the challenge. They will be available to answer questions, help you find a seat and insure you have the attendance package outlining the event plus any educational materials provided by the speakers.

The agenda is as follows:

- 7:30-9 Sign in-registration and opening ceremony
- 9-9:45 Meaning of Membership
  - Adam "Ratwinger" Brown L24
  - Mike "Taz" Moeller L28
- 10-10:45 Leadership by Example
  - George Reitzel L16
  - Martin King L16
- 11-11:45 Legislative Process
  - Presenters to be announced after November CC
- 11:45-1 Lunch including slide show of Local submissions and door prizes
- 1-1:45 Self Governance
- 2-2:45 Safety Presentation
- 3-3:45 FORR Your Information
  - BL McDonnell L13
  - Smokey Strodman L12
- 4-5:00 Terry Lee Cook L00
  - His call, we have unwavering confidence in you brother
- 5-6 Happy Hour
  - Let the games begin
- 6-Close Banquet, both silent and live auctions and games
  - (The co-chairs insist this event be fun as well as educational)
  - Vinetta Garnett, L9 and Valerie Taylor, L13 made eye contact and ended up in charge of the money this year. Kim Archer, L13 has agreed to be the official photographer for this event. Be warned if she wants the shot she's not above climbing over you to get it.
  - Deanna Rhodes, L10 and Roy "Cowboy" Hoard, L33 are an extraordinary auction team. Remember we will be calling for auction items. We also had baked items courtesy of Linda Hawkins, L35 last year. If the membership decides to bake, we'll do a separate auction during the lunch break so everyone has a chance to enjoy the "goodies". The deadline for award submissions has been moved up to October 31, 2014. Some of these awards are exclusive to the FEW Seminar and are as follows:
    1. Power House Award-Submissions are from the Locals themselves and honor those members, both men and women, who go the extra mile to keep the wheels of the Locals turning. This award is a certificate and the letter of submission to the recipient. Submit to Melanie Coy, mscoy@netzero.com
    2. Young Engineer-This is the equivalent of the Engineer of Freedom Award but is in recognition of members 17 and under who set the standards for the next generation of freedom fighters. Submit to Melanie Coy, mscoy@netzero.com

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4. Engineer of Freedom-Last year we awarded this recognition at the FEW as well as the CC meeting the following day. It is our hope we can do this again this year. The process for this special presentation will follow the standard procedure for submission found in the back of the Freedom Press. These submissions go to the corporate secretary, Cheryl Singleton, [secretary@forr.net](mailto:secretary@forr.net)

5 The Buck Stops Here-This is the highest award presented to a Freedom of Road Riders member. It includes a Missouri state flag which has been flown over our state capital and a special patch. This award is decided by the previous recipients with the previous year's recipient handling the honor of presentation. This is in recognition of those members who exemplify excellence in legislative advocacy. Submit to Mike "Taz" Moeller, [moellers1@windstream.net](mailto:moellers1@windstream.net)

The rules for this event stand as they did last year; Pride, Respect, Honor and Do Unto Others. We are all leaders by example in this organization and as such we have an obligation to insure we stand by our oath of promoting brother and sisterhood as mentioned in the mission statement of Freedom of Road Riders.

Look for updates on the plans for the FEW in the next issues of the Freedom Press but ALL committee members and anyone interested in the 2015 FEW are encouraged to attend the November Central Committee meeting on Saturday. This will be the only face to face meeting of this committee and we will have much to discuss. I can't say it enough, the FEW belongs to the FORR membership and it will take the entire membership to insure the next chapter in our history is the best to date.

Susan Lockhart, L25, co-chair  
Melanie Coy, L16, co-chair

## Notes from Bill

The Mid Missouri Motorcycle Rally is over and it was a very good time had by every one that attended. We had some pretty good bands and the field events and bike show went off without too much trouble. The ATV games were very good this year with the rodeo being put on in the arena on Saturday and the dirt drags on Sunday they didn't last very long since the attendance was down there was only a few entry's so it went pretty fast but they were drags so they were supposed to go fast . We had bands all three nights and they all sounded very good, but I could be a little bias since I did book them. With the attendance was down the few that were there we had to work harder to make it go off without any problems and they deserve a big hand and a pat on the back .Thank you very much for all that everyone involved did to make it ne a very good event .

The primary elections are over and the November elections are right around the corner. The new list is on the web site with who is running in your district. Please take a look to see who is running in your area. There are lot of districts already decided with only one person are only with people in one party running. So take a look who is running and get in touch with them and just say hello. There are a few candidates having fund raisers so get out and support them.

By the time you read this the Meeting of the Minds will be over thanks to everyone who helped with this event and made it a success. The Mid South Mile is just around the corner and will be the next big event coming up. Please make plans to go. This is a very good time and will be held in Kansas.

It has been a good summer. Hopefully everyone had lots of fun. I know I have with the highlight of my summer with a trip to Italy. It was a good visit with my son and seeing lots of sights. Venice, Rome, and Peza was the high lights of the trip.

Ride Free  
Bill Kempker

## LOCAL 1 - WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.**

**VFW Post 5765, 9642 Old Hwy 40, Odessa 64076**

**Contact: Rebel 816-850-4511 or Dallas 816-690-4200**

Hello all hope you are doing well. Can't complain about the weather this morning it was a cool 59, great for riding.

We are getting ready for our Dice Run as we speak. Thank you to all who helped in the preparation, we're hoping for a good turnout. We will have to report on this next time.

Not much to say right now, start making plans for District 4 Octoberfest the first weekend in October - IT'S WAY COOL!!!

Be safe out there and watch out for the other guy. Have a good one then have another.

Michelle 'Rebel' O'Connor #7157

## LOCAL 3 - TRUMAN LAKE

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1:30 p.m.**

**VFW Post 4197, Rt Tt, Osceola, MO**

**Contact: President: Dean Singleton 417-808-0286 or**

**Vice-President: Ray Burns 417-324-5596**

## LOCAL 5 - SOUTH KANSAS CITY

**Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 2 p.m.**

**VFW Post 1829 at 5904 Crystal in KCMO.**

**Contact: 816-942-7507 or the VFW Post 816-921-2222**

Greetings Brothers & Sisters,

L-5 is preparing for the Meeting of the Minds event in September at the Embassy Hotel near KCI airport. The hospitality room will be a western saloon theme complete with swinging doors, bar, cowboys and cowgirls. Rebecca reported that she has costumes ranging from x-small to 4X for any volunteers who want to help out.

FORR District-4 2014 Octoberfest will take place as scheduled at the Thunder Valley Sand Drags October 3rd through the 5th; gates will open Friday at 4 PM. It was reported that rumors abound on Facebook that this event has been cancelled; they are FALSE! The bathrooms, band, food vendor, and golf carts for security have been secured for this event. We have 5-T-shirt and 5 trophy sponsors so far but, we need as many as possible prior to this event the forms will be available at our next meeting. L-5 headed security last year for this event so another local will need to step-up as this position is still open.

This year's Toy-Run will begin at VFW Post 1829, 5904 Crystal Ave, KCMO, on Sunday November 2nd. The VFW Post 1829 serves an all-you-can-eat breakfast for \$7.00 beginning at 8:00 AM to noon every Sunday morning so come early and eat before the run. This year's Toy

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Run Road Captain will be Brother Jack Garrison; I have had this honor for the last two years and wish him success and my thanks to all who participate in this run for the children.

