



# GOLD COUNTRY HARLEY RIDERS

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## Mark Korb, Director



Well, here we are already half-way through the year. Our meetings and rides are alive with the sounds of friends having a great time. Our get-togethers truly show we are a social riding club with the common denominator of having fun. We look forward to many great rides as the season unfolds. Thanks for all your participation. A special thanks to our road captains, board members, and other officers who work hard to make it all happen. It takes many hands to provide the events we all enjoy.

The GCHR 5th annual benefit ride & barbeque is on the 3rd of October. What a great opportunity to volunteer and assist our club. Linda Hausman, our new Activities Chairperson, is asking for people to help and Vince Sprowl, our Raffle Dude, also needs help with raffle prizes for the event. To Denise McGill a big thank you for her hard work as Activities Chairperson as she moves on to Idaho. We will miss you!



Danny's Sutter Creek Ride

## Roy Sunahara, Assistant Director



Can you believe half the year has passed already? I guess when you're having fun, time does fly.

In last few months I have been helping Paul with his safety officer duties. He is still taking care of putting rides on the calendar. If you're not a road captain and know of a great place to ride, please send Paul your suggestion - there could be a RC who is willing to do the ride. We're always looking for new places to ride.

Be sure to check the GCHR calendar for rides and before you decide to join a ride, check to make sure there haven't been any updates. Summer is here so also make sure you have proper riding protection and bring along snacks and especially, water.

Things to remember: Ride Your Own Ride, Be Safe, Be Alert, Be Aware, Be Courteous, Use Common Sense.

HAVE FUN!



Mike D's Wine Country Ride



Ride to Lee and Carole's BBQ

## Robert Bennett, Treasurer



I am pleased to announce that the Board of Directors has approved making a small donation to the Forgotten Soldiers Program (\$250.00). This charity benefits our Veterans and their families in which all of us owe a great debt of gratitude that we could never possibly repay!

Mark Korb led a benefit ride Saturday July 18th from C&E V-Twin. This is a worthy charity and I hope you were able attend and show your support for our Veterans.

## Linda Hausman, Activities



As with all of you, I will miss Denise as she relocates to Idaho. She has been an awesome Activities Director and a great friend. I will do my best to follow in her footsteps as best I can.

Our Annual Fundraiser on October 3, 2015 is fast approaching. I am asking for your support and help to help make this event successful. We will need volunteers to help with registration, parking, and raffle, set up and clean up. Please sign up at the August General meeting. Also, our "Raffle Dude", Vince is in need of raffle items for "theme baskets" to be raffled off.

Thank you for your continued support! And of course, join us for a "fun" fundraiser event at the Valencia Club on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.



Don's Ride to 5Mile House

## Sue Rhodes, Membership



Summer time and mid-year already with many miles on the road. There have been many great foothill rides plus several weekend overnights. Keep checking the calendar for new rides.

June ended with a total of 110 members. We were all new at one time, so introduce yourself to the new members and make them welcome.

Monthly meetings are held the second Wednesday at Auburn Chevy's Restaurant at 2100 Grass Valley Hwy. A great opportunity to catch up with fellow members.

Have a birthday???? Come to the General Meeting to win a drawing in your birthday month.

Travel Safely and hope to see you on the road or at a meeting soon!!!

Hugs 'n Smiles!



### 2015 Membership

Full Membership	\$20.00/yr (rider)
Associate Membership	\$10.00/yr (for passenger only)

We accept cash or check (Make payable to GCHR) or you can mail your membership form and dues to:

GCHR – P.O. Box 8013, Auburn, CA 95603. The one page form was emailed out to all members 12/11/2014. If the form is NOT printing on ONE page, please let me know.

Look forward to seeing ALL at the next ride or the monthly meeting. Let's have another memorable and safe year.

P.S. As always, any roster "OOPS", send an email – [lthse88@wildblue.net](mailto:lthse88@wildblue.net)  
Old and new corrections and updates will appear on the next roster publication.



Highway Cleanup Crew



Blues Brothers



## Paul Fernandez, Safety



Given that we are having high heat days and a drought, it is important for all of those riding to remember the dangers of not staying hydrated. In blazing hot weather, it may be tempting to just wear a t-shirt and jeans while riding. It is important to stay covered up because it can actually help you stay cool.

Exposed skin dries out very quickly in the sun and wind. It can help with the cooling-effect; however, it also makes it harder to keep your body hydrated. Keeping your arms covered by wearing a synthetic long sleeve shirt which helps reflect the heat of the sun and prevents sunburn is important. It also keeps your sweat from evaporating very quickly.

Remember to drink fluids (non-alcoholic during rides) before you get thirsty. Pack your saddlebag with power drinks, water or something with electrolytes in it. This will help you stay hydrated and keep you from overheating. You might want to invest in a hydration vest that you soak with water and wear close to the skin to stay cool.

