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Correction: Lifetime Member Jude Cormier is a member of Local 29, not Local 33!

The next CC Meeting will be held on:
JULY 21st, 2019
 at
 Capitol Plaza Hotel
 415 W McCarty St.
 Jefferson City, MO 65101
 (573) 635-1234

Accepting applications for the following positions:

EVENTS CO-ORDINATOR

NEWSLETTER EDITOR

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PLEASE MAIL YOUR APPLICATION OR RESUME TO ONE OF THE CORPORATE CABINET MEMBERS

NOTICE To All Locals
 As of 6/10/2019
 This is The Standing On Financial Statements

Local	Last Report
1	4/19
3	4/19
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6	4/19
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11	3/19
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28	3/19
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30	2/19
31	4/19
33	3/19
35	3/19
41	3/19
42	1/19
Dist 4	4/19
MAFR	3/19

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If you don't agree with this report,
 Please contact Glenda Ely at
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Central Committee Meeting #237 May 5, 2019

Freedom of Road Riders®, Inc. Central Committee Meeting was held on Sunday, May 5, 2019 at the Capitol Plaza Hotel. Jefferson City, MO. Cabinet officers present were Chairman, Mark Capps, Vice Chairman, Ken Lewis, Corporate Secretary, Marla Wallace, Treasurer Glenda Ely, Legislative Coordinator Joe Widmer, Motorcycle Awareness Coordinator Deanna Rhodes, Rider Education Coordinator J R DeGraffenreid, Product Line Manager Cinda Hankins, Sergeant at Arms Layne Shady.

Chairman Capps called the meeting to order at 9:57 a.m. and read the Preamble to the By-Laws of the organization. The assembled Central Committee Representatives observed a moment of silence for lost brothers and sisters. The following Central Committee Representatives answered the roll call read by the Corporate Secretary:

Location	Local	Count	Vote	CC Rep
Lee's Summit Mo	Local 01	36	1 Vote	Tim O'Connor
Truman Lake	Local 03	101	2 Votes	Deena Quick
South Kansas City	Local 05	43	1 Vote	Amy Allmon
St. Joseph	Local 06	114	2 Votes	Bill Gimse
Lebanon	Local 07	55	1 Vote	Charlie Pilcher
Chillicothe	Local 08	74	1 Vote	Chris McCurley
Jefferson City	Local 10	99	1 Votes	Rich Northeimer
Southwest Missouri	Local 11	50	1 Vote	Joseph Karr
Glasgow	Local 12	41	1 Vote	Ed Johnson
Mexico	Local 13	69	1 Vote	Cinda Hankins
Independence	Local 14	124	2 Votes	Joe Widmer
Branson	Local 15	132	2 Votes	Les Morris
SEMO	Local 16	41	1 Vote	Martin King
Kirksville	Local 19	52	1 Vote	Absent
Dexter	Local 20	33	1 Vote	Absent
Eldon	Local 21	11	1 Vote	Absent
South Central	Local 22	34	1 Vote	B.L. McDonnell
St. Louis	Local 24	55	1 Vote	David Erger
St. Peters	Local 25	28	1 Vote	Emily Cox
Maryville	Local 26	37	1 Vote	Carl Ashbaugh
Waynesville	Local 28	71	1 Votes	Merel Johnson
North Kansas City	Local 29	41	1 Vote	James Duyck
Springfield/Nixa	Local 30	54	1 Vote	Linda Bowden
Central Missouri	Local 31	40	1 Vote	Debra John
Highway 50 West	Local 33	94	1 Votes	Roy Hoard
Golden Valley	Local 35	35	1 Vote	Bob Hawkins
Cameron Crossroads	Local 41	8	0 Vote	Stephen Gallus
Franklin County	Local 42	39	1 Vote	James Hoffman
Members at Large	Local 00	91	0 Vote	
Total		1702		
Corporate Sponsors		6		
* Vote suspended due to financial reports				
* Vote suspended due to member total less than 10		L41		

Motion to approve the minutes was made by L22 and 2nd by L11. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.>

Chairman – Mark Capps

FORR is in contract with the hotel to pay for the hospitality room. To cancel the room would cost \$270. <A motion was made by L22 and 2nd by L11 to continue the hospitality room. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.>

If your wish to submit a cabinet for the November 2019 elections, your submission must be sent by registered mail to the corporate secretary between August 1-31.

Vice Chairman – Ken Lewis

There hasn't had any submission for Engineer of Freedom award. L14 received the award for the most recruits.

Department Reports**Treasurer** – Glenda Ely

State Accts. Balances: Date March 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019

PAC FUND: beginning \$12,253.36, ending \$10,931.15

GENERAL FUND: begin: (\$3,272.51), ending (\$4,305.07)

RIDERS ED.: begin: \$4,472.96, ending \$7,325.73.

AWARENESS AND MEMBERSHIP: Awareness: begin January 2019: \$2,076.46, ending \$2,251.46 Membership: begin January 2019: \$2561.09, ending \$3,116.09.

HOMECOMING: Begin: \$9,916.72, ending \$9,916.72.

GIVEAWAY: Begin: \$1,762.78, ending \$2,033.78.

DONATIONS: L30 \$500 to riders ed, L30 \$100 to hospitality room

<Motion made by L7 and 2nd by L8 to approve the financial report. Motion passed by majority voice vote with much discussion.>

L33 requested that all CC reps and local presidents get a full year-to-date summary of financials. They can be emailed.

Secretary – Marla Wallace

**Membership Report
March - April 2019**

Memberships Processed:

March Total Life Members for March - 2	34 New Members	75 Renewed Members
April Total Life Members for April - 0	10 New Members	50 Renewed Members
2 Life Members	44 New Members	125 Renewed Members
March - April 2019	169 TOTAL MEMBERSHIPS PROCESSED	

Total Membership 1702
(decrease of 49 members)
379 LIFE MEMBERS

Webmaster – Mike Thompson

Send all submissions or updates to webmaster@forn.net

Legislative Coordinator – Joe Widmer

Helmet bill is still on the move. Senate resolution Senate helmet bill hasn't gotten out of committee. The house is trying to put it on any transportation bill. Joe is trying to set up a Facebook page that is just dedicated to legislation. He will work on that this summer.

