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of the odd numbered months of the year,

### The Next Central Committee Meeting: July 11th, 2021

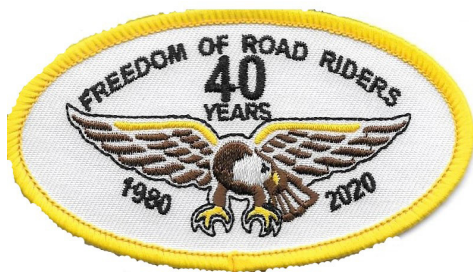
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#### Saturday Committees

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 2021 are as follows:**  
July 11, Aug 29, November 14



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## Letter From Our Chairman....

To whom it may concern; It is up to the membership as to which bylaw change, or policy and procedure gets written/changed. Meaning, if a member considers it an issue, they can address it as they see fit proposing such change. Some of the more important decisions get taken back to each local for more people to discuss said change/addition, therefore getting more input on whether it is a good idea or not. It takes 28 locals to make a decision on anything this organization does, and it is up to you to press your opposition or support for the decision. I'm not a big proponent of using the Freedom Press as one of these tools, but it is also your right.

Things that are written out of anger usually only manage to show division in the ranks, and tend to piss people off. Controversy, however, at least shows someone cares.

Sometimes a side conversation, or a phone call can clear a lot of things up if you're not a fan of an upcoming decision. Locals will always be allowed to make their own product line, but it's not always ok to use someone's idea and make it your own. Communication can be a dying art, but let's not be the ones to kill it.

**Ken Lewis**  
**Chairman, Freedom of Road Riders**

**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**

Howdy all, hope all is well with you and yours!! Thanks to those of you that made it to the last meeting.

First, I want to wish my wonderful husband of 34 yrs. a Happy Anniversary! HAPPY FATHER’S DAY to all you ‘Big Daddys’ out there!

By now the weather has warmed up a bunch, and we’re all probably complaining about how hot it is.... What can you say we live in the Midwest, right?

HUGE Congrats to two of my dearest friends Deanna & Joe on getting hitched... I’m sure there will be pictures in the next issue of The Freedom Press! (hint.... hint...)

Hope many of you made it to the Capital for the MAY Rally. There was a pretty good turnout. Check out the photo spread in this issue of The Freedom Press.

Our Annual Lime Run is coming up on the 12th of this month. Again, Bootstrap has promised a good time will be had by all. We will be starting at M&M Motor Sports at 110 E. 10th Street in Holden, MO. Sign in starts at 10am to 11am – Last bike out at 11:30am. Awards start at 3pm.

June 19th is Local 14’s CRASH Memorial Run. “Eat Bugs!”

July 24th is the District 4 Family Picnic & Horseshoe Golf Tournament. It’s at our place in Holden. ‘Come out and play with us.... Ha, ha, ha” OK dirty minds, you know what I mean! Lots of good food and very good company.

(See flyers in The Freedom Press or at forr.net under events for more info.)

On a very sad note: We have lost 2 really great guys in district 4 - Sam Chapman of Local 33 & Bob Hawkins of Local 35. They will be missed by all that knew them. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jane, Linda and their families at this time.

Not much more to say this time so as I always say... Have a good one, then have another!

See ya, **Michelle ‘Rebel’ O’Connor #7157**

*“Learn to jump over every obstacle that comes your way...”*

**Local 1 - Lees Summit**

at Yoss Brothers Grocery just North of Holden, MO for Motorcycle Awareness on April 24, 2021

*Pictured above: Dragon & Rebel O'Connor*

**Local 2 – Macon** (November 2020)**Meetings: 1st Saturday of the month 4pm****Contact: Chris McCurley 660-591-5986****Facebook: FORR Local 2****Local 3 - Truman Lake** (March 2013)**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1:30 p.m. Chopper Stopper Grill & Bar, Roscoe, MO****Contact: President: Jason Matter 417-321-0466****Facebook: FORR® Local 3**

There were about 30 members at our April meeting with two new members signing up to join. Jason Nichols and Zack Rogers thanks for joining us, glad to have you. Sorry Clay Matter wasn’t there, his name was drawn for the incentive drawing. If he is lucky like his daddy his name will be drawn again, but you have to be at the meeting to be lucky! Thanks to those who stepped up and joined various committees. The Fun Day committee is to meet an hour before the May meeting at Chopper Stopper and the Not Rally committee is to meet an hour before the June meeting. Ask around, let’s get some more vendors for the swap meet on July 24th. If you confirm a vendor, let Don Ferguson “Pappy” know, 660-723-2680. Let’s get this event to grow bigger and better every year.

We always like to support the Montrose VFW poker run, where L-3 members Charles Meredith and Carl Monard are a huge part of that organization. Attending this year on April 24th were; Spoon, Brandy, John, Roxy, Slick, Gator, Dave, Jim, Glenn, Lance, Mike Dawes, Steve and Rebel. And on April 25th Spoon, Brandy, John, Roxy, Slick, Jim & Debbie attended Local 33’s April Fools Run. Spoon, you knew better than to let Brandy drive Debbie’s Slingshot, didn’t you? She got a

new one yet? Local 3 members attended the May Rally, Ride to the Capitol on April 27th and met up with Local 11 on the way.

We were so sad to hear of the passing of Local 35's Bob Hawkins, he was such a big part of FORR. He will surely be missed. Love and condolences to Linda and the family.

Check out "Freedom of Road Riders, Inc" on Facebook to have bikes featured on the social media site. Submit pics & info about your bike to: [smc@forn.net](mailto:smc@forn.net)

We miss you Phil and totally understand you need to stay safe & health at home. Will be glad when you can return to meeting with us.

I'd like to send out a huge thank you to our L-3 officers. Pres. Jason Matter, VP. John Bowen, Sec. Sasha Bowen and Treas. Debbie Wessel. Each and every one of you are doing a fantastic job for our local. Together you are a great team. We appreciate the work you do for us.

Events you don't want to miss:

Bike repair/fish fry=May22

L-3 Cody Singleton Memorial Fun Day= June 5

L-3 Swap Meet=July 24

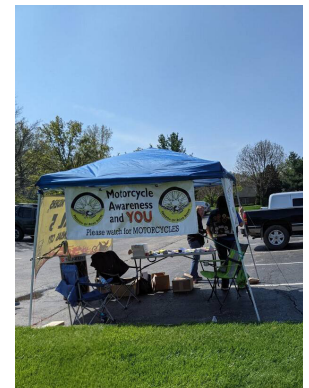
Homecoming=Aug. 20-22

L-3 Not Rally/Poker Run=Sept

Until next time, **Deena #33946**



Pictured: Members of Locals 5 & 14 together on April 24th to help educate people and to raise motorcycle awareness to all out the on the road.



