



RETREADS

Motorcycle Club

July, 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

June meeting notes:

We had a small group but not unexpected as the summer has begun. The triple digits seem to be here to stay. We had the normal group along with Dwight Irwin and Ron and Kay Brewster in attendance. So nice to have everyone together again.

Ramona reported a relatively slow month for Birthdays and all. Glad to know our membership is healthy!

Roger read an article about making sure, even if you have the green light (or right of way) to make sure to check all directions. We all have experienced red light runners, distracted drivers and blind spot vehicles, especially motorcycles.

Consensus of the group is Saturdays morning rides and meeting at restaurants for June, July, August for our weekend rides. Remember to send ride reports in to John for the newsletter. We will see how September shapes up as far as scheduling and weather forecasts.

Our July 4th holiday will be at the same place as last year. Pizza and sub sandwiches. Friends and family are welcome to attend. We sang happy Birthday and wished everyone a wonderful month.

Cecilia Murch





SAFETY CONCERNS

Roger Deevers
Safety Officer

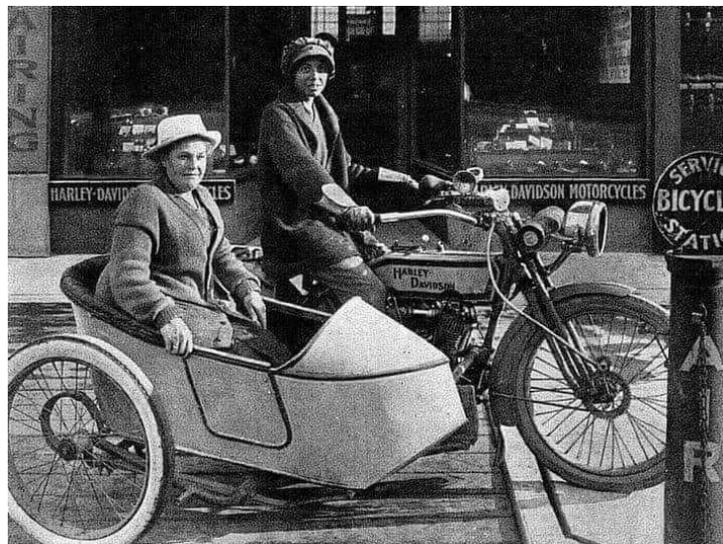


CAUTION AND FEAR

Is fear and fright the same thing? Fright is more likely to be sudden and not as long lasting as fear. Everyone perhaps could be able to identify one or more things that produces an element of fear. Caution therefore is a recommendation to overcome fear and avoid fright. Those good habits, like the head check when merging, changing lanes and going through an intersection are basic utilizations of caution. But don't let routine create over confidence. Working on fear with practice in a empty parking lot will help to replace that fear with skill, to grow confidence and skill at the same time. Identifying mistakes and adjusting riding technique also builds confidence. Assess whether you are better at making left turns or right turns. For some it can be an issue. Practicing in that empty parking lot can help.

It's easy to get rusty with your skills. Now that we are experiencing "hot" weather, the bike might be sitting for a while. Being off of the bike for a few weeks one may notice a slight decline and need for a readjustment back to confidence. So take it easy getting back in the saddle by exercising caution to re sharpen those skills and avoiding fear.

Ride safe, Roger



In 1915, Effie Hotchkiss bought a new Harley-Davidson and attached a sidecar to carry her mother, Avis, as a passenger. The pair then set out from Brooklyn to see the Panama Pacific International Exhibition in San Francisco. Avis had instilled confidence in her daughter, and when asked if she had fears about the arduous cross-country journey, Avis replied, "I do not fear breakdowns, for Effie, being a most careful driver, is a good mechanic and does her own repairing with her own tools." The pair were the first women to cross America by motorbike, at a time when the roads, where they existed, were simply horrendous. After visiting the Pacific Coast, the pair rode back to Brooklyn, for an epic 9,000-mile journey.

June Ride Reports

Saturday May 31st Arizona Family Restaurant Green Valley, AZ

On wonderful 31st of May, 7 bikes and a blue caboose did battle with over a hundred bicycles on Mission Road to get to The Arizona Family restaurant—great food and service!!!! The victors were Rich Herin, Brian Estees, Ellen Davidson, Dennis & Arlyce Johnson, Dave Ameigh, Dixie Hayes, Cecilia Murch, and Richard Flax.