I would like to congratulate L-5's newest life members Liz Doolittle and our Local 5 webmaster Steve Fifer. L-5 now has 19 life members out of 46 members or 41% of our local.

I will not be making any Bug-Juice for this year's Octoberfest. All L-5 members should bring their own beverages this year; we will still have our Saturday night dinner. Please bring a covered dish and the meat will be pre-prepared as usual. We will begin set-up in the same location we have had the last two years and on Thursday, will be making a wood run for our campsite. Volunteers will be needed to transport supplies and you can spend the night if you plan on working on Friday helping set up. Until Next Month Ride Safe! Angel

## **LOCAL 6 - ST. JOSEPH**

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 12:30 p.m.**  
**VFW #1668, 821 N 4th St., St. Joseph**  
**Dan Harmon 816-387-1095**

Howdy Folks,  
 August 24, 2014

Talk about an Indian Summer! We are enjoying the extra riding time though.

Joe, Kenny, Scott, Rick, and Danny rode to Bedford Iowa, which is the "Over the Border" Rally, for July the 4th. They had a really good time and the weather was cooperative the whole time.

On July 27th, a Memorial Run for Jessie Trump was held in Kansas. This was a 95 mile Poker Run and all proceeds went to the "Wounded Warriors" Foundation. There were 88 motorcycles and over half were double riders. This will now be an Annual event for several years. If you are interested in participating in this event, it will take place at roughly the same time next year. This was not a FORR Inc. event. Several members of Local 6 are having a Birthday the month of August, there are so many that we can't remember all the names. So, if your Birthday is in August, Happy Birthday!

The VFW Post 2172, Frank Frazier Post, Gallatin, MO. hosted the "Moving Wall" Vietnam War Memorial, from August 22 until August 25, 2014. Two members from Local 6, Brother and Sister, were proud that their Father played Taps at the opening dedication. He served two tours in Vietnam with the Navy. They held a Flag presentation and the Colors were posted, all Branches were represented. There was a large turnout for the entire event.

16 members from Local 6 along with Friends and Family, rode out to support this event in Gallatin, MO. It was a beautiful ride, event, and we sat down and had a meal together.

Riders were: Roy Proctor, Barry and Audrey Parks, Theresa Scroggins, Girard Frakes (Swede), Gyla Adamson, John Taylor (JT), Gary Stamper, Jim Cross, Mike Jarrett, Meryl Watkins, Larry Jackson, Ryan Smith (Ryno), Sam Williams (Thumper), John Tiffany, Sean Barnes, Dan Harmon, and Bill and Beth Gimse.

THIS WAS NOT A FREEDOM OF THE ROAD RIDERS EVENT.  
 Until We Meet Again, Happy Trail,  
 Beth and Dan

## **LOCAL 7 - LEBANON**

**Meetings: 1st Sunday @ 4 p.m.**  
**Ollie's, 12940 Hwy 64, Lebanon, MO 65536**  
**Contact: Robert 417-426-5627**

## **LOCAL 8 - CHILLICOTHE**

**Meetings: 1st Sunday @ Noon. Carry-in Dinner, 1 p.m.**  
**(Call for info - location varies)**  
**Contact: 660-646-4197 or 660-646-8905**

Greetings from Awesome 8:

If you wonder why we are awesome, ask Treetop. A group of us went to MidMo Rally in Sedalia. We were there to help where ever needed. From helping get the stage trailer down there, field events. and other places we were needed. We even sold give away tickets which one of our own won. You are welcome. You deserved it for all the food you supplied and cooked.

I think the rally went well. I liked the changes. Too bad there wasn't more people in field events but we had fun. We had a great time with every one.

Our delayed Spring Fling is a month away. The location is still the Boat Club 5 miles south of Chillicothe. RVs are limited to 30 footers. Call Glenda for more information @ 660-247-5713. Make this your last rally of the year. We have bands, showers and shade. Open fires are permitted.

Some of us are looking forward to State Line Rally in two weeks. Locals 26, 8, and 19 all participate in this great time. 25 years with thousands of bikers getting together from at least three states. The river ride is awesome and the company is the best.

We will end our ride in meetings in Oct. Watch emails for location of Nov. meeting. Election of officers will come up soon, so think about who you want to run our local next year.

Eight is Great  
 Foxy Gma



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**LOCAL 9 - KEARNEY**

Meetings: 4th Tuesday @ 7 pm  
 Kearney VFW 5717, 301 W Washington, Kearney, MO  
 Contact: Rob Hull 816-550-8162

**LOCAL 10 - JEFFERSON CITY**

Meetings: 3rd Thursday @ 7:00 p.m.  
 Twin Bridges Bar & Grill, 3 Miles South of Jefferson  
 City on Hwy 54 & Junction CC  
 Contact: Dale Thomas 573-694-0074 or Denise Taylor  
 573-353-4127

Greetings from Local 10! I hope you are all psyched and ready for our "Barrel Day/Dance" set for Saturday, October 25 ~ Twin Bridges Bar & Grill (See attached Flyer). Hopefully, this will be the best one ever! Reminder... this will NOT be a Halloween Costume event since Halloween falls on the following Friday and Twin Bridges is planning their own Halloween Costume Party.

Also, mark your calendars for Saturday, November 1st for our "Toys for Tots Annual Toy Run"...meeting on the South Side of the Capitol Building with a parade leaving by Noon to the Marine Corps League - Apache Flats for Chili! (See attached Flyer).

K-Mart has asked us to set-up a booth in their parking lot on October 4th & 5th from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. each day for a "Motorcycle Safety Event"! Please be there to show your support!!!!

For all of you Facebook people, keep checking FORR - Local 10 Facebook page and Freedom of Road Riders (FORR) - Local 10 group page for upcoming events and just news in general. I do my best to keep the pages updated with events, photos and files. If you would like to be added to the group, send me a request and I will get you added

as soon as I see your request.

LET'S RIDE!!

Denise Taylor  
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**LOCAL 11 - SOUTHWEST MISSOURI**

Meetings: 4th Sunday @ 3 p.m.  
 Carthage Family Restaurant, 125 N Garrison Ave,  
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**LOCAL 12 - GLASGOW**

Meetings: First Sunday @ 3:00 p.m.  
 Kuemmel Park., Glasgow  
 Contact: 660-631-7324 or smokeystrodman1952@  
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Greetings again to everyone out in FORR-land from your friends at Local 12 on the banks of the big muddy MO river. We had some severe heat last week but are now getting some needed rain down here in Linn, hope everyone else is getting some of it, too. I went to KC to help my great friend and Brother Broke Dick on a brick repair job during the hottest part of the week. The hell with Weight Watchers and Jenny Craig, if you want to lose weight FAST try to keep up with Broke Dick while he's laying brick!

We haven't had a meeting since my last news in the Freedom Press but I want to again remind everyone that next year's Firecracker Classic dates have already been set. The FCC will be held on Friday, June 26th and Saturday, June 27th. Set-up and highway clean-up day will be on Thursday, the 25th, with our special pre-FCC meeting that evening. Folks, let's start making our plans now with work schedules and other responsibilities so we can have more help next year. There were not nearly enough Local 12 members there to help this year or attend the event and the ones that did work are some of our best members and we MUST NOT burn them out by putting all the weight on their shoulders again! For all of you who did show up and work, I thank you again for your dedication and perseverance. With the new date, I expect a much better crowd next year IF Mother Nature cooperates.

