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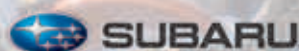
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Well summer is in full swing now. The events are coming in left and right, the bike nights have all officially kicked off and the Ride n' Win contest is in effect. Oh yea, time for some FREE stuff and time to RIDE! So please make sure to sign-up for your FREE Ride Card if you haven't yet or dust off your old one if you haven't gotten it out yet (remember they DO NOT EXPIRE- so once you sign-up you can use it year after year) and get checking in at the Stops! Some places had a great turn-out and had many check-ins last month, but some did not and that is not what I like to see at all, because that means that a prize was not able to be given away and an awesome Ride Stop was not checked out! We have personally selected these Registration/Ride Stops, because they ROCK! So please get on your bad motor scooters and Ride to these places and show them your Ride Card so you can get your paws on some FREE STUFF!

Hey it's July by the way, and there's a lot of great events happening this month, so be sure to take a look at the event calendar and also the Official Ride Card Event Stops page for July and come by and say hi and check-in with your Free Ride Card. We also have a lot of great articles in this issue and hope you enjoy them! I hope everyone has a safe and fun Fourth of July, wherever you may be this holiday, don't forget what this day is truly about- our Declaration of Independence was adopted by the Continental Congress way back in 1776. It also so happens to be the day I was born and this year marks a pretty big birthday for me, turning the big 40, which I am not ready for as I want to stay 39 as long as possible ha ha. Nevertheless, it's a part of life, so not much I can do about it.

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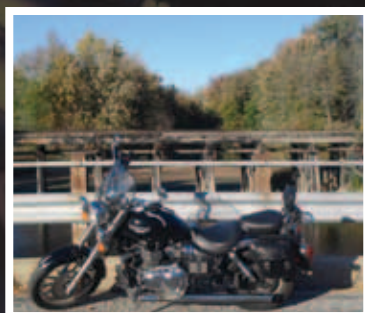
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Rick Robison



My 1968 Triumph Bonneville

As a young kid growing up on a farm I had a mini bike. First, it was a 100cc Suzuki, then a 500cc Honda, then my 1968 Bonneville and then I picked up a 650 Triumph. Eventually, I ended up owning a couple of Harleys as well. Then one day, I noticed that Triumph had started making bikes again. I saw this 2007 Triumph America, and since I had always liked my Triumph, I just had to get one. I spent my summers ridin' the roads looking for events, festivals and concerts in Northern Michigan to ride to. I just recently got back in touch with a friend of mine that had joined the Marines with me out of High School and is a first time bike rider. So now we ride and reminisce.



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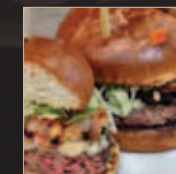
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White House's Promised Veterans Complaint Line Goes Live

President Trump's long-promised hotline for veteran complaints of officially launched, but questions remain about the long-term plans for the new resource.

The phone line — live now at 855-948-2311 — is designed to “collect, process and respond to the complaints of individual veterans in a responsive, timely and accountable manner,” according to Department of Veterans Affairs officials.

VA Secretary David Shulkin described the initial rollout of the line as a soft launch, with “live-answer agents” receiving and processing some of the calls. He promised that by Aug. 15, the hotline will have continuous coverage from a live operator 24 hours a day, every day of the week. “This is something the president had talked about,” he told reporters. “We’re going to be testing that system starting tomorrow and fine-tuning it over the next several months.”

During the presidential campaign last year, Trump touted the hotline as a way for veterans to have a direct line to the commander in chief, and even suggested that he would answer it himself if the opportunity arose. “This could keep me very busy at night, folks,” he told a crowd of supporters during a July 26 rally last summer. “This will take the place of Twitter.”

Calls to the line will be kept confidential, but information will be shared with VA officials, and in some cases veterans will be asked to give personal information for responses to specific problems.

Lowe's Expands, Changes Its Military Discount Program

National home improvement retailer Lowe's has expanded its everyday military discount program to include all honorably discharged veterans, as of May. The chain also has expanded the 10 percent discount to Lowe's online shopping, which will include free parcel shipping. It will provide for faster checkout and add the ability to use the discount at self-checkout in stores, said Lowe's spokeswoman Karen Cobb.

But the procedure for getting the discount has changed: Active-duty service members, retirees and veterans must sign up online for the Lowe's personal shopping card to qualify for the discount. This is not a credit card.

www.lowes.com/mylowes/login?context=military

The site notes that Lowe's used a third party to verify eligibility for online enrollment, and may require additional documentation.

Spouses and dependent children up to age 18 can also get the discount, although the online signup process doesn't include an option for “spouses” or “children.” “The discount is linked to a MyLowe's account, which can be shared by a household,” said Megan Lewis, a Lowe's spokeswoman. “Once the service member signs up for the discount program, it will be linked to a MyLowe's card that can also be used by their spouse.”

Lowe's has offered discounts to military members and veterans for more than a decade. Previously, the 10 percent discount at Lowe's was available every day to active-duty service members, retired military and other veterans receiving VA benefits who showed their identification. For other honorably discharged veterans, the discount was limited to three days — Memorial Day, July 4 and Veterans Day.

“The verification process is designed to be a simplified one-time signup,” Lewis said. “Military and veteran customers can simply present their MyLowe's card at checkout rather than show military credentials each time.”

Owosso Community Comes Together to Renovate Disabled Veteran's Home

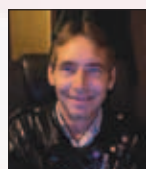
A disabled military veteran received help with his crumbling home. People who saw his story on TV5 decided to pitch in with a major renovation. “I'm a little overwhelmed. It's surprising. It's awesome. He's gonna come home to a new home,” said John Shack, Gregory's son.

It is a happy ending, or as some would call it, a brand new beginning for the local disabled veteran. Shack's home was literally crumbling around him when TV5 first told his story. “The furnace and the plumbing. I know the floor was rotting from the plumbing in the kitchen. The cabinets were falling apart,” John Shack said.

Dozens of volunteers with the Home Depot worked hard to make some major repairs to his home. “We're going to be putting in a ramp for him so he can get out of the house, a new kitchen, appliances, flooring, paint, cleaning up the yard. Hopefully make this home a little better for him,” said Don Mandeville, district manager with Home Depot.

John Shack said his dad is in the hospital, but he can't wait to get out and come home to see all of the new improvements. “He is probably the crankiest patient. He's trying to get home so bad.” John said he is looking forward to seeing his dad's face when he walks into his newly renovated home for the first time. “I know he's going to be so surprised and overwhelmed with joy. He won't believe it. I can't wait to see his reaction when he comes home,” he said.

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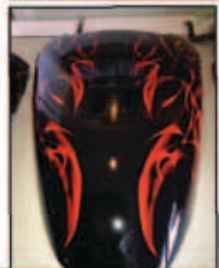
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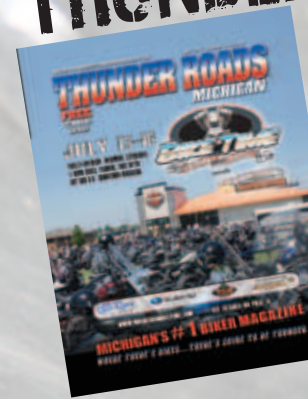
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WHAT IS THE MCCA?

I've given several speeches to motorcycle groups this year, and someone always has a question regarding the Michigan Catastrophic Claims Association (MCCA). Most of the people I talk to about it misunderstand what the MCCA is and what it does.

The MCCA's web site states "The Michigan Catastrophic Claims Association (MCCA), a private non-profit unincorporated association, was created by the state Legislature in 1978. Michigan's unique auto insurance no-fault law provides unlimited lifetime coverage for medical expenses, which result from auto accidents. The MCCA reimburses auto no-fault insurance companies for each Personal Injury Protection (PIP) medical claim paid in excess of a set amount. Currently that amount is \$545,000. That means that the insurance company pays the entire claim, but is reimbursed by the MCCA for medical costs over \$545,000."

"All auto insurance companies operating in Michigan are assessed to cover the catastrophic medical claims occurring in Michigan. Those assessments are generally passed on to auto insurance policyholders. The 2016-2017 assessment is \$160.00 per vehicle." Beginning July 1, 2017, the MCCA assessment to insurance companies will be \$170.00 per insured vehicle.

In layman's terms, that means that anyone who insures a vehicle, including a motorcycle, is assessed \$160 or \$170 after July 1, 2017. This money goes into the MCCA's fund for a pool of money to pay any claim that reaches \$545,000. The fund is used to reimburse insurance companies only. It is not used to pay the motorcycle victims.

As a citizen, you have no right to make a claim with the MCCA, even if you are the victim of a motor vehicle collision.

The MCCA's fund exists to protect insurance companies from having to handle a large amount of catastrophic claims involving vehicle crashes. Imagine if one insurance com-

pany receives the majority of these catastrophic claims. It would have to pay all of the claimed medical bills for life.

Theoretically, the company could go out of business if that happened. The MCCA helps mitigate this likelihood and helps insurance companies calculate their potential risk. For vehicle crashes in Michigan, insurance companies will never pay over \$545,000 for medical expenses.

Under the MCCA, motorcyclists are treated the same way as Michigan car owners. They're both assessed \$160. Some people argue that motorcyclists get shorted by having to pay this same \$160 assessment because many times motorcyclists aren't entitled to no-fault benefits after a crash.

How is that possible? The only time no-fault benefits are available to anyone is if a "motor vehicle" is "involved" in the crash. Believe it or not, under Michigan's no-fault law, a motorcycle isn't included in the definition of a "motor vehicle." To get benefits, a car, truck, van, or SUV must be "involved."

The MCCA doesn't exist to serve motorcyclists or help them file claims. It exists to protect insurance companies from paying too much.

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The JOKERS WILD

A man goes into a restaurant where all the waitresses are gorgeous.
 A particularly voluptuous waitress wearing a very short skirt comes to his table and asks, "What would you like, sir?" He looks at the menu, scans her beautiful frame top to bottom, and then answers, "A quickie." The waitress turns and walks away in disgust.
 After she regains her composure she returns and asks again, "What would you like, sir?" Again the man thoroughly checks her out and again answers, "A quickie, please."
 This time her anger takes over, she reaches over and slaps him across the face with a resounding SMACK! and storms away. A man sitting at the next table then leans over and whispers, "Um, I think it's pronounced 'quiche.'"

As a new, young MD doing his residency in OBGYN I was quite embarrassed when performing female pelvic exams. To cover my embarrassment I had unconsciously formed a habit of whistling softly.
 A very attractive young lady in her early 30's whom I was performing this exam on suddenly burst out laughing and further embarrassing me.
 I looked up from my work and sheepishly said... I'm sorry. Was I tickling you?
 She replied with tears running down her cheeks from laughing so hard ...
 'No doctor but the song you were whistling was...
 I wish I was an Oscar Meyer Wiener.'

Grandpa and Little Johnny are sitting on a bench in the park. Johnny asked, "Grandpa are you going to take that new Viagra?" Grandpa looks at him and says, "No Johnny, I will not." "But Grandpa, why?" asks little Johnny. Grandpa replies, "Because there is no sense in putting lead in your pencil if you have no one to write to."

A New York attorney representing a wealthy art collector called and spoke to his client, "Saul, I have some good news and some bad news."
 I met with your wife today, and she informed me that she invested \$5,000 in two pictures that she thinks will bring a minimum of \$15-20 million and I think she could be right."
 Saul replied enthusiastically, "Well done! My wife is a brilliant businesswoman!
 You've just made my day. Now I know I can handle the bad news. What is it?"
 The lawyer replied, "The pictures are of you with your Personal Assistant."

I was standing at the bar at the VFW one night minding my own business.
 This very large, totally sloppy drunk with smeared lipstick and mascara running down her face chick came up behind me, grabbed my butt and said, "You're kinda cute. You got a phone number?"
 I said, "Yeah, you got a pen?"
 She said, "Yeah, I got a pen".
 I said, "You better get back in it before the farmer misses you." Cost me 6 stitches..but,
 When you're seventy- five....who cares?