## **Local 5 - South Kansas City**

(June 1981)

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

**VFW Post 1829 at 5904 Crystal in KCMO. (816-921-2222)**

**Contact: Duane Copowycz VP 816-217-1812 or Deanna Pres. 816-591-3478**

**Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders, Inc. Local 5 South KC**

I hope this newsletter finds everyone doing great. We have been working on our Local 5's, 4th Annual Ray "Smutley" Howard Memorial Poker run since this time last year. The flyer is in the May Newsletter and maybe this one. We sure hope ya'll can make it. It's going to be a nice long ride. We're heading to Marceline to support Local 2 at their rally. It's 130 miles one way but if that's too far we've got stops along the way. If you come in with us your welcome to camp as well. We want to support our new local and share some brotherhood. Smut would have been the first one out there to break their rally in lol. Sure miss him. If you can't make the ride, we hope to see you at our next meeting. We had a great Motorcycle Awareness Booth set up at Donnell's Motorcycles Apr 24.th. We didn't get a lot to stop but we sure got the waves and a few honks. We had signs out all over the hill, so they knew what we were there for and hopefully they'll "Watch for Motorcycles". We had our mtg at the booth as well and a visit from our lifetime member Elvis Abney and his awesome wife Leeann. They have lived in Florida now for years. So, a really nice surprise and he brought stuff for our historian, also me lol. We had our MAY rally at the Capitol April 27th, it was a great showing, me and Joe put it on you can see my article in here. From local 5 we had me Duane and Amy. Local 14 and the rest of district had a great showing. On a sad note we lost our local 33 brother Sam Chapman. He was such a nice guy and loved by so many. I couldn't make his ride but a lot from District 4 did. Many prayers going up for Jane.

Then we had CC the weekend of May 1st. We were at CC when we heard the sad news about Bob Hawkins. Bob was a freedom fighter through and through. He was a pillar of this organization and a great brother that will be terribly missed by

so many of us. All of our love and prayers go out to Linda and the family. We are here if you need anything sister, just call. I know they are riding that great big Highway in the sky. R.I.P. Brothers til we meet again.

**Deanna Rhodes**

**Local 5 President/ Historian/ CC Rep**

**Member #4407**

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

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 12:30 p.m. VFW Post #1668**

**821 N. 4th Street, St. Joseph, MO**

**Contact: Dan Harmon 816-387-1095 or**

**Newsletter Editor Robin Ruhnke 816-752-2080**

**robinshovel80@aol.com**

Welcome to May! And Motorcycle Awareness Month! And for those of you that don't know it's also Drowning Awareness Month. A lot is starting to kick off now that we are in the riding weather.

We held a social gathering at First and Last Chance in St. Joe. 28 people road their bikes in for it. Everyone had a good time. Nice to see everyone.

We also had 5 members join up with ABATE of Kansas for their annual Blessing of the Bikes. This is a non-perishable food drive for the families in need in Doniphan County in Kansas. Had a great ride. And everybody got filled up while at Wild Bills in Rulo, Ne.

We had 5 members show up to support Scooters Rally. Which is a poker run to help support an organization that puts up loaner life jacket station on lakes in Kansas. All of this came from a friend of mine that lost her granddaughter at 9 years old. We do the run to keep life jackets at the lakes so that we never loose another life. (see photo)

Hope everyone had a great Mother's Day. Maybe some of you were able to get out and ride for a little while.

Hope everyone takes a look back and remembers what Memorial Day is all about.

I'm out. Ride safe.

**Robin Ruhnke, (816)752-2080 robinshovel80@aol.com**



## **Local 7 – Lebanon** (January 1983)

**Meetings: 1st Sunday @ 4 p.m.**

**T'S Redneck Restaurant in Lebanon, MO.**

**Contact: Robert Young 417-426-5627**

Well, I will get a letter in this month.

We did not have a ride this month because of rain. We did have a good meeting though. We talked a lot about the Freedom Rally by the end of this month the Rally will be over don't seem possible.

Oh well time passes by. There are other things going on this summer Charlie is drag racing. I am planning a trip to South Dakota. The GGMC is having a bike show June 6th at the Fox Hole. Home coming will be here before we know it. Our Local agreed to sponsor a t-shirt and trophy add. We gained a new member her name is Marilyn Bennett.

Welcome to Local 7 Marilyn as you seen were all getting old and forgetful need all the help we can get.

That's all I got to say for now.

**Sir Robert**

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**Local 8 – Chillicothe** (March 1986)**Meetings: (call for info - location varies)****Contact: 660-247-5713 or 660-973-3907****Facebook: FORR Local 8**

Hey Hey Hey Local 8.

Can you believe by the time you're reading this it's almost June 1 already. Holy crap where has this year gone. I hope you're all getting some time to ride, maybe hit up a few events and spend some time with your family.

We are just a few short weeks away from Spring Fling. Our bands are lined up, Point of No Return on Friday night from 8-12, 7 Years Out on Saturday from 4-8 and Reload from 9-1am. We are doing an onsite pub crawl, we'll have biker games, bike show and of course loads of fun and laughter. Come out and join us, it's only \$15 for the entire weekend. The flier for the event should be in this newsletter, if not you can call Mike at 660-973-3907 or Rob 660-973-2848. Hope to see y'all there. If you're a local 8 member and have not signed up to help - contact me and we can get you in someplace fun.

That's all I have for now, be watching our facebook page for upcoming events and rides. With everyone's busy schedules we sometimes plan last minute things and everyone is welcome to join us.

Much love

Until next time ~ keep smilin G

**Local 10 - Jefferson City** (March 1987)**Meetings: 3rd Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m.****Twin Bridges Bar & Grill 4205 Rt. CC, Jefferson City, MO****Contact: Bill Kempker 573-690-5281 or Nancy Hanks 573-634-8946****Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders® (FORR) Local 10****Local 11 - Southwest Missouri** (February 1984)**Meetings: Fourth Sunday of every month at 1pm Joplin Eagles Lodge 132 S Main St Joplin, Mo NW Door. Please watch facebook for any changes of meeting schedule.****Contact: President, Shaulene "Lizzi" Capps 417-439-0399 or Vice President, Michael Mort 417-396-3691****Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 11**

Hello Local 11 Friends and Family,

Let me start off by saying Thank You to everyone that came out to help with the Awareness Booth in Neosho. Thanks to everyone that came out to celebrate our May birthdays.