MRF - Amy Allmon

<A motion was made by L5 and 2nd by L33 to take the marketing fund and deduct for the MAY rally out of Capital Days and campaign contributions and make that available for donations for Mid-South Mile and MRF if the money is available. The motion was amended by L5 and 2nd by L8 to allow \$1700.00 for each MSM and MRF. Amended motion passed by roll call vote by 25-2 and 1 abstained with some discussion. The original motion passed by roll call vote by 23-2 and 2 abstained with much discussion.>

Bikers Inside the Beltway is May 20-21. Membership dues for MRF will increase July 1st. HR338 declares May 2019 motorcycle awareness month.

Mid-South Mile – Roy Hoard “Cowboy”, Tami McMinn

There will be a list of all the winery locations. When getting wine donations also get a business card to be attached to the map of Missouri to show where the wine came from. The Mid-South Mile was formed so the states could communicate to see what works and what doesn't in each state.

Motorcycle Safety – JR DeGraffenreid

The proposed budget this year is higher than in the past. The \$60 refund is only given if the rider takes the course through a FORR rider site. <A motion was made by L5 and 2nd by 28 to approve the presented budget. Motion passed by majority show-of-hand vote with much discussion.> Riders and instructors are needed. An instructor can make \$400 per weekend to teach. To be an instructor, there is a week long training class in the spring. There are 6 or 7 training bikes that are for sale. Contact Doug Clawson if interested. <A motion was made by L7 and 2nd by L31 to have give-a-way a safety course to sell a bike to a student that passed the class. Motion passed by show-of-hand vote 16-3 with some discussion.>

Membership – “Slim Jim” Scheele and Mark Capps

We recruit members, how do we retain them? Some members have disputes over any number of issues. How can we retain members with negative comments being made? If you as a member have an issue that needs to be addressed, discuss it to your CC rep to bring it to the CC floor so it can be discussed. The Freedom Press isn't the place to air those issues. Keep positive postings in the Freedom Press.

MAC- Deanna Rhodes

The MAY rally had a great turn out. Lots of good speakers. Supplies can be ordered by emailing scott.wilson@modot.mo.gov Let him know what local is requesting supplies. Still working with MODOT on another PSA. Get the information of what format the news stations require to have it put on TV. Also, include radio stations for PSA formats. Send pictures of membership booths. A sanction form is not required if there is not the exchange of money. Deanna can be reached at 816-591-3478.

COC Liaison – Terry Cobb, Ken Lewis

There hasn't been a meeting since the last CC meeting. The next meeting is June 1st at the Snorty Horse in Columbia. FORR will not be represented at the June meeting.

Product Line – Cinda Hankins

Contact Cinda at productline@forr.net or 573-474-2827. The trailer and products have been picked up from Shelly. Product line is available. Some items are priced to clear out. Many old event patches are available.

Committees

FEW Seminar – Lizzy and the Blondes

The FEW brought in \$2681.84 minus \$100 for expenses and patches still need to come out of that. Joe “DC” Karr has volunteered to take over the FEW. He is looking for assistant(s).

Homecoming – Ken Lewis

Expenses were discussed at \$8000 out of \$10,000. It is under budget so far. Port-A-Potty contest will win a prize. **All decorations are not to be permanent.** Looking for a major sponsor to support the rally. Deadline for trophy and t-shirts are due by July 1. More RV spots are being added and a new shower house. Bluebird Outdoors can deliver an RV for the weekend for approx. \$400. They can be reached at www.bluebirdoutdooradventure.com 660-553-8937. Rally dates are Aug 23-25. Gate opens Friday at noon. No early birds. Next meeting will be June 9th at 1:00 at the campground located at 1659 NW Hwy MM, Eurich, MO 64788

Old Business

No old business

New Business

<A motion was made by L1 and 2nd by L22 to increase life members maintenance fee from \$13 to \$15 effective immediately. Motion passed by majority voice vote with little discussion.> This is a policy and procedure change. The maintenance fee is just for life members that want to receive a printed copy of the Freedom Press. <A motion was made by L31 and 2nd by L25 to suspend the \$100 monthly payment to the state treasurer for maintaining the accounts. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote with much discussion.> This is a policy and procedure change.

<A motion was made by L5 and 2nd by L31 to amend current treasurer qualification to add "or has been an accounting professional with no less than 3 years of experience or holds an accounting degree." Motion passed by unanimous voice vote with little discussion.> This is a policy and procedure change.

<A motion was made by L33 and 2nd by L42 to suspend providing supporter pins for locals that make their state financial contribution. L16 made a motion 2nd by L30 to take the motion back to the locals for discussion. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.> This is a policy and procedure change.

<A motion was made by L33 and 2nd by L5 The Freedom Press change from a monthly publication to a bi-monthly publication with issues to be published in January, March, May, July, September and November. Motion was made by L8 and 2nd by L16 to table and take it back to the locals for discussion. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote with some discussion.> This is a policy and procedure change.

L33 presented a change to by-law 2.2A. Current by-law reads: *2.2A Membership dues shall be \$25.00. The Central Committee treasury shall retain \$20.00, and the Local treasury shall retain \$5.00.* The proposed change to the by-law to be as follows: *2.2A Membership dues shall be \$25.00 which shall be retained by the Central Committee treasury.* <A motion was made by L33 and 2nd by L22 to print the by-law change. Motion passed by majority voice vote with some discussion.>

L1 presented a change to by-law 2.2A. The proposed change to the by-law to be as follows: *2.2A Membership dues shall be \$30.00. The Central Committee treasury shall retain \$25.00 and the local treasury shall retain \$5.00.*

<A motion made by L1 and 2nd by L14 to print the by-law change. Motion passed by majority voice vote with some discussion.>

<L14 made a motion, 2nd by L16 to allow L5 to accept donations for a Time Out trailer give-a-way. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote with little discussion.>

Good of the order/Connections

Many announcements.

Next meeting

Committee meetings will be held in July 6th at noon and the CC meeting will be July 7th, starting at 10:00am at the Capital Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City.

<A motion to adjourn was made by L35 and 2nd by L28 to adjourn the meeting at 3:05p. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote with no discussion.>

Freedom of Road Riders, its Locals, Districts and members are comprised of people from all walks of life and ages that share a common passion and love for the motorcycle lifestyle, no matter what make & model they ride.