 I went to the drug store and told the clerk "Give me 3 packets of condoms, please."
 Lady Clerk: "Do you need a paper bag with that, sir?"
 I said "Nah... She's rough but I can actually look at her."
 She smacked me right in the face, but...
 When you're seventy- five....who cares?

 I was telling a woman in the Club about my ability to guess what day a woman was born just by feeling her breasts.
 "Really" she said, "Go on then... try."
 After about thirty seconds of fondling she began to lose patience and said, "Come on, what day was I born?"
 I said, "Yesterday." Cost me a kick in the groin, but...
 When you're seventy-fivewho cares?

I went to my VFW again last night and saw a BIG woman dancing on a table.
 I said, "Good legs."
 The girl giggled and said, "Do you really think so?"
 I said, "Definitely! Most tables would have collapsed by now."
 Cost me 6 more stitches,
 But, when you're seventy-fivewho cares?

A guy is walking down the street and sees Little Johnny smoking a cigarette.
 He says, "Kid, you're too young to smoke." Johnny looks up but doesn't say anything.
 The man asks, "Son, how old are you?" Little Johnny says, "Eleven."
 Stunned, the man says, "Seven!? When did you start smoking?"
 Johnny replies, "Right after the first time I had sex."
 "Right after the first time you had sex!?! the man exclaims. When was that?"
 Little Johnny ponders, "Gotta' say I honestly don't remember....I was majorly drunk".

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HISTORIC FEMALE RIDERS

Part 3

The following is the third in a four-part series showcasing 12 female riders with historic significance.

In Part I and Part II we introduced you to the duos of Effie & Avis Hotchkiss and Adeline & Augusta van Buren as well as the first female to win an AMA event Dorothy "Dot" Robinson, Iron Horse Motorcycle Club Founder Bessie Stringfield, Motor Maids Founder Linda Dugeau and the First Lady of Sturgis Pearl Hoel.

Terry Strong



Facts: Original Stunt Rider

Known as the 'Blonde Cyclone' this daredevil on two wheels made her name as part of stunt shows, performing in the motordome (often called the walls of death' in the 1940s. She was quite a looker and as a result was a very popular draw among the men in particular). It was her effect on the young ladies in the crowd that earns her a mention here. She was bold and beautiful and she rode a motorcycle in ways most men would never attempt. As a result she became a big deal in her heyday and even managed to be featured in Life Magazine in 1948.

Marcia Holley



Facts: First Female Member of the 200 mph Club

Marcia Holley made a name for herself as a stunt woman in Hollywood. She also happened to be an avid motorcycle rider who is also rumored to be the first female to finish the Baja 1000 and found herself in the inner-circle of the land speed racers, including Don Vesco. In the late 1970s, Holley was given an opportunity to ride Vesco's streamliner at Bonneville in an effort to reach 150-mph. She had never ridden at the Salt before and yet she clicked off a 180-mph run and was hooked on speed ever since. Her next real run took place in 1978 at an SCTA event a while later where she went 229-mph and became the first woman to officially break into the 200-mph club. At the time she was the fastest woman in the world, a record that stood for over 30 years. Holley still rides and can be seen at speed trials across the USA supporting other women as they strive to etch their names in the land speed racing record books.

In the last excerpt, we will introduce you to a recent Sturgis Hall of Fame member who also happens to be part of an aftermarket parts company and a Guinness Book of World Records record-holder.

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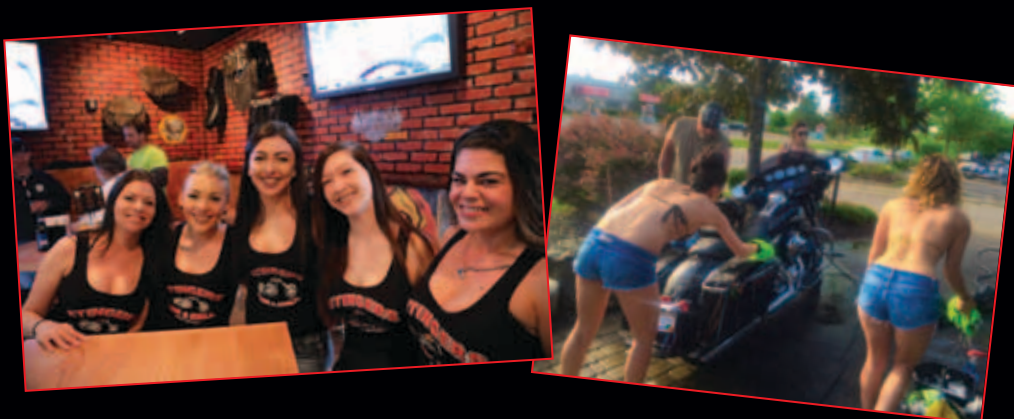
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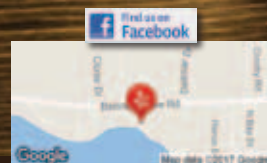
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Thunder Roads Michigan will also be registering riders for Ride Cards at specific events throughout the year as we distribute magazines. Key events; such as Harley Fest, Bikes on the Bricks or Bike Nights will have a special booth for Ride Card registrations. We will list these events each month on the Event Stops page in the magazine. In most cases, we will be offering special incentives to those checking in with their previously issued Ride Card at these stops.

Thunder Roads Michigan will also be working with charities and various non-profit events to include them in the Run schedule as well. This will be an easy means of encouraging participation and attracting riders from outside the local communities. In many cases, we will have specific prize drawings for those at these events.

The Ride Cards will allow participants to easily and safely check in at all stops. Some Thunder Roads Michigan Sponsors will also be offering discounts to readers that present the cards. Thunder Roads will be listing special discounts and offers in the magazine throughout the year as an added value to readers and means of encouraging our partners to offer these extra savings.

PLEASE NOTE: Once you have received your MICHIGAN RIDE CARD, you will not be asked to provide personal information or emails at any location for check-in. *You simply enter your ride card number!*

This is not simply a "Chinese fire drill" or mad-dash across the state. This is a Ride program. It is meant to be a means for readers to discover new riding destinations and enjoy the ride there. In fact, we have designed the program to encourage folks to break out of their local routes and trek to the furthest corners of the state.

Just Get Out & RIDE!

We want to keep things exciting for you – the readers and riders on the run. We're bikers and it's all about the ride. We want to help create fun experiences for you and share some cool spots in our state. We have designed this run to entertain and challenge our readers – as well as promote our partners. If you know a business that should be a Ride Stop or if you would like your business to be a Ride Stop or a sponsor, please email me at Editor@ThunderRoadsMichigan.com



RIDING OUT OF STATE? IF YOU RIDE TO PENNSYLVANIA, OHIO, INDIANA, DELAWARE, MARYLAND OR WASHINGTON DC MAKE SURE TO PICK UP A COPY OF THUNDER ROADS IN EACH STATE AND LOOK FOR A REGISTRATION STOP NEAR YOU TO REGISTER FOR THAT STATES RIDE CARD. THEN CHECK-IN AT ANY STOP LISTED IN THAT STATES ISSUE. YOU COULD WIN PRIZES IN EACH STATE!



LET'S RIDE!

2017 MICHIGAN THUNDER RUN RIDE N' WIN CONTEST

JULY 2017 STOPS MAP



EVENT STOPS



ALL STOPS



REG. FOR FREE RIDE CARD

**More Prizes!
More Sponsors!
More Chances
to Win!**



**RIDE SAFE
AND
RESPONSIBLY**



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JULY EVENT STOPS

LOCATION INDICATED ON MAP WITH A BLUE STAR



JULY 6-9

Detroit Motorcycle City

Sign up for a Free Ride Card or Check-in with Debra on 7/6- 7/7 Downtown at Hart Plaza, Detroit, MI. Bike show, parade, vendors, destination rides, storytelling competition, motorcycle art, many many live bands. For more info go to detroitmotorcyclecity.com

JULY 19-23

Ogemaw Hills Bike Week

Sign up for a Free Ride Card or Check-in with Jody Mo at vendor spot on 7/20-7/22

Ogemaw Co Fairgrounds, West Branch, MI. Vendors, live music, biker games, vintage bike show, tattoo contest & more. For more info go to Ogemawhillsbikeweek.com (See full page in this issue).

JULY 20-22

29th Annual Sandy Corley Memorial Run

Sign up for a Free Ride Card or Check-in with Bob at vendor spot Double JJ Resort, Rothbury, MI. \$60 in advance, \$10 pp per day, primitive camping, vendors, live music, beverage tent, bike giveaway, field events & more. Get your tickets early & save (See ad for details on advance tickets). Register to win a motorcycle (see ad). For more info see ad this issue.



JULY 22

BBQ, Bikes & Blues

Sign up for a Free Ride Card or Check-in with Debra 11am-1pm ABC HD, Waterford, MI. 11 am- 3 pm, bbq lunch, live music & giveaways. For more info call 248-674-3175 (See full page inside front cover this issue).

JULY 22

Traveling Bike Show

Sign up for a Free Ride Card or Check-in with Ray Noon-3pm Woody's Bancroft Tavern, Bancroft, MI. 11 am- 10 pm. Music, drinks, food, vendors, 50/50 & more, donations to homeless vets fund. For more info call 989-634-5455 (See ad this issue).



NEW!!! BONUS STOPS

All NEW ~ look for the **YELLOW STAR** by each of the Bonus Stops selected each month from The Stops List and check-in there for **BONUS PRIZES!!!**

More winners will be chosen and special prizes will be given (prizes may include sponsor prizes) and will also include special

Thunder Roads Fun Money and Gifts.

Spend \$10 minimum and **DOUBLE** your chances of winning!



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THE STOPS

For the month of July check-in at any of these stops (up to 1 time per week) and you could win the prize at that stop. Don't have a Ride card? You can sign-up for your FREE Ride Card at any of the stops listed with a Ride Card next to it (Ride Cards from previous years are still good as they do not expire). Then check-in at any stop with your Ride Card to win that prize. Make sure to pick up the next month's issue (or view the magazine online at www.ThunderRoadsMichigan.com) to see if your Ride Card number is listed as a winner from this month's stops. Sponsor prizes are randomly picked from event stops and stops listed below. **Special Inside Tip... some stops get many check-in's and some stops only get a couple of people that check-in each month, which means you have an excellent chance of winning! Still go to your favorite Ride Stops as well regardless, but also...My secret hint is try some place new that you haven't been to, they will be biker friendly, just show your Ride Card and just get out and Ride!**



NORTH

Hi-Way Inn

715 Kosciusko St, Manistee, MI 49660. (231) 398-9188 Hours: M-Sat 11- Close, Sun Noon-Close. 1 person wins a \$15 Gift Card each month. *Bike Nights Tuesday 5-9 pm. It's 5:00 Somewhere, Ice Cold Beer.*

Irish Pub

4709 F-41 Oscoda, MI 48750. (989) 739-5611 Hours: M-Sat 11- 2, Sun Noon- 2. 1 person wins a t-shirt. Check-in here and get a spin on the "Spirit Wheel" for a drink special while there. *Family owned since 1980, Coldest Beer in Town, Sunday draft specials.*

Knoll View Golf

1020 E. Huron (US-23), Omer, MI 48749. (989) 876-4653 Hours: Daily 8 am- 9 pm. 1 person wins \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Saturday 4 pm- 9pm, patio seating, drink & food specials, family owned, draft beer, bikers welcome anytime*

Museum of Moses @ Vogel Store

9979 S. 8 mile Rd (Vogel center) McBain, MI 49657. (231) 825-2219 Hours: M-Sat 9:30 am-9 pm, Sun 9:30 am- 7 pm. 1 person wins 2 choices of hat, shirt, coozie, patch, misc. each month. *Awesome collection of vintage Harley's, hot food & drinks.*

Mr. Jack's Sports Bar & Grill

105 W. Westover St, East Tawas, MI 48730. (989) 305-6506 Hours: Open Every day 11-Midnight. 1 person wins a Mr. Jack's hat each month. *Check out our oven roasted sandwiches. Patio entertainment every Thursday night.*

Saganing Eagles Landing Casino

(*Special Daily Check-In Option)
2690 Worth Rd, Standish, MI 48658. (989) 775-5912 Hours: 24 hours/7 days a week. EVERY

RIDER (WITH RIDE CARD) MAY COME IN DAILY & FOR EVERY 300 POINTS EARNED THEY WILL RECEIVE \$10 IN PREMIUM PLAY (1 TIME EACH DAY MAXIMUM, GO TO THE PLAYERS CLUB TO RECEIVE PREMIUM PLAY).
Fun, exciting, great people.

