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Central Committee Meeting

American Legion Post 5
1423 Tanner Bridge Rd.
Jefferson City, MO 65101-2839
(573) 636-2311

Central Committee Meetings are at 10:00 am on the 2nd Sunday of the odd numbered months of the year,

Next Central Committee Meeting:
January 15, 2023

ONLY current membership
Central Committee Representatives
can conduct business during scheduled
Central Committee Meetings.
Please be sure your membership is current.

Committee Meetings are the Saturday before the scheduled Central Committee Meetings.

Saturday Committees
Membership 12:00 pm - Legislative 1:00 pm
PAC Rally 2:00 pm - FEW Seminar 3:00 pm
Motorcycle Awareness 4:00 pm
Open Officers Meeting 5:00 pm

Scheduled Central Committee Meetings for 2023 are as follows:

Jan 14-15, March 11-12, May 6-7, July 8-9, Sept. 9-10, Nov. 11-12

2023
FEW Seminar
"Rebel with A Cause"

MARCH 11, 2023
American Legion Post #5
1423 Tanner Bridge Road
Jefferson City, MO. 63109

Doors open at 9:00am
Seminar begins at 10:00am

Pre-registration:
$30 w/ a patch
$25 w/o a patch
$30 at the door w/o patch
Patches are $5

Cost includes seminar, dinner, live and silent auctions.
Pre-registration ends February 18th

Focused training and education for all members.

Make checks payable to: FORR® Inc

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The Bikers Code...

I might be the 'Black Sheep' of the family, but when the 'shit' hits the fan, I'm the one you call... Because you know I'll be there!!!

WAY COOL RIGHT?

(Picture taken at 2022 Octoberfest)

2023 FEW SEMINAR

American Legion Post #5

1423 Tanner Bridge Rd., Jefferson City,
MO 65101

Pre-registration ends February 18, 2023

Pre-registration cost

$30 patch included or $25 without patch or Cost at door $30 without patch

COST INCLUDES: Seminar, dinner, silent, and live auctions.

Pre-Registration Form

Name:_____

Address:_____

Phone:_____ **Local #**_____

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Local 1 – Lee's Summit *(March 1980)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1:00 p.m. - Location Varies
Contact: Rebel 816-850-4511 or Dragon 816-547-4906
Facebook: FORR Local 1

Ho Ho Ho all!

Hoping all is well with you and yours as we get closer to the Holiday Season…

As some of you will notice WE ALL had a FANTASTIC time at Octoberfest – and the DIRT DRAGS RULED!!!" It has been a while since we have had dry enough weather to do them, and our brothers from Kansas ABATE even came out to play with us! Thanks Guys! Love the 'Paddle Wheel'. And a HUGE thanks to our President – Bootstrap for the endless homemade 'Apple Pie'. See many pictures in this issue or visit Facebook for many more!

We had some unexpected repairs to the gate trailer that had to be done before we took her home on Sunday. Thank you, Laura, for enlisting your Husband for the job… What a GREAT guy! It was so appreciated! Much work will need to be done to all of the buildings before the next season - I hope to get some takers for the task!

As I write this, we will be having our District 4 Toy Run this weekend. I am hoping to have a few pictures from it as well. Check it out 'somewhere'. BIG thanks to my buddy and his gal for pitching in and coming along for the VFW breakfast that day!

November 20 meeting will be at the Scrapyard Eatery & Pub 1107 S. Broadway in Oak Grove, MO at 1PM. This will also be a time for our annual officer nominations. If you're interested in getting involved – come on out!

Don't forget the Local 14 Annual Christmas Party & Silent Auction, December 3rd, it's always a GREAT time! See the flyer on the back page of this issue.

Our December 18th meeting will be held at the Iron Horse Bar & Grill 1012 SE Blue Parkway, in Lee's Summit, Mo at 1PM. (formally known at Summit BBQ)

Ok, I have been going on and on, so it is time to get back to work…. So, as I always say, have a good one, then have another, and maybe just one more for Santa and his efforts!

See ya, **Michelle 'Rebel O'Connor #7157**

Sooner or later a person who wears two faces forgets which one is real…..

Local 2 – Macon *(November 2020)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday of the month 5:30pm
Next Meeting 10//16/22 Macon Fairgrounds
Contact: Pres. Chris McCurley 660-973-5557
Facebook: FORR Local 2

Hello everyone! Don't seem possible that Veteran's Day and Thanksgiving are right around the corner!!! Are you ready???