Submitted by Richard Flax



Thursday, June 5 Sunny Side Up Café Tucson, AZ

A happy group of cycle riders on June 5 went on a short breakfast ride to Sunnyside Cafe in Catalina. Our team included Arlyce and Dennis Johnson, Jack Scott, Adele Arakawa, Dixie Hayes, and Richard Flax. *Submitted by Richard Flax*



Thursday, June 12 Happy Rooster Restaruant Tucson, AZ

The following Retreads met at Happy Rooster for an early .morning breakfast.

John and Leslie Hatzl, Lee Davis, Dave Ameigh, Bill Duffner, Bear Moncrief, Marty Jobson, Arlyce and Dennis Johnson. *Submitted by Dennis Johnson*

Sunday June 16th Circle S Saloon Marana, AZ

Taco Sunday. In attendance were Dennis Johnson, Elena Lane, Cecelia Murch, Rich Prince, Ellen Davidson and Arlyce Johnson. *Submitted by Dennis Johnson*



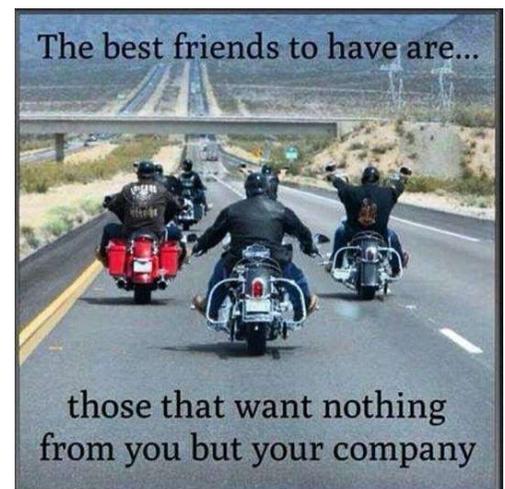
Saturday June 28 Rancho Rustico Restaurant Tucson, AZ

We had a crowd for Saturday breakfast. Lee D. , Dennis and Arlyce, Lee and Judy, Marty and Shirley, Tom and Mary, Brian, Amanda, Jaxton, and Cici, Roy and Lisa, Dave A, and Cecilia. It was wonderful to have so many at breakfast. The food was good, service excellent and we had plenty of time to talk and visit.

Submitted by Cecilia Murch



"The only way to keep the employees in their seats during this long and boring corporate meeting is to have them sit on motorcycles."



July Ride Schedule

Day/Date	Tuesday, July 1, 2025	Friday, July 4, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ dance center
KSU	7:00 AM	11:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Hungry Fox	Southern Arizona Dance Center
Address	4637 E. Broadway Blvd	4801 E. 29th Street
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ
Notes		
Day/Date	Tuesday, July 8, 2025	Thursday, July 10, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ restaurant
KSU	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Jerry Bob's	Jethro's
Address	16639 N Oracle Road	8735 E. Broadway Blvd
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ
Notes		
Day/Date	Tuesday, July 15, 2025	Thursday, July 17, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ restaurant
KSU	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Black Bear Diner	Prep and Pastry
Address	6095 E. Broadway Blvd	2660 N. Campbell Ave
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ
Notes		
Day/Date	Saturday, July 19, 2025	Tuesday, July 22, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ restaurant
KSU	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Frida's Cafe	The Oink Cafe
Address	5526 E. Grant Road	7131 E. Broadway Blvd
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ

July Ride Schedule

Day/Date	Saturday, July 19, 2025	Saturday, July 26, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ restaurant
KSU	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Cappy's Breakfast Cafe	Bread and Butter Cafe
Address	917 W. Prince Road	4231 E. 22nd Street
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ
Notes		
Day/Date	Tuesday, July 29, 2025	Thursday, July 31, 2025
Meet Location	Meet @ restaurant	Meet @ restaurant
KSU	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Ride Contact	Cecilia Murch	Cecilia Murch
Contact phone	520-603-3579	520-603-3579
Contact e-mail	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com	TucsonArizonaRep@aol.com
Destination	Biscuits Country Cafe	Grumpy's Grill
Address	7026 E. Broadway Blvd	2960 W. Ina Road
City	Tucson, AZ	Tucson, AZ
Notes		

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WORLD CAN DO WHAT
BURNING A TANK OF GAS
CHASING THE SETTING
SUN CAN DO FOR YOU**



The keys to success... Waking up in the morning, going to bed at night, and riding a motorcycle in between.