Trail's End Pub

10141 N. Finley Lake Ave, Harrison, MI 48625. (989) 539-9644 Hours: 10-Midnight Every day. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Thursday with 20 oz. Steak specials, Tiki Bar, Special Bike Parking.*

Twisted Twinz Emporium

1131 West Lake St (Hwy 23), Tawas City, MI 48763. (989) 984-5200 Hours: M, W-Sat 10 am-7 pm, Closed Tues, Sun 10 am-3 pm. 1 person wins Twisted Twinz T-Shirt. *Family owned, 10 % off to military & anyone rolling up on a motorcycle.*

Wiltz's Brew Pub

5606 F 41, Oscoda, MI 48750. (989) 739-2231 Hours: M-F 10:30 am- 10 pm, Sat & Sun 8:30-10:30 pm. 1 person wins a collectors mug & t-shirt each month. *Bike Nights Monday, Trivia Wednesday Nights*

Zone 18 Bar & Grill

700 East Houghton Lake Dr, Prudenville, MI 48651. (989) 366-7750 Hours: M-Th 11 am- Midnight, Fri & Sat 11 am- 2:30 am, Sun Noon- Midnight. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Wednesday, 50 cent wings, Long Island Ice Tea specials.*



SOUTH

Adair Bar

8033 St. Clair Hwy, Casco, MI 48064. (810) 329-3056 Hours: 11 am- 2 am daily. 1 person wins a chicken dinner each month. *Great food, fish fry fri-sun.*

Allenton Tavern

759 Capac Rd, Allenton, MI 48002. (810) 395-8171 Hours: 11 am- 2 am daily. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Tuesday- Beer & Wing Specials*

Capitol Harley-Davidson

9550 Woodlane Dr, Dimondale, MI 48821. (517) 646-2345 Hours: M-F 9-6, Sat 10-3, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$50 gift card each month. *Lots of events, great scenic ride in the local area.*

Chaps Food & Spirits

23084 Main St, Armada, MI 48005. (586) 784-4500 Hours: Everyday 11 am- 2 am. 1 person wins \$25 gift card each month (good at all 3 locations). *Best Steak, Seafood & Burgers around.*

Chaps Food & Spirits

69294 Main St, Richmond, MI 48062. (586) 727-4500 Hours: Everyday 11 am- 2 am. 1 person wins \$25 gift card each month (good at all 3 locations). *Best Steak, Seafood & Burgers around.*

Chaps Food & Spirits

7860 Smiths Creek Rd, Wales, MI 48027. (810) 367-4500 Hours: Everyday 11 am- 2 am. 1 person wins \$25 gift card each month (good at all 3 locations). *Best Steak, Seafood & Burgers around.*

Coach's Pub & Grill

6201 Bishop Rd, Lansing, MI 48911. (517) 882-2013 Hours: 11 am- 2 am daily. 1 person wins a t-shirt each month. *Bike Nights Saturday, Big Deck, Great Food, Cold Beer.*

D & W Detroit Motorcycle

50662 Vandyke, Shelby Township, MI 48317. (586) 756-1284 Hours: M-F 10-7, Sat 10-4:30 pm, Closed Sun. 1 person wins an oil change & t-shirt each month. *Your New Dealership Alternative.*

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EAST

4 Corners Country Store

8892 Van Cleve Rd, Vassar, MI 48768. (989) 871-3120 Hours: Sun-Th 5am-10pm, Fri & Sat 5am-11pm. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card towards food each month. Plus free gift to everyone when they check in each month (1 per month). *Great food, cold beer, biker friendly, gift shop & Hersey hand-dip ice cream.*

Anschutz Café

212 E. Saginaw St (M-46), Breckenridge, MI 48832. (989) 481- 3333 Hours: M-Th 6 am- 10 pm, Fri & Sat 6 am- Midnight, Sun 8 am- 8 pm. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Wednesdays- stop in for awesome home cooked food, front & rear parking – easy access.*

Bay Shore Bar

9432 Bay City Forestville Rd, Fairgrove, MI 48733. (989) 895-9503 Hours: M-Th 10 am- 10 pm, Fri & Sat 10 am- 11 pm, Sun Noon- 9 pm. 1 person wins a \$10 gift card each month. *Bike Night Thursdays with DJ Mike- food & drink specials, waterfront patio.*

Castaways

3940 Boy Scout, Bay City, MI 48706. (989) 686-3558 Hours: M-Th 11am-12am, Fri & Sat 11am-2am, Sun 12pm-12am. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Bike night Tuesdays, great food on the water with outside deck.*

Cheers Pub

440 N. Saginaw St, Lapeer, MI 48446. (810) 667-3170 Hours: M, T & W 11-10, Th 11- Midnight, Fri 11 am- 2am, Sat Noon- 2 am, Sun Noon- 10 pm. 1 person wins apparel item or gift card each month. *Bike Nights Wednesday – food & drink specials, hand pattied/never frozen burgers.*

Ghost Town Saloon

6422 Pingree Rd, Elwell, MI 48832. (989) 463-4693 Hours: M-Sat 11 am- 10 pm or later (call), Sun Noon- 8 pm. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Saturday 6 pm with DJ Mike. Outdoor patio, horseshoe pits.*

Great Lakes Harley-Davidson

3850 S. Huron Rd (M-13), Bay City, MI 48706. (989) 686-0400 Hours: M-F 10-6, Sat 10-3, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Great selection of new/used bikes & accessories- located in the heart of the tri-cities.*

Firehouse Pub

232 Maple, Wyandotte, MI 48192. (734) 309-7080 Hours: Sun-Th 11 am- 11 pm, Fri & Sat 11 am- 2 am. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Wednesday, food & drink specials, unique menu, lots of craft beers, first responder & veteran discounts.*

Hunt's Hog Shop

3030 S. Cedar St, Lansing, MI 48910. (517) 394-7840 Hours: M-F 10-6, Sat 10-4, Sun Closed. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *We have been here for 28 years, honest & dependable.*

Jerry B's Cycle Works

25430 Harper Ave, St. Clair Shores, MI 48081. (586) 773- BIKE Hours: M-F 10-6, Sat 10-4, Sun Closed. 1 person wins a Jerry B's Cycle Works T-shirt each month. *Your Eastside Connection, Parts & Access for your HD & You. Family owned 24 years.*

J.J. Knapp's Tavern

67126 Gratiot, Richmond, MI 48062. (586) 727-2498 Hours: 7 am-2 am daily. 1 person wins a t-shirt or gift card each month. *Family owned 34 years, New Deck Open, Wednesday Bike Nights- Specials & Prizes.*

McNastys Saloon

19300 Waltz Rd, New Boston, MI 48164. (734) 753-4900 Hours: M 10-10, T-Sat 10am-2am, Sun 11-11pm. 1 person wins a delicious burger & fry meal each month. *Great food, people, family owned with a Cheers atmosphere, try their fried pickle spears!*

Motor City Harley-Davidson

24800 Haggerty Rd, Farmington Hills, MI 48335. (248) 473-7433 Hours: M-F 10-7, Sat 10-5, Sun 11-4. 1 person wins a \$50 gift card each month. *Come visit our 65,000 sq ft new location with over 300 motorcycles in stock, you will be amazed!*

Old Hickory Bar & Grill

7071 Bennet Lake Rd, Fenton, MI 48430. (810) 735-7630 Hours: M-Sat 11 am- 2 am, Sun Noon- Midnight. 1 person wins choice of a gift card, shirt or hat each mth. *Great Food, Great Prices, Awesome Scenic Ride*

Sassy's Norway Bar

8823 Avoca Rd, Avoca, MI 48006. (810) 324-2263 Hours: M, W, Th 2 pm-Midnight, Fri-Sun Noon- 2 am, Closed Tues & Holidays. 1 person wins different prize basket each month. *Weekend Karaoke alternating Fri & Sat, Nice Scenic Ride, Cold drinks, Monthly Parties.*

Scooters Bar & Grill

6004 Torrey Rd, Flint, MI 48507. (810) 655-6884 Hours: Open daily. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Wednesday, Mid-Michigan's Biker Stop for Food, Drinks, Friends.*

Sholty's Bar

1819 S. Washington Ave, Lansing, MI 48910. (517) 372-3559 Hours: Sun-Th 11 am- Midnight, Fri & Sat 11 am- 2 am. 50 cents off drinks if you ride in. *Bike Nights Wednesday. Awesome Patio, cheapest drinks in town, ice cold beer.*

Spartan Cycle

44701 N. Gratiot Ave, Clinton Twp, MI 48036. (586) 684-3372 Hours: M-Th 9-6, Fri 9-7, Sat 10-5, Sun Closed. 1 person wins a \$50 gift card each month. *New & Used Indian dealer, full service, parts, monthly events with giveaways.*

Stingers Bar & Grill

49110 Grand River, Wixom, MI 48393. (248) 449-9667 Hours: M 11am-2am, T-Sun 9am- 2am. 1 person wins a \$30 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Thursdays, hot girtz, cool beer, great food.*

Thee Office Pub & Cookery

128 S. Main St, Romeo, MI 48065. (586) 752-6680 Hours: M-Th 10 am- Midnight, Fri & Sat 10 am-1:30 am, Sun Noon- 10 pm. 1 person wins a bike night shirt & gift card each month. *Bike Nights Thursday, 2 Patios.*

Wolverine Harley-Davidson

44660 N. Gratiot Ave, Clinton Twp., MI 48036. (586) 463-7700 Showroom Hours: M-F 10-6, Sat 10-4, Sun 11-3. Service Hours: M-F 9-6, Sat 9-4, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Bikes, friends & good times- Michigan must see.*

Woody's Bancroft Tavern

119 Warren St, Bancroft, MI 48414. (989) 634-5455 Hours: M-Sat 11 am-close, Sun Noon- 10 pm. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Bike Day Sundays Noon- ½ Lb Burger & Fries with Domestic Draft \$10*

Younger's Irish Tavern

120 S. Main St, Romeo, MI 48065. (586) 752-4400 Hours: M-W 11 am- Midnight, Th-Sat 11 am- 2 am, Sun Noon- 10 pm. 1 person wins either gift card, t-shirt or show tickets each month. *Voted Best Biker Bar by Real Detroit, Bike Nights Thursday.*

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THE STOPS

EAST *continued*

Holeshot Harley-Davidson

4741 E. Pickard, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858. (989) 772-5513 Hours: M-W & F 9-6, Th 9-7, Sat 9-4, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$50 gift card each month. *New & used Harley dealership, riding gear, gifts, collectibles, parts & accessories.*

Iron Horse Bar & Grill

3592 Main St, Akron, MI 48701. (989) 691-5761 Hours: Everyday 11am-2am. 1 person wins all you can eat wings each month. *Bike Night Wednesdays- specials, happy hour, thumbs largest biker bar.*

Midland Arms & Defensive Solutions

664 W. Isabella Rd, Midland, MI 48640. (989) 600-5050 Hours: M & T 10:30-2 pm, W, Th & Fri 10:30-6, Sat & Sun 10:30-5. 1 person wins a free Reality Based 2 hours room clearing techniques class. *Family owned, training from law enforcement professionals.*

My Alibi Bar & Grill

2185 S. Meridian Rd, Midland, MI 48640. (989) 835-3573 Hours: Mon-Sat 11am-2am, Sun 12pm-12am. 1 lucky person wins a t-shirt. *Bike Night Thursdays, burnout pit, biker specials, live music.*

