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# From your BTW Headquarters

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## To All Members

Hi folks, well we are on the down side of winter and the new riding season will be starting soon, for some of us sooner than others but honest it is coming. I would like to thank the members of the new Hardship Fund for all their work and to let all of the members it is up and running (see info in this magazine). The Board's efforts to correct the email error issue has been a great success and they have reduced the incorrect amount of emails from 14% to 2% of the available member's emails. The new membership cards are being received and the response has been great. Thank you. The Board has taken on their next big effort to acquire a complete record of what chapter each and every member belongs to, which is something that has never been recorded before and will go a long way to keep the members informed. There are a lot of new events scheduled for 2015 and we hope to get to as many as possible, including the 2nd National Trike-In in France in May. The Diamond membership conversion, although not being a popular choice, has been accepted as a needed change to allow BTW to continue and maintain proper respect for those that have done so much for BTW in the past. The Board has spent a considerable amount of time evaluating a proper layout of the financial reports and have come up with a format that will allow all the members to see exactly what the Association's position is and not just what is posted on an IRS form which is for their benefit and not what the members want to see. This will be posted as soon as the accountant has completed the 2014 books. None of the members of BTW have been removed from the records or access to anything available unless they have purposely requested us to do so. There are 4 members to be evaluated by the Board at the next BOD meeting for contact detrimental to the organization. If any of these members have their memberships revoked they will be the first members the Board will have applied this to, despite what some might have been told. I would like to thank all the members for their understanding and support that we receive in phone calls and emails and understand that this is the way the silent majority prefer to voice their support rather than expose themselves to the few that

prefer to rant. The new membership is growing and the trike industry as well. Our magazine is becoming more & more popular with the dealers around the country as a marketing tool and as you can see by the photos in this issue, the new trikes are becoming a large part of our Family. The Board is working hard to improve your Association and provide more and better services. If you have any ideas do not hesitate to contact your representative and pass them along, this is how it works and this is how you will get what you want. We need this information and we also need members to step up and take on Directorship responsibilities so the members are represented in all areas. Believe it or not it is not that bad a job and the rewards in the form of you brothers and sisters appreciation is worth it. To all those who have stepped up and are working on behalf of the members in their area I would like to thank them personally and on behalf of all the members of our great Family of Trikers. To the new trike group out there please GO in peace. To all our members Ride safe and enjoy Triking



## NOTICE:

**The Financial Statement for 2014 will be available real soon. check the forum.**

**The Front Cover : The photo is of our SanDiego BTW member Jim Mcgrath's new Slingshot**



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- \*Have availability of email service to correspond with BTW and the chapter members
- \*Coordinate a minimum of 3 rides per year, that are to be posted in an appropriate time frame and location for members and non members to be able to participate in these rides.
- \*Hold at least an annual meeting.
- \*Make available information about local events that chapter members might be interested in attending as BTW members.
- \*Verify that all chapter members are current with their membership.
- \*Arrange for the additional positions needed to operate chapter.

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- \*Confirming pertinent information of each and every member of all the chapter in the state to BTW.
- \*Have availability of email service to correspond with BTW and the Chapters in the state
- \*Coordinate a State event, that is to be posted in an appropriate time frame and location for members and non members to be able to participate in these rides and submitted to BTW for Event posting.
- \*Attend as many chapters activities as possible and evaluate member needs.
- \*Make available information about events taking place in the State that chapter members might be interested in attending as BTW members.
- \*Verify that all chapter are current with their membership and are properly represented.

TERM: \*3year term, max of 3 terms unless overridden by a majority vote of the members

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- \*Make available information about events taking place in the Region that members might be interested in attending as BTW members.
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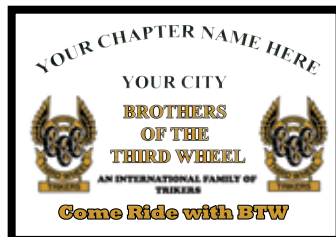
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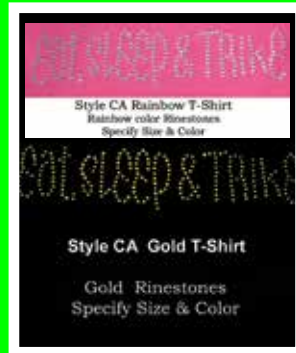
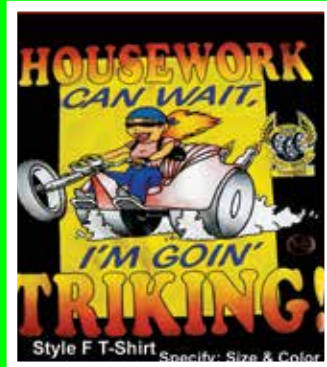
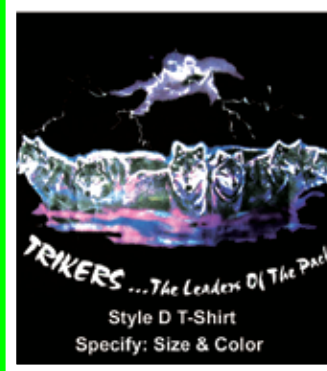


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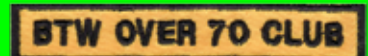
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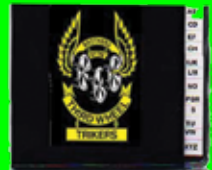
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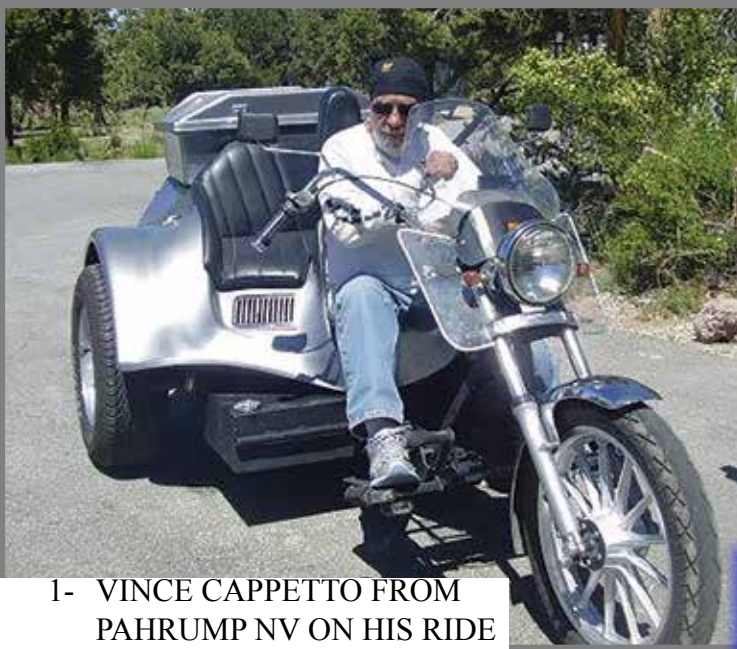
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# Chapter

# News

## UNITED STATES

### ARIZONA - State

**Director:** Gary "Shorty" Hicks, Mesa, 480-994-4051, theleperchaun62@yahoo.com

**News:** A Happy New years to all ours Brothers & Sisters in the world. Well the cold is here even had snow in some of the lower altitudes, snow in most of the northern part of the state. Congratulation to Arizona for being Number 1 in membership. I'd like to welcome back Eric Morelock as Director for the Southern Az. Smoking Eagles and Rick Hackney for starting up the other Chapter down south keeping it alive. Good job! Next events coming up Feb 13 - 15 the Superstition Area chapter SWEETHEART RUN. Mar 16 - 22, BTW Region 9 Trike-in Laughlin NV. See u there!