October 16th was our last meeting, carry in potluck hot supper on a cool evening, great food and company but it's time to move indoors!! LOL!! Many topics were addressed, and nominations of officers took place with elections planned for 11/19/22 at a breakfast meeting!!

On 10/30/22 was 'Trustees'' annual Toy Run! The 37th!! Including breakfast at Good Tidings Assembly of God (next door to Trustees') These people are awesome! They let us use their parking lot and serve a delicious breakfast (free will donations accepted) After the Parade/ ride everyone gathers at the Moose Lodge where a chili lunch with all the fixings awaits!! It's always a very fun and lively event!!

Despite the rain there was still a great turn out!! A few of us from local 2 attended, thanks to those who came to support the community!! *(Continued on next page)*

(Continued from previous page) With November starting with temps above normal you better get out there and enjoy the great outdoors doing all your favorite things!!

11/06/22 Local 2 members will proceed with our 2nd workday on our Adopt a Highway project. Be meeting at 1 PM at the Pizza Hut to work our way up and down Highway 63!! The weather is supposed to be perfect!! Our July clean-up was really hot!! Hope to have a great turn out the more the faster and merrier the job is!! Ok, TEAM!! Let's get her done!!

Stay safe and be happy!! **Cathy**

Local 3 - Truman Lake *(March 2013)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1:30 p.m. Chopper Stopper Grill & Bar, Roscoe, MO
Contact: John Bowen 417-321-4090
Facebook: FORR® Local 3

Local 3 capturing the flag at Local 14's Pool Tourney

I didn't make it to last months' meeting, but thanks a bunch to Phyllis for taking notes for me & keeping me up to date. Sounds like I missed a good meeting. Only 12 members there but did have a new member sign up. Will try to catch up with him & get his name in the newsletter next month. It's the time of the year for elections of officers, best of luck to all.

A few of us made it down to Eureka Springs & Rogers Ark. Oct 7&8 for Bikes, Blues & BBQ. Jim, Scott, Nicole and friends Jamie & Josh and Walt & I. Of course, we had a great time---well, one of us was feeling a little under the weather. I don't know if it was, or not, but let's just say maybe it was the Banana Pudding Shine! or maybe not. Really wanted to go to Kickstand Memorial Pool Tournament and was planning on it, then things come up. It always happens, doesn't it? But some from our local did get to go & capture their flags, Lonnie, Pappy, Glenn & Phyllis.

I shot my first turkey for thanksgiving this year (sure scared everyone in the grocery store) Hope you all have a wonderful feast. Happy Thanksgiving.

May your stuffing be tasty, may your turkey be plump
May your potatoes & gravy have nary a lump
May your yams be delicious, may your pies take the prize
And may your Thanksgiving dinner stay off your thighs.

Until next time, **Piglet 33946**

Local 5 - South Kansas City *(June 1981)*

Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 3 p.m.
VFW Post 1829 at 5904 Crystal in KCMO. (816-921-2222)
Contact: Amy Pres. 816-536-1647 or Duane Copowycz VP 816-217-1812
Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders, Inc. Local 5 South KC

Local 5 capturing the flag at Local 14's Pool Tourney

Hello to all,

Another Octoberfest come and gone. Great time for everyone. Thanks to all the members who sponsored, worked, and participated the money earned goes a long way in paying state dues. Keeps the ball a rolling. Congratulations to our own Vice-President Duane Copowycz for being awarded the Misfit honoree this year. He always takes a lead. Also a special Misfit honor was bestowed on our late beloved Brother Bob Hawkins Local 35. In all his years of hard work he had never received this honor. So, thank you Bob for being our Misfit.

Our planned ride to Mike "Animal" McPeek's house following last months' meeting had to be postponed as Animal was hospitalized. Our prayers go out to you and Virginia.

However, dinner at Scrapyard Bar and Grill in Oak Grove went on and good times were had.

October 2023 Meeting of the Minds is being held in St Louis Missouri area so as soon as date is set we will let you know. In meantime Amy asking for ideas for a Local 5 fundraiser to help offset traveling expenses for our working members to attend. If you have any ideas, please let Amy know.

I mentioned last month that our own Katherine Fox and Jim Scheele from Local 30 worked the booth at Bikefest. How about them! They signed up 14 new members from across the state. And I would be negligent to not give credit to our own Debbie Berneking who is working hard to increase the FORR flock. I ran out of fingers and toes to count the new members she has signed up. What energy!