In June we will be celebrating Sam Rainey and Kelly (Honky) Pullens birthdays. Please follow us on Local 11 facebook page for details on where and what time so come and celebrate as always this is potluck.

Come join us on June 19th at MO-KAN drags for our Local 11 Awareness Booth. On September 25th Local 11 will be having our Local Bike Show and Swap Meet at the Eagles Lodge in Joplin Mo. so come join the fun. Let us Welcome our new members and 1 returning local member Jason Hopper, Tom Crossno, and Mike Edmonson.

Till we meet again it is where the black top ends Ride Safe Everyone.

Kim

**An Irishman's first drink with his son**

While reading an article last night about fathers and sons, memories came flooding back to the time I took me son out for his first pint.

Off we went to our local pub only two blocks from the cottage.

I got him a Guinness. He didn't like it, so I drank it.

Then I got him a Kilkenny's, he didn't like that either, so I drank it. Finally, I thought he might like some Harp Lager?

He didn't. I drank it.

I thought maybe he'd like whisky better than beer so we tried a Jameson's; nope!

In desperation, I had him try that rare Redbreast, Ireland's finest whisky.

He wouldn't even smell it.

What could I do but drink it!

By the time I realized he just didn't like to drink, I was so shit-faced I could hardly push his stroller back home!!!

**Happy Father's Day!**

from 'Dragon'

**Local 12 – Glasgow** (April 1994)

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

June 13, 2021 at Susan's June 18 & 19 Firecracker Classic Local 12 - Glasgow Meetings: 2nd Sunday @ 1:00 P.M. Location Varies April 11, 2021 Trash pick-up at 10:30 meeting after at Stump Island May 8, 2021-Saturday at Jay and Patti's June 13, 2021 at Susan's June 18 & 19 Firecracker Classic July 11, 2021 at Mark Cole's 660-537-0579 August 22, 2021 at George's

Contact: Tami Adcock- 660-631-6530 Susan McDaniel- 660-631-6024

Facebook - Freedom of Road Riders Local 12

Hey local 12 Our April meeting was held at Stump Island in Glasgow, it included trash pickup. We had a good turn out with 12 members present. It was especially good to see April Williams, Boz Lanning, and Richard White, who we hadn't seen in a while. Our CC representative, Jim Fitz, reported that the CC is looking for sponsors for homecoming.

Susan McDaniels has another food vendor set up for the Firecracker Classic.

We want to thank Boz Lanning for representing the Local 12 at the May rally at the capital. It is rumored that governor Parson paid special attention to Boz's bike Tweety.

We are getting close to the Firecracker Classic. It will be held at Stump Island in Glasgow on June 18&19.

Randy and Janet have an awesome poker run route set up, with several refreshment stops along the way. The bike show will have 7 classes. There will be several new biker and non-biker games available.

The Firecracker Classic is sure to be a blast with great music, food vendors, games and a fantastic fireworks display. We are hoping for a great turnout....**Patti B**

**Local 13 – Mexico** (January 1987)

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @3 pm

For Meeting info or Membership

Call: President Chad Gardner @ 573-253-8742 Or VP Chad "Shit Rat" Scheiderer @ 573-721-4095

Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders® Local 13

Hi Everyone,

Well June is coming up fast, and here in 13 land we have kicked into high gear for our 1st event of the year.

Our Car Show and Veterans Cruise is coming up on July 3rd and boy do we have a busy day planned. The Show and Cruise will last till about 6 pm with our guest speaker being no other then FORRs® very own Terry Lee Cook, then we will be ending the day cruising out to the VA Nursing Home here in town. But the fun will not end there, a home toy boy that made it big, you may have heard of him, he is the Head Coach for the LA LAKERS, yep that is him Tyron Lue puts on a spectacular firework display in town and has for a few years now. So, after the Cruise you can hang around and watch it as well. There will be a lot going on here in our little town of Mexico, so come spend the day with us and help Salute our Veterans.

Well, that is all for this episode of As Local 13 Turns, stay tuned for the next episode and see WHAT WILL DUTCH DO AT THE CAR SHOW THIS TIME? Till then ride safe and often. **Stampede**

**Notes from The Editor....**

Thanks you to all of you that are helping me with the delivery information concerning your issues of The Freedom Press. It's something that is important for me to keep track of to make sure you are getting your issues in a timely manor. It is greatly appreciated.

ALSO.... please remember to send all submissions (*Local or otherwise*) to:

**editor@forn.net**

I do not check my personal email very often especially during 'Deadline Week'.

Thanks for all of your help & keep up the good work in keeping this train on the tracks!

**Rebel**





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

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m. VFW Post 4052 3109 Franklin Avenue, Lexington, MO.

Contact: Donna Hilburn 816-690-8557 / Facebook: FORR® Local 14

Hello FORR Framily. Thanks to everyone who showed up at the last meeting and went in the last ride for Pops Bolling. We rode to Tryst Falls near Excelsior Springs where Heinz Maurer held a celebration of life ceremony. Afterwards Pops family spread his ashes in the falls.

Local 14 is having our Crash Memorial Run on June 19th Sign in is from 1030 am to 1145 am. Kickstands up at noon sharp. Location is the VFW post 4052 in Lexington, Mo.

District 4 is having their Family Picnic and Horseshoe Golf Tournament on July 24th, located at Dragons Lair. 1170 SW 225th rd. Holden, Mo.

Ride free and enjoy as many FORR events as possible. **Kelly Easy Street**



Pictured Left:  
Dale Perrigo  
winning second high hand at the  
Local 10 Spring Fling Poker run



Pictured Right:  
Heinz Maurer  
winning 7th place at the  
Local 33 April Fools poker run

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

Meetings: 3rd Monday @ 7 p.m.

Call for information Contact: Cyndi Barker 417-339-1679

Facebook: FORR Local #15

We just got back from our May BS Meeting.

This month Joe Gamble and his wife, Jeannie, invited us to their house for a BBQ/Bonfire.

The food was delicious including the s'mores for dessert. Everyone that came had a wonderful time. We had to go with Plan B, because, we had about 12 hours of rain. But time spent with great friends is time well spent. Thanks again Joe and Jeannie!