### ARIZONA - Desert Renegades

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**Meetings:** Contact Anne Adams, [trikeranne@aol.com](mailto:trikeranne@aol.com) or 520-743-1500 for details.

**News:** The Desert Renegades had a happy and charitable holiday season. We rode in the annual Toy Parade from Tucson to the Hot Rod Cafe in Vail. We rode in the downtown parade of lights. Our charitable activities included purchasing toys for the kids at Casas Los Ninos, a children's crisis center. We took them over and distributed the toys to the children housed there and we brought cookies and snacks for them too. They loved checking out the trikes. We also presented a check for \$2000 to Rob LaMaster, representative of Make A Wish Foundation. Our chapter brothers and sisters to the South attended the breakfast to assist in presenting the check that all the Southern Arizona chapters raised at the Turkeyfest event. Here's wishing all our Triker Brothers and Sisters all over the world a healthy and happy new year.



## BTW Superstition Area Chapter

### Sweetheart Trike-in



Usery Mountain Regional Park

February 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>

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**Last date to register is December 30, 2014**

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**Director:** Bill (Rackem) Magby, Prescott, 928-442-6310, cvbrm@gmail.com.

**Meetings:** Meetings second Sunday of each month, Location varies, contact director for info.

**News:** Well it is the New Year in the High Country. We have already had our first snow and plenty of rain. That makes the possibility of riding a little difficult. We had a great year of riding up here in the High Country The CRS Turkey fest in Tombstone was a success with nine of our members attending. Our group rode in the Veterans Day parade in downtown Prescott and then rode over to present a check to Child Haven. They always are pleased to see us and really appreciate what we do for them. Our annual Christmas party was well attended and we welcomed five new members this year. The next run coming up is the Sweetheart Run in February and then the Laughlin River Run in March. Hope to see a lot of familiar faces and new faces at both runs. We had our first meeting of the new year. It was raining so we did not plan a ride. What we did do is start

planning for our riding season, with lots of our familiar rides plus lots of good ideas for new places to ride. See you all this year at all the great runs planned for 2015. Ride often and ride safe! Rackem

## ARIZONA - SA Smokin Eagles

**Director:** Eric Morelock, Benson, 520-234-2362, morelocke9@gmail.com

**Meeting:** TBA

**News:** Hi from sunny Arizona. Southern AZ Smokin Eagles and the Tucson Desert Renegades just finished having a very successful and fun filled "Turkey Fest" this past Nov. 7, 8 and 9th. And I must say the food was great, "Thank you Ladies!" The turkey's were deep fried by John Letourneau and Jack Mertes. Well done guy's, but not burnt (lol). Saturday started out with a pancake breakfast put on by Cub Scout Pack 420 which was all donation earned by these fine young gentleman. Alex Ross gave most if not all a ride on Venom as well as some of the other Brothers also gave them Trike Rides which they thought was So Cool, I am sure that was a first for most of them. A good way to recruit future member's and most of them will probably be future member's of BTW. After breakfast was a ride to ST. David Monastery for their annual Fall Festival and then return to have a Trike Show. I was the Lucky Recipient of 1st place for "RAT TRIKE," I was so Overjoyed .. LOL Not to mention all of the other Classes. We had a very successful auction this year in which all proceeds went to Make A Wish of Arizona. We surpassed last years donation. Rick Hackney was running around like a chicken with his head cut-off. Brother's Dean and Steve were so essential for anything that needed to be done as were many other members. Thanks Rick, James and everyone else that tried to keep my Trike on the Road! LOL and thanks to everyone else that came and helped make this a Very Successful Turkey Fest. Time to start planning our 15th Annual Turkey Fest. Have a Happy Thanksgiving and a Very Merry Christmas. Ride Safe and Be Free On Three, we love Two Wheelers too

## ARIZONA - Superstition Area

**Director:** Tom Magin, Apache Junction, 602-999-5479, tnpmagin@live.com

**Meetings:** 3rd Sunday of every month. Locations change monthly. Call for info or check our face book page.

**News:** Hope everyone had a great Christmas and Happy New Year. Well we had SNOW here on new years and

the temps haven't gotten into the 60's for the last three days. We're getting ready for the SWEETHEART RUN in Feb and the Laughlin run in MARCH. Spring is just around the corner. RIDE SAFE AND RIDE FREE

## ARIZONA - West End

**Director-** Tom Royalty, [602-989-0714](tel:602-989-0714), [groyalty@cox.net](mailto:groyalty@cox.net)

**Meetings:** TBA

**News:** Well, the Holiday season has come and gone and we are all facing a New Year, full of hope and promise. Some of the chapter members went to the CRS Turkeyfest, put on by the two southern AZ chapters. We had great weather and it was good to see so many friends and make new ones. We took a ride to St David Monastery for their arts and crafts show held every year at this time. The grounds were wonderful to wander thru along with the peaceful meditative garden and the beautiful Chapel that was open to view. Our chapter donated turkeys to the local food bank for Thanksgiving and had our last official meeting of the year. It is difficult time to plan meetings with all the holiday events going on in each of our lives. West End got together with the Superstition Chapter for our annual Christmas party White Elephant Exchange. This year it was their turn to host at Ben and Shirley's house. It was very organized and we all had full stomachs after the meal with so much delicious food to eat! The gift exchange was fun as usual with all sorts of different presents being opened. It is always an enjoyable event with the chapters get together!

Looking forward to seeing all of you at the upcoming runs hosted in 2015.