In the mid 1960's, state governments across the country were enacting motorcycle policies on Qualifications, Licensing, and Restrictions regarding the use and operation of motorcycles. By the late 1970's prosecution of these restrictions on Personal Freedoms by became rampant.

Influenced by the insurance and medical lobbies, elected officials were progressively enacting 'For Your Own Good' laws against motorcyclists, including forced compliance of various articles of protective gear and riding apparel. A clear disregard of our right to the pursuit of Life, Liberty, Happiness, and the American Dream.

Recognizing that some of these enactment's were totalitarian in nature, and a selective form of discrimination against a lifestyle, it was feared that soon the federal government might step in and our riding future could be jeopardized. Groups of enthusiasts and riders began forming Motorcycle Rights Organizations or MROs across the country to take a stand against these totalitarian enactment's at the state level.

They soon realized the only way to compete with the powerful, money-backed lobbies on an even and level playing field, was to develop and promote a solid 'Grass Roots' Movement. Education, and political activism are powerful tools

against an ever increasing push to control our lifestyle.

In 1981, Freedom of Road Riders became Missouri's MRO, and the movement to contain these types of enactment's and recover our lost freedoms continues today.

Although the federal government has maintained and agreed that these enactment's are now the business of individual state governments. Federal lawmakers influence state legislators by threatening to withhold needed Federal Highway funds if the state doesn't comply with the Federal sentiment toward the American motorcyclist.

Again, influenced by the insurance companies and medical trauma staff lobbies, legislators continue seeking legislation that 'protects motorcyclists from themselves.' Today MROs are in every state in the United States and across Europe. Freedom of Road Riders members have gone on to help develop new programs that help motorcyclists both on state and federal levels, including the Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) in Washington, D.C.

We would like to encourage our new members to take full advantage of all the opportunities and programs Freedom of Road Riders offers. Your participation will not only help you to achieve a better understanding of Legislation that could help or hinder your continued love for the motorcycle lifestyle, it will strengthen FORR's efforts to monitor and inform you of legislation involving Safety, Education, and Laws that could affect you as a rider.

Written by Bill "Treetop" Duncan

2019 End of Session Report

Motorcycle Awareness

GREAT NEWS, finally!

After a 10-year drought the Helmet Modification was finally passed this year on the last day of session and is on the Governor's desk awaiting his signature. At the time of this writing (6/3) I had hoped for a report that would say, "going into law on August 28th we now have the choice on helmets," but that is not the case, yet. From all reports so far, it is expected that the Governor will sign the bill, SB 147, which the Helmet modification language is amended to along with other Transportation issues. Once signed it will go into effect on August 28, 2019.

When I first started this, I said 10-year drought this is because it has been since 2009 when it was passed last and went to the Governor's desk. It first took this organization 18 years to get it passed the first time in 1999 only to get vetoed by Governor Carnahan. It then took another 10 years to get it passed and sent to Governor Nixon, only to get vetoed again. So, here we are again another 10 years down the road in 2019 and have it to Governor Parson and awaiting his signature to finally get our FREEDOM of Choice in the State of Missouri along with the other 32 states that allow the freedom to choose. The last state to do this was Michigan in 2012. Thirty-eight (38) years is a long time to wait for our freedom of choice.

On to a few things to finalize for the end of session. As some of you know the helmet modification was the only legislation that passed. We were also following several other pieces of legislation that never even got a good start. Texting and driving legislation, the senate bill had a hearing and never got out of committee and the house bill never received a hearing. We did get a hearing on the senate profiling resolution, but it never went any further and the house version never had a hearing. Failure to yield had a hearing but never went further and grass clippings never went anywhere. We need to begin thinking where we need to go for next year and we will have to keep our focus on protecting motorcyclists, awareness and safety. We also need to work towards a goal of keeping motorcycle accidents down and reducing rider error. If this new helmet law gets put into place, we must do these things so that we can keep our freedom of choice.

Joe Widmer

Legislative Coordinator



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Hey there Freedom Fighters! If you don't know by now "I'M BACK lol. I'm happy to take back the roll of Motorcycle Awareness Coordinator for Freedom. I needed to take some time off. A huge thank you goes out to the wonderful Shaulene Capps for doing the best job I could have imagined with Awareness. She kept it going strong. I needed a break at that time and she went to the bathroom at the wrong time. Since she has had awareness, she was able to get Triumph Charlies video done with MODOT. We tried for years but couldn't get anyone interested. So Shaulene and Charlie I'm so proud of you two and all the other members that were actors in the video, "Great job ya'll"! If you haven't seen the video it'll make you cry. Look up Motorcycle Awareness video on FB and it's there, I shared it on mine as well. Shaulene also stressed the importance of riding sober and aware and brought to our attention the fact the stats show we are our own worst enemy at times. I couldn't be prouder of her. Thank you Shaulene! So now, we have a chance to possibly do more PSA's I have some ideas, but I'd like to hear from you. What are the topics for Motorcycle Awareness that you feel are the most important to us out there on the road? Message me on FB or shoot me a text, my number is in the front of the newsletter but if not 816-591-3478. We have lots of Magnets for sale, don't forget to get some for your local this will go to help awareness at the state level and your local can make a buck on them too. Where's your next booth going to be? Has your local designed an awareness shirt? You know you can always put FORR on there and maybe your local number. Help promote Freedom as well, because Freedom needs your help. Be sure to get everything approved though. I've been trying to stay in touch with MODOT about the digital signs on the highways that have Motorcycle Awareness messages. I haven't seen to many running this year. So, when you're out and about this summer, let me know where you saw a sign, when and if you safely can what the message was. There has been way too many go down already this year. Be safe out there family, I want to see each one of you again. Ride like they're aiming at you, ride defensive. Be safe, sober and aware. As always Keep spreading the word of Awareness!