Last month we had our Spring Swap Meet. Again, it rained, but only in the afternoon. Even though the forecast was against us, everyone I saw was smiling and having a good time. We really enjoyed our food vendors, Cravin' Country! Thank you to everyone that came on Saturday to set up and Sunday morning to work at the Swap Meet.

Thank you also to Tim Pierce for bringing "Quack's" Honda 250 with him to the Meet and sharing conversation about his time spent with Quack. Expect to see it at other events if Tim gets the chance to bring it.

I want to send a huge Shout out to our friend Les Morris. He and his wife are a huge part of our Local. They are at every event and always have their sleeves rolled up and hard at work. These pictures were taken at a recent Taney County Republicans Convention held at the



Chateau that Les went to while he was lobbying for FORR. I know how much he loves getting to meet our local representatives, especially Eric Greitens!

Les also stepped up at our last meeting and not only filled one, but two offices left vacant recently. He is now our Sargent at arms as well as our CC Representative and Legislative Rep. Thank you so much, Les! I hope you know how much you are loved and appreciated Brother!

The Hootontown monthly meeting has been changed to May 23rd. It's still at Wacky Jack's in Highlandville at 1pm.

Our next BS Meeting will be at the American Legion in Kimberling City on June 1st. That's where we have our Chili Supper in January. I think this is our first BS there. I'm excited to see everyone.

Recently we lost 2 dearly loved members. "Papa" Jay Pafford and Todd "ZZ" Adair. They brought smiles to our faces each time we saw them and we are so blessed to have them in our lives! Ride high Brothers, we will miss you deeply.

Don't forget about our next Business meeting at the Amvets in Rockaway Beach. 7pm.

Have a wonderful month and I hope to see you soon,  
Lou



## **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**

Attendance has been good lately at the Local 16 meetings with about a quarter to a third of the membership being represented. Welcome back to Bob "Bobbo" Vessel! Apparently, Bobbo has traveling the globe getting his memoirs in order for his upcoming book.

We did not make any decisions on the idea of the possible "Fun Run/Mini Field Events" but it will have to be settled one way or another at the next meeting.

We discussed the possibility of sponsoring an American flag flown over the Veterans Memorial in Perryville. And possibly, after it has been flown, we could donate to the Disabled Veteran's Run to be put in the live auction.

There is a general feeling that the Local should try to get out to more events, whether it is a FORR event or another group's event. Warchild's Rebel Yell Rally will be June 4-6 and the consensus of opinion is that would be an excellent opportunity to do so.

Our condolences go out to Mike & Terri Hellman for the loss of their son, Mike Hellman II - known by some as "Mike II" and by others as "Mikey". He always had a smile on his face and always greeted you with a sincere handshake.

As always, Local 16's monthly meetings are scheduled for 3pm on the 4th Sunday of the month at the Bayou Bar Grill.

With respect to all,

**Martin King of Pocahontas.**

## **Local 20 – Dexter** (September 1985)

**Meetings: Last Saturday @ 2PM**

**ODouble Deuce, 25 N. Locust St., Dexter, MO**

**Contact: Rob Reif 573-421-7480**

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**Local 21 – Eldon** (May 1986)

Meetings: 3rd Saturday @ 1PM @ Whittles Pub &amp; Grill 108 S. Maple St., Eldon, MO

Contact: Dan at 314-941-8989

**Local 22 - South Central**

(September 1986 / Closed 2006 – reinstated March 2015)

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 1 p.m.

Senior Citizen Center in West Plains, MO

Contact: Greg Huffman 417-274-3880

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

*Perfect use for that helmet!*

Wow, how is it possible that half the year is over already?

I hope that you beautiful ladies all had a wonderful Mother's Day, pampered and appreciated by your loved ones.

And, here it is June, and we will be celebrating Father's Day this month. May all of you Dads have a restful, relaxing day with your children and families. I am betting that a lot of BBQ grills will be fired up!

With the recent onset of rains came the seemingly never ended job of mowing and so I wanted to send out a reminder about those very slippery grass clippings on the roads that seem meaningless on 4 wheels but, can be like riding on ice when you are on 2 wheels. Slow down as you approach, do not hit your brakes or accelerate, rather try to glide through it smoothly, if it cannot be avoided. We keep hearing that they are working on making this illegal, but so far, it has not been made into law or enforced upon. So, please beware as you travel those back roads.

The weather is perfect for getting together with friends and enjoying the beauty around us. We would love to have you join us on our rides, all bikes are welcome! 'Coop'

*The only good view of a thunderstorm is in your rearview mirror.*

**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 from Local 24! Hope you had a great Mother's Day last month, now bring on Father's Day!

It was great to see everyone at the MAY rally last month.

Hope to see everyone at our Mystery Ride coming up on June 26th, check out the flier for more information. If you miss this flag opportunity, we're having our annual Redneck Biker Golf in August.

On a somber note, we said our last farewells to longtime freedom fighter, member, and true friend Bob Hawkins last month. He's riding the good roads now!

That's all for now, remember to keep the shiny side up! **Ken Lewis**

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

Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 3:30 p.m. @ Millwoods Tap House in Wentzville, MO

Contact: Mark Roloff 636-578-1707

Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 25

Wow!! What was Mother Nature thinking? One week Spring, then Winter, Now on to Summer!! Welcome to Missouri!! Speaking of Welcomes let me Welcome our newest members: Bob Donaldson, Steve Ballos, Gary & Deborah Jeffery, Angel Flores, Michael Corrigan, And Mike Schaikjer – Welcome to our happy family!!!!!!

We had 11 members at our last meeting – I have to say it is good to see so many smiling faces!!! We discussed who

was going to be working what stops for our poker run. We also discussed what time we were meeting to ride to Local 24's Blessing of the Bikes. We had a pretty good meeting. The name drawn for the incentive was Tom Heitman- sorry you weren't at the meeting.

Eight of us met in St. Peters to ride together to the bike blessing, a couple of our members met us there and also one of our new members met up with us there. It was a beautiful day, and the ride was scenic and very enjoyable. We had a slight hiccup with one of our group, but it was straightened out later.

Our Poker Run was a great success!!! The weather was wonderful and the turnout even better!!! We had 70 sign-in and we also signed up 4 new members!! I want to say THANK YOU!!! to everyone who came and supported the event, and also a Big Thank You goes out to everyone who worked!!! And last but certainly not least I want to say Thank You to the Bars that support us and allow us to hold our events at their establishments!! We appreciate every one of them. Our winners were:

1st place with 3 of a kind Gary Jeffery (one of our new members)

2nd place with 2 pair aces/kings Jay Krueger

Worst hand with a score of 22 Rick Warren

Congrats to everyone!!!!

