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SNM HOG CHAPTER MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The Southern New Mexico H.O.G. Chapter monthly meetings are held at the Los Mariachis Restaurant, 754 N. Motel Boulevard, Las Cruces (across from the County Building). Meeting starts at 09:00 AM on the 1st Saturday of the month. An organized ride to a variety of locations occurs after the meeting, with the rally point starting from the TA Las Cruces Travel Center, 202 N. Motel Blvd. As with ALL rides. please come out and join the group with a full gas tank and an empty bladder.

DIRECTOR'S CORNER

SUMMER TIME

“Fall has fell
Spring has sprung
Summer is here
and it's hotter than Hell”

During these summer months of 90–100-degree temperatures, what must we motorcycle enthusiasts be aware of? **DEHYDRATION**

Enjoying Southern New Mexico HOG Chapter *Safe and Fun Adventures* means we should hydrate before, during and after participation in OUR excursions.

Dehydration is a profoundly serious health situation that comes on quickly and unexpectedly. Why take a chance?

Drinking plenty of fluids will help to offset dehydration, thereby you'll better enjoy OUR motorcycle riding trips (there are many rides scheduled: check out the Chapter Calendar).

Pick a few rides you'd like to participate in, prepare yourself and let's be out there with OUR fellow Southern New Mexico HOG members.

I'll be enjoying some *Safe and Fun Adventures*. Will you?

Michael G. Pence

Director

Southern New Mexico HOG Chapter

CHAPTER MEETING MINUTES

June 2022 Chapter Meeting minutes are posted in the “Members Only” section of the Chapter website. (www.snmhog.com)

SNM HOG EVENTS

SNM HOG Officers’ Meeting (Thursday before each monthly Membership Meeting)

Thursday, June 30, 2022

SNM HOG Chapter Monthly Membership Meeting

Saturday, July 2, 2022

WEEKLY RIDES (consult Calendar for details) (www.snmhog.com)

Wednesdays and Saturdays

MONTHLY EVENTS

“Dinner Out Get Together” social: 2nd Tuesday (consult Calendar) (www.snmhog.com)

EAA Breakfast: 3rd Sunday

HOG RALLY (FYI)

A Gem of a Ride (June 16-21, 2022)

OTHER EXCURSIONS (FYI)

Laconia Motorcycle Week (June 11-18, 2022)

Deadwood 3-Wheeler Rally (July 10-15, 2022)

Sturgis Motorcycle Rally (August 6-14, 2022)

BARNETT'S INFO

This area is dedicated to our sponsor and will feature special events that are coming your way from Barnett Harley-Davidson, 8272 Gateway E., El Paso, Texas 79907 (915) 592-5804.

www.barnettharley.com



Sun City Motorcycle Swap Meet

Saturday, June 11th



Bikes - Parts - Accessories
Classic Car, Truck, & Hot Rod Parts
Picker Junk - Collectibles

7AM - 2PM



8272 Gateway Blvd. East
To Reserve a Spot Email: Bgarney@barnettharley.com

ON A PERSONAL NOTE

We've all got good and bad experiences on road trips. Here's Susan and Michael's most recent excursion.

Normally, when we visit Reno, Nevada, our choice of motel is “X” brand. While staying at “X” brand motel we have wondered what “Y” brand motel across the street offers.

So, on this trip, we elected to stay at “Y” brand. And, of course, we have our “adventure” to speak about!

I was at the gas station filling up the vehicle (no big deal, right). Well, on the return to “Y” brand motel, I noticed two missed calls from Susan. Upon calling Susan, she answered phone in an excited way: “hurry back”!

Okay, I was in the “Y” brand motel parking lot by then. Why the “excitement”?
OUR ROOM IS **FLOODED**!!

Yep, sure was! A main water line for the building had started leaking causing the hallway and, more importantly, our room to flood.

Susan was doing her best to save clothing, luggage, and bedding during this down pour. Within a couple minutes the entire room was covered in two inches of water. We hastily made our evacuation from the room with only minor wetness.

Upon deciding to check out of “Y” brand motel, we embarked on settling in at “X” brand motel. Of course, all of this goings on was right at the same time we were preparing for grandson's college (UNR) graduation ceremony.

Moral of the story: we'll stay at “X” brand motel next time we visit Reno.

P.S. Granddaughter is enrolling at UNR this fall. Looking forward to another adventure. Oh, by the way, ask Susan about the Red Boot dilemma.