Deanna Rhodes

MAC-Motorcycle

LOCAL 16 - SEMO

Meetings: 4th Friday of the Month - at Bills Place in Biehle
Contact: Whitey 573-768-2524 or George 573-270-7494
Email - forrlocal16@gmail.com
Facebook - FORR Local 16

LOCAL 30 - SPRINGFIELD/NIXA

Meetings: 3rd Thursday - Start promptly @ 7 p.m.
Barnhouse Bar & Grill, 5484 W Sunshine St
Come early if you want to eat. They have some great food.
Contact: President James Darter 417-466-0518
Facebook - FORR Local 30 Springfield/Nixa MO

Dear Friends & Family,
 Rain, Rain, Go Away!

Talk about starting off with a wet spring. We have gotten a lot of rain this spring and it's definitely effected a lot of events. But we should be thankful, as it seems, everyone around us has gotten hit even harder. The big L-30 float trip is this weekend. I'm not sure if it will get rained out or not. If it does not, it should be a moving little float.

Hootontown Rally is our next big event coming up. It's always a blast. I have seen lots of advertisements and I know several people have busted their butts to make this a great rally. It has improved drastically over the past few years. It has definitely become a favorite for many folks. We look forward to seeing everyone that comes.

Love ya all,
 Channy

LOCAL 15 - BRANSON

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.
Star Bar Grill 100 Fall Creek Dr. Branson,Mo.
Call for information
Contact: 417-294-7494 or 417-230-1020
Facebook - FORR Local #15

Hello Everyone,

Wow what great weather we are having hopefully everyone able to get out and ride some. Well we have a helmet bill waiting to pass we need everyone to call the governor asking him to sign bill SB147. Would like to thank Terry Cobb and Tammi McMinn for signing up to be on the Mid South Mile Committee this year. We had our first trash pick-up this year Sunday June 2nd it was hot and lots of trash had 18 members helping afterwards went to Parmesan's Pizza in Kimberling City. Still working on Hootentown Rally I am sure still need volunteers to work shifts please come help and have some fun also always good time.

Upcoming Events and Meetings

June 15th – Father's Day in Rockaway Local 15 booth set-up
 June 23rd – Business Meeting Star Bar And Grill Branson, Mo.
 1:00 pm

June 30th – Last Hootentown meeting Wacky Jacks 11:00 am
 July 2nd – BS meeting Frosted Mug Forsyth Mo. 7:00 pm
 July 12-13-14 Hootentown Rally Local 15 and Local 30 event
 Thank you for reading my article till next time

Peace and Love to all Duane

LOCAL 41 - CAMERON CROSSROADS

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

Hello out there in the land of water, we finally got a little bit of a break from the rain around Cameron. Matter of fact got to ride a couple of times, not nearly as much as I would of liked. Got some news by a very strange way the other day. My Inspector that checks on my MVI papers stopped by to do just that. He told me that a bill was sent to Governor Parsons desk that would change the way that the State auto inspections would be done. He then told me that a Helmet bill was attached to it! Now we have always been told that we wanted our bills to go through as a clean bill, but I guess a piggy back ride is ok. I'm going get on my soapbox for a little bit. I use my inspections as a draw for work as there are not a lot of stations that do inspections, so I am a little bit torn about how this all came about, enough said.

There are several events coming up to attend ,so get on that bike and do a little bit of traveling. Local 41 was asked to help with Local 8's Spring Fling by manning the gate. So I hope that we got to say HI to a bunch of fellow riders. You know that life seems to get in the way and I can't figure out to get out of it but I hope you could make the events being held. But back to the helmet bill lets hope he signs it. So till later RIDE SAFE AND RIDE FREE and watch out for yourself. Steve G.

LOCAL 11 - SOUTHWEST MISSOURI**LOCAL 11 – SOUTHWEST MISSOURI**

Meetings: Please watch posts on our Facebook page for meeting dates as they have changed due to scheduling conflicts.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, 132 S. Main, NW Door, Joplin MO
Contact: President - Shaulene Frock (Lizzi) @ (417) 439-0399 or Vice President - Michael Mort (417) 396-3691
Facebook – Freedom of the Road Riders Local 11

Greetings Local members,

Local 11 has events coming up in the near future, plans for our annual bike show is now underway. Watch for flyers soon. Shaulene and I would like to thank all of those that attended our wedding day, we sure hope everyone had a good time. A special thanks goes out to all of our brothers and sisters who participated and made our day even better. We are proud to have our wedding party as selected. They made the day better and we know this is just one of the many memories we will forever share.

Homecoming is around the corner and we hope to see everyone join us at this event, should be a good time as always. Many improvements over last year.. come check it out.

There should be some fun runs happening soon, be sure to come to the meeting and watch the group pages for any events. Till next time, ride safe.

Mark Capps
 Editor L11

LOCAL 10 - JEFFERSON CITY

Meetings: 3rd Tuesday @ 6:30 pm

Twin Bridges Bar & Grill

4205 Route CC, Jefferson City, MO 65109-8772

Contact: Bill Kempker (573) 690-5281 or Nancy Hanks (202) 674-7847 Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders® (FORR)-Local 10

Greeting to all.

I am hoping that the warmer weather has allowed everyone to enjoy more time on our steel horses, even if you need to take detours due to the high water. Those who lived within the path of the tornados in the various areas in Missouri, we hope and pray you are recovering well. We further pray that everyone is staying high and dry. I believe we all can say"We have survived hell and high water... this year in Missouri.

The Freedom Rally was fun for all those who made the trip down to Buckhorn this year. We had several first time visitors come down and I believe I can say that they had a great time. We congratulate Shena Thomas for having Best in Show at the motorcycle show this year. We enjoyed Beth's free spirit as well. Greatly appreciate those who came down and worked. We have fewer shifts to do and we were able to cover them all.

The safety course is going strong. Please know that if you are interested in enrolling in any of the various classes, contact Beth Livingston at 573-338-2403 or 1-800-309-7433. If you need information on membership, Homecoming or Freedom Press, contact the general office at 660-342-4729.

Allow me to wish all of you the best for the Fourth of July. May you be safe on your travels wherever you may go. Please join me in prayer that this country puts an end to the division that is so prevalent today. I believe our founding fathers would be very disappointed in what we have become. May we find that patriotic spirit back this coming holiday.

