



RETREADS®

Motorcycle Club

August, 2026

**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

July meeting notes:

We had a good group at our meeting today. Dwight and Carolyn Irwin were in attendance. It is always a special meeting when they attend. We miss seeing them!

It is summer and hot (and humid - for us - as the monsoon's appear to be here - so that sticky hot feeling is with us). As always drink lots of water, even if you do not feel thirsty. During our summers you can not drink enough water. Roger also reminded us that with the flooded streets that occurs with the downpours, watch for new pot holes and pavement deterioration. Keep up the good habit of head check (look both ways, especially at intersections) and be alert for other drivers. They may not see you however you can see them. Judy announced our Tucson club is hosting the 4 corners rally Monday-Wednesday, June 7-9, 2027 in Cottonwood, Arizona. She is working on securing a hotel for our group. As soon as she has everything locked up - we will send out the flyers. But mark your calendars for June 7-9, 2027. We look forward to seeing everyone at the 4 corners rally.

Looking ahead to the cooler months - October (3rd Sunday) is road clean up. Also Christmas motorcycle toy run is December 5, 2026. Sponsored by CVMA AZ Chapter 32-2 1st annual. Registration is from 10-11AM at Shooters Steakhouse and Saloon, 3115 E. Prince Road. \$20 for rider, \$10 for passenger. (CVMA322.org) The toy run is the same day as our Holiday party - you can do both as the Toy run is in the AM and our party is in the evening (doors open at 4PM). We will accept unwrapped toy donations at our November meeting, for those of you who are unable to ride but want to participate. The toy run benefits Davis-Monthan (DM AFB) Air Force base Family Readiness center and Esperanza En Escalante transitional housing for Veterans.

Looking further ahead the Retread's International Rally next year will be held at the Massanutten Resort in Massanutten Virginia September 13th – 16th, 2027.

One last item - if you visit a business - please see if they are interested in donating an item for our 4 corners rally (raffle prizes). We do have donation forms that we can provide the business for income tax purposes. If you have items that you want to donate to the raffle prizes that would be most appreciated.

Cecilia Murch





SAFETY CONCERNS

Roger Deevers
Safety Officer



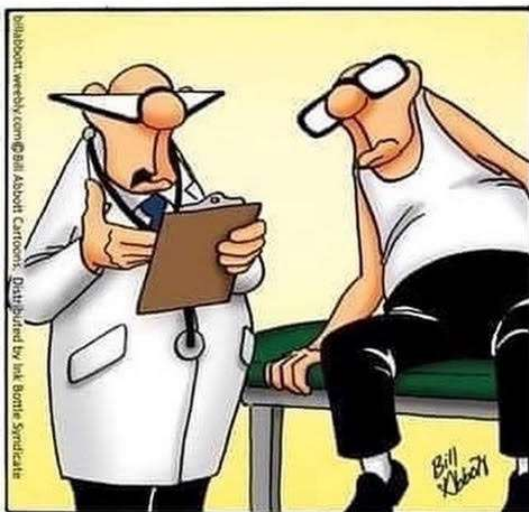
MISTAKES

Mistakes experienced riders make:

Sometimes things considered to be mistakes can be wrong choices. How safe an individual wants to be is up to that individual.

Greater risks are taken through less or inappropriate riding gear. The less that is worn, the greater becomes the risk of sustaining an injury. We often see riders wearing only a T shirt, jeans and maybe a helmet that would be barely classified as such. When flesh meets pavement, pavement always comes out as the winner. Space awareness and vision is crucial to avoiding mistakes. Intersection and cornering are two locations where mishaps often occur. Drivers of vehicles aren't looking for motorcycles. As evidence they are crashing into each other. Doing a head check proceeding through intersections, changing lanes and merging reduces the possibility of making a mistake. Over estimating one's riding abilities. If you think you're good, you aren't. Complacency and over confidence allows for a lax attitude. A safe rider is always self critical and mentally admonishing himself when making a mistake. Choosing to take the bike when pressed for time is a huge mistake. Being in a hurry to an appointment can make one take chances that you otherwise wouldn't. Select alternative transportation to avoid stress and making a mistake. Predicting danger ahead, from behind, and in the immediate surroundings. The abundance of distractions like road signs and advertisements takes attention away from focus on what is most important to you which is You! Avoiding mistakes provides for a much safer and more relaxing ride.