Finally, don't forget to wear sunscreen on your face, neck and the back of your hands and arms, anywhere that is not covered. If you start to feel dizzy or fatigued, stop and try to find shelter and cool down before riding again. Ice packs under your arms help cool you down and prevent heat exhaustion or heat stroke.

Be smart and safe to enjoy that ride.

## Patrice Goulet, Secretary



Happy Summer.....the rides the past couple of month's have been incredible; the weather, scenery, and the camaraderie that has developed within our group. The overnight rides have been so much fun which in turn have built friendships that will last a lifetime. I am sincerely looking forward to Charles' ride to Bridgeport for a 2 night stay in September with I'm sure lots of exploring of the surrounding areas.

At this time, I need to address the search for my replacement as Secretary for the upcoming year of 2016, as my term will be up. I have been given a very challenging and fortunate position at work and it needs my every attention to details. So if you have the desire to run for the office of Secretary for 2016 and work with a great group of people on the board of directors, please let me know.

I am looking forward to all of the Fall Rides when the autumn colors are abundant.

**LIVE TO RIDE! RIDE TO LIVE!**

## Bud Hausman, Web King



### Tales from the Web:

Greetings to all our current members and welcome to our new members. The Gold Country Harley Riders web site exists to keep all the members informed of the fun things we are going to do and allow us to remember and share all the great times.

The member's area is available to all current members. Come to the General Meeting or send me an email request if you need the new user name and password.

The new web site is up and running and is easier to navigate. The changes allow better access from phones and tablets. If you are not receiving the reminder emails and would like to, go to the member's area and follow the directions to add you're self to the list.

The gallery has a new look so remember to forward all your pictures to Jon, your photo manager, and all event announcements to me.

Thank you all for being such great friends and ride safe.



Gary's Ride to Susanville

## Danny Hanson, Past-Director



Gold Country Harley Riders,

Summer is well on its way and I am missing a lot of rides. I am working a lot so there is not much time to get out with you. Hope you enjoy your rides with our Road Captains. They are doing a great job trying to keep the Calendar full of rides for you. I think they need an "atta boy" what do you think?

Please keep yourselves safe during these summer months and most of all have lots of fun. We all need to look 360 around while we ride; it's crazy out there. I went to a Blues Brothers Tribute Show with a group of folks - lots of fun. Shawn Amato is the Man.

You be safe now and hopefully I will see you soon.

## Vince Sprowl, Raffle Dude



As you are all aware, our big annual fundraiser is fast approaching. October 3<sup>rd</sup> is just around the corner and I need your help in making this a highly profitable affair. If every member could just come up with one \$25+ item thru acquiring a donation from a local business or even pitching in themselves, we could raise thousands of dollars for local charities in need.

Remember, we are a non-profit organization and therefore, the donation is tax deductible. 501(c)3 forms can be downloaded from our website or see me for a copy. Please don't wait, it takes time to gather up all the donations and bundle them in time to raffle.

**\*\*Be sure to check our website Calendar for updates on rides\*\***



## Welcome, NEW MEMBERS

### APRIL

*Michael Blasquez*

### MAY

### JUNE

*Melissa Luce  
Michael Luce  
Dale Smith*



## BIRTHDAYS



Charlotte Chapman	7/12
John Currier	7/28
Joan Evans	7/25
David Funk	7/11
Howard Mordell	7/19
Mary Rist	7/2
Ernesto Roca	7/7
Lisa Sunahara	7/26
Mike Twogood	7/13

Dan Fanning	8/2
Jan Felker	8/19
Linda Garcia	8/25
Kim Glassco	8/7
Ginger Ikeda	8/8
Don Jong	8/28
Jerry Kennedy	8/25
Gary Kling	8/7
Molly Korb	8/11
Carlo Lujan	8/13
Kathleen McNabb	8/5
Arthur Patino	8/21
Pete Rau	8/21
Michael Rhodes	8/31
Peggy Ullom	8/25

Kim Barnette	9/29
Bob Evans	9/11
Patrice Goulet	9/14
Cindy Gray	9/1
Linda Kenney	9/17
Mark Korb	9/30
Michael Luce	9/9
Emma Lujan	9/20
Carole McCallum	9/17
David McNabb	9/2
Jan Mullaly	9/8
Vicki Patino	9/3
Mari Phillips	9/7
Constance Queipo	9/22
Dee Ruark	9/26
Rudy Shimada	9/25



### 2015 ROAD CAPTAINS

Paul Fernandez (Head RC)  
Roy Sunahara  
Danny Hanson  
Bruce Ullom  
Don Bachman  
Mark Korb

John Robertson  
Lee McCallum  
Peggy Ullom  
Charles Stuart  
Mike Desrosiers

Gary Kling  
Buzz Whitney  
Linda Whitney  
Pete Rau  
Dave McNabb  
Howard Mordell



Mike D's Ride to Lake Tahoe

## GOLD COUNTRY HARLEY RIDERS

*Chapter Meeting Held 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at  
Chevy's, Auburn, CA  
Dinner 6:00 PM – Meeting 7:00 PM*

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