Ray C's Harley-Davidson

1491 S. Lapeer Rd (M24-I69), Lapeer, MI 48446. (810) 664-9261 Hours: M-Th 10-6, F 10-7, Sat 10-4, Sun 11-4 (store). 1 person wins a \$100 gift card each month. *Family owned 29,000 sq. ft. with easy on/off exit, weekly & monthly events.*

River Rock Bar & Grill

210 N. Mill St, St. Louis, MI 48880. (989) 681-2851 Hours: M-W 7am-10pm, Th-Sat 7am-2am, Sun 7am-9pm. 1 lucky person wins a \$20 gift card & t-shirt each month. *Bike Night Wednesdays with DJ Mike- Food & Drink Specials, Bike Parking front or back patio area.*

Scotty's Sandbar

1201 Evergreen Dr, Bay City, MI 48706. (989) 671-1997 Hours: M-W 4pm-Midnight, Th-Sat Noon-2 am, Sun Noon-10 pm. 1 person wins a t-shirt or sweatshirt each month. *Bike Nights Thursday, Karaoke contests, specials, pool, darts & patio.*

Shiawassee Harley-Davidson

11901 N. Beyer Rd, Birch Run, MI 48415. (989) 624-4400 Hours: M-F 9-6, Sat 9-4, Sun 10-3. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *We are Michigan's All Amercian dealer, easy on/off I-75 Birch Run exit.*

The Blue Bar & Restaurant

1981 N. Winn Rd, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858. (989) 644-8301 Hours: 3 pm- close daily. 1 person wins a \$10 gift card each month. *Great food, great ride from anywhere.*



WEST

10th Street Saloon

136 N. Main St, Plainwell, MI 49080. (269) 685-9595 Hours: M-Th 11am-close, Fri 11 am-2am, Sat Noon-2am, Sun Closed. 1 person wins a t-shirt & \$25 gift card each month. *Bike Nights Tuesday, family owned since 1988.*

Bud's Tap Room

519 E. Dowland St, Ludington, MI 49431. (231) 845-5895 Hours: M 11-8, T-Sat 11-Midnight, Sun Noon-6. 1 person wins a \$15 gift card each month. *Cold Beer, Good Food & Friendly.*

Boondox Motorsports

9952 Cherry Valley Ave SE, Caledonia, MI 49316. (616) 891-9900 Hours: M & W 9-8, T, Th & F 9-6, Sat 10-4, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$15 gift card each month. *Wide variety of pre-owned motorcycles, cars, trucks, suv's, apparel & accessories, friendly people & free root beer.*

Charlie's Bar

135 S. Main St, Scottville, MI 49454. (231) 757-2817 Hours: M-Th 11-10, Fri 11-2am, Sat 11-11, Sun Noon-8 pm. 1 person wins a \$10 gift card each month. *Great burgers, friendly atmosphere, great ride from anywhere.*

Duck Inn Waddle Out

3214 Brookfield Ave, Kalamazoo, MI 49048. (269) 342-4447 Hours: M-Sat 11am-2am, Sun Noon-7. 1 person wins a t-shirt or sweatshirt each month. *Bike Nights Thursday, full bar & menu. Plus, where else can you Duck Inn & Waddle Out?!*

Grand Rapids Harley-Davidson

2977 Corporate Grove Dr, Hudsonville, MI 49426. (616) 896-0111 Hours: M-F 9-7, Sat 9-5, Sun 11-4. 1 person wins a \$50 gift card each month. *Passionate, knowledgeable & disciplined team using products, facilities & events that ROCK!*

Leaders RPM

8500 West Main St (M-43), Kalamazoo, MI 49009. (269) 544-2628 Hours: M, T, Th, F 9-6, W 9-8, Sat 9-4, Sun closed. 1 person wins a \$50 gift certificate good for apparel, parts or accessories. *Huge inventory of motorcycles, boats, PWC's, ATV's, ORV's & snowmobiles. Full-service dealership with a respectful, friendly team.*

Paw Paw Brewing Co

929 E. Michigan Ave, Paw Paw, MI 49079. (269) 415-0145 Hours: M Noon-7, T-Th Noon-10 pm, Fri & Sat Noon-11pm, Sun Noon-7. 1 person will win either t-shirt, sweatshirt or gift card each month. *Bike Nights Thursday.*

Red's Sports Bar & Grill

661 S. Broadway, Middleville, MI 49333. (269) 205-2727 Hours: Sun 8 am-10 pm, M 11-10, T & W 11-midnight, Th 11 am-1am, Fri & Sat 11 am-2 am. 1 person wins a \$25 gift card each month. *Great food, cold beer, made to order breakfast on Sat & Sun, Live music Sat.*

Remus Tavern

118 W. Wheatland Ave, Remus, MI 49340. (989) 967-8304 Hours: Every Day 8:30 am-11 pm. 1 person wins a \$20 gift card each month. *Full menu with great food; burritos, burgers, lake perch, daily drink specials, & breakfast.*

Rum Runners

12058 E. Apple Ave, Ravenna, MI 49451. (231) 853-2223 Hours: Wed-Sun open at 11 am. 1 person wins a \$15 gift card or t-shirt each month. *Bike Nights Wednesday with live band, full service kitchen, outdoor bar, special bike parking, horseshoes, & 5600 sq. ft. of tropical fun!*



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BELOW IF YOU SEE YOUR RIDE CARD NUMBER LISTED NEXT TO A LOCATION THEN GO TO THAT LOCATION WITH THIS THUNDER ROADS MAGAZINE & YOUR RIDE CARD AND CLAIM YOUR PRIZE THERE! YOU HAVE ONLY 45 DAYS FROM THE 1ST OF THIS MONTH TO

CLAIM YOUR PRIZE

IF YOU SEE YOUR RIDE CARD LISTED BELOW AND THERE IS NOT A LOCATION BY IT THEN YOU NEED TO CALL 989-486-8464

YOU MUST PROVIDE YOUR RIDE CARD NUMBER, NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER SO I CAN LET YOU KNOW WHAT YOU WON AS I MAY HAVE TO SEND YOU YOUR PRIZE!

NOTE: We didn't have a lot of check-ins this month as you can see, some Stops didn't get ANY...prizes that could have been yours! If YOU checked in after June 10th then you will be counted for July stops. Without boring you with all the details of when the magazine is created and sent to print each month, I can just say that, the first 10 days specifically was a slow start. My advice: Get Out and Ride, check-in to as many stops as you can and Have Fun!

JUNE WINNERS

WINNING RIDE CARD #	JUNE STOPS	WINNING RIDE CARD #	JUNE STOPS
14481	Hi-Way Inn	05104	Castaways
09114	Irish Pub	06844	Cheers Pub
10995	Museum of Moses @ Vogel Store	14269	Ghost Town Saloon
12050	Mr. Jack's Sports Bar & Grill	08743	Great Lakes Harley-Davidson
06844	Trail's End Pub	06975	Holeshot Harley-Davidson
12200	Twisted Twinz Emporium	12646	Iron Horse Bar & Grill
12110	Wiltse's Brew Pub	NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Midland Arms & Defensive Solutions
12699	Adair Bar	09179	My Alibi Bar & Grill
12600	Allenton Tavern	06846	Ray C's Harley-Davidson
07628	Capitol Harley-Davidson	07521	River Rock Bar & Grill
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Chaps Food & Spirits- Armada	05381	Scotty's Sandbar
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Chaps Food & Spirits- Richmond	11108	Shiawassee Harley-Davidson
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Chaps Food & Spirits-Wales	14266	The Blue Bar & Restaurant
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Coach's Pub & Grill	08579	10th Street Saloon
06193	D & W Detroit Motorcycle	14434	Bud's Tap Room
05153	Hunt's Hog Shop	06703	Boondox Motorsports
06493	Jerry B's Cycle Works	14842	Charlie's Bar
06845	J.J. Knapp's Tavern	08579	Duck Inn Waddle Out
05880	McNastys Saloon	10770	Grand Rapids Harley-Davidson
06173	Motor City Harley-Davidson	NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Leaders RPM
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Old Hickory Bar & Grill	05050	Paw Paw Brewing Co
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Sassy's Norway Bar	14466	Red's Sports Bar & Grill
NO CHECK-INS BY 10TH	Scooters Bar & Grill	14276	Remus Tavern
10721	Sholty's Bar	13222	Rum Runners
06943	Spartan Cycle	12595	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
05892	Stingers Bar & Grill	12218	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
12728	Thee Office Pub & Cookery	11771	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
11751	Wolverine Harley-Davidson	14307	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
12552	Woody's Bancroft Tavern	14938	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
06838	Younger's Irish Tavern	10227	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
12102	4 Corners Country Store	09734	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
11090	Anschutz Café	11781	CALL TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!
07509	Bay Shore Bar		

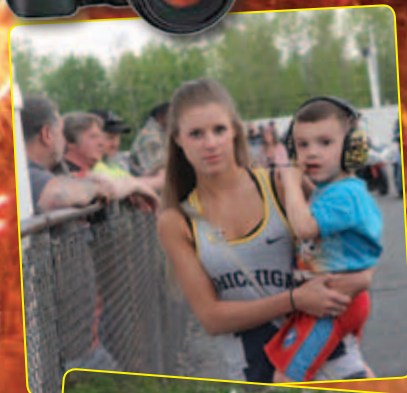
Make sure to check the August issue to see if you won at any of the stops you checked in at this month!

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The road to valor is built by adversity. ~ Ovid

Biker Sayings

The brave don't live forever...the cautious don't live at all.

We only regret the rides we didn't take.

Here's to cheating, stealing, fighting and drinking. If you cheat, may you cheat death; if you steal, may you steal a woman's heart; if you fight, may you fight for your brother; if you drink, may you drink with me.

I kissed a biker and I liked it.

Biker Poem BY twowheelsfred

NOISE

Thunder from the sky
Can be a frightful thing
Thunder from my Bike
Can be a delightful thing
When I make noise with my bike
They know I am there
Some people even flat out stare
It can save my ass
And it can show some class
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Biker Preacher's Corner

Here it is... the Fourth of July 2017! This is a very special day for us Americans... a day that we honor and remember the adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776, in which we declared our independence from the Kingdom of Great Britain (United Kingdom), from tyranny and oppression. Another historical fact is that our Declaration of Independence, Constitution and Bill of Rights (the basis of our law and nation) are founded on The Bible.

Now, I understand that there are some that think this isn't true, or at least don't want this to be true. But, the historical facts still remain; we are and have been the greatest nation in the world because of our foundation in God Word – the Bible.

If you don't suffer from cranial rectal incursion syndrome, you've probably noticed that the foundation of our country has been destroyed by anti-American forces that had manipulated their way into positions of power. But, now that we have a president that isn't playing their game and is now undoing their evil. Yet sadly, some people are losing their minds about it only because he is a Republican. Ya see, our liberties and freedoms had been stolen right out from underneath us and many times we don't know how we got to where we are or what to do about it. Yet, there is a reason for this. We as a nation have been turning our backs on God for the last 50 + years. Our national sin continues to separate us from the Lord and all of His blessings that we have taken for granted.

But, there is good news - there is a fix for this issue! 2 Chronicles 7:14 says "and [if] My people who are called by My name humble themselves, pray and seek My face, and turn from their evil ways, then I will hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land."

As many of us love our new president, He cannot forgive our sins and he can't save us. But, he can lead us out of the mess we have created!! So, if we as Americans will humble ourselves, repent for our sins and turn back to God, He (God) will forgive us and restore us. 1 John 1:9 says "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." In fact, I personally believe that President Trump is an answer from God, because many of us have been praying for America, repenting of our personal and national sins and asking God to restore our land.

So, this 4th of July, I encourage all Americans to remember from where we have fallen, turn back to God and watch Him bring the peace, liberty and true freedom – that is what we ALL want. Right? Let's declare today our independence from the kingdom of darkness and bondage, In Jesus name who sets us FREE!

