



# RETREADS<sup>®</sup>

## Motorcycle Club

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**Monthly meetings: 2nd Sunday of each month -- Golden Corral,  
6865 N. Thornydale Road, Tucson, AZ**

**April thru September 8:00 am October thru March 9:00 am**

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The Retreads is a club for motorcycle enthusiasts 40 years old plus. We don't care what you ride. Membership is \$15.00 per single and \$20.00 per couple. Members may submit information about rides, items for sale, motorcycle articles, etc. no later than the 1st of the month to the newsletter editor: Mary-Ellen Tyndall, TucsonRtrd-News@aol.com. The Tucson Area Rep. and the newsletter editor reserve the right to edit all materials submitted for newsletter publication.

### RIDE SCHEDULE

**Oct. 7 - American Legion Breakfast - 8AM**

**Oct. 12-16 4 Corners Rally - Voyager**

**We will have reservations for the Veterans Day parade in Downtown . Saturday Nov. 11 is the day of the parade.**

**Impromptu rides by email are welcome**



Oct 9

Columbus Day



Oct 31

Halloween

Thanks Judy

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**Friday, December 15, 2017**

Retreads Christmas Party Catered by Golden Corral.

Ticket prices: depends on rent for auditorium, catering and any other items the club may be paying for.

**Please call the contacts indicated for each ride if you are going to participate . Plans may change and rides may head to a different location from those listed. Times shown are departure times—Be fueled and READY TO RIDE! Also, if the restaurant has an early head count they can provide us with better and faster service.**



## Tucson Arizona Retreads Notes-September 2017

We welcomed our newest member at our meeting. Jim and Peggy Johnson. They reside in Green Valley. They were Retreads years ago. They are looking forward to riding again with our group. Welcome to ALL of you! Our club is up to 158! And it continues to grow. We heard that Ellen Davidson has been sidelined with back issues. Our condolences to Kathy Bohnhoff as she lost 2 family members and has been under the weather herself. Bill Johns is finally on the mend from Knee replacement. Roger Deevers was quite happy to report he had received "Feedback".



He was not sure we all have/had been reading and listening to his safety items. But yes we do, even if we don't provide feedback. He told us about an over the counter medicine to treat nose bleeds (sometimes they come at the most inopportune times). Mark Applegate won the 50/50 raffle. He will have a job for the November meeting, as October is our Rally. Our 4 corners rendezvous is October 12-16, 2017 at Voyager RV Park. We have 50 registrations. We are gathering our supplies. We have our goody bags packed and nearly ready to go. Judy has wrist bands so everyone registered MUST wear this accessory; this will aid in knowing who is part of the rally. Only registered individuals will be allowed in the Rally. Make sure if you are volunteering that you take the Risk Management class. Even if you are not an AMA member you can print and sign the paperwork proving you took the course. Don't forget to check out members "For Sale" or "For Want" items in the newsletter. We have very few rides this next 6 weeks with the Rally close approaching. We add rides once we have completed the rally. Standing rides- 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month- Breakfast at American Legion-still on. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month is Taco Sunday at Circle S Saloon—still on.

### **New Business**

Our new website is coming along. Dave Oman and Tony Arroyo are collaborating to make it WONDERFUL! We will have a general area that provides information on our club however the members only area will be password protected. In the members only area we will have our newsletters and archive; impromptu rides; Our Veterans Recognition; Swap meet for buyers and sellers. Your suggestions, frustrations, likes and dislikes are welcome so we can make the site useful, informative and FUN!! We still need volunteers for Hospitality house. We will have coffee and donuts in AM. We will have snacks, coffee, water during the day. We thought if anyone wants to donate old motorcycle magazines (or new ones that you have read already) those may be of interest; puzzles, cards, crossword puzzles, etc. Some members may want a distraction while they wait for riders to return. 50/50 for rally. Thursday early registration and Friday will be a single 50/50 drawing, Friday evening. Saturday, Sunday, Monday will each be drawn at the end of each day. 4 chances to win a 50/50 drawing. We will have door prizes and raffle items. Raffle items will be \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Raffle will be drawn on Monday evening, at the banquet. If you are not going to be at the evening buffet then please write your name on the raffle ticket—then we can provide you with your raffle item. Judy is going to distribute flyers to the motorcycle shops so they know we will be holding a rally and may encounter one of our rally participants. Dave Oman created a T-shirt design- black shirt that hopefully will be available by rally time. Cost if we get the quantities (27 is what we need) will be \$15 per T-shirt. We should have these by the first part of October (just in time for the rally). No impromptu ride (at least not that I was aware). See everyone at the rally! Cecilia