## ARKANSAS - Freedom Riders

**Director:** Cathy (Cat) Schoubroeck, 870-715-9507 [cbroecks@hotmail.com](mailto:cbroecks@hotmail.com)

**Meetings:** The first Monday of each month. Call Cat for details at 870-715-9507.

**News:** 2014 was a busy year for the Harrison Arkansas Freedom Riders. We welcomed several new members to our chapter and re-connected with some old friends. Our chapter participated in several runs benefitting local residents with serious illnesses and worthy charities. We initiated the 1<sup>st</sup> annual Arkansas Children's Hospital Fun Run along with the Harrison Circle of Friends and it was a great success. The Central

States Trike Rally in Eureka Springs was awesome and well received by everyone who attended. Several members of our chapter attended the Hot Springs Rally and we raised money for the Wounded Warrior Project. Trace Adkins mentioned our group twice on stage and we were all quite proud. Our chapter also adopted 3 sections of highway surrounding Harrison and collected MANY bags of trash on our 1<sup>st</sup> highway cleanup day. Throughout the year we rode together when possible along the curves and hills of northern Arkansas and southern Missouri. November brought toy runs every weekend for children in Branson, Harrison and Baxter, Marion, Newton and Boone Counties. We followed that up by making and delivering gift bags to the Veterans at the V.A. Hospital in Fayetteville. Our December meeting was also our Christmas party and election of officers for 2015. It was hosted by our retiring Director Bobby Espy at his home and a hilarious round of white elephant gift exchanging was enjoyed by everyone. Special guests were State Director Jim Anderson and Region 5 Director Jan Doherty. Newly elected officers are as follows: Cathy (Cat) Schoubroeck-Director,

Stan (Slider) Morrow-Asst. Director, Wayne Shankle-Treasurer, John Gillihan-Sgt. At Arms and Lea Morrow-Secretary. Many thanks to our retiring Director Bobby Espy and retiring Asst. Director Mike Burns. Your leadership and friendship have made a positive impact on this chapter which will never be forgotten and we look forward to many years of Free on Three with you both! The Freedom Riders wish everyone a prosperous new year and safe riding!! Hope to see all of you in Kentucky in June!!

### **CALIFORNIA - State**

**Director:** Loner Abbott, Porterville, 559.781.8129, [Lonerbtw@clearwire.net](mailto:Lonerbtw@clearwire.net) Web Site: [btw-california.org](http://btw-california.org)

**Assistant Director:** Kaleb Gaddis, Winton, 209-489-0639, [kalebgaddis@att.net](mailto:kalebgaddis@att.net)

**Meetings:** Every May and October at the State Trike-In or any special called meeting, as required, following BTW Bylaws.

**News:** Loner reports: I hope that everyone had a great Christmas and looking forward to an exceptional New Year. A lot has happened in BTW this last year. Some good, some not so good, it depends on what side of the fence you are standing on. I can see that the BOD has had one hell of a time trying to get this association back on its feet. It looks like that it is headed in the right direction and with your support, it can only get better. As a life member, I do not agree with what has happened with us but I also understand that there had to be something done if BTW was going to continue to exist and if in your heart you love BTW and the brother and sister-hood as I do, you will also realize that this is a way to make it happen. A new chapter is starting to form, Antelope Valley BTW Trikers, if you are in that area, please contact Dean Yates at 661-944-0296 or email: [yatesdean@yahoo.com](mailto:yatesdean@yahoo.com).

Well, that's about all for now, so till the next time, see ya!! Ride Safe, Ride Free, and God Bless

### **\*CALIFORNIA -Antelope Valley BTW Trikers**

**Interim Director:** Dean Yates, Juniper Hills [661-944-0296](tel:661-944-0296) [yatesdean@yahoo.com](mailto:yatesdean@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** We will meet then go on a ride the 2nd weekend of each month. Call him for exact location and time. Rides can be arranged while setting up the chapter.

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**Further information will be available in the TRIKER Magazine as the date approaches.**

**To volunteer:**

**Contact Jack Mertes, Region 9  
[jackregion9btw@dakotacom.net](mailto:jackregion9btw@dakotacom.net)**

**News:** Dean reports; He is attempting to set up a chapter in the Antelope Valley of California and he wants you to contact him if you are interested in assisting or at least becoming a member. Please contact him.

## CALIFORNIA – Central Valley

**Director:** Margaret Winebrenner, Fresno,  
C 559.961.9037 [Margaretsue@prodigy.net](mailto:Margaretsue@prodigy.net)

**Assistant Director:** Myra Neilson, Fresno,  
559.304.1038 [momofneil@yahoo.com](mailto:momofneil@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** Second Saturday 9am at Yosemite Falls Rest - just north of Cedar & Dakota in Fresno.

**News:** Margaret reports: Welcome to the New Year for BTW and all members! Our chapter is looking forward to many rides to beautiful areas and shared times together. As I reported in last Triker magazine, we had a busy December. The Christmas Parade was amazing with all the magic of the season and twinkling lights all over the trikes. We had 11 trikes in parade with 25 riders all decked out in Christmas gear. A group dinner was enjoyed following parade at Carrow's. No breakdowns, all members had a great time. Once again, Jim & Donna

opened their beautiful home for the Christmas Chapter party. The White Elephant Gift Exchange was even better than last year, with lots of laughs and giggles. Of course the "Polar Bear Run" with Hanford Chapter was lots of fun. They put together a great run each year and we are always glad to ride with them. There were 18 trikes, 5 motorcycles participating and everyone had a great ride. Our Charity Donation this year was to the Food Bank and several chapter members hand delivered the money in time to be used during the holidays. Well, the New Year is here and planning has started for rides for May 2015 Madera Trike-In. Our Road Captains chart out some beautiful, scenic rides in advance of Trike-Ins twice a year, besides our rides monthly after meetings. Anyone interested in trikes, is invited to join us on the 2nd Sat of each month. Several of our members are gearing up to go to Laughlin in March, planning to do extra rides and they have some great ideas already. Hopefully the weather will play nice and more members will sign up at last minute. We have gained a few new members in last year and always want to welcome more. We meet at Yosemite Falls north of Cedar and Dakota at 8:30AM Saturday, ride to follow meeting. We have open seats if you don't have a trike! We like to promote the joy of riding trikes everywhere we go and have an amazing group. Hope to see everyone at the May Trike-In Madera for lots of fun, meeting new trikers, renewing old friendships and great rides. Until then, ride safe, enjoy your life and always, always take time to smell the flowers !!