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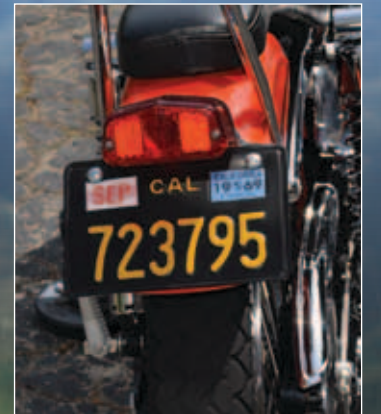
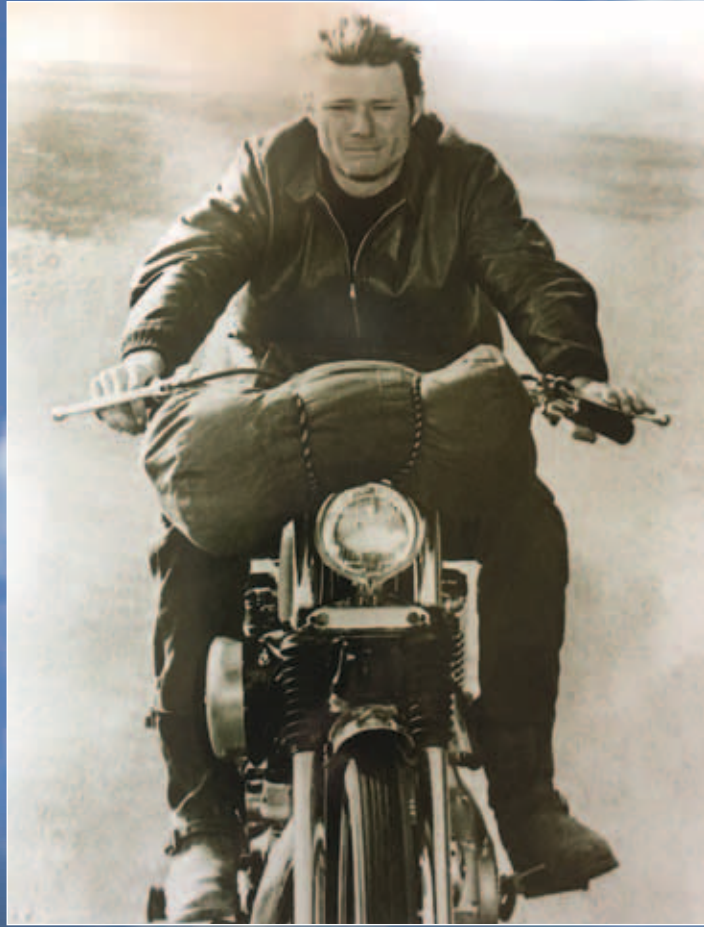
then came BRONSON

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Not unlike many others of my generation, I began riding motorcycles after catching the pilot episode of Then Came Bronson starring Michael Parks. The TV Series ran from the fall of 1969 through 1970. This one season TV series changed lives, at least it did mine. In the series, Michael Parks plays a newspaperman who becomes disillusioned with the system and takes off on a motorcycle to see what's out there. In the pilot, he talks to his mentor 'Papa Bear', played by Akim Tamiroff, and discloses why he is out there and what he's looking for. This discussion drove it home for me - Bronson says as he explains his visit and the beginning of his travels, "I don't want to conquer the world. I don't want to save it. I just want see my part of it clear, you know?" It was Michael Park's delivery and scope that carried the series. He stayed true to his beliefs and continued searching.

Michael Parks passed away last month at 77. It was a blow that hit me harder than I anticipated. So many of my early trips by bike were solo runs around the country. I had his voice in my head as I traveled with his versions of "Long Lonesome Highway" and "Wayfaring Stranger" (the a cappella version with Bonnie Bedelia from the pilot) running in a loop. Often, I'd chance across a great out of the way venue where I'd meet the nicest folks who would treat me like family. Every time that happened, as I headed back to my bike, the Bronsonesque feel of the event always made me smile. I'll admit I looked around a few times so those moments would be driven into my memory, promising myself I wouldn't forget that this was what it was all about and giving a silent salute to Bronson.....wherever the road had taken him.

Every now and then a bike mag would run a teaser about Then Came Bronson making a comeback. Obviously, that never happened. But a few simple Google searches shows I was not the only one who loved the show. Head on over to www.jimbronson.com and you'll find some dedicated fans. This crew builds replica bikes and plans get together to celebrate the show and the lifestyle. I reached out to one of the founders, Billy, who got me in touch with one of the members, Greg Patnik, who lives just south of Pittsburgh. I called him and he invited me over to grab some photos and talk Michael Parks and Then Came Bronson. It turns out I'd seen the bike before as it was the very one showcased at the AMA Museum Moto Stars exhibit a couple years ago. I was amazed at how closely Greg's bike resembled the original. Talking with Greg, it was obvious how much attention he'd paid to getting all the details right. The folks in the group all work together to get the builds correct. Many have been in touch with the studio people involved and with production to get all the details possible. Greg's version is a 1969 Harley-Davidson XLH, the same as Michael Parks rode in the show. The group is planning a get together in Marine Illinois where the public is welcome to join them on Sunday July 2 of this year. They have reserved the local movie theater for a special showing of the Pilot Movie and the episode



"The Old Motorcycle Fiasco" followed by a tour of the area on their bikes. Just like the series, this group likes to get out and ride. They often plan trips around locations where Then Came Bronson was filmed. What kind of TV series, which lasted only one season, has that kind of impact? I'd dare say it was the perfect combination of materiel that speaks to the soul- the motorcycle lifestyle - and the delivery of that material by an actor that Kevin Smith describes with these words: "Michael was, and will likely forever remain, the best actor I've ever known." *continued*



Bronson Bike COURTESY Greg Patnik

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Many of the comments after Michael Park's passing included, of course, admiration for his work and, from those lucky enough to have known him, admiration of the man he was. It was great to see so many of those comments close with 'I'm going to stop what I'm doing, put on my old leather jacket and go for a ride in honor of Michael Parks.' Where to you ask? And we circle back to the opening of the show.....

Businessman: Taking a trip?

Jim Bronson: What's that?

Businessman: Taking a trip?

Jim Bronson: Yeah.

Businessman: Where to?

Jim Bronson: Oh, I don't know. Wherever I end up, I guess.

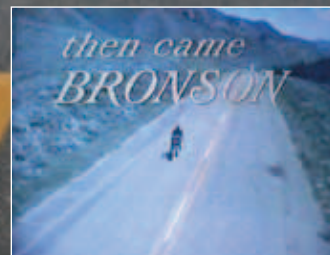
Businessman: Man, I wish I was you.

Jim Bronson: Really?

Businessman: Yeah.

Jim Bronson: Well, hang in there.

Thank you Michael.....Godspeed.



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IN THE SHOP WITH RON

DON'T FORGET THE FORKS!

No we're not planning a picnic. We're going to go over a service procedure that in my mind is much too often overlooked in the average rider's service/maintenance schedule. Front forks are most often not even considered until they start to leak, at which time, probably are going to need more than just seals replaced. I prefer to change the fork oil every other year as part of my regular service and maintenance schedule.

In the shop this month, we're going to rebuild the front forks on a 2004 Dyna Super Glide. The fork oil was changed for the first time at 12,500 miles. The oil looked to be in pretty bad shape and after almost two full riding seasons, the left seal started to leak just a bit. Time to open them up and see what's going on inside. With the bike securely on a lift, we want the front wheel to be off the ground about 4-6 inches. First, remove the bolts holding the front brake caliper to the lower fork leg and using a hook or bungee cord; secure the caliper to the frame so it's out of the way.

the fork tube caps. Next, secure the headlamp with a bungee cord so it's not flopping in the way. Next, we can loosen the two top triple tree pinch bolts, which will allow us to loosen the fork tube caps.



Be very careful here. We need to loosen the caps enough to allow the oil to drain and there is a spring that is somewhat compressed by the cap. If you loosen it too much it could cause the tube cap to be forced off, thus causing injury or at the very least, damaging the threads on the cap or tube. Use lots of common sense and caution!

There are specialty tools available for this if you feel more comfortable using them and have access to them, by all means use them. Don't remove the tube caps at this time. With caps loose, remove drain screws and let oil drain.



Now we can remove the front fender, front axle and the front wheel and set them aside. It's not absolutely necessary, but on this model I prefer to disconnect the headlamp mounting bracket and move the headlamp out of the way to allow easier access to



If you're just changing the fork oil or rebuilding the forks, either way, I like to use some kind of a measuring cup to measure the amount of oil that comes out of each fork leg. If you're just changing fork oil, put back in the same amount of oil that you drained out. It's important to have the same amount of oil in each fork. A little difference in the amount of oil can greatly affect the way the bike handles on the road. Since we're rebuilding these forks our next step is to remove the chrome caps and dust seals from the lower fork leg. Slide the cap and dust cover up the tube and remove the retaining ring on the top inside lip of the lower fork leg. Next, we can remove the damper rod bolt from the bottom of the lower fork leg. I usually use an impact wrench here; the damper rod has a tendency to spin if you are using a ratchet. Now we can ever so carefully, finish removing fork tube caps. Once again, be very careful. Push down on

By Ron Johnson

caps while turning. With the caps off, use the lower fork leg like a slide hammer. Push the lower leg up and slide it down using a fair amount of force to free the seal and bushing from the fork leg. Don't remove the lower leg all the way now, just free the seal from the lower leg. Now we can loosen the lower triple tree pinch bolts and remove the entire assembly from the triple tree. Next we can disassemble it on a bench, carefully laying everything out in the order that it was disassembled. Clean everything you are going to reuse with a good solvent. I use a non-chlorinated brake cleaner and compressed air, always wear safety glasses and use caution.

Pay close attention to the lower fork leg. Be sure to clean all of the oil and debris thoroughly. You don't want anything to contaminate the new oil.

When reassembling, a service manual specific to the year and model you're working on is almost mandatory. You will need access to torque specs, fluid capacity, tube height adjustment, etc. Unfortunately, space won't allow me to go into detail on reassembly, hence the need for the model and year specific service manuals. In addition to service manual procedures, cleanliness is very important. I'm talking surgery room cleanliness. Any debris or foreign material can cause problems. You don't want to scratch the tubes or damage the new seals or bushings.

I like to lightly and I mean lightly, coat the tube with a bit of fork oil that you're going to use. Also, lightly oil the new bushing and seals before sliding it on to the fork tube. Use a seal driver to carefully seat the new seals in the lower fork legs. Make sure the seals are fully seated and install the retaining ring, dust seal and chrome cap. Install the damper tube bolt and drain screws. Then fill the fork with the proper amount of quality fork oil and install the fork lube caps. Now install the fork assembly into triple tree. Adjust the tube height and tighten to the manufacturer specs. Now we can torque the fork tube cap and the damper rod bolt and finish reassembly. I really hate to cut things short, but only so much space every month. Feel free to call me with any questions and as always...

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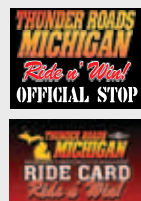
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CRANK'D UP CLEAR SOUND

The wind in your face, the roar of the pipes and the beckoning road in front of you. These are all elements of that perfect ride. Perfect except for one thing; the audio system. While many touring bikes today have audio options, they have a hard time competing in the open-air environment that is the motorcycle. Sure, they may sound good sitting in your driveway or the parking lot hanging out with your buddies, but they often fall short once you're at highway speeds and leave very little enjoyment to be had. So, what if you could take your bikes audio system to that next level? What if you could add a high-performance soundtrack to your journey? While putting "audio" on touring bikes is not a new concept, there are challenges to doing it the right way. Understanding what an open-air environment does to sound and how it affects your music listening ability is critical.

Many audio companies in the market today have offered products that have often been repurposed car audio or marine components that worked on the bike platforms. While these do ok, they don't always stand up to the rigors of the open road and in some cases, require extensive modification just for them to fit. Even doing audio upgrades on the popular Harley-Davidson® brand of motorcycles is challenging to say the least. However, luckily for us, that is starting to change.