Happy Thanksgiving to all our Brothers' and Sisters!

Thank you for your time,

Rebecca

Local 6 - St. Joseph *(March 1982)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 12:30 p.m.
VFW Post #1668 at 821 N. 4th Street, St. Joseph, MO 64501
Contact: Dan Harmon 816-387-1095 or Newsletter Editor Diana Hafner 816-385-4985 Dianalhafner@gmail.com

Hello everyone!
A huge shout out to those of you that had birthdays and/or anniversaries in October and November. Happy Birthday and/or Happy Anniversary.
On October 22nd Local 6 had a Social Gathering. There were 28 people that showed up and 19 Motorcycles. It was an absolute amazing day for a ride and to hang out with the FORR Family & Friends.
November 7th Local 6 had our Annual Christmas Toy Run to the Noyes Home for Children. Will have more info and pictures in the next issue of the Freedom Press.
So, until next time stay safe as always. Merry Christmas from my family & home to yours.
Your FORR Sista Always
Diana Hafner
816-385-4985

Local 7 – Lebanon *(January 1983)*

Meetings: 1st Sunday @ 4 p.m.
T'S Redneck Restaurant in Lebanon, MO.
Contact: Donald Goertz 573-586-7271

Well, another month has went by. Our toy run is on the 6th of November which is the day after the deadline for newsletters. So not much to write about.
Our younger members went to Buckhorn and done up our pavilion for the 'Halloween Havoc.' Sounds like they had a good time and done a good job thank you guys and gals for keeping Local 7 in the loop of things.
Our toy run will have come and gone by time you get this. The weather sounds good for toy run hope we have a good turnout. If you did not come to our toy run, you will have missed out on a good time.
That's all I got for now except for ride safe.
Sir Robert

Local 8 – Chillicothe *(March 1986)*

Meetings: (call for info - location varies)
Contact: 660-247-5713 or 660-973-3907
Facebook: FORR Local 8

Local 10 - Jefferson City (March 1987)

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m.
Twin Bridges Bar & Grill 4205 Rt. CC, Jefferson City, MO
Contact: Pres. Kip Loveall 573-999-0005 or Secy. Julie Loveall 573-645-7106 Treas. Jo Romano 573-514-0889 Safety. Gary Smith 573-424-4539
Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders® (FORR) Local 10

Local 11 - Southwest Missouri *(Feb.1984)*

Meetings: Please watch posts on our Facebook page for meeting dates as they may change due to scheduling conflicts Fraternal Order of Eagles 1321 S. Main, NW Door, Joplin MO
Contact: Pres. - Shaulene Frock (Lizzi) @ (417) 439-0399 or Vice President - Mike Mort @ (417)396-3691
Facebook – Freedom of the Road Riders Local 11

Anyone remember this?

Were you there?

Thanks Jake from L-5

Corporate Sponsor January 2022 / December 2022

District 4 - KC Area OCTOBERFEST

Members of
'The FUN Table'

'Annual Dinner'
The calm before OFest

Speed Limit 5mph
NO Recreational Vehicles
"Really" It's a Bike Rally!

Want to see more?
Check out Facebook!

Local 12 – Glasgow *(April 1994)*

Meetings: 2nd Saturday @ 1:00 P.M. Location Varies
Contact: Tami Adcock- 660-631-6530 Susan McDaniel- 660-631-6024
Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders Local 12
Upcoming meetings: Nov. 12 Stump Island…trash pick up at 10 am Dec. 3 Christmas Party J and A Coffee Shop Slater MO Jan. 14 Socko and Laura's Feb. 11 Mike and Tami's Contact: Tami Adcock- 660-631-6530 Susan McDaniel-660-631-6024

Hey Local 12: Due to unforeseen circumstances. Our October meeting was cancelled. We did, however, enjoy a group ride where we stopped at Sherrie's in Keytesville. Then stopped by to see Randy and Janet in Salisbury to check on his recovery. I'm happy to say that Randy was in good spirits and looked great! We then rode on to Huntsville and had a good lunch at Don's. While we were there everyone enjoyed checking out April's "new to her bike". Looking good April! President Johnnie Adcock and VP Mike Adcock both had birthdays this month, with great parties to go along with them.

We want to remind everyone of the Marshall Christmas parade on December 2nd. Check Facebook for details on line up times. Also, please remember our Christmas party. It is at J&A's Coffee Shop in Slater. It looks to be a great meal… remember it's BYOB as they don't serve alcohol. 5 pm happy hour, meal to follow!