I hope to see a lot of our members at the Mid America Freedom Rally, it looks like quite a few of us are planning on going. That is about all I have for this month, so until next month – Remember it isn't the destination, it is the journey!!

Enjoy your journeys!!!!

Later, Emily

## 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

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**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

It is warm out there now so get off your butts and ride. “My dreams for the future are simple: work, a happy, healthy family, a lovely long motorcycle ride, and continuing the struggle to awaken people to the need for serious human rights reform.” Mike Farrell.

Decoration Day was first observed in the U.S. with the tradition of decorating soldiers’ graves from the Civil War with flowers. Later moving to May 30th, it included American graves from World War I and II and became Memorial Day. In 1971, Congress moved Memorial Day to the last Monday in May, creating a three-day holiday weekend. Hope we all had a great time at the Mid-America Freedom Rally. I hope Rolling Thunder was loud enough to make travelers on I-44 wonder “What the Hell”. Soap Box time. Let us not forget important issues to share with elected officials. I am an American, Retired Veteran, Husband, Father, Grandfather and Motorcyclist. I believe as our Forefathers did, we have inalienable rights. We must not let our elected officials forget the truth; it is the people not the Party in charge of this country. Write or call them; do not let them forget.

May Birthdays: Vivian Hudspeth 5/12, Rick “Daffy” Bruno 5/28 Anniversaries: Happy Anniversary to my beautiful wife Debbie of 44 years.

June Birthdays: Gail Rowden 6/3, Tamy Roser 6/16, Mike Bennett 6/16, Bill Dorlac 6/22, Mayra Preble 6/22, Good old Me 6/22, Benny Alvarez 6/20

Sorry if I left you off, I didn’t have the information.

June Historical events: Apache leader Cochise dies on the Chiricahua Reservation in southeastern Arizona. The last formal surrender of Confederate troops occurred as Cherokee Leader and Confederate Brigadier General, Gen Watie surrendered his battalion comprised of American Indians in the Oklahoma Territory. Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, leader of the Islamic Revolution in Iran, died. World War II, Rome was liberated by the U.S. 5th Army, led by General Mark Clark. June 6, 1944 - D-Day, the largest amphibious landing in history. Robert F. Kennedy was shot and mortally wounded while leaving the Hotel Ambassador in Los Angeles. After 49 years, the Soviet military occupation of East Germany ended. Supreme Court ruling creates the Miranda’ (constitutional) rights police now routinely read before questioning. The 26th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was enacted, granting the right to vote in all federal, state and local elections to American citizens 18 years or older.

In the meantime: Thank Veterans, 1st Responders and Medical Personnel for their sacrifices. Let us never forget those that gave it all! Keep the wind and sun to your back, both wheels on the ground and God as your co-pilot. God Bless the USA.

**Merel Johnson, Local 28 Freedom Press Reporter**

**Local 29 - Kansas City North** (February 1988)**Meetings: 3rd Sunday @ 2 p.m. at Boozer’s Bar, 1100 State Highway B, Liberty, MO 64068****Contact: Nancy Martin 816-309-2566 or Paul McCormack 816-560-5359****Website: [www.forrlocal29.com](http://www.forrlocal29.com)**

Just returned from our CC meeting. We had lots of new faces which were from the new Local 2! Yay you go guys and girls!

A new idea that Local 42 had for membership was putting out road signs everywhere. They brought in 9 new members!!! Great job!

We have a new Social Media Coordinator by the name of Cheryl Vollmar (Chips); a new Membership Coordinator by the name of Kim Lorten and a new Awareness Coordinator by the name of Heather Dunham. Welcome to all these go-getters!

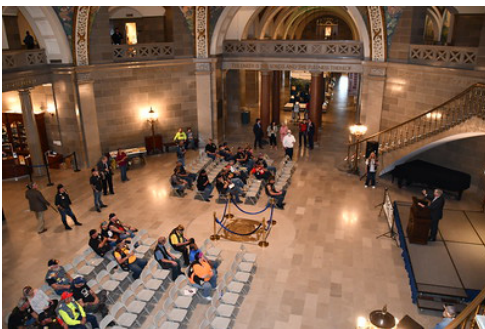
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# Motorcycle Awareness and You Rally in Jefferson City, MO

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Members of FORR® at the Capital for the 21st Annual Mike Sloan Memorial Motorcycle Awareness And You Rally.”



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April 27th ,2021 (Part 3)



## from the Motorcycle Awareness Coordinator

Joe and I would like to thank everyone who made it out to Freedom of Road Riders 21st annual "Mike Sloan" memorial Motorcycle Awareness and You rally. The MAY Rally. This is where we remind the public that we are out there. "Please Watch for us". We have families we all want to come home to. May is motorcycle Awareness month so we try to start it out right. It was a great day weather wise for riders to come to the capitol from all over the state. We hope everyone had a good time and got to visit with their legislators. We were honored that our Governor Mike Parson came out to speak. Then he wanted to go see the bikes lol. So off they went. Senator Mike Moon stopped by and said a few words. He is a good guy and carrying our profiling resolution. Lt. Governor Mike Kehoe came by to say Hi to a few of us after it was over. And apologized for not being there sooner. He was on the floor. We had quite a few lined up to speak but most were in committee at that time in the House and the Senate was on the floor. Representative Shane Rodenjust had a baby, so he was bringing his new baby home. Congratulation's buddy! Representative Taylor was in a meeting. Senator Eric Burlison was on the floor. These guys have been our biggest supporters, we missed seeing them, but we totally understand. The work of the people comes first. Joe got a resolution for Freedom for the 40 yrs. we have been fighting for our rights. He presented it to Ken, but Ken was out with the Governor at the time lol. Letting him sit on his bike. Too cool! It was a great day all the way around. Joe and I really appreciate y'all taking time off work and coming down. We had a great time, and we did what we came for. We reminded everyone to "Watch for Motorcycles". Interviews and pictures are floating around to, I think. Thank you again and we look forward to seeing y'all next year!