Be safe and God Bless

Nancy

LOCAL 19 - KIRKSVILLE

Meetings: First Saturday @ 6 pm

Meeting Location Varies

Contact: 660-626-4340

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders Local 19

Hi everyone! Hope everyone made it through the flooding safely. Local 19 did not have a June meeting due to many of the active members having other commitments.

The July meeting will be Darek Fowler's resident at 21742 Bullion way Kirksville on 6 July at 6pm. It will be a carry in meal. Please bring chairs, byob and a dish. Hot dogs and burgers will be supplied. As of now the plan for the August meeting is for a potluck at Hurdland lake. The area is reserved starting August 2. The meeting will be on August 3 at 6:00pm. Please pass along the information to everyone. Thanks hope to see everyone at the meeting.

Stay safe and enjoy the summer.

Henri

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LOCAL 8 - CHILLICOTHE

Meetings: Varies

(Call for info - location varies)

Contact: 660-247-5713 or 660-247-3638

Facebook - FORR Local 8

Our July meeting will be on June 30, 2019 in Chula. Watch for details on a fundraising event that be on the same day.

Short and sweet this month,

Ride safe,

Glenda



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LOCAL 24 - ST. LOUIS

Meetings: 2nd Wednesday @ 7 p.m.
VFW Post 4105, 410 Rue St. Francois, Florissant, MO 63031
Contact: Ken Lewis 314-546-1624

What a month!!!!
The Helmet bill is sitting on the Governors desk... maybe this time it will be signed.

L24 had an info booth set up an info at the end of the Statesmen's poker run, information was passed out for our next event on 06/30/19 we will be holding a Mystery Ride. starting point is Shirleys on 94 registration starts at 10, \$5 a hand, different game at each stop, souds like it will be a good time, invite your friends to come spend the afternoon with the BIG 24.

The local meetings have moved a little up the hill from the VFW to Amore's same night same time, come out and have some dinner and support a Local 24 member..

Homecoming is Labor Day weekend, start planning to attend now!!!

See you at the next meeting
William Paca

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LOCAL 22 - SOUTH CENTRAL

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1 p.m.

Senior Center, West Plains

Contact: BL McDonnell 573-301-7139 or Valerie 573-291-1465

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders ® Local 22 South Central Missouri

Corn is food, not fuel, the new battle cry.

We have the unknowing public never considered any of this a threat. I am sure that was by design. It has been a slow process, with little spot light on the issue. So dare say this problem not over looked but put aside with confidence it would go away or wasn't a big deal, making it easier to ignore..... With that being said here are some of the facts: Ethanol can and will make many Harley Davidson warrantee null and void. Why? Because you knowingly use ethanol fuel. Only persons that it benefiting in this situation are the big oil corps, corn farmers and the politicians who may lend a helping hand to pass the laws. That in turn change the regulations as well as how they are to be met. I have not one bad feeling towards the farmers in this country none at all. Nor do think any of tribe does. I think all us understand opportunity. For those of us that ride or for that matter use any small engine equipment such as weed eaters, lawn mowers or any small engines that require fuel are at risk. Also while many 'Civilians' are trying to find a solution to this problem making ethanol something that can safely be safely used as a commodity for all riders. While corporations that will remain unnamed are considering make motorcycles that can run ethanol. Which sounds great if you buy a new bike or plan too. But what about those of us who do not feel the need to upgrade? Yeah, that why I brought it up.

We are going to see record high grocery an gas prices will rise. Mainly because of the flood that has covered our whole state. It is with serious doubt that a new motorcycle will fit in most of our budgets. May be time to sit down with your Local or attend a CC meeting to pitch your concerns, this issue is worth fighting for. That gives us 5 months to discuss and think of a plan and how to execute into a feasible course of action. There has been chatter about government"s" meaning around the world. Are actively trying to wean down, dare say in some case "out" the motorcyclists. If that were the case it would

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explain the down play from all parties.

Just a few thoughts...funny how random actions start to make perfect sense. It's July heat is not going anywhere, so please be careful and watch out for one another. If your going to drink don't ride

Until next time live life to the fullest

Wyndy

Secretary Local 22

LOCAL 26 - MARYVILLE

Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month @ 6 p.m. beginning March 6th, 2018

BreakTime @ 1517 E 1st St., Maryville, MO

Contact: Kathy Rice 660-582-1742

Facebook - Local 26 Freedom of Road Riders

Greetings Riders,

Another month is upon us and it looks like the cold is gone for the rest of the riding season. It appears that spring was the rainy time between snow on the ground and hot and humid. Not a good time to ride. In the last month we've had several of our Eat & Rides rained out and then the Friday make up ride also rained out. I'm starting to keep my eye out for an old man with a boat and a bunch of animals.

That isn't to say there was no riding done in May and the first bit of June. It's just that it was hard to plan. Our regular meeting night was rained out as was the makeup ride, but the following week we were able to make it to Albany for BBQ. The following week, not so much, but we were able to get a follow up ride. Then it was rinse and repeat.

June is starting much the same except that, although we technically cancelled the first Eat & Ride for the month, it cleared off before time to ride so 11 of us showed up at Breaktime, just in case. Changed the destination but had an excellent ride to Clarinda. Ironically, the next scheduled ride is also to Clarinda, but to a different place to eat. Based on the forecast, we'll have to see if it works out.

Not much else to report this month. We don't have the 2nd half of the year planned either. Part of that is because the last 2 meetings were rained out. Here is what I have to date:

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June 11th - Jay's Steak and Pizza – Clarinda, IA
 June 18th – Quackers – Mound City (Changed from Wild Bill's due to flooding. However, Mound City was flooded last weekend, so this is subject to change)
 June 25th – The Depot – Shenandoah, IA
 July 13th – Pickering Lion's Poker Run - Pickering
 Until next month,
 Safe Journeys
 Harold

LOCAL 6 - ST. JOSEPH


Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 12:30 p.m.
VFW #1668, 821 N 4th St., St. Joseph
Dan Harmon 816-387-1095
Newsletter Editor Robin Ruhnke 816-752-2080

Hope everyone is staying high and dry as Mother Nature is putting a damper on the riding season once again. Rain and flooding sure doesn't help us out. And am sending out best wishes for all of the FORR members throughout the state that have been effected by the flooding and the rash of tornado's. With that in mind. Not only have we been keeping an Eagle Eye on the Missouri river as it keeps testing us here in the Local, we held our Annual Cabin Fever Bike Show. It was a very cloudy day looking like it was going to rain hard at any minute. But Mother Nature was just being a tease that day. With it being a dark and cloudy day we had a great turn out for the bike show. There was 26 bikes registered, and at one point we had a total of 51 bikes that turned up. Great food and good times were had by everyone that came out. Oh and did I forget about the DJ? Yeah, he's easy to forget. Great job once again by Dan. We ended up with 9 classes, and a trophy going to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Even a People's Choice Trophy. A Special Interest Miniature Chopper owned by Lanie and Haley Bellmy: two young sisters, it was their first bike show and they were very happy to win first place. They said they are looking forward to winning many more trophies now that they got this one under their belt.