Till Next Time, **Patti B**

Local 13 – Mexico *(January 1987)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @3 pm
For Meeting info or Membership
Call: President Chad "Dump Truck" Gardner @ 573-253-8742
Or Terra Hanon @ 573-721-7211
Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders® Local 13

It's been a busy year for Local 13. We had a wonderful turnout for the annual 2022 Car, Truck, and Bike Show, and had an awesome amount of sponsors, and several compliments on attendance, bike games, and the kid zone. Halloween trunk or treat, we saw several ghouls and goblins. So much we had to send a member to get more candy.

Finally, the Toy Run, look at all those presents!

Becky

Corporate Sponsor
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Local 14 – Independence *(September 1989)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.
VFW Post 4052 3109 Franklin Avenue, Lexington, MO.
Contact: Donna Hilburn 816-665-7243
Facebook: FORR® Local 14

Hello brothers and sisters, I would first off like to welcome our new members!!!!! We are so happy you have joined us!!

A big Thank You, Local 14 for showing up in numbers to support our pool tournament!!!! You guys are the best!!! Thank you to all the other Locals who supported Local 14. Winners are: 1st place was "a walk-in", 2nd was Nick Tomlinson and 3rd was Alex Hopkins local 35.
Congratulations to all the winners!

Thank you for all of those that helped with the District 4 Toy Run.
Some of our upcoming events are:

Our Christmas party is coming up on Dec 3 VFW Lexington MO

Happy Thanksgiving!!!

Steph "Puff" Foulks

Local 15 – Branson / Tri-Lakes *(May 1991)*

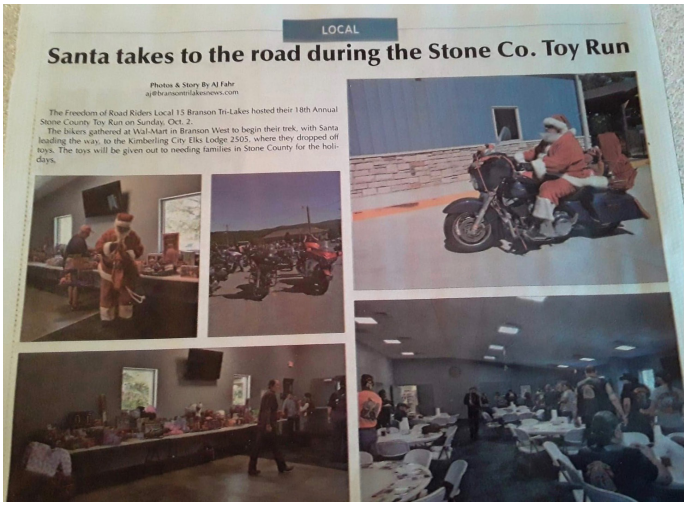
Meetings: 3rd Monday @ 7 p.m.
Call for information Contact: Cyndi Barker 417-339-1679
Facebook: FORR Local #15

Merry Christmas FORR, Brothers and Sisters. I hope you have a merry and bright one!

The newspaper picture was in the Stone County paper telling everyone about our successful Stone County Toy Run. We really appreciate whoever sent it into the paper.

We're preparing for our 33rd Branson Toy Run this weekend. The temperature is going to be in the mid 70's and sunny. Perfect Toy Run weather. I'll tell you all about it next month!

We're looking forward to our Christmas party on Dec. 3rd. It will be the same place as the last few years, The Honeysuckle Inn, Branson Mo, located next door to the IMAX on Shepherd of the Hills Expressway. Dinner starts at 6. Bring a covered dish or dessert. We're providing a ham and turkey. The price for dinner is $5 for members and $10 for non-members (you can sign up at the door). We will be playing a Christmas Gift Exchange, *(Continued on next page)*


LOCAL

Santa takes to the road during the Stone Co. Toy Run

Photos & Story By AJ Fahr
aj@bransontrilakesnews.com

The Freedom of Road Riders Local 15 Branson Tri-Lakes hosted their 18th Annual Stone County Toy Run on Sunday, Oct. 2.
The bikers gathered at Wal-Mart in Branson West to begin their trek, with Santa leading the way, to the Kimberling City Elks Lodge 2505, where they dropped off toys. The toys will be given out to needing families in Stone County for the holidays.