For our Awareness booths local 5 had one at Donnell's and local 14 came by to help us out. Local 42 posted some good pictures of passing out signs, with their kids and in the rain. Now that's the way to do it. I read they got 100 signs out. Great job local 42! Local 24 had a bike blessing I believe the week before and sold 71 magnets. That is outstanding. Thank you to everyone who had a booth or got the word of Awareness out somehow. I'd love to hear what you did. Please remember you can do these anytime too. We always need to get the word out. Please get your pictures out there, we need to let people know what all we do. Heather Peterson in Local 2 will be taking over awareness at the end of the year and Kim Lorton Local 2 is taking Membership now. So, she is taking Bikefest, and she needs volunteers for shifts so please look her up. A big Thank you to Nikki Taylor for getting the spot for us. Right in front of Summer USA next to Leatherman's. Can't get better than that. We voted at CC to allow me to purchase a table and pop up so I know Heather will have the stuff she needs to get started. She is going to need your help as well. I will still be around for a while, but those Grandbabies are needing me more all the time. Be safe out there brothers and sisters. We want to see you again!

**Deanna Rhodes**





## LEGISLATIVE UPDATE JUNE 2021

There is just a little over a week left of session and everything we are following is still up in the air and waiting to move. Two bills we have been following auxiliary lighting and the autocycle redefinition have been amended to a couple of other transportation bills, one being HB 661 and not sure of the other at this time because it is a recent development. All we can do is see what happens in the next few days. The motorcycle profiling resolution (SCR 9) was on the floor last week and of course they had to play politics with it as it was amended and that caused it to be laid over but there is still hope because it can be brought back up again. Just about everything I have been following this year is down to these last few days. I can just about imagine that it is going to be a wild week ahead as legislators position themselves to make deals and concessions to get their legislation passed. About all we can do is wait and see how it all plays out.

Deanna and I would like to thank everyone that took the time out of their day on April 27 for the MAY Rally. A special Thank You to Deanna for speaking and all your help this year getting this event put together. We had a lot of speakers that were lined up to speak but due to unforeseen circumstances most were unable to make the rally, committee hearings, meetings and Representative Shane Roden had to go bring his wife and newborn baby girl home from the hospital, Congratulations to them. I would also like to thank Local 10 for bringing the donuts to the staging area and to Dale Thomas for taking care of the sign in for us. Thank you to each and every one of you. Would also like to thank Governor Mike Parson for speaking this year to us along with Senator Mike Moon and Lt. Governor Mike Kehoe for stopping by and speaking to a few of us that were still there after the event, Lt. Governor Kehoe expressed his apologies for not being there on time as the Senate was still in session during our rally. The business of the people should always come first. Although the turnout was low this year it was a successful event.

If you follow me on Facebook that would be the best way to find out how the last few days of session went. I will apologize now for not having a final report on this year's session until August because Deanna and I will be honeymooning before the deadline for the July issue.

Hope everyone has a safe and wonderful Memorial Day weekend.

Ride safe and ride free,

**Smokin' Joe Widmer**  
Legislative Coordinator

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(Continued from page 13) We signed 44 new members since the last CC meeting and Joe Karr put out a challenge for all locals to recruit so we can be up to 2000 members in FORR again. Also, quality people over quantity advised.

May 27-29 is Mid-America Freedom Rally. There wasn't one last year due to Covid! Should be a good time.

August 20-22 is Homecoming at Urich, MO. Always a great time.

See you down the road and ride safe.

**Donna Duyck, 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 – Jacob 417-770-2071 or Vice President – Tyler 417-509-0242**

**Facebook: FORR Local 30 Springfield/Nixa MO**

Hey everyone! It's finally riding season!! Hope you all have had an opportunity to get out and get some wind in your face. Fish and I had the opportunity to ride up to Jefferson City to cruise along for the MAY Rally, and really enjoyed it. If you have the chance to go next year, I highly recommend it. We've been planning a float trip for our local on June 12th, watch our Facebook page for more details! Hootontown Rally plans have been going smoothly. We will need people to work the gate and security, so get with an officer and sign up.

Everyone stay safe and keep the greasy side down!

'Chips'

## **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**

Annd I'm back, did you miss me?! Let me fill you in on somethings: I first want to shout out a happy 2nd anniversary to two of our very own love birds, Jake and Allison!!

Mike, our president, received the Engineer Freedom Award at FEW Seminar. A big congratulations to him!

Several members went on a 300-mile ride to mammoth springs, and we are glad everyone enjoyed the ride and nice weather.

Deb got an award for not missing any C.C meetings, we all thank you for your dedication!

Mike wants to everyone know that he understands that we have members that have other obligations and cannot make most of our meetings and we all appreciate



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their support. I'd like to give a shout out to Tom Kinsley it was nice seeing you!

There is a fun run and silent auction for 10yr old James Pax, he has Ewing Sarcoma. The action is on June 26th any donations or participation would greatly be appreciated. Be safe and ride on! **Tristen**

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

**Meetings: 3rd Sunday of every month @ 1:00 pm / Location: AM Vets on Hwy. 50 just East of Knob Noster, MO**

**President: Larry Chaney (660) 422-1250**

**Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders Local 33**

Hello to all you Crazy Kats and Doo Woppin' Dudettes. Summertime, Summertime, Sum, Sum Summertime is almost here!!! Better temperatures and longer daylight hours are groovy in a far out kind-of-way and I'm diggin' it, man. While I seriously enjoy hand l oading and going to the shootin' range with my gal nothing compares to being on my steel horse (with my gal) and winning fake argument about something I lost before. But enough about that, doggone it, we have business to tend to.

Let's see this is June's issue and that means our annual "Got Lost Out-of-State Ride & Jamboree" is here!!! Yeeeahhhh for us! Our flyer is in this FP as well as our website ([www.forrlocal.com](http://www.forrlocal.com)) and FORR's ([www.forr.net/events](http://www.forr.net/events)). Come one, come all 'cause we'd love to have the company.

July's preview is our "\$1K Poker Run and Fun Festival". We start at one of our Corporate Sponsors, The End Zone, in Sedalia, MO. The End Zone has been a sponsor for many years and we thank them for letting us start this great ride there. Details are also on the websites mentioned above.

Speaking of this run, and certainly no less important, is our CASH GIVEAWAY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! \$300 for 1st, \$200 for 2nd, and \$99 for 3 rd. Tickets are \$5 each and will be given away at the conclusion of our \$1K Poker Run. Tickets are going fast so get yours today. Previewing August, it is an open month for us but we're going to fill it with a Fun Run of some sort. Just something to mosey around the area with. No schedules, just good ole unadulterated debauchery. I'm not necessarily talking about candle wax on the nipples or witchcraft but then again, who knows? Regimented rules are for the squares this time so don't be a geometry problem my rockin' Brothers and Sisters. Come join us, details will be presented at our Local meeting.