## CALIFORNIA – High Desert Trikers

LOOKING FOR NEW CHAPTER DIRECTOR

Anyone interested contact Loner Abbott 559-781-8129

## CALIFORNIA – Jammin' 3 Wheelers – Bakersfield Area

**Director:** Jim Long, Bakersfield, 661-809-6657

[Longbak4@aol.com](mailto:Longbak4@aol.com)

**Asst. Director:** Gary Johnson 661-342-7048

**Meetings:** Zingo's Cafe 3201 Buck Owens Bl. Every Saturday at 8:00 AM. in Bakersfield. Call Jim for information.

**News:** Jim reports: Happy New Year to everyone. Things are slow for right now. Gary's working on Smiley's trike getting new lights, and a few other things



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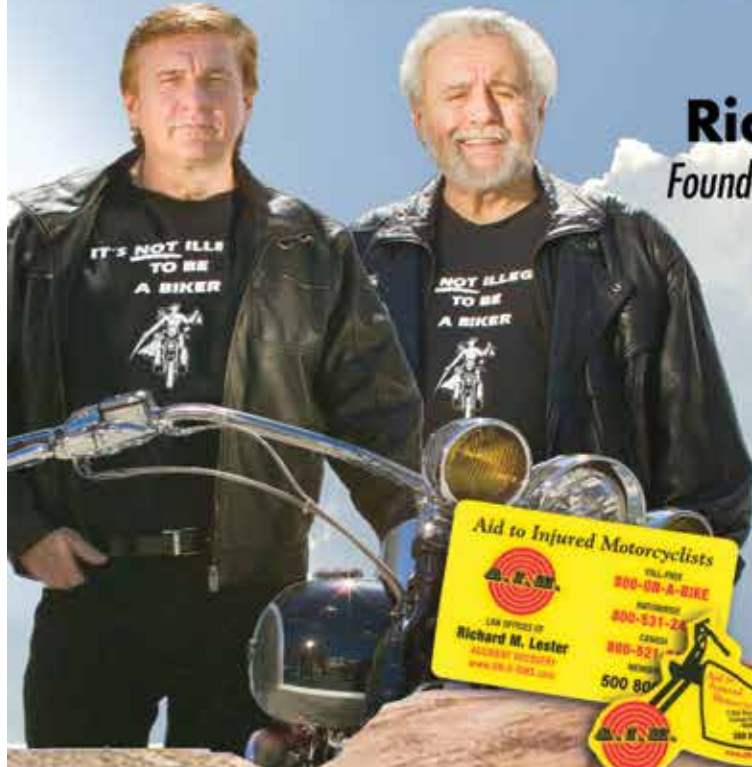
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done. We're looking forward to summer. The guy's are working on a summer ride. Last summer ride never happened. April is not that far away. The flu bug is going around. I could really do without it. So take care and ride free on three.

## CALIFORNIA - Long Beach Area

LOOKING FOR NEW CHAPTER DIRECTOR

Anyone interested contact Loner Abbott 559-781-8129

## CALIFORNIA – River City Trikers Sacramento Area

**Director:** Reggie Joaquin, Roseville,  
916-505-9907 [Reginald.joaquin@yahoo.com](mailto:Reginald.joaquin@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** The 3rd Saturday or Sunday of the month.  
Call the Director for more info.

**News:** Donna Bennett reports: We had a good Halloween party. We all dressed up in Costumes and went to the Golden Corral for dinner. Those in attendance were myself, Donna Bennett, Becky Landin, Reggie Joaquin, Marie Charlton, Jim and Debbie Davis, Miss Pete and Dave Lindgren, Ron Van Sant, Jim and his mom Virginia. On 11/22/14 the group is going over to Jim and Debbie's for a "anything but turkey" party.

## CALIFORNIA – San Diego Area

**Director:** Scottie Sisemore, Chula Vista, 619.426.1884,  
[BTWScottie@cox.net](mailto:BTWScottie@cox.net)

**Meetings:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month, 11:30 am, various locations, see web site for monthly information.

**News:** Scottie reports: Well, we've closed out the year with our holiday party...celebrating Christmas and the New Year at one go. Good turn out this year and a delicious meal. The Gang at our remodeled Sizzler is doing a bang up job! John Gardner stopped by for the shindig and walked away with the handmade clock done by our own Art McCoy. Cryss and Bob Rigdon snagged one set of gift certificates to Outback and Jim McGrath snagged the other. As always we hung out and had lots and lots of conversation. We even had a new visitor...we didn't hold it against him that he rides a two wheeler...LOL! Here's to a New Year and may we all enjoy a long and pleasant riding season!

## COLORADO - State

**Director:** Bill Haskett, Colorado Springs, 719598-5531 [khaskett@ent.com](mailto:khaskett@ent.com)

**News:** The **2015 Colorado Trike-In** will be held on Friday, July 3 through Sunday, July 5, 2015 at Mountindale Campground, Colorado Springs. Mountindale is a beautiful campground with great camping sites and cabins to rent. You need to contact the campground directly to make a reservation, at [719-576-0619](tel:719-576-0619). This event will be over the "July 4<sup>th</sup>" weekend so the campground will fill up fast. Make your reservations early! For information on the trike-in events or schedule, contact Bill Haskett at [ahaske@aol.com](mailto:ahaske@aol.com), [719-598-5531](tel:719-598-5531) or Kathy Haskett at [khaskett@ent.com](mailto:khaskett@ent.com) or [719-550-6797](tel:719-550-6797).

## COLORADO – Pike's Peak Trikers

**Director:** Bill Haskett, Colorado Springs,  
719-598-5531 [khaskett@ent.com](mailto:khaskett@ent.com)

**Meetings:** First Thursday of every month, 6:30 pm at IHOP (6005 Constitution Avenue, Colorado Springs)

**News:** We held our Annual Holiday Party at Golden Corral on Monday, December 8, 2014. Everyone brought a gift to exchange amongst the group. Everyone was also very generous and brought a lot of new toys to donate to the Children's Hospital of Memorial Hospital. The Children's Hospital was extremely appreciative

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of the toy donations for their pediatric floors. There's nothing better than being able to put a smile on a child's face! We donated \$50.00 to the Mountain Shadow Riders Breast Cancer Awareness Ride that was held on October 4, 2014. This is a huge fundraiser that they put on every year and all proceeds are donated to the Southeastern Colorado Affiliate of the Susan G. Komen Foundation. We also donated \$50.00 to the Epilepsy Foundation of Colorado for the Epilepsy Walk in Colorado Springs for "Run4Riley", Riley Hollister's team, which is Bill and Kathy Haskett's granddaughter. We still have monthly breakfast get-togethers on the third Saturday of every month at the Black Bear Diner at 9 am (Galley and Academy Blvd).

## FLORIDA - State

**Director:** J.B. Baldwin, Ocala, 352-216-9704,  
[x13orng@netscape.net](mailto:x13orng@netscape.net)

**News:** We are up and ready for this New Year with a full schedule for BTW Florida in 2015. We'll begin the year with Trike Parking at the DeLand Bikefest Sat Mar 7th, ( 11-8) downtown historic DeLand. Next on

**Meetings:** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday ea. Month at Cal's Place, (Bellevue, just over the tracks on 25) 9am b'fast, 10am meeting.