L14 Pool Tourney

Want to see more... check out Facebook

(Continued from previous page) so please bring one if you want to play. It's a BYOB party, whether you drink alcohol, soda or tea. We will have Downtown Strangers as our live band. There are plenty of rooms available if you want to stay. Just call them at 417-335-2030, make sure to tell them that you are with the FORR party.

Our next event will be our New Year's Day ride. We will be meeting at the Branson Memorial Museum, 1250 West 76, Branson. Kick stands up at 1pm. We will ride to Saint City's, also in Branson. This is a rain/snow or shine event. There will be a full menu and bar at the restaurant.

As always, we will not have a business or BS meeting in December. We will announce our January BS meeting on our Facebook page after our Nov. meeting.

I want to wish all my FORR family a very blessed Christmas. I hope to see you at a Toy Run between now and the end of the month.

Love, Lou

(The piicture to the right was taken at our Nov. BS meeting.)

Local 16 – SEMO *(December 1984)*

Meetings: Call for Information
Contact: Whitey 573-768-2524
or George 573-270-7494
E-mail: forrlocal16@gmail.com
Facebook: FORR Local 16

By now, the mid-term elections are all over – except for the crying - which the losers will continue to do for at least the next two years. And in two more years we'll get another round of crying from some new criers, and some repeat criers from this go-around. As my dad would say "Just quit yer bitch'in and get to work".

On the local level, we would like to welcome two new members, Kevin & Kathy Schremp to our merry little band of freedom fighters.

We have tentative dates for both Broomstick Pool Tournaments – February 4th at JR's in Cape and March 18th at The 505 in Perryville.

The annual Christmas Dance will be at the Perryville VFW on December 2nd with White Lightning playing from 8-12. Along with the gun giveaways and the quilt giveaway there will be opportunities to take home a really nice wreath made by Brian 'Americana' woodwork by Brian, and Bene is contemplating on bringing "Something Creative".

Last, but certainly not least –

At this year's DAV Run our friend Butch Campbell, a United States Navy Veteran, was presented with a cased American Flag with certificate that was flown over The Missouri Veterans Memorial in appreciation and honor of his service to our country. Thanks to all for making that happen & special thanks to 'Flathead' Mike for going the extra mile and getting Butch to the event.

Martin King of Pocahontas

Local 20 – Dexter *(September 1985)*

Meetings: Last Saturday @ 2PM
Double Deuce
25 N. Locust St., Dexter, MO
Contact: Rob Reif 573-421-7480
Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 20 Dexter

Local 24 - St. Louis *(October 1986 / Closed 2006 – reinstated January 2009)*

Meetings: 2nd Wed @ 7 p.m.
Amore Pizza 450 Rue St., St. Francois, Florissant, MO
Contact: Kerri Lewis 314-546-1624

Greetings. This month's submission from local 24 is from Terra.

Passenger Safety:

We hear a lot about how to safely operate a motorcycle, but passenger safety is just as important and rarely discussed. As a passenger, you have an equal responsibility for awareness and safety, not just your own but also the rider. I have been a passenger on Rob's bike for 12 years and as a result, I am a better driver in my car, not just because I watch for motorcycles, but because I avoid distraction and anticipate other drivers.

The two most important things to remember are movement and distraction. Make sure you are both comfortable before takeoff because any movement or shifting of position will be unexpected by the rider. This may seem like common sense, but any movement could cause loss of balance. Establish in advance how you will communicate on the bike. speak loudly, or use hand signals. Avoid distracting the rider with unnecessary conversation. It's nice to take in the scenery as a passenger, but you need to be just as vigilant as the rider in anticipating the road ahead. If the rider looks away for any reason, make sure you have eyes ahead. Discuss ahead of time how you should communicate a possible hazard so that you will not startle the rider or interfere with operation of the bike. ALWAYS be thinking ahead as to how you would react in any situation. The worst thing you can do is to be startled by something unexpected. Instinct will take over and you may grab the rider or shift your position. If a hazard occurs, the rider needs to be 100% focused on navigating the motorcycle, not your reaction. You are a team and with all the distracted drivers on the road these days, you need to work together to keep yourselves upright. And don't forget to HAVE FUN!!

STAY VIGILANT. CHECK YOUR TIRE PRESSURE. HAVE FUN.

Rob & Terra

Local 25 - St. Charles County *(November 1986)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 12:00 p.m.
St Charles Music House
Contact: Casey Singleton 660-924-1693
Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 25

Hello everyone, I'm new at this so let's see if I can make sure this goes right.