Three contractors are bidding to fix a broken fence at the White House. One is from Chicago, another from Tennessee, and the last is from Minnesota. All three go with a White House official to examine the fence. The Minnesota contractor takes out a tape measure and does some measuring then works some figures with a pencil. "I figure the job will run about \$900, \$400 for materials, \$400 for my crew, and \$100 profit for me." The Tennessee contractor also does some measuring and figuring then says "I can do this job for \$700. \$300 for materials, \$300 for my crew, and \$100 profit for me." The Chicago contractor doesn't measure or figure and instead



*In Memory of*  
**Sam Chapman**  
*Vice President Local 33*

## **COME ONE & ALL!!**

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Sign in 8:00 to 9:00 AM. Kickstands up @ 9:00 AM so don't be late. There is no fee to participate and we'll be going to a neighboring state as an overnight trip. Save your pennies and make plans to join us 'cause this will be a rootin-tootin' good time for all!



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leans over to the White House official and whispers "\$2,700.". The disbelieving official says, "You didn't even measure like the other guys! How did you come up with such a high figure so quickly?". The Chicago contractor whispers back "\$1000 for me, \$1000 for you, and we hire the guy from Tennessee to fix the fence.". "Done" replies the government official, "and may I say what a great idea that is!". And that, my friends, is how the stimulus plans work. Have fun and be safe,  
**Patman the Magnificent**

### **Local 35 - Golden Valley** (July 1996)

**Meetings: 4th Sunday @ 2 p.m. @ Eagles, 723 N. 3rd St., Clinton, MO**

**Contact: President David Nelson 660-492-7493**

**Facebook: Freedom of Road Riders @ Local 35**

Hello everyone. We all at Local 35 and in the entire FORR family was deeply saddened to hear we all lost our brother and great friend Bob Hawkins on May 1st. Many of you have known Bob for many years and understand how great a man he was! I got to know him in the last few years and enjoyed hearing the stories of his life and how things used to be back in the day. No one was a stranger to Bob. He could walk up and talk to anyone and make a friend everywhere he went! I remember many times we would make a stop while out on a ride and in no time, you'd see Bob talking and laughing it up with people along the way! He with his wife Linda by his side dedicated years of his life to FORR and fought for motorcyclists rights and for our freedom as motorcyclists. Bob was a great man and inspired me and many people. He will be missed but never forgotten. We cannot imagine the sadness and the loss you are feeling Linda but please know you are loved by all of us, and we are here for you! May his passing bring us all closer to each other and remind us the importance of the life we have been given and to not take our time here for granted!

At the time of writing this Local 35 is looking forward to the Mid-American Freedom Rally down in Waynesville Missouri! Gonna be a great time, I'm sure! Also looking forward to supporting our locals at their events coming up.

There is a lot happening this year throughout the state! Local 35 Birthdays for June are Marilee Carmen! Happy Birthday Marilee!! Hope everyone stays safe and makes time to get out and ride during this great spring weather!

Local 35 has our meetings on the 4th Sunday of the month at the Eagles Lodge in Clinton Missouri at 2pm. Anyone is welcome! So please join us! Please call President David Nelson at 660-492-7493 or myself V.P Rod at 660-233-9944 with any info or questions you may have!

Thanks guys! Ride Hard, Ride Safe, Ride Free, Ride on, **\*Rod \***

### **Local 41 - Cameron Crossroads** (January 2002)

**Meetings: 1st Thursday @ 7 p.m. at Dino's Diner**

**Contact: Steve Gallus 816-449-5037 or 2707**

**or Mike Sims 660-425-8340 / Facebook: FORR® Local 41**

Greetings, just to start this letter I will have to say that this getting older sucks. Just about forgot to send this letter and the other day I put a new battery in the old bike. No, I did remember where it was and how to change it. But when I was done and had the bike running. I turned to grab my HELMET to leave and it came to me that didn't need that old bucket anymore. OH, what a joy to ride down the highway and try not to lose the Dew rag! And to add to that got to the CC Meeting and realized that had missed the May Rally at the capital! Still haven't gotten out and socialized a whole lot.

Not a lot going on here in the Cameron area. This letter is going out before our meeting which is the first Thursday of the month and at Dino's Diner at 6 pm to eat and 7pm to meet so don't have a lot of info to tell. So, this letter is going to be short and sweet . SO, TILL THE NEXT TIME RIDE SAFE AND RIDE FREE. Later **Steve G**



*In Memory of  
**Bob Hawkins**  
Local 35*

July 3rd, 2021 **CAR SHOW & VETERANS CRUISE** July 3rd, 2021

10 AM - 5 PM  
MEXICO CITY SQUARE

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FREEDOM OF ROAD RIDERS® LOCAL 13

**FREE TO THE PUBLIC**

**Schedule of Events**  
 Sign in 8:30 am-10 am  
 Entry Fee- \$20.00  
 Judging- 10 am-3 pm  
 Trophies given @ 4pm  
 Salute to Veteran's @ 4:30 pm  
 Cruise out to the VA Home 5:15 pm

**SHOW CLASSES**  
 1st & 2nd Place in  
 Car, Truck, Rat Rod  
 Semi, Cruiser, Street  
 Trike  
**FARTHEST TRAVELED**  
 President Choice  
 Car, Truck, Bike  
 18 total trophies

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**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.

Hello friends, June! Finally, pretty warm weather. I hope you all have enjoyed your 2021 thus far. It's crazy to think it's halfway over.

In case y'all were wondering local 42 has been doing amazing over here. A few new members, some oldies but goodies returning! We are pumped to have each of you.

For those of you that don't check our Facebook you missed some pictures. We have been busy. At the very end of April, we painted our town(s) with 100+ yellow WATCH FOR MOTORCYCLES yard signs in support of may being motorcycle awareness month! We had a great time getting out and about telling people about FORR and what we do and the reason for the signs. Our community was really supportive. Thank you to all of the members that participated.

May 1st we held a celebration of life party for our fallen brother Tom Remelius at Roadhouse in Gray Summit. The weather that day was hand-picked from heaven. The food was delicious! The memories shared were priceless! Over-all I would say that our friend would be very happy about how his day turned out.

Local 42 is having a Cornhole tournament at Roadhouse 100 on June 22nd. This is sure to be a good time. Check out our Facebook page for upcoming details about this event. We would love to have you play or stop in to show your support. Either way. Be our guest.