Ride safe, Roger



“High sodium, high cholesterol, lots of toxins - your blood test is remarkably similar to a potato chip.”

Reminder

Arylce Johnson is collecting empty prescription bottles for the Pima Animal Care Center (PACC).

Please remove labels and sensitive information.



August Ride 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	Saturday, August 1, 2026	Tuesday, August 4, 2026
Meet Location	Meet at Restaurant	Meet at Restaurant
KSU	11:00 AM	11:00 AM
Destination	Korea Houser	Eclectic Café
Address	4030 E. Speedway Blvd	7053 E. Tanque Verde Road
City	Tucson, Arizona 85712	Tucson, Arizona 85715
Notes		
Day/Date	Thursday, August 6, 2026	Tuesday, August 11, 2026
Meet Location	Meet at Restaurant	Meet at Restaurant
KSU	11:00 AM	11:00 AM
Destination	Teaspoon	Biergarten
Address	5605 E. River Road	2320 N. Silverbell Road
City	Tucson, Arizona 85750	Tucson, Arizona 85745ver
Notes		
Day/Date	Thursday, August 13, 2026	Sunday, August 16, 2026
Meet Location	Meet at Restaurant	Meet at Restaurant
KSU	11:00 AM	11:00 AM
Destination	Char's Thai	Circle S Saloon
Address	5039 E 5th Street	16021 West El Tiro Road
City	Tucson, Arizona 85711	Marana, Arizona 85653
		Taco Sunday
Day/Date	Tuesday, August 18, 2026	Thursday, August 20, 2026
Meet Location	Meet at Restaurant	Meet at Restaurant
KSU	11:00 AM	11:00 AM
Destination	Cuban Corner	Mi Tierra
Address	919 N. Stone Ave	16238 N. Oracle Road
City	Tucson, Arizona 85705	Catalina, Arizona 85739
Notes		
Day/Date	Tuesday, August 25, 2026	Thursday, August 27, 2026
Meet Location	Meet at Restaurant	Meet at Colossal Cave - then Lunch
KSU	4:30 PM	09:00:00 AM
Destination	Daisy Mae's	Colossal Cave – Hot Rods Cafe
Address	2735 W. Anklam Road	16721 E Old Spanish Trail
City	Tucson, Arizona 85745	Vail, Arizona 85641
Notes		Tour begins at 10 AM - \$24 ~ 1 hour

July Ride Reports

Saturday June 6th Laverna's Coffee Shop Tucson, AZ

Lee Davis, Anne Lee and Cecilia enjoyed a good breakfast and conversation. Probably the two features are their omelets are 4 egg omelets. And if you opt for biscuits and gravy instead of toast be prepared to have a dinner plate with 2 biscuits and gravy served. Good service and nice time visiting. Anne gave us a recap of her recent travels. *Submitted by Cecilia Murch*



Saturday July 25th Carlotta's Catalina, AZ

5 Retread's had lunch at Carlotta's in Catalina Arizona. Set way back off Oracle road. The 2 signs one at the street and other on the building help navigate to the restaurant. Being in the back there was ample parking and several shady spots. (with the extreme heat wave that was nice). Lots of colors and decorations on the walls. Food was a tad bit bland for Cecilia's taste however it was hot and the service was good. We sat and talked for a while then decided to go our separate ways. Nice to see everyone. Richard and Dixie, Lee Davis, Dave Ameigh, and Cecilia. *Submitted by Cecilia Murch*



Retreads Merchandise

Denim Shirts

Denim shirt with a generous cut and soft garment washing with Retreads logo patch on Left chest

Size	XS-XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL	6XL
Men	\$35	\$37	\$39	\$41	\$43	\$45
Women	\$35	\$37	\$39	\$41	N/A	N/A

Add embroidered chapter name under logo \$7

Add embroidered name on right chest \$7



T-shirts

Performance blend T-shirt with Retreads transfer on L chest. Unisex sizes round neck, Ladies fit V-neck*

**If you prefer a looser fit, it is suggested that you order a size larger*

S-XL	2XL	3XL	4XL
\$20	\$22	\$24	\$26

Add Chapter name in vinyl under logo \$7

Add name in vinyl on right side \$7



Caps

100% cotton brushed twill, Structured Mid-profile, Self-fabric closure with brass buckle and grommet with Retreads Logo patch. Available in Royal, Red or Black.