Products are being designed, engineered, and manufactured by leading aftermarket audio manufactures such as Rockford Fosgate specifically to perform on, and in, the 2-wheel environment. The products are developed for the open road with the true performance expectations of the rider in mind. Often, they are being built to provide direct OEM fitment for easy installation and most importantly, high performance music reproduction at speed.

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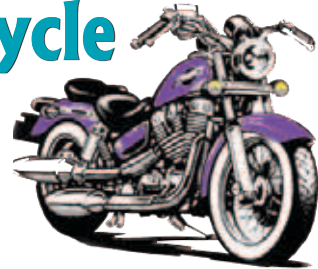
The manufacturers developing this new breed of motorcycle audio products don't stop at making sure it "fits" the bike. They spend countless hours testing the components both in lab and on the open road to ensure the product delivers the best possible experience for the rider. Additionally, they know that the riding environment isn't always sunshine and rainbows. Full environmental testing is performed so the rider knows that whether they get caught in a rainstorm or are washing their bike after a long, hard ride the equipment will continue to perform.

It's products like these that allow you to quickly upgrade your existing audio experience from ho-hum to holy-cow with no modifications or compromises to the bike or its electrical systems. Although, what if you're not the kind of person that is comfortable wrenching on your bike, digging into the wiring and pulling parts off. Well, that's where the knowledgeable installation technicians at Mickey Shorr come in. Fully trained and ready to assist you in both product selection and installation, Mickey Shorr staff is ready to help.





Suicide Prevention Motorcycle Auto Ride Fundraiser August 26, 2017



This annual ride is held to show that we care and to support help for those that desperately need it. This ride also remembers our loved ones that we have lost to suicide. Please show your support by riding with us!

Thank you for your support! To donate contact Sherri Liverance at 810-689-0457 or on Facebook.



Location
American Legion Post 8
1026 6th Street
Port Huron, MI

Bikes & Auto
Drivers: \$20
Passengers: \$10

Pre-ride events include:

- Riders Meeting
- Prayer
- Balloon Release

There will also be:

- Food
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K.I.S.S. IN THE KITCHEN

KEEP IT SIMPLE SWEETIE

Composed & edited by: Toni McCoy Shearon aka "Thunder MaMa" of Thunder Roads National Founders' Office.

I have chosen this name for our monthly recipe page, as that was what my mother, rest her soul, always used to say when I would assist her in the kitchen. Mom was an avid supporter of the K.I.S.S. (KEEP IT SIMPLE SWEETIE) method of cooking. I now, more than ever, truly appreciate her philosophy of always taking shortcuts where you can, as long as your ultimate outcome is that of down home, labor of love cooking.

SPICY PATRIOT PEANUT CHICKEN

- 3 Chix Legs, 3 Thighs & 3 Breasts
- 1 Cup of Quality Peanut Butter
- 1/4 Cup of Soy Sauce
- 1 Tbls. of Smoked Paprika & A Pinch of Cayenne mixed together with a Tbls. of Lime Juice
- 1/2 Cup of Unsweetened Coconut Milk
- 2 Tbls. Apple Cider Vinegar
- Salt & Pepper to Taste

Place chicken in a large ziplock bag. In a medium bowl add all the ingredients and whisk to combine until smooth. Pour the marinade all over the chicken in the ziplock bag. Place in fridge and allow to marinate for at least 2 hours. Take chix from fridge and allow to come to room temp. Now, you can cook on a hot grill for those fab grill marks, or on a grill plate over your gas stove or, you can bring a frying pot of oil up to approx. 450 degrees and fry them quick. You might want to make a tad more of the marinade to brush on chicken regardless of which way you prepare. We had these grilled on an outside grill and they were clucking fabulous!

CRABMEAT STUFFED PORTOBELLOS

- 10 Extra Large Portobello Mushrooms
- 2 Small Cans of Alaskan King Crab
- 1 Small Bag of Shredded Swiss Cheese
- 1 Bundle of Scallions
- Lime Juice; real of bottled
- Olive Oil & Also 2 Large Pats of Butter
- Salt & Pepper to Taste

If not already removed, remove the stems and the gills from your Portobello's. Wipe clean inside with damp paper towel. In a large

skillet, cover the bottom of skillet with olive oil and add the pats of butter until melted. Put the cap side down and cook on medium-high. You want a beautiful golden brown color. Flip over and let inside cook for just a bit. Take off and drain on paper towels; cap side up. In a medium glass bowl mix the crabmeat with thinly chopped scallions and salt & pepper. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Fill all your shrooms' heaping with the crabmeat mixture. Place on a cookie sheet lined with foil or a silt pad. Pop in the oven for 15 minutes; just long enough for mushroom & crabmeat to get nice and hot. Pull out and sprinkle shredded Swiss cheese all over the top and pop back in over until melted. OoLaLa! These are the best!

ALL AMERICAN SUGAR COOKIES

- 1 Can or Box Mix or Frozen Sugar Cookies
- Follow Directions to Prepare
- Take out of oven and sprinkle generously with large sugar crystals (in baking aisle) Now comes the fun part; take colored pastry tubes of red, white & blue and make stars & stripes or flag designs.....get creative!

FROZEN GIN & TONIC

- 4 Limes plus lime wedges for garnish
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup bottled water or purified from fridge
- 2 cups of Gin
- 6 Cups of Ice
- Cut off tops and bottoms of limes and peel off the skin. Cut out each segment between the white pith part as this is bitter. Place in blender. Add sugar and water and blend until smooth and icy. Serve in a tall chilled glass with a wedge of lime. *Freeze your bottle of gin. Stick a little American Flag in it and may God Bless America.



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JULY

July 1
4th of July Party
Spartan Cycle; 44701 N Gratiot Ave. Clinton Twp, MI. 10 am- 4 pm, food, beverages, snacks, special one day sale, huge discounts on motorcycles, parts, apparel, & accessories. For more info call 586-684-3372

July 4
Brotherhood MC Bikini Bike Wash & Motorcycle Show
 821 E. Kalamazoo Ave, Lansing, MI 48912. Noon- last bike leaves, 1 pm bike wash starts, bike show 5pm, fireworks & fun- Benefits Beekman Center of Lansing. For more info call 517-449-0108

July 6-9
Detroit Motorcycle City Downtown at Hart Plaza, Detroit, MI. Bike show, parade, vendors, destination rides, storytelling competition, motorcycle art, many many live bands. For more info go to detroitmotorcyclecity.com (See full page ad this issue).

July 7
Open House
 Craft w Cadabra
 28402 5 Mile Rd, Livonia, MI. 6 pm- 9 pm, grand opening on 9th noon- 7pm, craft sales, make & take. For more info go to [Facebook.com/craftacadabralc](https://www.facebook.com/craftacadabralc)

July 8
Detroit Axemen Chapter 1 Great Lakes Burn Camp (GLBC) Benefit
Detroit Clubhouse, 8480 South St, Detroit, MI. Doors open 4 pm, food 6 pm, \$15 donation, door prizes, live music. For more info call Tiny 313-410-0904 (See full page ad this issue).

July 8
11th Annual Injured Soldiers Lyon Ride
 James Atchison Park, New Hudson, MI. Regis 11-noon, ride leaves at noon, \$20 pp, picnic in park noon, rodeo 3:30 pm, kids activities noon- 3 pm. 100 % proceeds to injured soldiers. For more info 248-437-3130.

July 8
Hubbardston American Legion Riders Post 182 Annual Charity Ride
 Hubbardston American Legion, regis 11am, kickstands up noon, \$20 rider, \$10 passenger, 50/50 drawings, profits to Hope Lodge & RAVE for Ionia & Montcalm counties. Food served at end of ride. For info call Ken 989-289-8436

July 9
33rd Annual Peotone Motorcycle Rodeo, Bike Show & Swap Meet
Will Co Fairgrounds, Peotone, IL. 10 am- 4 pm, \$9 adult, \$10 early birds admission 7 am- 10 am, indoor & outdoor event. Buy, sell,

trade, bikes, parts, leather, live bands, celebrity appearance, trophy awards, cash prizes, food, beer. For more info go to paragonspromotion.com (See ad this issue).

July 13-16
Muskegon Bike Time Hot Rod H-D, Downtown Muskegon, Harley-Davidson Rushmore Experience & demo rides, motorcycle vendors, patriot ride, blessing of the bikers, food & beverage tent. For more info go to muskegonbiketime.com (See cover & full page ad this issue).

July 14-15
41st Annual Survivors MC Party Ale
 4313 S. Lund Rd, Sheridan, MI. Field events, food, camping, beer, swimming, live band, vendors, bike show. For vendors or more info call 517-749-6572

July 15
Military Tribute Bike Raffle VFW Hall, West Conway Rd, Harbor Springs, MI. 5:30 pm- 8 pm, come early for chicken dinner \$10, coffee, water, pop avail, tickets \$25 each or 3 for \$50, 6 other big prizes, need not be present to win. To purchase your raffle tickets in advance call Maxwell Bros. Cycle Shop 231-347-2629

July 15
1st Annual Spartan Cycle Bike Show

Spartan Cycle; 44701 N Gratiot Ave. Clinton Twp, MI. 10 am- 4 pm, free registration & admission. Pre-register your bike here: <http://bit.ly/2sflNZY> All competitors receive free exclusive bike show t-shirt, free food & beverages avail for everyone, trophies given to 1st & 2nd for each class & one overall for best-in-show. For more info call 586-684-3372

July 16
19th Anniv. Poker Run for Ronald McDonald House
 McBiker McDonald's, (m-59 & Airport rd), Waterford, MI. Regis 9 am & runs all day, \$25 pp donation, tons of prizes, buffet @ The Shark Club. For more info call McPete 248-933-0545

July 19-23
Ogemaw Hills Bike Week Ogemaw Co Fairgrounds, West Branch, MI. Vendors, live music, biker games, vintage bike show, tattoo contest & more. For more info go to ogemawhillsbike-week.com (See full page ad this issue).

July 20-22
29th Annual Sandy Corley Memorial Run
Double JJ Resort, Rothbury, MI. \$60 in advance, \$10 pp per day, primitive camping, vendors, live music, beverage tent, bike giveaway, field events & more. Get your tickets early & save (See ad for details on advance

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tickets). Register to win a motorcycle (see ad). For more info see ad this issue.

July 22
BBQ, Bikes & Blues ABC HD, Waterford, MI. 11 am- 3 pm, bbq lunch, live music & giveaways. For more info call 248-674-3175 (See full page inside front cover this issue).

July 22
Ride More Miles Workshop ABC HD, Waterford, MI. Noon- 1 pm, chance to win \$500 gift card. For more info call 248-674-3175 (See full page inside front cover this issue).

July 22
Traveling Bike Show Woody's Bancroft Tavern, Bancroft, MI. 11 am- 10 pm. Music, drinks, food, vendors, 50/50 & more, donations to homeless vets fund. For more info or to be a vendor call 989-634-5455 (See ad this issue).

July 22
Jaryd Ford Scholarship Memorial Run
 10th Street Saloon, Plainwell, MI. Regis 9- 11am, ride leaves 11am, \$20 per rider, \$30 double rider, poker run, 50/50, door prizes, food avail after ride. For more info call 269-685-9595

July 22 & 23
16th Annual Niles Burn Run (GLBC)
Riverfront Park, Niles, MI. Sat: 10am-11pm -car & bike show 10am- 2 pm, food, live bands, vendors. Sun: Ride Police, Fire & EMS Escorted Regis 9am, leaves at noon, \$20 Bike / \$30 with rider if

pre-registered by June 24th. After then \$25 bike, \$35 with rider. For more info go to www.nilesburnrun.com (See Great Lakes Burn Camp full page ad this issue).

July 28-29
Rockin' Rivertown Ride & Music Festival
Downtown Cheboygan, MI. Music, poker run, Rolling Thunder parade, bike show. For more info call 231-627-9931 (See ad this issue).