**News:** What a great Christmas Party! Some real creative gifts were exchanged, and again the food was awesome. The new State Sgt. At Arms brought turkey he had fried, a neighbor brought by some beef brisket. Brothers Ocala & Nature Coast provided the burgers & dogs for the grill, and everyone brought a covered dish. As the new year starts we're getting ready to pay a visit to the Daytona Chapter on the 3rd Sat of Jan, everyone is looking forward to the ride. Lake Co. Chapter & Brothers Ocala are teaming up once again for some Trike parking. This event is the Deland Bikefest Saturday March 7th, from 11am-8pm. Look for the Trike parking signs. (Yes this is during Daytona's Bikeweek) Directly after that Wed Mar 11th, will be the Fairgrounds Trike Show with Fastlane Promotions (SR 44 & I4) east of Deland. This leads into Thurs the 12th and the Daytona Flea Market Trike Show with Jam On Productions (International Dr. & Tamoka Farms Rd. Both Shows run from 12-3pm, though BTW will be set-up from 10-4pm. We have something New this year for Daytona Bikeweek, CAMPING at the Volusia Co Fairgrounds (3150 E New York Ave. Deland, FL 32724. Available Mar 6th-15th Tent camping as well as full RV hook ups. Tents \$15 +tax per night, \$90+tax for the week. RV full 50amp hookup \$50+tax per night (2 people) Credit cards accepted. As an appreciation for BTW assisting with their shows FastLane Promotions is offering BTW members a discount. We can also have a section roped off for BTW to camp together etc. Please visit [www.fastlanecampground.com](http://www.fastlanecampground.com) or [386-801-1810](tel:386-801-1810). Ride on, J.B



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## GEORGIA- Northeast Georgia Trikers

**Director:** Cam McCallister, Danielsville, 706-206-2903, [aircooled08@yahoo.com](mailto:aircooled08@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** The meetings will be floating till the weather warms up a bit but we will be meeting at 11 am on the 2nd Sunday each month ...For Info Call Cam McCallister @ [706-206-2903](tel:706-206-2903) or e-mail me at [aircooled08@yahoo.com](mailto:aircooled08@yahoo.com)


**News:** Hello to our Northeast Georgia Triker Family and Friends, We hope everyone is having a great

beginning to their New Year, and everyone is good and healthy. At the Dec. 14th meeting we met in Loganville, at Journey's End Rest. on Hwy 78, they serve a pretty good buffet there and everyone chowed down good. After lunch we started the meeting with the Pledge, followed by a Prayer and the Secretary's report by Dexter Lockhart, the Treasurer's report by John Hobbs, and the Activities report by Jeff Childers. As far as old business, we discussed the next meeting on Jan 11th at Rabbit Town Grill in Gainesville and directions to it, mentioned the Salvation Army Toy Run and the bad day and low attendance, but that despite it they collected over 200 toys and \$4300 in cash donation. A lot of folks didn't ride but did come by and donate cash plus toys though. What a great bunch of people there are around here. Makes ya feel good to be part of the local M/C crowd here. We talked about going on the Frosty Balls Ride with ABATE of GA and going to The Great American Motorcycle Show in Norcross on the 24th of Jan. As for new business: as we have had our first anniversary, it was time for the yearly Elections and the Chapter as a whole thought we should leave it as is ..so it was voted on and unanimously agreed it would stay as is, and this was confirmed by phone to those not present and ok'ed by all! Our Officers for this year are: Chapter Director - Cam McCallister, Treasurer - John Hobbs, Activities Coordinator - Jeff Childers & Secretary - Dexter Lockhart. For our Feb. 8th meeting we decided to go to Quincy's Steak House on Hwy 17 in Taccoa and on Mar 8th we will meet at Ila Rest. on Hwys 98 & 106 in Ila. We will meet for both at 11am. We also talked about going to a Poker Run In Mar and the April 12th meeting falls on the same Sun as the ABATE State Swap Meet in Griffin and maybe meet and ride to it, we can find us a spot to have our meeting on the way or there or afterward we'd figure it out. If you need any info on the Chapter or the meetings just give Cam a call at [706-206-2903](tel:706-206-2903) or Jeff our Act.Coordinator at 706-206-922 Till next Issue Be safe ....Ride Safe ....and may God's Angels watch over y'all!!

**ILLINOIS - State Director-** Jim Lee C 815-342-8181, H 815-439-2672 [Illinoisbtw@yahoo.com](mailto:Illinoisbtw@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** To be announced


**News:** Its officially Winter here, everything is white and frozen. Clint and Rosie Elmore once again opened up their home for their annual Christmas Party, what a great time seeing all the old time friends and making a few new ones. Thank you for all your kindness. A few



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of us are attending the Springfield ABATE swap meet and bike show on Feb.22 and will have a booth there. Anyone wishing to help handout flyers and visit are welcome and I will answer any questions you may have. We are also looking for ways to increase membership in Illinois and hopefully start a few new chapters. Please contact me with any suggestions you may have. I'm going to bundle up and forge my way to the garage and try and get some work done. Peace and Love Jim Lee

## **ILLINOIS - Eagle Rock Riders**

**Director:** Jim Fiser 815-281-0278, [seeva2jc@yahoo.com](mailto:seeva2jc@yahoo.com)

**Meeting:** The 3rd Saturday of the month at 11:00 AM until further notice. Meeting place to be determined at next meeting. Ride usually follows meeting.

**News:** The Eagle Rock Riders closed out the year with their Dec meeting at Clint & Rosie Elmore's home enjoying a Chili lunch that included plenty of cookies, pies and desserts brought by the members. We held a brief meeting and will take up the Field of Dreams preparations in Jan 2015. The change to Lifetime Memberships has been discussed and hopefully resolved to the satisfaction of our members. Meanwhile, the trikes are in the garage for winter maintenance, unless we get 50 degree day. I can always be contacted at [seeva2jc@yahoo.com](mailto:seeva2jc@yahoo.com) or by phone @815-281-027. Don't forget to check our Facebook page for events and pictures. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

## **IOWA - State**

**Director:** Dave Hopman, Newton, 641-792-8127, [leeh@iowatelecom.net](mailto:leeh@iowatelecom.net)

**Meetings:** Next State meeting Mar 22, 2015. Hope to see you at your State meeting! Meetings held 4th Sun of month at 2:30 pm MARCH 22—2015 pizza ranch 465 center place SW Altoona Iowa Exit 143 off interstate 80 south to Altoona Iowa [www.iowastatebtwchapter.com](http://www.iowastatebtwchapter.com)

**News:** We are working on Capital City Custom Cycle Show and Swap Meet in Des Moines IA, Feb14 & 15 2015 Sat and Sun. We will have one booth there. We will need help at the booth so try and make time to come in and help all members so we can get the word out about BTW in IA. Thank you. We are working on a date in July for the veterans home in