Date Sunday, July 20^h Taco Sunday
KSU 11:00 AM
Meet location Meet @ restaurant
Ride Contact Dennis Johnson
Contact phone 520-971-5015
Contact e-mail ddjtucson@hotmail.com
Destination Circle S Saloon
Address 16021 W. El Tiro Road
City, Zip Code Marana, AZ 85653
Notes Taco special (other food too)



Date Every Wednesday Gentleman's Garage
KSU 9:00 AM, Lunch to follow
Meet location Gear Shifters 1045 N Catalina Ave
 Tucson, AZ 85711
Ride Contact Bear Moncrief
Contact phone 520-404-8692
Contact e-mail bear1biker@gmail.com
Destination The Breakfast Stop
Address 6135 E 22nd St.
City, Zip Code Tucson, AZ
Notes Gentleman's Garage



Wanted To Buy



CB radio components for a 2008 Goldwing (or similar model year).

Used but operational please.

If you're not using yours, I'd appreciate the opportunity to make an offer on it!

Adele Arakawa 303-981-5099

Save the date

**Tucson Retread's
 Christmas Party**

**December 6th, 2025
 Tucson Estates Club House**

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

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July Birthdays

Beth Bohling	Ron Harsh
Kay Brewster	Ken Johnson
Happy 4th of July	Bear Moncrief
Barb Corio	Dave Piper
Donna Curreri	Doris Paulik
Evan Downs	Edna Piper
Verna Feltz	Earl Rose
Jaci Gerard	Roy Woolard



2025 International Retread Rally

August 26, 27 & 28, 2025



(Early Check-in Monday August 25th)

Town & Country Inn
Route 2 Gorham, NH
800-325-4386

“Sponsored by the New England Retreads”
(Mention “RETREADS”)

Host Hotel Rate: \$119.00 plus tax and a \$4.00 service fee for **Single or Double occupancy**

*Rate does not include breakfast.

Rally package includes: Hospitality Room, Early check-in Mon. (2:00 pm – 4:00 pm), Tues. Wed. (8:00 am – 4:00 pm), Thurs. (8:00 am – noon), Ice Cream Social Tuesday evening in the hospitality room 7:00 pm, Entertainment Wednesday evening (Time TBD) in hospitality room, Rally Pin (First 100 to register), Guided and self-guided rides, Thurs. Night Banquet and Awards. (You must hold a valid Retread membership Card to be eligible for awards. No awards for trailered bikes)

OPTIONAL New England Lobster Bake (Or Steak) (Clam Chowder, 1 ½ Lb. Lobster, Red Roasted Potatoes, Corn on the Cob, Roasted Garlic French Bread, Cole Slaw, Strawberry Shortcake, Coffee and Tea.....\$50.00 pp Includes tax and tip (If you want this you sign-up and pay the hotel at check-in. It is not part of the rally package)

Camp Grounds:

- **Google: “Shelburnehcampground” or see page 2**

NO REFUNDS AFTER August 1st , 2025

Please make checks payable to “New England Retreads” mail to:
Ron & Robin Cardin 97 Spruce Road Norwood, MA 02062

Your canceled check is your Registration confirmation or enclose a SASE or Email address for written confirmation

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Rider: _____ **Card #** _____ **State:** _____ **AMA#** _____

Co Rider: _____ **Card #** _____ **State:** _____ **AMA#** _____

Address: _____ **City, State, Zip:** _____

Telephone #: _____ **Email:** _____

Next of Kin: (Name, address & Phone #) _____

*******Register Early! After August 1st the cost is \$90.00 per person with Banquet*******

Rally with banquet \$80.00/person, times _____ people \$90.00 after August 1st.....Total = \$ _____

Rally without Banquet \$70.00/ person, times _____ people \$80.00 after August 1st..... Total = \$ _____

Men’s Short Sleeve T-Shirt - \$25.00 ea.: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____Total = \$ _____

Women’s “V” Neck T-Shirt - \$25.00 ea.: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____Total = \$ _____

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