### **Taco Sunday Ride Report**



We had 15 people for Taco Sunday. Still warm riding (some may have called it hot) however with the breeze and scenery who could complain. We had our normal "Grumpy" waiting on us. She lamented that "Dave" was not here yet—to give her grief—she needs to keep in practice so we tried our best to torment her. We all had good conversations and good food. Most of us from "Town" took the freeway home—errands and the normal trying to squeeze in a few more "To do" items on the To do listing. Next scheduled ride is American Legion breakfast, 8AM. Cecilia



## SAFETY CONCERNS

Roger Deevers, Safety Officer



### DEHYDRATION

Now that we will be enjoying somewhat abated temperatures and lower humidity as well as the return of our travelers and seasonal members it is a good time to think about dehydration. With more rides on the menu of activities, thoughts of staying hydrated might not be very high on the priority list. Keep in mind that Tucson and the entirety of Arizona is in the "dry zone."

#### How to Know You're Dehydrated

It's important to recognize dehydration symptoms early.

Sometimes you may not feel normal, or may notice changes in your skin, like impressions in the skin or "tenting," which is when the skin does not flatten after being pinched. [included in the list below] Untreated, dehydration can develop into shock. The signs and symptoms of dehydration include:

**Dizziness, headache, dark urine (perhaps strong odor), inability to urinate, dry mouth or nose, weakness, nausea and vomiting, skin that does not flatten when pinched and released.**

Dehydration is always caused by more fluid leaving the body than entering it. Water only leaves the body one or all of three ways: you can sweat it out, breathe it out or pee it out.

Our extremely dry atmosphere isn't alone as a contributor to loss of body liquid. Consuming beverages containing caffeine such as coffee, colas and some energy drinks will act as diuretics, deplete the body of liquid and therefore should be avoided or compensated for. Most of us have a means to carry water with us. If not it would be wise to acquire something. Stay hydrated to remain alert and safe.



#### Confederate Motorcycles Unveiled the R-Code Combat Bomber

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BIRMINGHAM, AL – August 19, 2017 Confederate Motorcycles, creators of the world's most exotic motorcycles, has re-

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Nine FA-13 Combat Bombers remain available for reservation. The Combat 61 Collection of the P51 Fighters sold out rapidly; we do not expect this rare opportunity to linger.

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**Cost for six and twelve months are as follows:**

<b>Business Card Size</b>	<b>\$35/65</b>
<b>Quarter Page</b>	<b>\$70/120</b>
<b>Half Page</b>	<b>\$100/150</b>
<b>Full Page</b>	<b>\$150/220</b>



The Whimcycles are back



Quotes from Judy Aitkin



Mark Appleate 10/14

Derryl Bates 10/15

Robert Costa 10/7

Cheryl Gangwer 10/24

Nancy Hrigora 10/1



Rose Kimball 10/10

Jim Rohlman 10/19

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Julia Witham 10/9

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Jim and Peggy Johnson

Welcome Back

Darrell Scott

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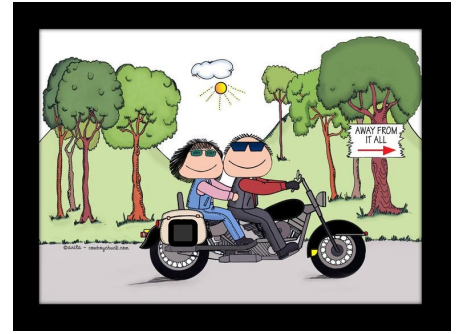
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