Last month Boz and Jude Lanning, David Kateman and I traveled to Local 13, Mexico's, Wonder Run and it was one of the best times I've had all year. The route was stunning, the games were a blast, the meal afterwards was fabulous, and we all got to see my #1 Brother, B.L. McDonnell, in drag! B.L. forgot his 6" spiked heels but otherwise had the

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**FREEDOM OF ROAD RIDERS® - LOCAL 10**

Toys for Tots ~ Barrel Day Dance

Saturday  
 7:00 P.M. until



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look nailed down with a long dress and wig, and water balloon ta-tas. The only thing that kind of queered (sorry, no pun intended) his act was his long beard but you still did a great job and were a great sport, Brother!

And get this: Local 12 brought home FOUR trophies! The trophies were absolutely wonderful, they were almost perfect replicas of Evolution engines with the award won signified by a plaque on the front valve cover. Boz won one of the big ones (and they were BIG!) for best score in the event, Boz and Jude won another big one for having the oldest bike there (1977 Harley Superglide), Jude won one of the smaller (but still very nice) awards for second lowest score and I also got one for lowest membership number (62). And finally, the best thing that happened during the whole event: my great friend and Brother Halfbreed was there to conduct the awards presentation and after dinner auction. 'Breed was in a terrible motorcycle accident last Spring and has been on a very long road to recovery but is now walking with a cane. His lovely wife Debbie, who, more than anyone else, nursed 'Breed back to health, was also there. Folks, if you want to believe in miracles and the triumph of the human spirit over the most enormous obstacle, just say "hi" to my Brother Halfbreed sometime. And if you want the best apple butter in the known universe, make friends with Debbie!

Fall riding, my favorite time of year, is just around the corner so let's get on our bikes and make the most of the best, but shortest, riding season of the year. Not long after you receive this newsletter Octoberfest, presented by district 4, will be happening and it is always a good time. Octoberfest is the original party that put FORR on the map and got this organization going and I always try to attend. How about it, Local 12 members? Who will be going with me?

This month's edition of the Local 12 news ends on a sad note. Many of you will remember Jesus Ayala, better known as the Burrito Man. Jesus was a fixture at almost all FORR events, including the Firecracker Classic. His Mexican food was wonderful and Jesus never gouged on the prices, either. The best thing I will remember about Jesus, besides his burritos, was that wonderful big toothy grin he always sported. R.I.P. Jesus, and there's someone else in Heaven with the same name that is going to be eating well forever with you in the fold.

Upcoming events:

Oct. 3rd-Oct. 5th- Octoberfest, sponsored by Dist. 4, Grain Valley, MO  
Oct. 5th- Local 12 regular meeting, Poodle's II Palms Restaurant and Lounge, Boonesboro

Nov. 2nd- Local 12 regular meeting, Poodle's II Palms Restaurant and Lounge, Boonesboro

If you have news you would like to see in the Freedom Press, call me at 660-631-7324 or e-mail me at [smokeystrodtman1952@gmail.com](mailto:smokeystrodtman1952@gmail.com) or see me at the meeting. Until next month.....be free, Smokey

## **LOCAL 13 - MEXICO**

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 3 p.m.**

**For further information about meetings or membership call 573-291-1465**

**Contact: 573-291-1465 or 573-881-7410**

Dear Brothers Sisters and friends of Local 13,

Hard to believe that fall is upon us, hoping everyone has a Happy Halloween. As we gear up for the season of giving I would like to thank all the people who came from all over the State to help raise money for the less fortunate children and their families in Mexico, by coming to and supporting us in the Wonder Run. Bill Kempker and Carl Hammond from Local 10. Smokey Strodtman, David Kateman, Boz and Jude Lanning from Local 12. Carol Harrison, Doug and Donna Hilburn from Local 14. Bob and Linda Hawkins from Local 35. Also Robert "Bear" Ingalsby of Local 00. We were so happy to have you and hope that you enjoyed the wonder of the Wonder Run. For those not able to attend you missed the grand finale at the last stop which I'm sure will be talked about for years to come. Our President BL McDonnell in drag sitting under a super soaker in our game called soak an officer. We were originally going to have each officer take their turn but when BL decided to add a little flair

to this event and we had to let him do it. Yes that is my way of saying I got out of it to the dismay of some. Needless to say there were stories of old told and many laughs all around. I am sure new memories were also made that I'm positive will go down in the books for years to come. It was a great day all the way around even with Mother Nature playing against us. People were in great spirits and there to support a cause that I hope we all would agree, is the main reason for this event every year. A special thank you to everyone who helped to put this event together. Everything was well planned and the food was most excellent without all of you it would not have been possible. Our Local members really acted as a family and I know our guests appreciated every detail. So thank you again, you guys rock.

Our Wonder Run winners are as follows:

Best Score- Boz Lanning Local 12

2nd place- Deena Hulén Local 14

3rd place- Robert "Bear" Ingalsby Local 00

4th place- Doug Clawson Local 13

Worst Score- Dan Hull Local 13

2nd place- Jude Lanning Local 12

Oldest Male Rider- Charles White An inspiration to us all at age 75 still riding and looking not a day of it as cool as ever.

Oldest Female Rider- Laura Williams Local 13

Youngest Rider- Alley Goff Our little giggle bug, she was a hoot and all smiles.

Oldest Bike- Boz and Jude Lanning with a 1977 Harley Local 12

Farthest Traveled- Robert "Bear" Ingalsby Local 00 He came all the way from 14 miles away of the Arkansas line. Now that is dedication in showing support for something we believe in, thank you so much Bear it was great to see you.

Lowest membership number- Smokey Strodtman Local 12

Highest Odometer reading- Bob Hawkins Local 35

The proceeds made from this event will all go towards the Betty Adams Memorial Toy Run which will be held November 1st this year. Again many

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thanks goes out to all who supported this event without you we could not have made our goal of helping those who need it the most.

I'd like to welcome our newest members to Local 13 Yolonda Bates, Rick Myers and Arnold Ankrom we are so happy you chose to be part of our Local family. Membership is very important to us in being able to do what we want done in Jefferson City. If you know someone who may be interested why not talk to them and invite them to a Local meeting. Maybe your not member yet, well I would be happy to help you become one. Please feel free to contact me anytime. I will do what I can to assist you, in anyway.

We hope that some Local 13 members can help support District 4's 2014 Octoberfest that will be held at The Thunder Valley Sand Drags in Grain Valley. Being held Oct. 3-5. As well Local 10's Barrel Day/Dance on October 25th, this is a Halloween costume dance and a lot of fun. Please bring a toy for the cover charge, this will be held at Twin Bridges Bar in Jefferson City. I can not stress enough how very important it is to help our fellow Brothers and Sisters of different Locals by attending their events it promotes Brotherhood throughout this wonderful Organization. Something we should all be mindful of.