July 29
3rd Annual Open House BBQ/ Swap Meet/ Garage Sale
AC's Classic Cycle Works, Commerce Twp, MI. 10 am- 5 pm, open to public- call to reserve spot to sell your stuff. For more info or to reserve spot call Sharyn 313-550-1125 (See ad this issue).

July 29
Hog Round Up Shiawassee HD, Birch Run, MI. 11 am- 5 pm, bike show, music, food, vendors, games, corn hole, dyno pulls, burn out contest, special savings & more. To register for corn hole, vendor spot or more info call Annette 989-624-4400 (See ad this issue).

July 29
Annual Ride for Hospitalized Veterans
 John D. Dingell Veteran Affairs Medical Center, Detroit, MI. Lineup 10 am, depart noon, donate paper bag filled with toiletries for men & women or \$10 donation. For more info call 586-246-0876

July 29
6th Annual Benefit Ride
 Custer VFW, Custer, MI. Regis 1 am, noon kickstands up, last bike in 5 pm, rain or shine, all vehicles welcome, music, food, fun, raffles, benefits VFW. For more info call Cindy 231-690-0444

July 29
2nd Annual Back Roads 50/50 Poker Run
 307 Packard Hwy, Charlotte, MI (1/4 mile east of M 50), Regis 10 am, donation \$10 per hand, kickstands up 11:30 am, rain or shine, incl bonfire, biker games, overnight tent camping. For more info email buddah-belly55@aol.com

July 30
Ride for Kids
 Washtenaw Community College, Ann Arbor, MI. Regis 9-10:30 am, kickstands up 11 am, rain or shine, fun, food, & entertainment. Benefits Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation. For more info go to rideforkids.org

AUGUST

August 4-6
Hog Pharm Biker Party
 Hog Pharm, 7400 North 650 West, Orland, IN 46776. Gates open noon on 4th, \$30 pp, \$50 couple, free tent camping, rv \$75 all wk end, vendors, bike parts, field events, bands & more. No guns, golf carts or ATV's or glass bottles. For more info call Rick 260-243-2608

August 5
8th Annual Joe's Ride
 Scooters Bar & Grill, Flint, MI. Regis 9-10:30 am, starts 11 am, \$25 rider, \$10 passenger, includes breakfast & dinner,

support to wounded & fallen heroes & their children. For more info call Teri 810-955-2633

August 5
Veterans Memorial Observation Ride
 American Legion Post 108, Oxford, MI. Regis 9- 11 am, \$20 rider, \$10 passenger, bikes or cars welcome, cash bar, ride back by 4 pm.

August 6
Come Ride with Us (GLBC) Paw Paw Park n' Ride (exit 60 & I-94), ride to K-wings then to Great Lakes Burn Camp. Regis 10 am, ride leaves 11 am, donations accepted. For more info See Great Lakes Burn Camp full page ad this issue.

August 6
Escort the Kids to Great Lakes Burn Camp (GLBC) Meet at Wings Stadium, 3600 Vanrick Drive (Sprinkle Road), Kalamazoo MI. Regis 10am-12:30pm, leaves 1pm, prizes, food, 50/50. For more info call Bill 517-206-1115 (See Great Lakes Burn Camp full page ad this issue).

August 6
6th Annual Kevin "Moses" Memorial Ride
Museum of Moses, 9979 S 8 Mile Rd (Vogel Center), McBain, MI. Festivities 10 am- 1 pm, ride leaves 1:15 pm, no fees all donations to museum, food, fun & frolic, all vehicles welcome, 98.5 broadcasting live. For more info call 231-825-2219.

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August 11-13
Hog Daze Motorcycle Rally & Music Festival
Ballard Field, 600 East 3rd Street, Marion, Indiana 46952. Gates open 4 pm Friday. \$10 for the entire weekend. Proceeds raised for the children's charities First Light Child Advocacy & Help the Hopeful. For more info, vendors include, email marionhogdaze@gmail.com or phone 765-356-2470. Check us out at www.hogdaze.com

August 12
2nd Annual Twisted Metal F*ck Cancer Benefit
Scooters Bar & Grill, Flint, MI. Regis 10 am, \$10 pp, kickstands up noon, dinner @ 4pm, live auction, games, prizes, 50/50 bike/car wash & more. For more info call Rod 810-691-6675

August 18-20
Easyriders Rodeo Tour ~ Fowlerville
Fowlerville Fairgrounds, Fowlerville, MI. Live Bands: Puddle of Mudd, Drowning Pool, Fried Brothers, camping, vendors, music, ride in bike show, barstool races, poker crawl, games & more. For more info go to easyriderevents.com (See full page ad this issue).

August 18-20
Thunder in Oscoda Salute to Veterans
American Legion #274, 349 S State Street AuSable/Oscoda, MI. 18th- Tiki bar opens 4 pm, food avail, live band, 19th- live bands, bike/people games, vendors, bike awards, food & raffles, 20th 9:30 breakfast, noon scenic ride. For more info call Jim 586-876-1323 (See ad this issue).

August 19
8th Annual Davison Eagle Riders Prostate Charity Run
3270 N. State Rd, Davison, MI. Regis 10-noon, last bike in 5 pm, vendors, food, prizes, all vehicles welcome, \$10 pp, live bands, camping avail. For more info call Gripper 810-653-0727

August 25-27
Midwest Police Motorcycle Training & Challenge & Safety Seminar
Wolverine HD, Clinton Twp, MI. Starts 8 am Fri, Regis \$75 pp, rain or shine, no charge for officers rider department motorcycle, free bbq fri, limited number of spots. To register or for more info call 248-855-4444

August 26
Suicide Prevention Motorcycle Auto Ride Fundraiser
American Legion Post 8, 1026 6th St, Port Huron, MI. Regis 9 am- 11 am, depart noon, \$20 driver, \$10 passengers, food, live music, raffles, 50/50, silent auction. For more info call Sherri 810-689-0457 (See full page ad this issue).

August 26
Rally in the Woods
The Rock, 11400 Linden rd, Fenton, MI. Starts at noon, free, free hog roast, live music, burn out contest w cash prizes, biker games. For more info call Clete 248-807-8603

August 30-September 3
13th Annual Freedom Fest
Iron Horse Bar & Grill, Akron, MI. 5 live bands, dj's, hog roast, vendors, bike show, charity bike run, no cover all wkend, free rustic camping. For more info or vendor spot call Rich 989-551-5440.

August 31-September 4
Easyriders Rodeo Tour ~ Chillicothe
Ross County Fairgrounds, Chillicothe, OH. Live Bands: Yelowolf, Saving Abel, The Dead Daisies, The Fried Brothers, camping, vendors, music, ride in bike show, barstool races, poker crawl, games & more. For more info go to easyriderevents.com (See full page ad this issue).

SEPTEMBER

September 8-10
Bikes on the Bricks
Saginaw St, Downtown Flint, MI. Live music, vendors, Police Motorcycle Skills completion, beer tent & more. For more info go to bikesonthebricks.com (See ad this issue).

September 9
Scorpions M/C Annual Pig Roast & Bike Giveaway
26350 Milford Rd, South Lyon, MI. Starts @ 4pm, \$10 donation, 1st prize 2017 Street Glide, 2nd \$500 gift card, 3rd \$300 gift card, live music; Live Bullet Detoit, The Detroit Doors, go go dancers, burn out pit, vendors, many contest & more. For more info call Ratchet 734-377-8529 (See ad this issue).

September 23
Ride for our Troops
American Legion Post 32, Livonia, MI. Regis 1:30 am, kickstands up 11:30 am, \$25 pp or \$35 with passenger, ends @ Hell Saloon. For more info call Rosenau Powersports or American Legion.

September 24
2nd Annual Ride to Shine Observation Run
Ray C's HD, Lapeer, MI. Regis 11 am- noon, \$20 per bike, \$10 passenger, cars or bikes welcome, dinner provided at Ber-ville Hotel Bar & Grill, 50/50, door prizes. For more info call Dickweed 248-670-2495

September 24
23rd Annual Motown Toy Run
Westland City Hall, 36300 Warren Rd, regis 10 am- noon, kickstands up 12:30, \$10 pp w new unwrapped toy or \$15 without, 50/50, Chinese auction, all bikes welcome. For more info call 734-765-5628

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Wow the riding season is in full bloom. The sights, the sounds of the bikes, everyone out and about doing poker runs, parties, bike nights and just having a great time. ABATE is working just as hard in Lansing. We got the House Bill 4306 through the House with all the votes we needed. Now it goes to the Senate. If you are reading this in the Thunder Road Magazine, please do your part and contact your Senator to express your opinion in favor of the bill. Let's get this done for all of us so we can get more funding for safety and awareness. "Look Twice Save A Life Motorcycles Are Everywhere!"

There is another Senate Bill – SB 160, which we are fighting it to keep the wording as a motorcycle and Harley Davidson dealer Ray C said the only thing motorcycle about a sling shot is the license plate. These are some cool looking machines, but they need to be categorized as something other than a motorcycle!

ABATE just had a Field Meet and what a great time it was. It was in Rapid City, MI. The townspeople were just super. Kritter's Bar and the local party store (there's only one) were just awesome. The Ice Cream shop had some damn good food and West Way RV Park is just awesome. There were a lot of campsites, clean showers, great people to work with, great prices and lots of hospitality.

Meeting all of the members from across the State was just what I needed. When talking to them regarding ideas to help teach classes, what they are interested in and what the kids told their parents when they got home from the volunteer Awareness Coordinators drivers education classes ABATE taught them, especially when making a left turn and looking twice to make sure there is no motorcycle coming and how hard it is to judge the speed of an oncoming motorcycle. Man I was smiling from ear to ear when I heard some of the ABATE members telling me what those students had said.

On another note about safety, there have been hundreds of riders taking safety classes to get a motorcycle endorsement. If you want to get your endorsement, take one of these courses. You will be impressed at how much you learn and what you can and cannot do with your motorcycle. It's well worth the time and the small amount you pay. It could very well help save your life.

Those of you who are not ABATE members, come out and ride with us so you can see what we are about. Here is a list of some of the events in your area for July.

July 8 – Region 6 Memorial Run and membership drive (Bea 989-493-9004)

July 8 – Region 7 Scoot and Shoot (Marlene 810-712-1600)

July 8 – Region 10 Poker Run (Kim 989-750-8172)

July 13 – 16 Region 5 ABATE campground for Rebel Road and Bike time

July 15 – Region 7 Brite Lites and Loud Pipes (Tim 989-670-9976)

July 15 – Region 14 Poker Run (George 734-323-1827)

July 16 – Region 11 observation Run of July 4th (Cowboy 586-746-4765)

July 21 – 23 - Region 3 Summer Party and Camp Out (Mark 231-409-8933)

July 29 – Region 10 Horseshoe Challenge (Kim 989-750-8172)

July 30 – Region 15 Annual American Legion Poker Run and Mystery Ride and BBQ.

As you can see ABATE is very active in your communities helping with Veterans and Cancer patients who could use help like what Region 14 did when they went to the lemonade stand to help raise money for a little girl who has cancer. There are so many regions that really do care about the people in their communities and try to help any way possible.

So please drive your beautiful motorcycles with respect for the area in which you live and always be cautious of your surroundings. It is our responsibility to drive our motorcycles safely and responsibly.

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Athena

Athena is a 5-year-old girl that loves everyone she meets! She would love to be a lap dog and she is very affectionate and seeks attention and love. She is good with other dogs though not a fan of cats. Walks good on a leash, would love to explore the outdoors with you. Before going into rescue, Athena was an unclaimed stray and she waited patiently at the animal shelter for months.



Athena



Aurina

Aurina

Aurina was rescued after just giving birth. Sadly, only one kitten survived. She is a sweet slender girl that is a beautiful calico. She would need slow introductions to other animals in the home, but in return she has an awful lot of love to give.

Barnaby

Basset Hound mix and 26# of pure love. He would prefer an adult only home with no cats please. A same sized dog friend would be great! Since he loves to run around and isn't always mindful of being outside his yard, he should have a fence too. He will even through in some snuggles. An experienced dog guardian would be best too.