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Marshalltown IA so we can show our trikes to the vets. Also have the Knoxville show and shine in Apr on Sat, 2015, we need to show up there to show our trikes. The Tripods Chapter Trike-In at Black Hawk Lake will be June 19 - 21, 2015 so we all should make plans to get there and help them out and have a lot of fun. Our trike-in Iowa Heartland Trikers and state will be Aug 21 - 23, 2015 so hold that date for future reference and try and make sure we all attend. And do not forget about all the bike nights starting Apr. Until then let's all ride together free on three. The Tripods Trikers have a new website setup so go check it out it is [www.iowatripodstrikers.com](http://www.iowatripodstrikers.com), the more that you check it out helps them in their rating. So if you need info check out our website [www.iowastatebtwchapter.com](http://www.iowastatebtwchapter.com) Great news fellow Trikers the chapter in Sioux City is back up and running, Siouxland Trikers, so anyone in the area can give them a call. For meetings, get together and rides. Call director Tim Jones at [712-281-1837](tel:712-281-1837) he will give you any information you need. Positions for sergeant at arms, is open. voted on and passed. Anyone wanting these positions give us a call and get on the ballot for them the number is [641-792-8127](tel:641-792-8127). So if you want any of these positions don't hesitate to give us a call. So let's all get together and help all the chapters out in Iowa all of us at the state BTW chapter will do all we can to help them out so don't hesitate to give us a call if you need more information. Anyone that wants a picture of their

trike and themselves on it please send us a picture. If you can't e-mail a picture give me call and I will give you an address to mail it to. We would like to get all BTW members in the state of Iowa on it. Everyone is welcome at all BTW events no matter what they ride or what they have or what association or organization they belong to all are welcome. If you have any ideas of rides or get togethers give us a call any time. Anyone wanting on the state e-mail list give us a call, [641-792-8127](tel:641-792-8127), and we will get you on the list. Anyone wanting to know how to start a chapter in your area or other Trikers to ride with in your area don't hesitate to give us a call. Don't forget to check your magazine for expiration date so you don't miss any of the good news about BTW in Iowa and throughout the world . And also check the Iowa section for anything coming up in Iowa. so till we see you again let's all ride together free on three.

#### **IOWA - Heartland Trikers**

**Director:** Dave Hopman, Newton, 641-792-8127, [leeh@iowatelecom.net](mailto:leeh@iowatelecom.net)

**Meetings:** Next meeting January 25, 2015. Meetings are 4th Sunday of month at 2:00 pm, Pizza Ranch, 465 Center Place SW, Altoona Iowa. Exit 143 off I-80 south to Altoona Iowa. The chapters are working on upcoming events. If you need the day of the next meeting or information on things coming up check out the webpage at [www.iowaheartlandtrikers.com](http://www.iowaheartlandtrikers.com)

**News:** We are working on Capital City Custom Cycle Show and Swap Meet in Des Moines IA, Feb14 & 15 2015 Sat and Sun. We will have one booth there. We will need help at the booth so try and make time to come in and help all members so we can get the word out about BTW in IA. Thank you. We are working on a date in July for the veterans home in Marshalltown IA so we can show our trikes to the vets. Also have the Knoxville show and shine in Apr on Sat 2015, we need to show up there to show our trikes. The Tripods Chapter Trike-In at Black Hawk Lake will be June 19-21, 2015 so we all should make plans to get there and help them out and have a lot of fun. Our trike-in Iowa Heartland Trikers and state will be August 21-23, 2015 so hold that date for future reference and try and make sure we all attend. And do not forget about all the bike nights starting

in April. Until then let's all ride together free on three. The Tripods Trikers have a new website setup so go check it out, [www.iowatripodstrikers.com](http://www.iowatripodstrikers.com), the more you check it out helps them in their rating. Everyone is welcome at all BTW events no matter what they ride or what they have or what association or organization they belong to all are welcome If you need any information on anything coming up as far as any of the events don't hesitate to give us a call contact information is on the web page. And check out the webpage at [www.iowaheartlandtrikers.com](http://www.iowaheartlandtrikers.com) So for now let's all ride together free on three.

#### **IOWA- N.W. Lakes Tripods**

**Director:** Bob Kepler, 612-209-2330, [willys39sd@hotmail.com](mailto:willys39sd@hotmail.com) **Assist. Director:** Ron Runkle 712-260-0622

**Meeting:** Last Sun of Month Los Pueblos Mexican Grill, Arnolds Park, 2 pm

**News:** It's a new year and as I write this we are under a Winter Weather Advisory and the wind chill factor is -32 degrees. Most of our cabin fever thoughts are of

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warm weather and shiny trikes. Most work on trikes new and old has been slowed down due to the weather and several health issues among the members. Everyone likes the new calendars, and I for one would not like to have to choose the many pictures in it. Thanks to work well done. We are homebound, there are leftover Christmas cookies, and the coffee pot is always on, so stop in.

## Kansas- State

**Director:** Wayne Eck, Wichita, 316-744-2841, wayne@kceind.com

**Meetings:** State Meetings: Next meeting will be in April 2015. Date and Place has not been determined. For Info Contact Wayne by email at wayne@kceind.com or phone 316-744-2841 or Elroy at 620-332-9566 or email eek43@cox.net.

**News:** Wayne Eck, KS State Director submits that we have made it through the holidays and have had a few hit and miss days warm enough to ride for our committed riders! Or as the temps were fridged for the New Years rides members made in KS, should I have said they

should be “committed”, to a facility where they could receive the care they need!! The flu season is also in full swing through KS and as personal recipients of some of it (strep throat) in my house I sure wish Spring was here! Hope you all stay well. Chapters in KS have had some elections with some of our officers changing so be sure and update your contact information as KS is already gearing up for summer events and many planning meetings are underway as chapters sort out their calendars. I would encourage a check of calendars before scheduling events on top of others so our members have the greatest opportunity to attend as many events as they possibly can! A few hours ride away would be a good perimeter to check out to expect attendees from and then a few hours from that point to schedule with fairness for outlying attendees. For example if you are targeting a 150 mile radius check calendars in a 300 mile radius. This is nothing set in stone and only a suggestion as some dates and times do not have the luxury of being moved because they are dependent on other events that they may be in conjunction with. 13th Annual KS 4 Corners Trike-In and the 12th Annual KS State Trike-In are scheduled and in the planning phases for June and September respectively. As you can see from the number of years these events have been ongoing they are successful so consider joining in if you never have. Welcome to our new officers in KS and thank you’s all around to the officers retiring and the new ones starting. Serving as an officer is a good way to get more involved in BTW and we all know the more involved the richer the experience. Looking forward to getting out and meeting more members and enriching our experiences as well. Stay warm and for us in the cold zones try not to become eaten up with jealousy for our southern friends in the warmer climates as this too will pass!