Other upcoming events are:

- Oct. 3-5 -----Octoberfest District 4
- October 19th-----Local Meeting Plunkette Park @ 3:00 pm
- October 25th-----Halloween Party, Barrel Day/Dance Local 10 in Jefferson City
- November 1st-----Betty Adams Memorial Toy Run Starting at Missouri Veterans Home in Mexico sign up starting @ 11:00 am.
- November 16th-----Local Meeting Nominations Audrain County Courthouse @ 3:00 pm
- December 6th-----Christmas Party and Elections Masonic Lodge in Centralia time TBA

Until next time Live Life to the Fullest and be FORRever Free,  
Valerie Taylor

FORR Secretary/Membership Secretary/Newsletter  
FEW Committee Member/Web Master for Local 13

If you have questions or concerns, maybe just something you would like to see added to our newsletter please feel free to contact me at 573-291-1465 or [taylor.valerielocal13@yahoo.com](mailto:taylor.valerielocal13@yahoo.com)



## Local 13 Wonder Run



## LOCAL 14 - INDEPENDENCE

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.

VFW Post 3976 on Kentucky Rd. in Sugar Creek, Mo.

Contact: Joe Widmer 816-709-3618

Greetings fellow freedom fighters,

Our recent foray in to international stardom being behind us by the time you read this, I am sure our Missouri hospitality and ingenuity has pulled off the 2014 Meeting of the Minds. I look forward to sharing all that is fit to print in our November newsletter.

Closer to home, first a reminder that elections for Local 14's 2015 officers will begin in November and December with elections following those nominations. The new officers will step up January 1-ish (after the New Year), and your former officers will be sure they are properly trained and tutored. If you think you would like to hold an office, just do what the Scooter Tramp did at her second or third ever FORR meeting: She stepped up front and asked a group of 60 or so strangers to elect her to be their district representative, with knees shaking so badly she could hardly speak. The rest is history and a very sordid one with many and varied stories-all of which can be corroborated (right!). She will admit that standing up in front of Local 2 for the very first time was the beginning of a great love affair with political activism and brotherhood and sisterhood, not to mention learning and mastering speaking in public. Try it! she says. It will change your life. It made her afraid of nothing in a world that accepted her not because she was one gender or another but because she paid attention and learned from her elders and attempted to help lead the way for those who might follow her passion and commitment to freedom, safety and education for all motorcyclists on any kind of motorcycle. Options include President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Treasurer, Membership, District, Historian, Safety Officer, Product Line and other duties as assigned. So come one, join the fun before the positions get assigned to you because you weren't there. Dale Perrigo from Local 47 won the attendance prize in July and promptly returned his winnings to Local 14 treasury. Thank you, Dale, for your generosity. I hope we can return the favor soon.

There are many In Memory patches in our product line, up to 20 years' worth and we are currently offering all those patches for folks more than five years gone for a donation of your choosing, to anyone who would like them for your own memory tributes. Any remaining patches by the time of Octoberfest will be disposed of in a burning ceremony that weekend. We are still in need of donations for our annual Christmas Auction for needy families to be held the first Saturday in December. Furniture, electronics, dishes, appliances, pool tables, pools, decorations and sundry are welcome, but no clothes or shoes please. It was decided at the August meeting that 25% of events and the monthly attendance prize through December would be awarded to the committee for the additional family that we buy Christmas presents for so those monies do not come out of local member's pockets. It is important that we as a local provide funds for this worthy gift and not expect it to come out of local member's pockets.

Vinetta Garnett from Local 7 was injured in a motorcycle crash in September and has a long road to recovery but she is still among the living and for that we are grateful and pleased. God's Speed, Vinetta! We love you.

We have a pool tournament coming up October 18 at Side Pockets in Blue Springs. It is an 8-ball tournament, single elimination and blind draw. \$15.00 donation per person. For info contact Mike at 816-521-0881 or Joe at 816-709-3618.

In closing, I remind you that I have two maybe three newsletters left in me. I have had a year like no other and I am preparing to step back and let someone else capture the limelight and share their insight and spirit and ability and be the new, younger voice of Local 14. Someone please prepare themselves for writing an informative and interesting newsletter to keep us informed and entertained. I look forward to it.

Happy All Hallow's Eve and All Saint's Day and the Celtic New Year  
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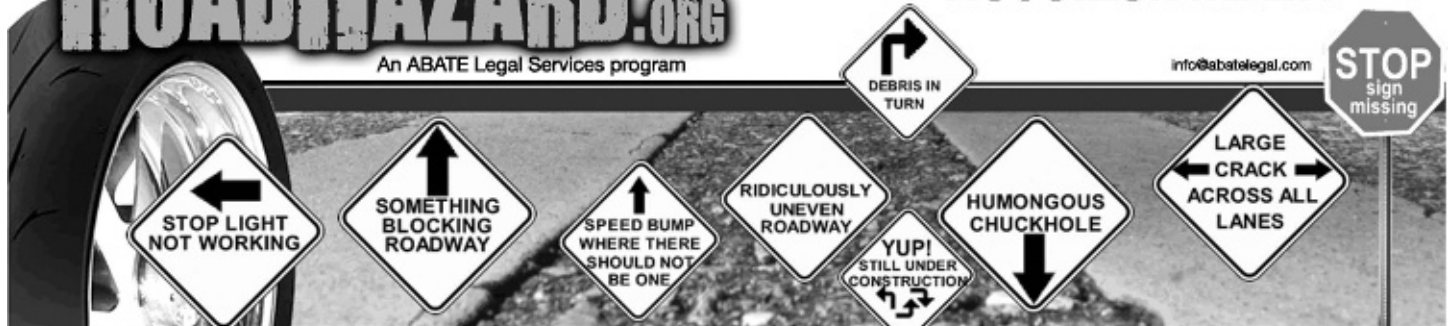


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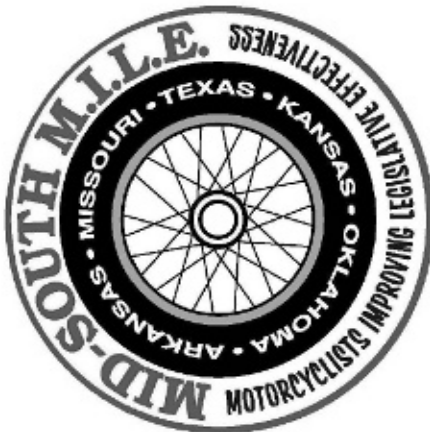
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# Fall Festival

## Chili Cook-Off

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- ❖ Chili Formally Judged at 1 pm
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10:30-1 pm
- ❖ Proceeds to benefit Camp Hope

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**October 25, 2014**

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and Mexican Dios de la Muertos (Day of the Dead). All of these celebrate our ancestors and their places among us. I celebrate life.

The Scooter Tramp

## LOCAL 15 - BRANSON

**Meetings: 3rd Monday @ 7 p.m.**

**Charlie's Steak & Ale, 3009 W Hwy 76, Branson**

**Contact: 417-334-0775**

Hi guys,

Fall is here and it is a beautiful time of year, I'm sure there are many of us that dread the cold and snow. But that is just reality when it comes to living in Missouri.

As you read this there may be a day or two before L 15's Swap Meet and Bike show. It's only \$5 to get in and no additional fee to show your bike. The gate opens at 7 am The judging is between 12-3 pm. Hope to see everyone there.

