



RETREADS

Motorcycle Club

December, 2025

TUCSON
ARIZONA

Monthly meetings: 2nd Sunday of each month

When: Breakfast @ 8:00 AM, Meeting @ 8:30 AM

Location: Golden Corral Buffet & Grill 6865 N. Thornydale Road Tucson, AZ

November meeting notes:

We had a crowd. Nice to see our group together again. Hope everyone had a good summer/fall break but now back to sunny Tucson. Although we did have some rainy weather roll in we had Les and Julie (former members) visit us.

T-shirts were one of our topics. We are trying to find a local vendor, however so far the price is \$25/shirt (white only) which is more than we would like to pay. We will keep searching. If anyone has the "graphic" touch and wants to design a T-shirt design - please send me your designs. Part of our dilemma is our logo has 5 colors and that makes the screen printing cost rise. We do not have to use our logo (crest) on a T-shirt. Just food for thought.

Our holiday party at Tucson Estates is December 6, 2025 with dinner, dancing, white elephant gift exchange, and photographer. \$5 per person in advance.

We brought up rides - as some are not well attended - if at all. Since there is a lack of attendance we are only going to have the "standing" events for December. We need to have a ride scheduling meeting for rides for January - May 2026. Please bring your ride ideas to the meeting December 14, 2025 (Yes we are having a December meeting). This will allow us to have a January ride schedule for the newsletter. Remember to check out the newsletter for all the December events.

Lee Aitken reminded us that the first annual Combat Vet's poker run is on November 22, 2025. It was rescheduled from October. We missed singing to all of our November birthday members - we will catch them during December's meeting. Happy Holidays to all and enjoy the winter festivities with family and friends.

Remember - Party at Tucson Estates - contact Cecilia if you have not already signed up and paid for the dinner

January 1, 2026 - Lunch at the Longhorn - we need commitment from all who want to attend - if we do not have enough participants the restaurant will not be available. There will be a sign-up sheet at the holiday party and December meeting.

Cecilia Murch





SAFETY CONCERNS

Roger Deevers
Safety Officer



STUFF IN THE ROAD

Imagine you are traveling on the Interstate when you suddenly come upon an item in your lane that you are unable to avoid. This unfortunate scenario happened to my brother while driving his Dodge Caravan. Unable to change lanes and other vehicles close behind, he hit the item that he thought might be a bucket. Not being far from his home he continued until arriving and then looked to see what the item was and how much damage he incurred. To his amazement he discovered that the "thing" was a satellite dish. How and why the thing came to be on the road is unknown. One can only suppose that whoever was hauling it, with perhaps other things, in a trailer or on top of other stuff in the back of a pickup. The major damage was to the front plastic bumper cover. The front suspension and tires survived untouched.

Now imagine someone encountering a satellite dish, mounting hardware and all, while riding a motorcycle! You might be able to swerve around it because of the narrow stance of the bike. But, if riding with a group others behind may not. A frightening thought indeed. The point is there are many hazards, due to the neglect of others, that can pose dangerous or even lethal situations. We have all seen the debris from tires strewn in the lane or along side. Most of those pieces of rubber have shards of metal in them that can puncture your tires and put you at the road side.

Always look down the road for what hazards, in the form of stuff, may be waiting to disable you.

Ride safe, Roger

Save these dates

Tucson Retread's Christmas Party

December 6th, 2025

Tucson Estates Club House

A professional photographer will be taking pictures for a future yearbook update

New Year's Day Luncheon

Friday January 1st, 2026

Longhorn Restaurant

Amado, AZ

**My kids and grandkids
keep laughing about
me losing my memory.**

**They won't be laughing at
Christmas when there's no
eggs under the tree!**

December Schedule

Ride Contact: Cecilia Murch 520-603-4350
 Please RSVP for all rides to Cecilia Murch unless alternative contact is listed.
 tucsonarizonarep@aol.com

Day/Date	Wednesdays December 3, 10 & 17 th	Sunday December 14 th , 2025
Meet Location	Gear Shifters	Golden Corral
KSU	9:00 AM	8:00 AM
Ride Contact	Bear Moncrief	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-404-8692	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	bear1biker@gmail.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Gear Shifters	Golden Corral
Address	1045 N Catalina Ave.	6865 N. Thornydale Road
City	Tucson, AZ 85711	Tucson, AZ
Notes	lunch to follow	Monthly Meeting
Day/Date	Sunday December 21 st , 2025	Thursday January 1 st , 2026
Meet Location	Circle S Saloon	Longhorn Grill & Saloon
KSU	11:00 AM	12:00 Noon
Ride Contact	Dennis Johnson	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-971-5015	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	ddjtucson@hotmail.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Circle S Saloon	Longhorn Grill & Saloon
Address	16021 W. El Tiro Road	28851 S Nogales Hwy
City	Marana, AZ	Amado, AZ 85645
Notes	Taco Sunday	New Year's Day luncheon

"Frosty Balls Chilly Boobs Run"

January 1, 2026

Hosted by Verde Valley Dist. MMA

Registration 9:30am @ Robber's Roost, Cornville

Kickstands Up at 11:00am

Music, Raffles, T-Shirts, 50/50, Cash Raffle

\$20.00 rider / \$20.00 passenger

This event is open to everyone.