Fall is upon us time for getting those last good days of riding in. Be safe and watch for the critters as it is their favorite time of year too. A few tips for storing your bike for the winter: Clean the bike up, Change the oil, top off the tank and add fuel stabilizer, empty the carburetors, plug the exhaust & air boxes, inflate the tires or elevate it, charge the battery or keep it on a trickle charger, & last of all cover it.

I want to thank everyone that participated in our Leaves in the Breeze poker run. The weather was beautiful along with the fall foliage. I want to send out a big shout of gratitude to the Bars that allowed us to stop. Elmer's Tavern in St. Charles, Froge's in Portage Des Sioux, Boschertown Bar & Grill in St. Charles, Chains Bar & Grill in Old Monroe, & the Music house in St. Charles. We had 35 signed releases. A Total of 60 hands were sold. The winning hand of a Club Flush went to Mike Neal, 2nd place with a Straight was Bobby Meyers who donated it back to the Local, thank you Bobby, and the worst hand went to Archie. Congrats to all the winners. We would like to thank 3 members of Local 14 of Independence MO. for showing up: Doug Hilburn, Heinz Maurel & Robert Dial. We are glad everyone had a good time and a safe ride.

Our next event will be our Pool tournament which will be held on 11/5/22 at Teachers in St Charles, MO. Sign up is at noon tournament starts at 1:00pm. There will be many silent auction items present.

Our last meeting *(Continued on next page)*

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(Continued from previous page) was held with 13 in attendance. Sorry to say Jim Tata you would have won the incentive jack pot, had you been present, it is now up to $45 maybe next time. Missed seeing you and many of our other members hoping you all will be able to make the next one.

New Members are Cindy & Jeremy Labanca. Renewed members are Mike Neal, Tammy & Nick Haines.

Our last meeting was held October 16th. There are 2 new Members Ann McAdams and Laura Hanan

Donation of 250 dollars to Shriners Hospital & 250 dollars to Meeting of the Minds.

Our LOCAL 25 Christmas Party will be at the Music House on December 10th starting 7:00pm a gift exchange of $25 dollars limit.

Stay safe out there, **Pat**

Local 26 – Maryville *(February 1990)*

Meetings: 1st Tuesday @ 6p.m.
Breaktime @ 1517 E. 1st St., Maryville, MO
Contact: Kathy Rice 660-582-1742
Facebook: Local 26 Freedom of Road Rider

Local 28 – Waynesville *(March 1990)*

Meetings: 1st Friday @ 7 p.m.
Pulaski Shriners Club.
Contact: President Bill Dorac 573-765-5293, VP Wes "Yeti" Ellzey, SEC/Treasurer Mayra Preble 573-765-5309
Membership Tammy Roser / CC Rep Mike "Bama" Roser, Shrine Club 573-774-5454
Facebook: Local 28 Freedom of Road Riders

Hello Motorcycle Lovers

First, let me wish everyone the Merriest of Christmas, Hanukkah, and Kwanzaa the three cultural Holidays observed in the US.

Then on another Happy Note and all out Good News, Local 28 will continue to operate. The final nominations were held during our monthly meeting on November 4th. Meet the new leadership body for Local 28 for 2023: President – Mike "Bama" Roser; VPresident – Wes 'Yeti" Ellzey; Secretary/Treasurer (best lookin' of the bunch) Mayra Preble; Safety Officer – Mike Bennett; Membership – Marta and CC Rep/Freedom Press News Writer - Merel "Hat Man" Johnson.

As stated above our monthly meeting was held on November 4 and there were 2 Birthdays announced for November: David Pascoe and Jamie Roberts; Anniversary was The Dorlac's. October 8th Local 28 had a dinner/lunch ride, first in a while, there was more than a couple that enjoyed a good meal at the Tater Patch in Rolla, picture. Bill Dorlac thanked the folks that came out to support the Shriners big Halloween event for the children. A few Pictures were taking enjoy them. It was put out that a few of our folks would be supporting Local 7s Toy Run on Saturday.