Our Stone Co. Toy Run is just around the corner, Oct. 5th. We meet at the Wal-Mart in Branson West at 1 pm. The ride ends at the Elks Club, there we will eat lunch and as always have drawings for door prizes. My husband always takes my daughter Joy. There's fun for everyone. This Toy Run, it's getting bigger and bigger every year.

Our Branson Toy Run is in Nov. We have changed the destination to the Elks Lodge in Forsyth. This has always been one of the largest Toy Runs in our state. There is also the Springfield Toy Run Dec. 7th. These are all very important events. A lot of families really need our help. Toys are always fun to give, but also think about coats, hats, gloves and even cash donations. Over the last decade or so, the image of a biker has changed when it comes to our love of family and caring for children. Please enjoy these rides and give generously.

Our next BS meeting will be at the Sweetwater Inn on Hwy 265. Oct. 7th I have never been there before. I think it's newly opened. I'm sure it will be a pretty ride. If you can, come on out and BS with us.

Remember the business meeting is always the 3rd Monday of the month and is still at Charlie's Steakhouse. We've been there over a year so far! Plenty to eat and drink and lots of room, so please mark your calendar and join us. We really could use your input on a lot of the decisions that will be made for important things like the Christmas Party.

That's all I have. Hope to see you soon, Lou

## LOCAL 16 - SEMO

**Meetings: (Call for meeting info)**

**Contact: Whitey 573-768-2524 or Danny 573-270-6430**

**Email - forrlocal16@gmail.com**

Fall is coming on strong and with the beginning of the month of October we anticipate the annual Louis Oswald Memorial Ride. This year the event will be October 11th beginning at Bill's Place in Biehle. This will not be a FORR event but an opportunity for the members to come together as brothers and sisters.

September was something of a blur so I apologize for not knowing at the time of this writing who to thank for hosting our September meeting. I will send a genuine expression of gratitude for all those who make L16 one of the best.

As we approach the month of November we will be working on plans for the Toy Run and recognition of our 30th anniversary. This is also a preview of the upcoming Christmas Dance which will again be held at the Perryville VFW. A little twist to this event will be our own vice-president including his band of music men will be providing the music.

I'm afraid this entry will be short as Martin and I prepare for the Meeting of the Minds in Kansas City. The next entry will be better I promise!

Until next time, rubber up, leather down and watch for those stupid bugs that don't know it's fall....

(The new photo for Local 16 was part of the pictures taken for submission to the FORR calendar. Thanks to Rook Photo for making this a successful day and to all those who proudly showed up to be immortalized.)

Melanie

# 10th ANNUAL STONE COUNTY TOY RUN

## Sunday October 5th, 2014

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**LOCAL 19 - KIRKSVILLE**

Meetings: First Saturday @ 6 pm  
Meeting Location Varies  
Contact: 660-988-1708

**LOCAL 20 - DEXTER**

Meetings: Last Sunday @ 1 p.m.  
Eagles Club on Hwy 25  
Contact: Mona Morgan 573-718-0428

**LOCAL 21 - ELDON**

Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 1 p.m.  
Contact: Dan @ 573-898-2291

**LOCAL 23 - LINCOLN COUNTY**

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 11 a.m.  
Main Street Cafe, 145 Main St, Old Monroe, MO 63369  
Contact: 636-665-5004

**LOCAL 24 - ST. LOUIS**

Meetings: 3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.  
VFW #3944, 10815 Midland Blvd, St. Louis, MO 63114  
Contact: Ken Lewis (314) 546-1624

Greeting Ghouls and Goblins!

Hope everyone made it through the summer without too many hiccups. Make sure you check over your ride before you leave the house.

Nominations and elections are right around the corner, now is your time to step up instead of sitting on the sidelines complaining about how the local is run or where it is going.

The local meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of the month, start time is 7:00 pm the location is VFW 3944 10815 midland in overland Missouri 63114. Need more info call local President at 314-546-1624 between the hours of 2:00 and 5:30 am are the preferred times to call Not much more than that is going on getting to be the slow time of the year.

If you have info on any rides or events going on please pass them on to the local president and he can get the word out and pass them on to the local 24 web page to share with the world.

<http://forr24org.webs.com/>

Check out the web page and see what you have been missing in the big STL area.

Have you signed up a member this month?

Have you left a membership trifold on a motorcycle in a parking lot?

Have you hung up trifolds at local dealerships, independent shops and watering holes?

It is up to YOU as a member to make this local grow!

Now is the time that we need to start thinking about the St. Patty's day massacre and the Blessing of the bikes.

It was discussed at the august meeting about making a new design for the Blessing t-shirt this year.

Watch your email for info on what is needed to be on the t-shirt and the deadline for when the design needs to be turned in so the local can

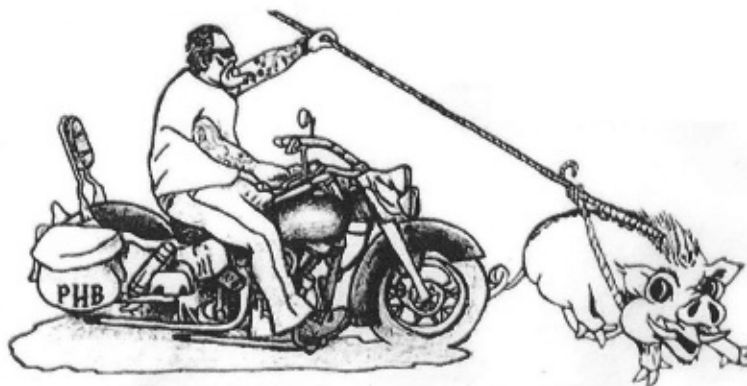
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See you at the next meeting, bring a friend!!!!

Louis Cypher

### LOCAL 25 - ST. PETERS

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1 p.m.**

**American Legion Post 313, 200 Main St., Olde Town at  
4-way stop in St. Peters, Mo. Contact: 636-299-3268**

### LOCAL 26 - MARYVILLE

**Meetings: 3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.**

*(Call for info location varies)*

**Contact: 660-582-4599**

### LOCAL 27 - SAC-OSAGE

**Meetings: 2nd Wednesday @ 6 p.m.**

**El' Rodeo, 306 E Jackson St, Bolivar, MO 65613**

**Contact:: Pres. Olin Meadors 417-399-1374; Vice-Pres.  
Leland Seymour 636-497-2814**

### LOCAL 28 - WAYNESVILLE

**Meetings: 1st Friday @ 7 p.m.**

**Pulaski Shriners Club.**

**Contact: President Larry Wheeler 573-586-7291, Vice  
President Steve Lincoln 573-337-9417, Shrine Club 573-  
774-545**

This time of year is always a little bittersweet for me. I love seeing the colors change on the trees, love the cooler temperatures, and love seeing all of the children going back to school. But, at the same time, it is a reminder that winter is just around the corner. I am a fair weather person and this means, that in just a little while, I will be hanging up my helmet. I do not like the cold! LOL! So, if you are like me, then remember to take the time and put away everything with a little due diligence. Put your bike in for service if it needs it. Check the trickle charger and make sure it works. Waterproof your equipment and store it for the winter. Do whatever it takes to protect your investment and prepare for the next riding season.