Barnaby



Beamer

Beamer

Beamer is a happy go lucky guy that would love a home of his own. He is very loving and affectionate and a sweet boy all around. He gets along with everyone he has met and enjoys playing with dogs and kids!

Buford

Hi! My name is Buford! I'm a 6-ish year old Treeing Walker Coonhound. I am very sweet and snuggly and gentle. My favorite thing to do is to snuggle with you on the couch and watch TV or go for a walk. I'm good on a leash and good in my crate while my mom is at work all day.



Buford



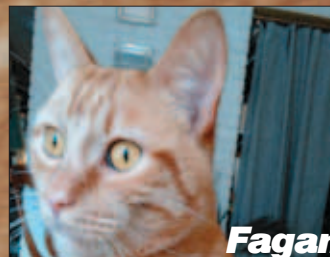
Charlotte

Charlotte

Charlotte is a special needs girl. We don't know how much time she has, but we do know she is a fighter. She is super low key and calm. There's not a lot you need to do with this girl, but provide her with some love and comfort.

Fagan

Hey my name is Fagan and I'm a very affectionate sweet boy. I'd love to be your BFF and you can share all your thoughts with me. I'll listen and provide you with some purrs and kisses. Please look past that I'm not a kitten and consider me as your next family member.



Fagan



Heidi

Heidi

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Ozzy

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Ozzy



Sprinkle

Sprinkle

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BY RICK WYATT



When I was a kid it wasn't uncommon if a child uttered a profanity that they would get their mouth washed out with soap. Around our house there were different levels of punishment depending on the offensiveness of the language. If you let a single four letter word or quasi obscene phrase escape your lips you earned chomp on the bar of Ivory soap in the bathroom, on the other hand if you dropped an "F" bomb or went on a profane tirade it was off to the laundry room for a light brunch of Fells Naptha, followed by a grounding until the second coming. Well, there isn't enough Fells Naptha or time in eternity to cover what I am about to say, but mom and dad forgive me, but I have found something that Richard Dreyfuss and I actually agree on, and that is scary in so many ways!

Dreyfuss was being interviewed by one of the television conservative talking heads and I tuned in out of curiosity to see if the interviewer handed him his head in a basket. The actor, a well-known argumentative liberal protagonist, was actually rather disarming when he stated that he had withdrawn from partisan politics and had become constitutionalists and was part of a movement to restore civics as part of public school curriculum. I was floored, the man was (is) right in that, the founding documents of our government and the function of the government they establish is not taught, therefore young people don't understand how richly unique we are as a nation.

Our first found document was ratified by congress on July 4, 1776 and represented a bill of unanswered grievances against a tyrannical government established by the King of England. The Declaration of Independence established the principal of self-governance in the second paragraph where it says "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, and among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.--That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.--That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive to these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter it or to abolish it-----"

This was taken directly from the document; read it slowly and paying attention to the capitalization and punctuation should be an eye opening experience. It lays a foundation for governance by the governed, a novel idea in the 1700's, to protect the private citizen from the tyrannical abuses such as those that precipitated the Declaration and the ensuing revolution. Rich men stood beside poor men, all equal in and to the cause that collectively they were more than capable of self-governance. Basic rights such as life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness were gifts of God, guaranteed to a people willing to step up and claim it, and they could only be secured by a government among men because governments of men (monarchs, dictators, despots, and their appointees) are always abusive of personal liberty in the blind pursuit self-indulgent corruption. And those who signed this document; rich men, poor men, scholars, farmers, tradesmen, and shop keepers affirmed their beliefs in the closing lines that say

"with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our Fortunes, and our sacred Honor." By the way, several of them did lose their lives and/or fortunes at the hands of the British, but none of them surrendered their honor by bowing before the Crown!

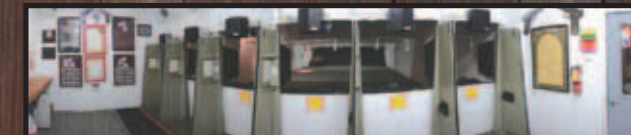
Anyways, back to Dreyfuss, he stated that he is fed up with modern liberalism trashing the Constitution, but he fears the anarchy being suborned by powers inside and outside our own government to force change on the people. He is right, civil discourse is dead when people like former Attorney General Loretta Lynch openly declares that maybe it's time we have the coming civil war and get it over with. Mayors, Chiefs of Police, and college administrators stand by as mobs threaten violence to silence points of view they don't agree with, then when protest turn to physical assault, looting and arson no effort is made to protect the safety and property of citizens caught in the wake of mass temper tantrums. We are at a point where government is no longer among men, but controlled by what amounts to ideological cowards, who refuse to control criminality for the sake of political correctness.

While much of this cannot be laid at the feet of Barak Obama and his cronies the weaponization of the government against private citizens is staggering, Justice, IRS, EPA, Interior, BLM, ICE, and so on all got their hands dirty bending the will of anybody that dared to stand up to them. We used to be a nation of independent self-reliant individuals who earned what we had and the function of government ensured we were able to keep it. More and more liberalism feels obligated to steal what is ours, in order to subsidize others based on their belief that, even though we worked hard all our lives, we may have too much and it is their duty to alleviate that burden. America used to be a place where being a peon was the starting point, from which anybody could grow an abundant life, but the overreach of government in the name of compassion or social justice has turned peon into pissed on and I ain't into that!

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HaulMaster SUPER COUPON
72" x 80" MOVING BLANKET
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE 66%
~~\$8.99~~
\$5.99
 Compare \$17.97
 ITEM 69505/62418/66537 shown

SUPER COUPON
FREE
 WITH ANY PURCHASE
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1" x 25 FT. TAPE MEASURE
\$6.99
 VALUE
 ITEM 69030/69031 shown

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 • 3-1/2 Pumps Lifts Most Vehicles
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 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE \$70
~~\$79.99~~
\$9.99
 Compare \$129.99
 ITEM 68053/62160
 62496/62516/60569 shown

SUPER COUPON
16" x 30" TWO SHELF STEEL SERVICE CART
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
 • 220 lb. capacity
SAVE 50%
~~\$59.98~~
\$29.99
 Compare \$59.98
 ITEM 60390/5107 shown

drillmaster SUPER COUPON
18 VOLT CORDLESS 3/8" DRILL/DRIVER WITH KEYLESS CHUCK
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
\$16.99
SAVE 65%
 Includes one 1.5V NiCd battery and charger.
 Compare \$49
~~\$19.99~~
\$16.99
 ITEM 69651/62868/62873/68239 shown

CENTRAL MACHINERY SUPER COUPON
10", 12 SPEED BENCHTOP DRILL PRESS
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE \$122
~~\$232.25~~
\$109.99
 Compare \$139.99
 ITEM 63471/60237 shown

PITTSBURGH AUTOMOTIVE SUPER COUPON
1 TON CAPACITY FOLDABLE SHOP CRANE
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
 • Boom extends from 36-1/4" to 50-1/4"
 • Crane height adjusts from 82" to 94"
 • Includes Ram, Hook and Chain
SAVE \$169
~~\$179.99~~
\$9.99
 Compare \$269
 ITEM 69512/61858
 69445 shown

PITTSBURGH MOTORCYCLE SUPER COUPON
1000 LB. CAPACITY MOTORCYCLE LIFT
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
 • Diamond plate steel platform and ramp
 • Lift range: 7" - 29-1/2"
SAVE \$750
~~\$1049.99~~
\$299.99
 Compare \$1049.99
 ITEM 69904/68892 shown

HARDY SUPER COUPON
POWDER-FREE NITRILE GLOVES PACK OF 100
 • 5 mil thickness
SAVE 53%
 Item 68498 shown

SIZE	ITEM
MED	68496/61363
LG	68497/61360
X-LG	68498/61359

YOUR CHOICE
~~\$7.99~~
\$5.99
 Compare \$12.99

PREDATOR SUPER COUPON
8750 PEAK/7000 RUNNING WATTS 13 HP (420 CC) GAS GENERATOR
 • 76 dB Noise Level
SAVE \$2170
~~\$529.99~~
\$59.99
 Compare \$2700
 ITEM 68530/63086
 69671/63085 shown
 ITEM 68525/63087/63088, CALIFORNIA ONLY

SUPER COUPON
AUTOMATIC WRIST BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR
 Not available in Florida, Nevada or North Carolina.
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE 60%
~~\$12.99~~
\$11.99
 Compare \$29.99
 ITEM 67212/62220 shown

PREDATOR SUPER COUPON
6.5 HP (212 CC) OHV HORIZONTAL SHAFT GAS ENGINE
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE \$290
~~\$389.99~~
\$99.99
 Compare \$389.99
 ITEM 60363/69730
 ITEM 69727 shown
 CALIFORNIA ONLY

PITTSBURGH SUPER COUPON
16 OZ. HAMMERS WITH FIBERGLASS HANDLE
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
YOUR CHOICE
~~\$9.97~~
\$2.99
SAVE 70%
~~\$4.99~~

CLAW	RIP
ITEM 69006	ITEM 47873
60715/60714	69005/61262

GREENWOOD SUPER COUPON
4 GALLON BACKPACK SPRAYER
 • Durable polyethylene construction
 • Overflow top and integrated filter
 • Chemical resistant seals
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE 66%
~~\$19.99~~
\$6.99
 Compare \$59.97
 ITEM 63036
 65040/61368/63092 shown

PITTSBURGH SUPER COUPON
130 PIECE TOOL KIT WITH CASE
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE \$69
~~\$299.99~~
\$27.99
 Compare \$99
 ITEM 63091
 63248/68998 shown

HaulMaster SUPER COUPON
17 FT. TYPE IA MULTI-TASK LADDER
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
 • Versatile - 23 Configurations
 • Safe + Secure + Stable
 • Super Strong Holds 300 lbs.
 • Weighs 35 lbs.
SAVE \$179
~~\$139.99~~
\$119.99
 Compare \$298.99
 ITEM 62656/62514/67646 shown

CHICAGO ELECTRIC POWER TOOLS SUPER COUPON
10" SLIDING COMPOUND MITER SAW
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE \$94
~~\$114.99~~
\$84.99
 Compare \$179
 Blade sold separately.
 ITEM 61971
 61972/98199 shown

SUPER COUPON
3 PIECE DECORATIVE SOLAR LED LIGHTS
 Customer Rating ★★★★★
SAVE 35%
~~\$9.99~~
\$7.99
 Compare \$12.42
 ITEM 60561/69462 shown



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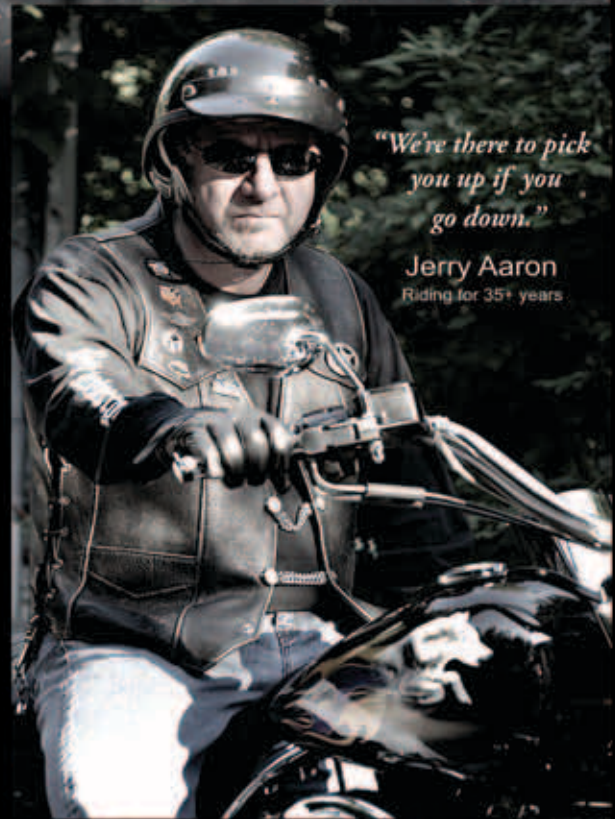
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