One Size- \$20



Decals



Sticker with mirror finish background
3x3.4" \$3



Sticker with brushed aluminum background
3x1.25" \$3

Patches



Large Sublimated, stitch-on
8.5"x10" \$15



Woven Patch, iron-on
Small 2.5"x2.8" \$7
Med 3.5"x4" \$9



RETREADS 4 CORNERS RALLY IN COTTONWOOD, ARIZONA

JUNE 7 through JUNE 10

COTTONWOOD altitude provides a cool environment for motorcycle adventures. It's unsurpassed in its physical beauty; you can marvel at places like Sunset Crater, Volcano National Monument, & Oak Creek Canyon. Explore the ghost town of Jerome; red rocks & Slide Rock in Sedona on your motorcycle. Visit the animals in 'Out of Africa', ride "The Canyon Coaster", & "Grand Canyon Deer Farm". Take a train ride on the Verde Canyon railroad through Sedona's red rock country. Or, take a train ride to the Grand Canyon,

HOST HOTEL: LUX VERDE HOTEL, 301 W. 89-A, COTTONWOOD, AZ. 86326

Free hot breakfast each day. Book before May 15. Cancel 10 days before June 7. Italian restaurant on site.

Group room rate: Mention **RETREADS MOTORCYCLE CLUB**, \$99.93 total cost, includes tax.

DATES: Arrival & Registration: **MONDAY, JUNE 7**, 4pm to 6pm. Depart: **THURSDAY, JUNE 10.**

Beautiful scenic motorcycle rides on Tuesday and Wednesday. Meeting room with snacks and water. Tuesday, join together for a fun & relaxed pizza dinner, a great chance to catch up & spend time together. Wednesday evening enjoy the ice cream social with award ceremony and prizes. Depart Thursday, June 10.

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REGISTRATION: COST: \$40.00 per person

NAME (S) RIDER: _____ PASSENGER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ Passenger _____ RETREAD #: _____

EMAIL: _____ Passenger _____

Mail checks to: **Retreads 4 Corners, 5910 N. Calle Kino, Tucson, AZ. 85704**

Date Sunday, August 16th
Taco Sunday

Meet location Meet at restaurant

Ride Contact Cecilia Murch

Contact phone 520-603-3579

Contact e-mail TucsonArizonaRep@aol.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 Varies

Notes Gentleman's Garage



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six / twelve months terms

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	\$150/220

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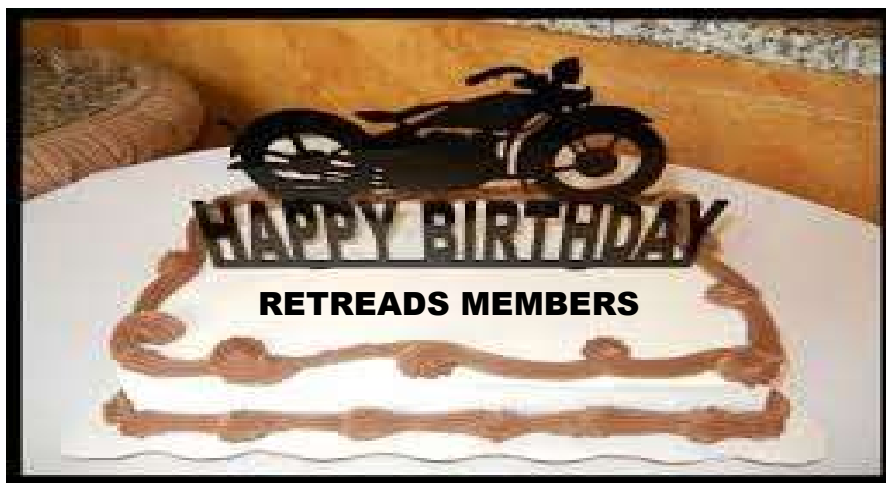
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