Sorry I forgot to mention last month. But way to go needs to be send out to Diana Hafner for submitting the bottle of wine last month. This was something the state was wanting every Local to bring from a local winery, so that they can make a map of local winery's in the state of Missouri. Guess you should be able to get the bottle back and "party on" Diana.

I Hope that everyone has had the chance to view the MoDot YouTube video on Texting and driving which FORR helped put together with MoDot. If you have not checked it out, get with the program and check it out. Very well done and worth the time. We are in the heart of riding season, and we need to be aware. Not only watch it for yourself, but have the family sit down and check it out. Let's all get home safe each and every ride.

And with that from everyone at the Local, we would like to wish a late Happy Anniversary to Tom and Sheila Etherton. Who recently celebrated their 18th (?) Wedding Anniversary. Holy cow Sheila, way to go. (see photo) Just kidding. Con-



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gratulations you two goofy kids. Hope you have many more as you put up with each other now that you are doing the retirement thing.
 and with that..... I'm out.
 Ride safe Robin



LOCAL 42 - FRANKLIN COUNTY

Meetings: Last Sunday @ 2 p.m.
Roadhouse 100 in Grey Summit Mo
**Contact: President - M.C. "Tex" Garner (636) 249-4324,
mccgarner58@gmail.com**
Facebook - Freedom Of Road Riders Local #42

Hello Everyone,
 Not much going on with local 42. Watch out for turtles on your rides and be safe.
 Kelly

LOCAL 21 - ELDON

Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 1 p.m.
Whittles Pub & Grill, 108 S Maple St, Eldon, MO
Contact: Tarzan @ 314-941-8989

LOCAL 28 - WAYNESVILLE

Meetings: 1st Friday @ 7 p.m. Pulaski Shriners Club.
**Contact: President Eric Price 573-512-0265; Vice President
 Vice-President Larry Hudspeth 573-433-0805; Shrine Club
 573-774-545**
Facebook - Local 28 Freedom of Road Riders

LOCAL 3 - TRUMAN LAKE

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1:30 p.m.
Chopper Stopper Grill & Bar. Roscoe, Mo.
Contact: President: Casey Singleton 660-924-1693
Facebook - FORR® Local 3

Our bike repair day on May 11th turned out great, lots showed up to help. Got about 50 bicycles ready for kids. Thanks to Bud & Sue for securing donations of a few new bikes. Dave got everything set-up in the kitchen for the fish-fry, took care of the fish and also made a venison roast and Casey fried the fish. Thanks guys, you're the best. We appreciate all you do.

For the next several weeks, seems like it wouldn't stop raining. Had to cancel our Family Fun Day in Roscoe because of high water. Looks like we're rescheduling it for July 13th. Lisa Dorrell posted pics on FB of the shelter at Roscoe city park with water covering the concrete floor and also water covering the road just in front of the park.

Tinker set up a suite for L-3 at Lucas Oil Speedway on May 18th for awareness and we wanted a bike show, but storms moved in and the races were cancelled. Hes going to try to set it up again later.

After our meeting on the 19th, several of us rode on over to Rebel's Kickin' Chicken at the Appleton City Masonic Lodge. Great food & fun. Rebel showed us a pic of his g-g-grandfather!

Phyllis had surgery and was back in the hospital a couple of times in May. Sure hope you are feeling much better by now, our thoughts and prayers are with you, girl. Glenn filled in for her as safety coordinator at our meeting.

We gathered June 1st to help with construction of a showerhouse at Chopper Stopper, where we have our Not Rally. Casey, Dean, Tim T., Steve, Jerry, Ray, Darla, John, Chris, Pappy, Kevin, Jim, Myron and Justin thanks for all your help, sorry if I left anyone out.

Hope you get your Freedom Press before June 21st, that's when we'll be having an awareness booth and bike show at the Farmer's Market in Hermitage. It starts at 3 pm. And on July 27th we'll be having a swap-meet at Chopper Stopper.

Good to have Kevin K. back with us after spending the winter in Texas. He got home just in time to build an ark!

Ree Boyle's name was drawn for the attendance incentive. She's our member from St. John, Ks. and rides one of those trikes with a funny name. Oh, that's ok Ree, we love you anyway! Nope, she wasn't here.

Hey Boss, I keep telling you, if you draw my name, I promise I will spend the money foolishly.

Until next time
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DISTRICT 4

Meetings: 2nd Tuesday @ 7 pm
Bates City BBQ, 313 Market St, Bates City, MO 64011
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LOCAL 1 - LEE'S SUMMIT

Meetings: 3rd Sunday
Meeting Location Varies
Contact: Rebel 816-850-4511 or Dragon 816-547-4906
Facebook - FORR Local 1

Howdy All!

Man will it ever stop raining???? Hope all are doing well and getting out there and enjoying the roads between the drips! Our last meeting went very well, thanks to all of you that attended. It was a perfect day to be out.

Glad to hear Rick is doing better and wrenching on his bike already. Said he's still a little weak but is much better.

As of this writing the Local 1 Lime Run has past as well as the District 4 Dice Run. I will have to fill you in with some great pics next month!

Lots of "Stuff" going on at the capital.... keep an eye out! Very important!!!

We have scheduled our meetings through August. July 21st meeting will be held at VIG's KC BBQ in Odessa, MO. @ 4PM.

August 18th meeting will be held at Dragon & Rebel's in Holden, MO. @ 4PM

"Events that you just can't miss"

As always, check out The Freedom Press for all the great 'stuff' going on!!!