Also, our meeting time has been changed. It is no longer 2pm. It was voted on that our monthly meeting be held at the same location just at a earlier time of day. New meeting time is 10am last Sunday of the month.

I think that is all I have for now. Thank you for your support. Hope to see you soon!

Stay Tuned,, **Jess**

# Missouri Bikers Homecoming Rally

Presented by Freedom of Road Riders ®

## AUGUST 20<sup>TH</sup> – 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2021

Location: 16385 NW HWY MM Urich, MO 64788

**Admission:**

Non-Member

\$30.00

Member

\$25.00

Saturday Night Pass (After 4 pm)

\$10.00

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

[WWW.FORR.NET](http://WWW.FORR.NET)

Saturday:  
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Games

Must be over 18

with Valid ID

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Live

Music

Fri: Dirty Saints

Sat: Love Bomb

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# CONNECTIONS



## District 4 KC Area

Hello District 4,  
 Not a lot to report at this time just a reminder that District 4's Horseshoe Golf Tournament event is July 24th, we only have a few tickets left for the generator give away at this event so if you want in for a chance get ahold of me or Amy.

Donna (Shorty)

**Motorcycle Riders Foundation**

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### MRF Report

For Immediate Release  
 May 3, 2021



Last Friday, champions of the motorcycling community in the House of Representatives introduced a resolution addressing motorcyclist profiling. The resolution H. Res. 366 has three key points:

- (1) promoting increased public awareness on the issue of motorcyclist profiling;
- (2) encouraging collaboration and communication with the motorcycle community and law enforcement to engage in efforts to end motorcycle profiling; and
- (3) urging State law enforcement officials to include statements condemning motorcyclist profiling in written policies and training materials.

The Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) applauds Congressman Tim Walberg (R-MI), Congressman Michael Burgess (R-TX), Congresswoman Cheri Bustos (D-IL), and Congressman Mark Pocan (D-WI) for introducing this bipartisan resolution in the House of Representatives.

During the 116th Congress, a record 138 Representatives cosponsored a similar resolution to the one introduced today yet it failed to reach the House floor for a vote. This came on the heels of the United States Senate unanimously passing a related resolution in 2018.

Legislative action against the profiling of motorcyclists is not limited to Washington, D.C. Across the country, state legislatures are considering measures aimed at combating the profiling of motorcyclists. The MRF is joined by the Motorcycle Profiling Project, state motorcyclist' rights organization, motorcycle clubs and individual riders taking a stand on this issue.

With the U.S. Senate on record on the topic and state capitals around the nation taking action it is imperative the House of Representatives follow suit and pass H. Res 366.

President of the MRF, Kirk 'Hardtail' Willard, stated "We thank Representatives Walberg, Burgess, Bustos and Pocan for their leadership on this important issue. Motorcyclists in every state are impacted by profiling. This issue isn't going away, and it's well past time for the House of Representatives to go on the record about the need to end motorcyclist profiling."

#### About Motorcycle Riders Foundation

The Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) provides leadership at the federal level for states' motorcyclists' rights organizations as well as motorcycle clubs and individual riders. The MRF is chiefly concerned with issues at the national and international levels that impact the freedom and safety of American street motorcyclists. The MRF is committed to being a national advocate for the advancement of motorcycling and its associated lifestyle and works in conjunction with its partners to help educate elected officials and policymakers in Washington and beyond.

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Send this completed application, along with a check or money order:

FORR®, Inc, Tami McMinn  
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Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing membership.  
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**\*Please keep your mailing address current with your Local Secretary or the Corporate Membership Secretary**



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**www.forr.net**

Just click on the Member Services button then choose the option you need.

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## Request For Local Transfer

(You can only transfer once per year.)

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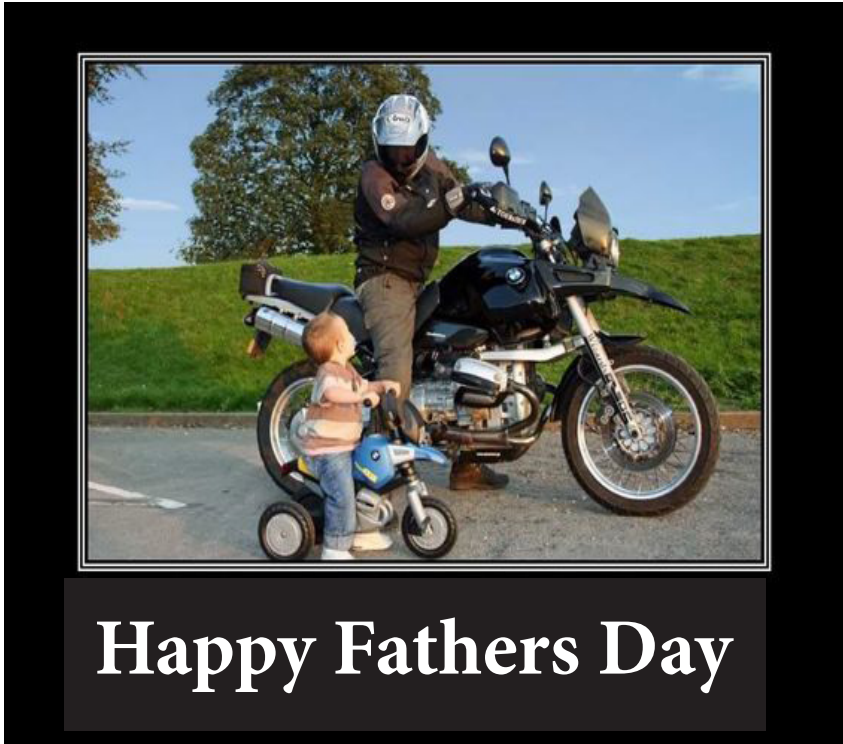


**JUNE**

- 5 L5 - Smut Memorial Run
- 12 L1 - Lime Run
- 19 L14 - Crash Memorial Poker Run
- 18-19 L12 - Firecracker Classic
- 25-27 L8 - Spring Fling
- 26 L33 - Out of State Ride & Jamboree

**JULY**

- 3 L13 - Car Show and Veterans Cruize
- 16-18 15 & 30 - Hootontown
- 24 L3 - Swap Meet
- 24 D4 - Family Picnic & Horseshoe Golf  
Tourney
- 25 L33 - \$1000 Poker Run



**Happy Fathers Day**

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