Fall is also the season for animals. They are storing up for the winter

or trying to move away from the hunters. If you are out on the roads, use a little caution. Drive slower than normal. A few extra minutes could save your life. Just the other night when we were going home, I encountered no less than six deer on the side of the road. One of them was even lying in the middle of the road. (I think it was soaking up the heat from the concrete.) Then there were the armadillos, the possum, the raccoon, and the unidentified animal that just stared at me as I drove by. Lots of opportunity there for some damage if I had not been going slower than normal. If you find yourself out after dark on your bike, give yourself a few extra minutes and take your time riding home. Arriving late is better than not arriving at all!

Fall is also the time for extreme changes in the weather; warm and sunny when you leave, rain during the ride, and cold when you get there. Take the time to pack the extra gear. We all know what it is like in Missouri – if you do not like the weather now, wait a little bit – it will change. Packing the leathers, your warm gloves, the rain gear, or an extra coat may seem silly when the temperature is 80 degrees, but it may be a life saver when you get to your destination.

The October Halloween Bash is coming up. We are going to need volunteers. We are looking for someone to take the lead on the Haunted House. There is a need for trailers, tractors and volunteers. We could also use some people with great imaginations who are willing to set up an area on the hay ride. Do not forget that we also need candy to give out to the kids. This is one of the few events that we do where we give the proceeds to the Shriners for the children. It takes all of us to pull off an event of this size. The more people that help, the better the event is. Officer elections are coming up, so start thinking of who you would like to nominate and vote for. The holiday season will be here before we know it. We will be asking for volunteers to help with the Toy Run and the collections at Wal-Mart.

Notes from this month's meeting:

Sorry, but there are no meeting notes from me this month. The newsletter has to be submitted before the meeting. Larry wanted me

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**LEAVES IN THE BREEZE**

**24TH ANNUAL POKER RUN**

**October 18, 2014**

**Starts at Terry and Kathy's Inn**

**3006 S Hwy 94 Defiance, MO**  
**(across the street from the Roadhouse)**

**Sign ups @ 11:00am with Kickstands up at 12:00!**  
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to remind everyone to start thinking about your officer nominations for next year. Elections are right around the corner. He would also like me to remind everyone that Christmas is right around the corner and we will be asking for more volunteers to work the Toy Run. For a complete listing of the minutes, visit the Facebook page.

If you want to reduce duplicate issues of the newsletter being sent to your home address, an email or letter needs to be sent to Dallas instructing her to do so. Dallas has also told me that we can create a form letter and consolidate names for removal of duplicate issues. If you are interested, please let me know and I will take care of this. You can find this information in the newsletter or contact one of the officers for more information.

- If you have not received an email or a card indicating that your membership is due for renewal, please contact Bill Calhoun at membership@local28forr.com.

- If your birthday or anniversary has not been announced at the local meetings, and you would like it to be, please contact Bill Calhoun at the meetings or send him an email at membership@local28forr.com. Check out the Local 28 FORR web site at <http://www.local28forr.com> or stop by and visit us on Face Book at <https://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Local-28-Freedom-Of-Road-Riders/119989188055150>

#### Upcoming Events:

- 3 October 2014 FORR Meeting
- 25 October 2014 Halloween Bash
- 7 November 2014 FORR Meeting
- 29 November 2014 Wal-Mart Toy Ride
- 5 December 2014 FORR Meeting
- 1 January 2015 Polar Bear Run

## LOCAL 29 - NORTH KANSAS CITY

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1 p.m.**

**Alamo Restaurant, 5010 NE Parvin Rd, KCMO**

**Contact: Paul McCormack 816-505-0526 or**

**Bob Neal 816-809-7184**

**Facebook: FORR Local 29**

August started out with several members of Local 29 going to Sturgis and staying at Chris' Camp in Spearfish. This was the 14th year that members of Local 29 have been staying there. There were over a dozen current and past members in our group. We also had other L-29 members scattered throughout the Sturgis area. As usual it was a great time for all. We saw all the major sights including Devil's Tower, Mount Rushmore, Crazy Horse, Custer State Park, Bear Butte, and of course downtown Sturgis. We went to Roughlock Falls, the final resting place of many bikers, including L-29 members Bob, Joe, and CC. There we paid our respects to them. On the way home we spent the night in Yankton, where we continued our tradition of eating at JoDeans's. Next year will be the 75th Sturgis and a tremendous crowd is expected. We already know of about 20 past and present members of Local 29 who are joining us at Chris' Camp for the big 75th.

Later in August a group of eight current and past members took a trip to South Missouri and spent a week working on and playing at our pavilion. We had an enjoyable week and ate at several excellent restaurants. Our new favorite is "The Hub" in St. Robert. It serves excellent authentic German food. If you go there be sure and try the Spaetzle with Gravy. The Hungarian Goulash is also excellent. We also cooked several fine meals at our camp. We ended the trip by having a meal for some of the Shriners. We dined on grilled chicken and pork steaks, baked potatoes, vegetables, and salad.

One of our past L-29 members was in a bad motorcycle accident the last weekend of August. We send our best wishes for a speedy recovery to Vinetta Garnett.

At our August meeting we had 15 members and 2 guests present. We conducted the usual business. Had Mike Grant been present he would have won the attendance incentive of \$80.00. It will go to \$90.00

for September. Our membership incentive was won by Janet Williams.

Ride safe.

Honest Bob

## LOCAL 30 - SPRINGFIELD/NIXA

**Meetings: 3rd Thursday @ 7 p.m.**

**Logan's Roadhouse, Battlefield Rd**

**Contact: Mark 417-887-2923**

## LOCAL 31 - ROLLA

**Meetings: Last Friday @ 7:00 p.m.**

**Location varies - call for info**

**Contacts: Debra John 573-647-0129 or**

**Sabrena Shivers 573-201-1385**


## LOCAL 33 - HWY. 50 WEST

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday, 1:00 p.m.**

**AM Vets on Hwy. 50, Just East of Knob Noster.**

**President - Bo Smith 660-441-0625**

Well as you read this fall will be upon us. That means there are some wonderful cool riding days ahead of us. But those cool days also bring with them some dangers so please all watch out and be careful in your ventures. Remember our four legged friends are also enjoying the cooler weather. Farmers will also be out actively harvesting the crops so watch out for tractors and grain trucks on the highways along with the associated dirt that can come along with the harvest. Most of all just please be careful, scan your surroundings, be aware and have fun as you enjoy the wonderful fall colors.



**18<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HALLOWEEN BASH**

Presented by Freedom of Road Riders® Local 28 & the Pulaski County Ft Wood Shrine Club, BSA and other organizations throughout the County


**OCT 25TH, 2014 6:30 – 9:30 pm**

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OK I know what I'm about to say will probably rub a few of you the wrong way but maybe, just maybe if you take a moment to think about it you'll also understand why these issues are like a bur under the saddle. I got the most recent issue of Motorcycle Consumer News and what's on the front cover but a pic of the Polaris Slingshot. The article is in my opinion appropriately titled "The outrageous Polaris Slingshot". This vehicle is legally classified as a motorcycle but in my opinion is anything but a motorcycle. It has three wheels, two in front and one behind. Side by side seating. The controls of a car - steering wheel, foot controlled clutch, brake and throttle and a center mounted gearshift. It also has conventional shoulder/lap seat belts. Rack and pinion steering, 105" wheelbase; weighs in at 1,743# for the standard model, has a car based four cylinder engine and has the driver err rider sitting a mere 11.5# off the road. What it doesn't have is a roof, windshield or doors. But my question to all of you is this - Is this a motorcycle? Should it be licensed and titled as one? Should they be included in motorcycle statistics? What about motorcycle license endorsement on one of these? Yeah brings up a lot of questions doesn't it. Right now the definition of a motorcycle is pretty vague and manufacturers are using the vagueness to come up with vehicles that can be classified as motorcycles (which by the way have different emission standards than cars, in many states, Missouri included, don't fall under lemon laws, may be a way to get the motorcycling public on to something "safer", etc....) but which may not be the standard two wheeled "motorcycle" we're all use to. Get where I'm going with this. I sure hope so because in my opinion this is something we really need to be concerned about. I know the MRF has looked at the definition of a motorcycle issue in the past and hasn't been able to come up with a good definition. Maybe it's time we all put our heads together on this and helped them define what is and is not a motorcycle.