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## KANSAS - Open Prairie Trikers

**Director:** Larry Lee, Derby, [316-201-9289](tel:316-201-9289), [larrychshog@gmail.com](mailto:larrychshog@gmail.com)

**Meetings:** Last Sunday of the month. Please check our calendar on our website [www.opt-btw.org](http://www.opt-btw.org) for upcoming meetings and events. You are welcome to contact our Director, Larry Lee, at [316-201-6289](tel:316-201-6289) or our Activities Director, David Foster, at [316-778-3309](tel:316-778-3309).

**News:** Jerry Dunn, outgoing Director, reports we

ended our year with our chapter Christmas Party, held at our newly elected Director's home. We had a great turnout, too much good food, and tons of fun with a white elephant Dirty Santa game. Everyone had a lot of fun and went home with a new treasure. Our chapter elections, held at our Nov meeting, resulted in mostly new officers – Director, Larry Lee; Assistant Director, David Foster; Secretary, Susan Lee; Treasurer, Kathy Walter; Sergeant at Arms, Dale "Pete" Walter; and Co-Road Captains, Gary Harris and Dale "Pete" Walter. These people will take over as of our January meeting and are ready to go with a burst of energy and new ideas. We look forward to seeing what they have planned for us this year in addition to the standard events we do every year. The Chill, in February (huge auto/motorcycle/trike show) will be the first event. Then we start the list of parades with the St. Patrick's Day Parade, in March. Many more to come, as well as trike-ins with the Kansas, Oklahoma, and Nebraska chapters, and just for fun get-togethers and rides. We are all waiting for warmer weather so we can be out on three; however,

one of our members, David Foster, rode on January 1st, which is a tradition for him – first ride of the year. As I leave the position of Director, I want to thank everyone for putting up with me, for the last few years. It has been a pleasure leading this group and my wife, Linda, and I look forward to staying involved.

**KANSAS - Southeast Kansas Chapter**

**Director:** Ray Scales, McCune, [620-238-1844](tel:620-238-1844), [raymondscales8049@gmail.com](mailto:raymondscales8049@gmail.com).

**Meetings:** 3rd Sunday, 2:00 pm. Meetings move around. Please contact Ray for meeting location. [620-238-1844](tel:620-238-1844) or e-mail [raymondscales0849@gmail.com](mailto:raymondscales0849@gmail.com)

**News:** We had a great time at the Southeast Kansas Trikers Christmas party. The food was good as always. Passed out some door prizes, give away a BTW membership renewal, and played dirty Santa. I would like to thank everyone for coming. Always enjoy our out of town brothers and sisters from BTW, thanks for making the trip. The weather here has gotten much colder since Christmas. Several of our members did

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## **KANSAS - Tornado Alley Trikers (Home of the Twisted Trikers)**

### **KENTUCKY - State**

**Interim Director:** Gene "Sandman" Renfro, Calvert City, 270 - 909 - 0094, (cell) 270 - 703 - 7476, [renwall@yahoo.com](mailto:renwall@yahoo.com) Facebook: 2015 Central States Regional Trike-In

**Meetings:** Next meeting will be Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at the home of Gene Renfro at 7154 Industrial Parkway, Calvert City, KY 42029. Call or email for more info.

**News:** Hope all had a wonderful holiday season. We are winding down from that and gearing up for the Spring, which isn't far away! That said, we will be having our State BTW meeting on Saturday March 28<sup>th</sup>. I'm sure most of the agenda will be over the Central

States Trike-In, coming up June 10<sup>th</sup> through the 14<sup>th</sup> at Gilbertsville, KY. If you want to join our facebook group for the Trike-in, I listed it with my contact info above, under my email. We've already had several register at the hotel and the resort and had our first registration form come in the mail yesterday! Look for the official Registration Form in this issue of TRIKER! We'd like to have the registration forms in no later than MAY 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015, in order to get your pre-register bags together and to get a head count for the show and banquet. The show must be paid for in advance, so it is very important to get that in as soon as you can! It may be not be possible to work in last minute tickets for that. We've enjoyed talking to all who have called about the Trike-In and urge you to give us a shout anytime with your questions and suggestions. Remember this is our first one, and we could use all your input! Thanks to all who have offered to help, we appreciate it, and will put you to work! But we promise not to work you too hard, cause this is supposed to be a week of brotherhood, companionship and fun! Please, don't lose sight of the big picture of BTW, we are here to help each other, in so many ways! Good things await, if we are patient and calmly face what obstacles arise in the day to day workings of our leaders. Remember, every family goes through hard times. The smart ones hang in there till the storms pass, as they will!

Ride Safe & Free, Gene Renfro

## **KENTUCKY - Western KY Trikers**

**Director:** Gene "Sandman" Renfro, Calvert City, 270 - 909 - 0094, [renwall@yahoo.com](mailto:renwall@yahoo.com)

Facebook: KY BTW Trikers (group page)

Facebook: Bonnie Mae Turner – Walton (Personal page)

**Meetings:** Fourth Saturday of every month, at Director's home till further notice.

**News:** Well it sure has been a short year with lots of planning going on! We finished it up with a potluck, post-Christmas party at our house, for our last monthly meeting of 2014. Lots of good food & conversation! A round of "Dirty Santa" and I got lucky enough to come away with a cute little plaque and a new datebook/planner! Heaven knows that'll be handy! Think everyone liked what they wound up with, cause hardly anybody traded! Till further notice, fourth Saturday



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monthly meeting will be at Director's house. Riding as weather permits! Which it hasn't much, lately. Looking forward to getting down to the nitty gritty on planning the Central States Trike-In. Lots of work ahead, but lots of fun, too! See you down the road! Bonnie Walton, Secretary

### LOUISIANA - State

**Director:** Looking for a Director.

### MISSOURI – Ozark Mtn Trikers

**Director:** Director: Allen Bilyeu, Walnut Shade, MO, 417-561-4941, [abilyeu2@gmail.com](mailto:abilyeu2@gmail.com)

**Meetings:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month. Call for times and locations.

**News** I don't suppose we'll be riding today. Woke up this morning with 3 degrees outside. We took a short ride the day after Christmas, it was around 50 degrees. We were glad to get back to the house. Looking forward to having a meeting Jan17th at Jack and Denise Worthy's house, where we always have a lot of good food and fellowship. We made reservations in Kentucky for the

Central States Rally in June and hope to meet a lot of new brothers and sisters. Mr. Al