History of December: December 2, 1954 - The U.S. Senate condemned Senator Joseph McCarthy for misconduct following his ruthless investigations of thousands of alleged Communists. December 5, 1955 - In Alabama, the Montgomery bus boycott began in response to the arrest of Rosa Parks for refusing to give up her seat on a municipal bus to a white man. Organized by the African American community, the boycott lasted until December 20, 1956, when a U.S. Supreme Court ruling integrated the public transportation system. Birthday - Walt Disney (1901-1966) was born in Chicago, Illinois. December 7, 1787 - Delaware became the first state to adopt the new constitution of the United States of America. Birthday - American industrialist Clarence Birdseye (1886-1956) was born in Brooklyn, New York. He developed a method of deep-freezing foods and was one of the founders of General Foods Corp. December 15, 1791 - The Bill of Rights (first 10 amendments to the U.S. Constitution) became effective following ratification by Virginia. Birthday - Historian Carter Woodson (1875-1950) was born in New Canton, Virginia. He introduced black studies to American colleges and universities. December 30, 1903 - In Chicago, a fire inside the Iroquois Theater killed 588 persons, eventually resulting in new fire safety codes for theaters. *(Continued on next page)*

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(Continued from previous page) "I look my best when I take my helmet off after a long motorcycle ride. I have a glow and a bit of helmet hair." — Eric Bana
Keep the wind and sun to your back, all wheels on the ground and God as your co-pilot. Remember those who protect our freedom. God Bless the USA.

Merel "Hat Man" Johnson, Local 28 Freedom Press Reporter

Local 29 - Kansas City North *(February 1988)*

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.
Boozer's Bar, 1100 State Highway B, Liberty, MO 64068
Contact: Nancy Martin 816-309-2566 or Paul McCormack 816-560-5359
Facebook: FORR Local 29

Local 30 - Springfield / Nixa *(January 2007)*

Meetings: 3rd Thursday Starting promptly @ 7 p.m.
Foxhole Bar and Grill 2350 N. Clifton Ave., Springfield, MO 65803
Contact: President – David Hall 427-241-1230 or Vice President – Brandon Barber 417-837-9001
Facebook: FORR Local 30 Springfield/Nixa MO

Local 31 - Central Missouri *(December 1990)*

Meetings: 2nd Thursday @ 7p.m.
Check Facebook for meeting location or call
Mike Thompson 12080 County Rd. 8010 Rolla, MO 65401; Debra John, 573-647-0129
Facebook: Local 31 Central MO

Local 33 - Hwy. 50 West *(March 1999)*

Meetings: 3rd Sun. of every month @ 1pm AM Vets on Hwy. 50 just E. of Knob Noster, MO
President: Roy Hoard 660-527-3395 - Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 33

Local 33 capturing the flag at Local 14's Pool Tourney

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Local 28's Family

Local 35 - Golden Valley *(July 1996)*

Meetings: 4th Sunday @ 2 p.m. Eagles, 723 N. 3rd St., Clinton, MO
Contact: President David Roberts Nelson 660-492-7493 - Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders ® Local 35

Hello FORR friends and family! Hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving!

Local 35 Christmas party will be Saturday December 3rd at the Eagles Aerie in Clinton. We will be setting up at 3pm in the back room. Enter through the back door of the building. Please go to the Local 35 private Facebook page and let us know what kind of food your gonna fix up to bring. We will have our 2023 Officer elections and monthly meeting. Bring a gift if you want for the Christmas gift exchange also. Find a gift that a man or lady would like that is $20 or less. We are going to play a game so there's no telling what you may end up with! We would love to have a big turn out to this! Every member is welcome even if we haven't seen you in a while! So come join us for some great food and fun time! Be great to see you there! If you have any questions, feel free to ask on the Local 35 Facebook page!

Also, don't forget Local 35 President David Nelson challenged us to come up with a new Local 35 t-shirt design. So if you are a Local 35 member and have a new design draw it up and bring it to the Christmas party. We will vote on the best one! The member with the winning design will get a free t-shirt with the new design and a gift card for dinner to El Camino Mexican restaurant!

We had a great turn out at our last monthly meeting! Thank you to all that showed up! Leslie Koeller won the attendance incentive drawing $101 bucks!! Then she donated it back to Local 35! Thank you, Leslie!

Happy Birthday to the Local 35 members born in December!

Rick Greer Dec 10th, Kathy Jackson Dec 9th, Kelli Schnepf Scneider Dec 8th

Everyone please, have a safe and a Merry Christmas!

Local 35 meets at the Eagles Lodge on the 4th Sunday of every month in Clinton Mo. at 2pm *** (except this November meeting will be Saturday December 3rd at the Christmas dinner and party. Set up starting at 3pm)***

Please call President David Nelson at 660-492-7493 or myself V.P Rod Huff at 660-233-9944 with any info or questions.