Now on to issue number two and it's along the same lines as the other one. I was on my way to work the other morning and just at the top of the exit ramp there was an accident. Unfortunately it involved someone

on two wheels and a car. From all appearances the car made a left turn in front of the two wheeler but that's another story all together. What I want to talk about is the nature of the two wheeler. It was a small scooter. The back of the vehicle was facing me and there was no license plate on it. Didn't see any indication the rider was wearing a helmet. In fact the rider was wearing shorts, flip flops and a tank top. (Yeah I know a lot of motorcycle riders wear the same thing). The rider was obviously hurt and was being tended to by bystanders awaiting EMS arrival. I feel sorry for the individual that was hurt but at the same time I also see this as an accident that affects our statistics. These vehicles are not being licensed, the operators probably are not motorcycle qualified, may even not have a valid driver's license, probably are not carrying the minimum liability insurance coverage required by everyone else using our roadways, but when they are involved in an accident their statistics are charged as a motorcycle accident because they are a two wheeled motorized vehicle and there really isn't any other place to categorize them. The individuals riding these "scooters" don't see themselves as motorcyclists. They seem them as nothing more than motorized bicycles. However these individuals are being involved in traffic crashes and are being hurt as a result of those traffic crashes and the statistics from those crashes are being included in our data. Just something else to think about. Now that I've left you with a couple of things to think about here's one more. The general election is coming up really soon. I hope each of you have taken the time to get to know the person(s) your being asked to vote for. That you've looked over the various issues that are being placed on the ballot and are ready to exercise your constitutionally protected right to vote. NOW get out there and DO IT!

Until next time, see you down the road.

Kathy "BB" Garver

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**LOCAL 35 - GOLDEN VALLEY****Meetings: 4th Sunday @ 2 p.m.****VFW, 510 W Allen St, Clinton, MO 64735****Contact: Pat Green 660-885-6383**

Howdy to everyone out there is FORR land. Hope the world is treating everyone adequately. Try not to let the MAN beat you down &/or bust your a\$\$ for believing in and exercising your Constitutionally granted rights & privileges. I know it's a full time job but together we can do it.

This time of the year is fairly quite in the "Golden Valley" area but did have our annual "Fall Poker Run" earlier this month. I have to apologize as I don't have the winner listing at this time so it'll be included in next month's submission. The ride was nice, it was an evening run this time, and we ended up at Mallards (just west of Clinton). It's a nice place and I encourage anyone passing through Clinton to stop and try them.

One of our members, Ted Benson, has had some recent health issues which has prevented him from attending our local meetings. Hang in there Ted, we're all pulling for you. Please let us know if we can be of any assistance.

On an even sadder note, we recently had a member die. His name was Randy Nations. He was a member for (9) years and had just re-upped his membership. He was a really great person and he will be missed.

We had a FORR guest at our meeting this month. "Bear" from L33 showed up unexpectedly. Good to see you and thanks for coming. Tell those yahoos from L33 "thanks" for coming to the Poker Run. We appreciate it.

The Mid American Freedom Rally (MAFR) elected new officers and I'm the new Treasurer for next years rally. I had been one of our "Primaries" (there are (2) from each local required) for the last 4-1/2 years and this is my first foray into being part of the actual Committee itself. I'm looking forward to this new challenge and I hope I'm 92.74% as good as the person I am replacing (there's no sense showing her up the first year...). And by the way Cheryl, you're still evil!!

District 4's "October Fest" is coming up soon. Once again it's at the Grain Valley racetrack (the 3rd year there I believe). Hopefully the weather will cooperate and by this I mean the temperature (mostly). There have been some times it gets cold (frosty) but we try and brave it regardless.

That's all I have for now and I leave you all with this: two wrongs don't make a right but three rights make a left....

Pat Green, L35 President

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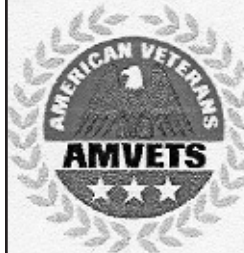
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**LOCAL 41 - CAMERON CROSSROADS**

**Meetings: 1st Thursday @ 7:00 p.m. - Call for location**  
**Contact: Steve Gallus 816-449-5037 or 2707 or Mike Sims 660-425-8340**

Hope everyone had a good time at State Rally. I didn't get to go this year because of family things going on. I haven't made it to very many meetings either. Got to take care of and support them kids. Kali is on varsity softball and doing good. Not letting her type 1 diabetes get her down. Pretty good for a Freshman. So proud of her. We have 5 kids in our household now. Ages 4,7,7,10 & 14. See why I don't have much spare time or money to ride. Thought about selling my bike, but that thought went away after a few seconds. Got to have some kind of get away even though it few and far between. I think my family put the FUN in dysfunctional .

How about our District Rally? I think we should move it to the first weekend of August. We could call it Didn't Go To Sturgis Blacktop Rally. Good weather nothing else going on in the State and it wouldn't be hard to match the attendance we got with the rally being in May. This is just my thought and not that of the Local or District. Give it some thought and remember we've been having very small turnouts any way so it couldn't be any less. If it was any less no one would show up.

Hope everyone is doing good. Have not heard of any thing going on except I think Bob got married. If not congrats if so Congrats. You guys make a very good couple and you make me happy being around you.

A news report said that couples who sleep in different beds are healthier so we bought some bunk beds. I feel better all ready and I found out I really do like it on top.

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**LOCAL 42 - FRANKLIN COUNTY**

**Meetings: Last Sunday @ 3:00 p.m.**  
**Pacific Eagle Small Meeting Room in Pacific, MO**  
**Contact: President - Kenny Williams 314-221-7164**

**LOCAL 47 - SOUTHERN PLATTE COUNTY**

**Meetings: 3rd Saturday, 11:00 am**  
**Dirk's Bar & Grill, 8132 NW Prairie View Rd, KCMO 64151 (also known as Platte Woods area)**  
**Contact: Russell 816-699-9309 or Jack 816-591-2497**

Starting out.....As newsletter editor I have a challenge to our local. In every newsletter I put lyrics to a song into it. Come to our meeting tell me the name of the song and you will receive a prize.... August 16,2014 Russell Felts called our meeting to order. It was all the same, only some names have changed. The funniest thing at our meeting was Sharon winning the I-Pad and she also won the first song prize....