Info contact: Arye Algazy (R-E-A) 714-488-1960



Annual Christmas Party

Where: Cochise Motorsports
 1100 Avenida Cochise
 Sierra Vista, Az 85635

When: Saturday December 13, 2025
 Time: Noon to 3:pm

FOOD
 FUN and
 GIVEAWAYS

Enter for a chance to win
 \$500 Gift Card
 OR
 a Date with Pablo

November Ride Reports

Sunday, November 2nd La Casita Mammoth, AZ

This ride ended in Mammoth! Great ride. 4 Retreads in 2 vehicles and 1 bike. Dan and Aina , Brian and Cecilia. *Submitted by Dan and Aina Dickerson*

Sunday, November 2nd Gear Shifters Bike Show Tucson, AZ

Five members attended the Gear Shifters bike show. Lee and Judy, Roy and Lisa, and Jim Rohlman. *Submitted by Jim Rohlman*

Saturday November 8th Gathering Grounds Patagonia, AZ

Since we were the only two to attend Saturday's scheduled ride we elected to go to Patagonia. Great breakfast and weather was perfect. We parted after breakfast. Cecilia took the long way home- through Nogales. The Fall foliage was on display and gorgeous! Dave was going back the Same way home. Any day riding is a great day! *Submitted by Cecilia Murch*

Friday November 14th Jimmy's Hot Dog Company Bisbee, AZ

We staged up at the Chevron at I-10 & Wilmot for a lunch ride to Jimmy's Hot Dog Company in Bisbee. We had 6 members on 5 bikes: Rick Paulik, Charlie Broder, Brian Estees, David Ameigh and Me and Donna, with Cecilia backing up the ride in her pick-up. It was a nice sunny day starting out in the low 70's. We took a non-highway scenic route through Sonoita, Whetstone, Huachuca City, Sierra Vista and Miracle Valley to Bisbee, arriving at Jimmy's a little after noon. Jimmy's is a tiny place but we were able to sit together at the one table for eight. They had every kind of hot dog toppings so everyone got their favorite. We split up for our long rides home in the hot sunny afternoon. *Submitted by Joe and Donna Curreri*

Sunday November 16th Taco Sunday Circle S Saloon Marana, AZ

17 Hungry Retreads met at the Circle S Saloon and Cafe for their monthly taco fix. We welcomed back our snowbird members. *Submitted by Dennis and Arlyce Johnson*

Tuesday November 18th Farmhouse Restaurant Benson, AZ

11 Retreads traveling in a variety of two, three, and four wheeled vehicles arrived at The Farmhouse Restaurant in Benson for an enjoyable lunch. In attendance were Lee Davis, Brian Estes, Dwight Irwin, Dave Piper, Dennis Johnson, John McVey, Pam and Evan Downs, John and Nancy Hlady and their guest David Glass. *Submitted by John Hlady*

Sunday November 23rd Pinnacle Peak Tucson, AZ

25 Retreads had dinner at Pinnacle Peak. Our waitress did a wonderful job with our large group. Great conversation and food. 5 Retreads enjoyed the gunfight show. Thanks to Richard and Dixie for donating the tickets to the show. *Submitted by Cecilia Murch*



November Ride Pictures



◀ La Casita

Gear Shifters Bike Show ▶



◀ Gathering Grounds

Jimmy's Hot Dog ▶



◀ Taco Sunday ▶



Farmhouse Restaurant ▶



◀ Pinnacle Peak Shoot Out



Retread's Marketplace

FOR SALE



2010 Honda Goldwing Roadsmith Trike

Lots of chrome, painted flames that change color in different light, extras. Only 86,00 miles

\$15,000.00 Contact Judd Starr 520-664-5952

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Contact Roy Woolard 708-776-3487
V8biker1@outlook.com



2009 Harley Davidson Street Glide.

36,88 miles. Runs good but has a low hum in 5th gear.

Asking \$4,100 OBO.

Contact Evan 971- 241 -3626



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December Birthdays

Bob Stark	Ronald Bohnhoff
Lek Bates	Connie Bean
Joe Donahue	Merry Christmas
Mel Feasel	Kathleen Bohnhoff
Richard Flax	Amanda Estees
Dale Russell	Eddie Feasel

APPLICATION FOR
MEMBERSHIP
2026



Retreads® Motorcycle
Club International, Inc.
AMA Charter 3233
Completed application
returned to:

Cecilia Murch

PO Box 64597

Tucson, Arizona 85728

Renewing members—You are certifying there are No changes from 2025 Membership (address, email, phone, etc).

Rider Print _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Co-Rider Print _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Important: All members must read and sign

I understand that the Retreads ® cannot assume responsibility for any aspect of my safety. I understand that my participation in any Retreads activity is strictly voluntary and further, I release and hold harmless the Retreads ® Motorcycle club, International, Inc., from any loss to my person or property.

Optional: Do you give permission to publish your name/phone number in a Retreads Directory ? Yes ___ No ___
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New Members (or changes to your membership): Please complete the below items.

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Your Birth date _____ AMA Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Co-Rider Birth date _____ AMA Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Other Motorcycling Affiliations _____

1st Motorcycle Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

2nd Motorcycle Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

Membership: \$20.00 Single ___ \$25.00 Couple ___ Checks payable to "Retreads"

If you wish to have a printed copy of the newsletter, please consider adding \$5.00 to your membership to cover postage.

How did you find Tucson Retreads Motorcycle Club? Referral/Name _____ Internet ___ Other _____

Check # / Cash _____ Amount: _____ Membership # Rider: _____ Co-Rider: _____

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