Well, and as I always say - Have a good one then have another! See Ya,

Michelle Rebel O'Connor #7157



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LOCAL 13 - MEXICO

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 3 p.m.

For Meeting info or Membership

Call: President Terry "Bubba" Archer @573-721-7516

Or Secretary Kim "Stampede" Archer@573-253-3759

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders® Local 13

Hello Everyone,

Hope everyone has dried out and got back to as normal as they can from this wet Spring we have had.

Here at 13 we are plugging along, we had our first Lunch ride in a long time back on June 2, and we were blessed with a nice day for it. We invaded Don's in Huntsville; it was awesome. For July we will be heading to Glasgow to Muddy Moe's (sorry if I miss spelled it). Meeting time and place will be posted on our page and sent out in a email. Anyone and everyone are welcome to join us, hope to see some from L-12 that day.

The Wonder Run is getting tied up and ready, we still have some last-minute things to get lined out, as well as for the Dice Run in October, but everything is falling into place. We have all said that, EACH LOCAL HAS THAT HANDFUL OF PEOPLE THAT COME TO EVERYTHING AND DO EVERYTHING, well this year I have noticed with in 13 we seem to be having a mixture which is nice. WE all know not everyone can make everything we do, but we have seen some new faces at things so far this year and it is nice. Well till next month, ride safe and as often as you can.

Stampede

LOCAL 31 - CENTRAL MISSOURI

Meetings: 2nd Thursday, 7 PM

Odd months: Sput's Place, Hwy 63, Vichy, MO

Even months: Traveling

Facebook: Local 31 Central MO

Contacts: Mike Thompson, 12080 County Road 8010, Rolla, MO 65401; Debra John, 573.647.0129

Happy 4th of July FORR Members! This year marks celebrating 243 years of independence. Here are a few fun facts: In 1938, Independence Day became a paid federal holiday; only John Hancock actually signed the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776, with everyone else signing later; two of the signers became president – John Adams and Thomas Jefferson and both died on the same day, July 4, 1826; and the tune of the National Anthem was originally used by an English drinking song called "to Anacreon in Heaven". Price's Pirates captured Local 30's flag in May. Don't forget Parent's Day is July 28. July birthdays: Ronnie Billings, Janelle DeClue, and Jim Goben. Don't forget to follow us on Facebook for the all the latest news and events.

Belated news: Send get well wishes to L31's secretary, April Cahill, who was recovering from surgery in June. April is a wonderful asset to this organization, so we wish her a very speedy recovery. Rolla's Route 66 Summerfest had a huge turnout this year. The weather was perfect! And once again, members took home wins from the annual bike show. Big shout out to members Travis Allison, 1st Place winner in the Rat Class; Jake Allison, 1st Place winner in the Touring Class; and Will Holley, 2nd Place winner in the Cruiser Class. Local 31 gave away a beautiful hand-crafted wooden Biker's Prayer sign during this annual event. Several members attend MAFR and stated they had a wonderful time. Rubber side down, "Cooter"

LOCAL 7 - LEBANON

Meetings: 1st Sunday @ 4 p.m.

La Mexican Kitchen, 1679 S Jefferson Ave, South Dale Shopping Center

Contact: Lonnie Corn - (Buck) 417-531-5222

Facebook - Freedom of road riders ® local 7

On June 2nd Sunday local 7 meeting day myself / Nita and TJ & Kara/ Don /Lee Bruce/ Kendell and son Tony and last but not least Bob went on our monthly ride and had a good time. On J highway runs from Hwy 54 to Hwy 7 MODOT is taking an old steal bridge with steal mesh floor out of commission so we made our last ride over it and some other roads also. Good weather and good company = good ride.

At our meeting later that day we had 23 people there, that's getting close to 50% attendance for Local 7. What can I say, for such a small local we are lucky to have such good support. The Freedom Rally has come and gone as usual we are all wore out. Our attendance was down due to rumors. Rumors can destroy things.

I heard the helmet bill is on the governor's desk here's hoping.

Local 7 has a lot on their plate on Saturday June 15th. We have RT. 66 Festival and USO Ride leaving the Harley shop at noon. Then Charlie will be drag racing his Triumph at Rogersville drag strip that after noon. Myself, Lee and Don plan on going to support Charlie after the USO leaves the Harley shop. We also are working with National T.V. For a bike night on Saturday August 10th sounds like we will have some bike shop support. I think I'm done ride safe and ride often.

Sir Robert


LOCAL 20 - DEXTER

Meetings: Last Saturday @ 11 A.M.

VFW, 106 N Locust St, Dexter, MO

Contact: Rob Reif (573) 421 - 7480

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LOCAL 35 - GOLDEN VALLEY

Meetings: 4th Sunday @ 2 p.m.

Eagles - 723 N 3rd St., Clinton, MO

Contact : President- David Nelson (660) 678-2034

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders® Local 35



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LOCAL 25 - ST. PETERS**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1 pm****Location : Lone Wolf Saloon, 405 Luetkenhaus Blvd, Wentzville, MO****Contact: Mark Roloff 636-578-1707****Facebook - Local 25**

Hello again!! Hope everyone has been getting some wind therapy!! I have almost 4000 miles for this year so far. By the time this comes out I will be over that. I sadly only made it to one day of the Freedom Rally, due to work. It took me a minute or three, but I finally found where our members were camped, seeing as they were NOT where they were last year!!! Something about the other spot being too soft and wet, they found a firmer camping spot. There was also some talk of some missing pieces to a canopy, but I wouldn't know about that. LOL But it is ok, since while I was looking for them I got to get my Donny Brown hugs in, they are the best part of the Rally!!!! It is always good to see old friends, and with F.O.R.R. I have quiet a few. When I did find Mark, Minn, and Marty, Minn made me an awesome pork fajita on his nifty grill. YUMMMM!!

I don't really have much to report on the last meeting. It was short, we got off subject a few times, and we talked about our upcoming poker run and possibly future events. Our next meeting is June 9th. I will try to make it but no promises. I will be in Cuba for Spyderjam that weekend, so it depends on what time I get back. Our poker run is set for July 14th, keep your calendars marked, should be a fun ride!!