We did A LOT of discussion about the Meeting of the Minds. People have been signing up for security shifts and helping where needed. This is a big deal people. It's in our city, let's make us proud. We're a cowboy, on a steel horse we ride... Russell and Ronda went to Local 29's meeting and they donated \$150 towards the Liberty Knife L47 purchased to donate to the Meeting of the Minds auction.

Dale Perrigo has been nominated for L47's Misfit Nominee....good luck Dale!

Octoberfest - October 3 - 5  
 Mid South Mile, Wichita, KS October 17th - 19th  
 Statewide Toy Run - Nov. 1st & 2nd

Local 47 had an absolute blast at the MMR. Thank you Jack, Jaimie, Justin, Cressa, Dale, LA, Barb, Norb, Linda, Russell and Ronda for coming out and working shifts. We also had guests Derrick and Dina camp with us from L14, Sunshine from L5 and John and Angie who will become

members if it kills them! Justin Felts cleaned up in the field events, winning 1st place in the Slow Race, Honey I'm Home, and Plank Race. Russell Felts won second place in Honey I'm Home and Balloon Toss with LA Ross and third place in the cone race with LA Ross. Jaimie Howell won 2nd in plank race and slow race. Someone told Ronda that they were a little concerned as to why both her husband and son were so good at the Honey I'm Home game. At the drags on Sunday, Dale Perrigo won first place in Baggers and Street Tires after a little snafu was settled in the beginning. In the Bike Show, Norb Wiederholdt won first place in the trike class with his big blue beast. If I left anyone out I am sorry. (Ronda)

Jack still has T shirts and hats. Please come and buy them. Welp that's about it folks.

If you're not laughing you're not living..... Nancy aka Skittles #12303

**DISTRICT 1**

**Meetings: 2nd Thursday**  
**Check with your local rep for location**

**DISTRICT 4**

**Meetings: 2nd Tuesday @ 7:00 pm**  
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**District 4**

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# Connections



## EPA Sends Ethanol Regulations to White House

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) sent its final regulations to the White House for Presidential approval, the Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) reports. This is the final step in the approval process before the mandate can be revealed.

Last year, the EPA proposed that the amount of ethanol to be produced by refiners actually be reduced over previous years. This plan to reduce the amount of ethanol being produced sent shockwaves through the energy community. Petroleum users lauded the proposal as a step in the right direction. The MRF testified at a hearing on the proposal in favor of lowering the amount of ethanol and in favor of doing away with the sale E-15. The MRF is also actively supporting legislation to halt the sale of E-15 fuels until further testing can be done.

The proposal was by far one the most controversial ever put forth by the EPA and received over 340,000 public comments. While the EPA announced the White House review, they did not release whether any changes were made to last year's proposal to lower the amount of ethanol to be produced. The EPA will release the final rule after the White House and other federal agencies weigh in. The White House has 90 days to review the proposal and issue a response.

The Motorcycle Riders Foundation will keep you informed on this issue.

The annual AMA member and business member meetings are part of the AMA National Convention. Held in partnership with the American International Motorcycle Expo at the Orange County Convention Center in Orlando, Fla., Oct. 16-19, the AMA National Convention includes the AMA Motorcycle Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. Information about the convention and induction ceremony can be found at [www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/amaconvention.aspx](http://www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/amaconvention.aspx).

Pickerington, Ohio: The AMA is pleased to announce a full slate of informative seminars for motorcyclists at its upcoming national convention in Orlando, Fla., Oct. 16-19.

Held in partnership with the American International Motorcycle Expo at the Orange County Convention Center, the 2014 AMA National Convention provides something for every AMA member, including a front-row seat for all the latest in motorcycles, gear, gadgets and gizmos at the AIMExpo.

Registration for a variety of ticket-value options for the AMA National Convention is available now at [www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention.aspx](http://www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention.aspx).

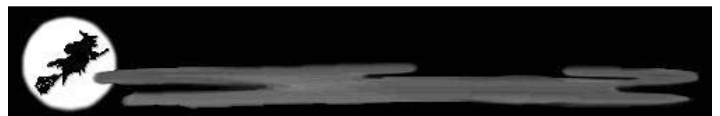
Full seminar descriptions are available at [www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention/AMAConventionSeminars.aspx](http://www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention/AMAConventionSeminars.aspx).

The 2014 AMA National Convention also includes the annual AMA member meeting, the annual business member meeting, organized rides and the 2014 AMA Motorcycle Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. The Friday evening induction ceremony, one of motorcycling's most impressive events, will welcome seven new members into the AMA Motorcycle Hall of Fame:

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The AMA National Convention offers several ticket packages for attending one or more events, with an all-event value package and discounts for AMA members. Online registration for the 2014 AMA National Convention is available at [www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention.aspx](http://www.americanmotorcyclist.com/events/AMAConvention.aspx).

Join the conversation! Follow along with us at #AIMExpoAMA to get the latest updates on activities, contests, and promotions at the 2014 AMA National Convention. Don't forget to connect with us too! [Facebook.com/AmericanMotorcyclist](https://www.facebook.com/AmericanMotorcyclist) and @ama\_riding on Twitter and Instagram. Join us in Orlando as we learn, ride and celebrate motorcycling together!



## AMA News

Pickerington, Ohio: The AMA is pleased to announce that two candidates for two open seats on the AMA Board of Directors will appear on the ballot at the AMA business member meeting on Friday, Oct. 17, in Orlando, Fla. In addition, a third at-large member will go before the AMA membership for ratification.

Robert Pearce, vice president of operations at KTM North America, and Paul Puma, commercial leader for GE Capital Solutions' Motorsport Group, will stand for election to full, three-year terms at the business member meeting. Jeff Skeen, CEO of Affinity Development Group, has been appointed as an at-large member of the AMA Board of Directors. Ratification for Skeen's position will be sought from the AMA membership at the individual member meeting.

The AMA also announces that Cobra Motorcycle CEO Sean Hilbert has left the board to focus on new growth opportunities for his company. Pearce has been appointed to fill the seat vacated by Hilbert in the interim.

## NOTICE To All Locals

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## Calendar of Events

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### OCTOBER

- 3-5 District 4 Octoberfest 816-536-1647
- 3-5 Local 8 Chillicothe Spring Fling 660-247-5713
- 5 Local 15 Branson Stone County Toy Run 417-334-0775
- 11 Local 11 SW Missouri Fun for Kids Day 417-310-7728
- 12 Local 33 Hwy 50 West Adopt-A-Family Color Run  
660-441-0625
- 18 Local 25 St Peters Leaves in the Breeze 636-358-5236
- 18 Local 14 Independence Pool Tournament 816-582-0881
- 25 Local 28 Waynesville Halloween Bash 573-586-7291
- 25 Local 10 Jefferson City Barrel Day Dance 573-694-0074

### NOVEMBER

- 1-2 Central Committee Statewide Toy Run 800-309-7433
- 1 Local 10 Jefferson City Toy Run 573-694-0074
- 1 Local 11 SW Missouri Toy Run 417-825-0766
- 2 Local 33 Hwy 50 West Toy Run 660-441-0625
- 2 Local 15 Branson Toy Run 417-334-0775
- 2 Local 42 Franklin Cty Toy Run 314-221-7164
- 2 Local 11 SW Missouri Joplin Toy Run 417-825-0766
- 29 Local 28 Waynesville Christmas at Wal-Mart 573-586-7291

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