Thanks!

Ride Safe, Ride Free, Ride on, **Rod Huff**

Local 41 - Cameron Crossroads *(January 2002)*

Meetings: 1st Thursday @ 7 p.m. Dino's Diner
Contact: Steve Gallus 816-449-5037 or 2707 or Mike Sims 660-425-8340 - Facebook: FORR® Local 41

Hey Hello! You will never guess what I remembered this month! Yes, it is the Newsletter, I didn't forget last month I just had the days mixed up. I actually thought that I was a day early, but Rebel informed me that I was late. Yes, I was, thanks for bringing that to my attention. So here we go with this month's letter. So, we had our meeting on the 3rd of November and everyone reminded me to not forget this month newsletter. I think that I have fulfilled my duty. We had over 75% members at the meeting. That was great, glad that you could make it.! We discussed about giving some money to the local Toys for Tots. Will give a check to them at the next meeting. We also discussed about trying to get something going in the spring to help the local get some more members and a little more cash in our checking account. Also discussed was our anniversary party. Will discuss it at the next meeting which will be December 1st at Dino' s Diner eat at 6, meet at 7 hope you can come. The local will be 21 years old, let's try to stay around for another 21. As I type this, we have had over 2 inches of rain and some talk of snowflakes, yes, I know that is a bad word. It is that time of the year although.

This will be out after the election, hope that you took part in it, with that being said RIDE SAFE, RIDE FREE AND RIDE.

Later,

Steve G

Local 42 - Franklin County *(July 1999)*

Meetings: Last Sunday @ 10 a.m.
Roadhouse 100
2763 Hwy. 100, Gray Summit, MO
Contact: President, LaDonna Miller 636-259-6194
or Jessica Miller 636-259-6346
Facebook: F.O.R.R. LOCAL 42 FRANKLIN CO.

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District 4 KC Area - Toy Run

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2023

FEW Seminar

"Rebel with A Cause"

MARCH 11, 2023

American Legion Post #5

1423 Tanner Bridge Road

Jefferson City, MO. 63109

Doors open at 9:00am

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District 4 - KC Area

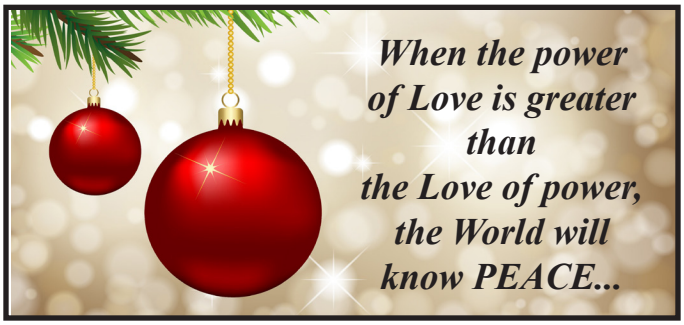
Hello D4,

By the time this comes out district 4 Toy Run will have come and gone, I'm sure everyone enjoyed themselves as they normally do, and I know the Sunshine Center appreciates what is done for them and the Children. Thank you goes out to everyone that participated in this event.

District 4 is working on our crockpot cook-off so be watching for the flyer so you can come have a great time with us and bring your yummies to the competition.

That's all I have for now. **D4 Chairperson**

Donna, HBIC



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2003 Honda Nighthawk 250. This bike was a training bike for the Motorcycle Safety Foundation this year. It is in average condition. Bike will need picked up in Jefferson City and will need trailered as it is not registered or insured. In good operating condition with tires in good riding condition. 1655 miles on it. Great first bike. Contact: Beth Livingston (573) 338-2403

Newest LIFE Members

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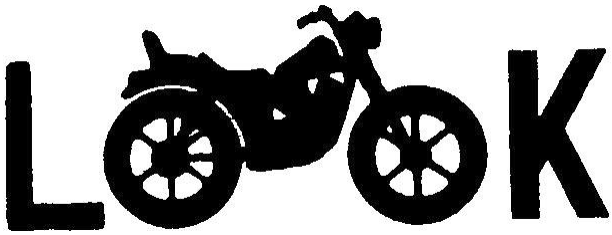

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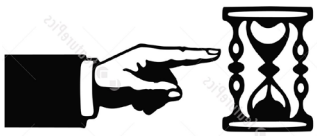

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