Ok I have got to say something about grass clippings on the roads. People PLEASE watch out for the ignorant people who are doing this. I say ignorant because the definition of the word is having no knowledge, and these people obviously have no knowledge of the hazards they are causing. So if you decide to stop and educate them please do it politely so that maybe they won't get defensive and the situation gets out of hand. And if said clippings cause you to injure yourself or your motorcycle then please get their names and address and insurance information, and make a claim on their homeowners policies. They are creating a hazardous condition on the road which makes them at fault. I have tried to be as politically correct as I am able. Those that really know me, know how hard that is. LOL!!!

Ok I don't have much more to say this month. Surprising huh!!! Get out and enjoy the warm weather and keep the wind flowing!!!

Later,
Emily



Freedom Of Road Riders Local 25



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July 14th, 2019

LOCAL 29 - KANSAS CITY NORTH**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.****VFW 5717, 301 W Washington, Kearney, MO 64060****Contact: Paul McCormack 816-560-5359 or****Bob Neal 816-809-7184****Facebook - FORR Local 29**

We laid Carl Laber (pumpkin head) to rest at the lily pond at Buckhorn, MO on May 26, 2019. Carl's wife, Jackie, daughter, Tina and son, Uriah spread his ashes. Other local 29 members were in attendance; some came just for the day to visit with the family and share a meal. RIP Carl.

Upcoming Events:

July 13 is the Memorial Poker Run for L.A. Ross (and over night); Leave Kearney VFW at 11:00. About an 80 mile ride. Returning to the Duyck farm for food , auction and fun. BYOB and overnight.

Meeting of the Minds coming up in September. This is put on by the MRF.

Mid-South Mile coming up October 24=26 in Shreveport, LA this year. We need basket items please with "Missouri" on anything we buy...Thanks in advance.

Happy 4th of July. Be safe out there riding and/or fireworks.
Donna Duyck, L29 member

LOCAL 12 - GLASGOW

Meetings: 2nd Sunday @ 1:00 P.M.

Location Varies

Contact: Tami Adcock- 660-631-6530

Susan McDaniel- 660-631-6024

6/28 and 29th 2019 - Firecracker Classic

7/14/19 - Laura and Socko's

8/11/19 - Mike and Tami's

9/7/19 - TBD

10/13/19 - George Turley

11/10/19 - Laura and Socko's

12/7/19 - Christmas Party- Beckett's

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders Local 12

We had a great May meeting with 16 in attendance plus 1 guest ,Jay Baxter, that became our newest member! Incentive pot was won by Mike Adcock and he donated the pot back to the local. Thanks Mike!!

Socko and Laura had 62 Tee shirt sponsors for the Firecracker. Great job!!! More information to come in the next newsletter.

Boz shared his experience with the Honor flight where he escorted 3 veterans to Washington DC.Thanks for giving them a trip of a lifetime and donating your's and Jude's time!

In need of member destination ride for August. Please bring your choice to the meeting.

July gonna be Hot! Stay Hydrated and Safe!!! Mo Beer!! Your Phantom rider.

LOCAL 5 - SOUTH KANSAS CITY

Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 3 p.m.

VFW Post 1829 at 5904 Crystal in KCMO.

Contact: 816-377-0645 or the VFW Post 816-921-2222

Facebook - forrlocal5.shutterstock.com

Another cold and rainy day for our May meeting. Only had 8 people in attendance. The last couple of meetings here have been long, but had a lot to talk about.

Time to ride and relax. We will be having our June meeting at Local 1's Lime Run on June 15th. Should be a good time. Plan to attend.

At our July meeting we will be planning a dinner ride. Been awhile since we had one. By the time this comes out our 2nd Annual Ray "Smutley" Howard memorial run will be over. Congrats to the poker winners.

August 23-25 will be Homecoming in Urich, Mo. Local 5 sponsored a band this year so our local banner will be hanging on the stage. Keep an eye out for the flyer.

Local 5 life member Steve Pearce still has a fresh built 52 Pan Shovel for sale. Zero miles on it and it looks great. Contact me "Keith" if you are interested. My number is 816-377-0645.

We now have tickets for our giveaway at O'Fest. This year is a 2010 Time Out Camper trailer that would look great behind your motorcycle. This slightly used trailer has a queen size bed, a big screen room, spare tire, chrome wheels with new tires and even comes with a 5,000 BTU A/C with stand. Only 500 tickets will be available at \$10 a ticket.

Check out our Local 5 Facebook page for upcoming events. Also come help support our Veterans at our home at VFW Post 1829. They have food almost every night during the week and drink specials daily. Ride safe, Keith

LOCAL 14 - INDEPENDENCE

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m.

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

Contact: Donna Hilburn 816-690-8557

Facebook - FORR® Local 14

Hello to all our Brothers and Sisters

This has been a soggy Spring. Not sure how the Summer is going to be... Can tell you District 4 is in FULL SWING getting Octoberfest off the ground. Bands have been chosen

Vendors are lining up. Mark your calendars October 4th – 6th

So here are a few Rally's that are going on:

June 22nd Spring Fling Local 14 Crash Memorial

June 27th Local 35 Summer Poker Run

June 28th Local 12 FireCracker Classic in Glasgow

June 29th District 4 Dice Run Fund Raiser

July 12th – 14th Bob Stock Music Festival in Fort Morgan, CO

July 12th -14th Local 15 and Local 30 has HootonTown Motorcycle Rally @ Hootontown Campgrounds

July 18th – 20th 5th Annual Leather and Lace in Lathrop, MO

July 21st Local 33 has \$1000 Poker Run @ End Zone Sports Bar, Sedalia
Sure hope to see you there....

LOCAL 33 - HWY. 50 WEST

Meetings: 3rd Sunday, 1 p.m.

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

President - Allen Miller

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders Local 33

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Calendar of Events

Check inside this issue for more information on the events listed on this calendar.

JULY

- 12 - 14 L15/30 Hootontown Rally
- 13 L29 LA Ross Memorial Poker Run
- 13 L3 Roscoe Family Fun Day (Rain Date)
- 21 L33 \$1,000 Poker Run
- 27 L3 1st Annual Motorcycle Swap Meet

AUGUST

23 - 25 HOMECOMING RALLY

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