### MISSOURI - Ozark Road Hog

**Director:** Dale Carey, Alton, 417-270-7019, [rocknoak19@hotmail.com](mailto:rocknoak19@hotmail.com)

**Meetings:** 1st Saturday of month, meet to eat @ 9:30am, meeting @10:30am, West Plains at Ryans Restaurant.

**News:** Not much going on as this winter has been a cold one. We haven't had a meeting in a couple of months, but will maybe get after it again in Feb if ole man winter settles down a bit. We're really lookin forward to the ridin season this year, as we have some great rides planned with our bunch & members of some other chapters. Some one day rides & some overnight weekend also. We have quite a few riding to the BTW Central States Trike-In at Kentucky. Have reservations to do the whole Trike-In. Lookin forward to ridin Kentucky. I'm sure this will be a great time lookin at ole friends & listening to a few lies. I've decided to not tell any lies this year. Now, Barbie says that might not be a true statement. Hey, if ya'll are in our area, be sure & give me a call & we'll ride to a Hog trough & eat a bite. Well, don't know what else to tell ya'll, so until the next time, "YA'LL KEEP THOSE THREE WHEELS A ROLLIN"

### MISSOURI -Tri-Roller Trikers

**Director:** Morris Jarrett, Neosho, 417-451-7957 [morrisjarrett27@yahoo.com](mailto:morrisjarrett27@yahoo.com)

**Assistant Director:** Bill Thorson

**Meetings:** 3rd Saturday of the month, 1:00 p.m. at the Green Forest Restaurant, Neosho, MO

**News:** It doesn't seem like 2015 is already here. This year we tried something new, we donated to the Shop with a Cop. Getting ready for our fundraiser, chili supper to be held Jan 24, 2015 starting at 4:30 and will last until we run out of food. Hope to see all our Triker friends (if weather allows it), chili feed is at Fairview, MO 64842. Riding weather is just around the corner, so get them trikes tuned up and ready. May God Bless our Troops and keep them safe

### NEVADA - State

**Director:** Bonnie Morris, Las Vagas, 702-456-9160, [unicornsisterhood@hotmail.com](mailto:unicornsisterhood@hotmail.com)

**News:** Both chapters in Nevada are working hard on

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## **NEW MEXICO - State**

**Director:** Rock Glaser, Veguita, NM, 505-861-1967, [rockarue@yahoo.com](mailto:rockarue@yahoo.com)  
[www.btw-nm.org](http://www.btw-nm.org)

**Meetings:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, call for time and location.

**News:** Hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday season. By the time this issue comes out, New Mexico should have a new chapter in the Albuquerque area. Be safe in your travels. Rock.

## **NEW YORK - Finger Lakes Area**

**Director:** Kevin [Judson, Geneva, 315-789-0491](mailto:Judson,Geneva,315-789-0491)  
[Bigk@rochester.rr.com](mailto:Bigk@rochester.rr.com)

**Meetings:** Odd months-11am@Peppermints in Avon  
Even months-11am@Arnolds in Weedsport

**News:** Our Christmas was a great success, everybody had a good time, food was great. We all hope it's a short winter so we can start riding again. We already have many rides planned, and would like to hear from all our members

## **NEW YORK - Long Island LOOKING FOR A DIRECTOR**

## **OHIO - North Central**

**Director:** Kevin Palm, Norwalk, 419-744-2227, [kapalm1835@yahoo.com](mailto:kapalm1835@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** TBA

**News:** The North Central Ohio chapter of BTW decided to volunteer during the holiday season at our local Salvation Army. Just before Thanksgiving 4 members and 8 children and grandchildren unpacked and sorted foods that were collected during a local food drive. The sorted foods were then carried into their storage area and stacked until needed for distribution. Our hard work was very much appreciated. The chapter decided to help make 2 area children's holiday a little

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### OREGON - Bridge City Trikers

(We are a composite group of greater Multnomah County, OR and greater Clark County, WA Members)

**Director:** Dave Hancock, Yacolt, WA  
360-608-3556, [sfree@centurytel.net](mailto:sfree@centurytel.net)

**Meetings:** We meet the 2nd Saturday of each month at 10 AM, at the Parkrose Elmer's, 10001 NE Sandy Blvd, Portland, OR 97220.

**News:** Well, it's the cooler, wetter time of year and that slows up the ridin' some. We are pleased to say we were in the Vancouver, WA Veterans Day Parade on Sat, Nov 8th. Dave, Dick and Jeff rode while Paco (whose trike is in the shop) took photos while watching the parade for us. Jeff's trike decided to trash it's belt; of course, Dick and I didn't realize he had fallen out until we were

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much further down the parade route. Not to be laid up, Jeff did a quick patch up job and finished up the parade riding with a biker group parade unit. We were all happily reunited after the parade and headed over to the Hometown Buffet in Vancouver for a fun lunch and our meeting which we had moved from Portland because of the parade. Very good news, the parade weather was excellent, Warm, dry and not windy, the best I've ever seen it for the parade. We were not able to muster up for the Veterans Day Convoy this year so we'll get ourselves back on schedule for that again next year. There were 24 members in attendance at our OR State BTW Christmas Party in Salem this year. Happy to say, we were not snowed out like last year. We've had surprisingly little snow so far this year, but our rain has chosen to entertain us in place of it. Few things are as much fun as cold wet rain on a bike or a trike. Our OR State Director, Marsha McPheeters, attended our Dec 13th Chapter Meeting, and we were also blessed to have a visitor, Robert Grek. We are hoping to have him and his wife at our meetings in the future. Dick presented some more samples of a chest patch he is working on for our Chapter to complement our BTW back patch. We expect a quiet winter, but look forward to spring bursting forth with the Western National Trike-In in March, The Yacolt, WA Bigfoot Fun Run/Rendezvous Parade and BTW Trike-In in June and the BTW Northwest Regional Trike-In in Packwood, WA in August. That's our news for this issue, See You All in the Next One!

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**Director:** Norman E. DeRoux, Salem, C 971-218-5616, [deroux.norm@gmail.com](mailto:deroux.norm@gmail.com)

**Meetings:** 3rd Saturday of month:

**News:** Hello everyone. Our Chapter hosted 24 people at the annual ORBTW State Christmas party. We were all happy to see the sun and not snow like last year. In these last days of Dec., we have been having clear, cold weather (down to 20 deg or less). No one has been out on a trike for many weeks. Several of us are working on our trikes, and all of us are looking forward to Spring. We are happy to note that ORBTW has voted to send \$500 to Doernbecher Children's Hospital at OHSU in Portland. I wish all of you a safe, happy, and prosperous 2015

**OREGON - Central Oregon/Redmond**

**Contact:** Bear, [541-923-2247](tel:541-923-2247)  
[bear2247@bendbroadband.com](mailto:bear2247@bendbroadband.com)

**News:** Things are fine here in Central Oregon. We have about 4-5 inches of snow. Guess I need to put the chains on the trike, lol.. Keep in touch and happy new year to all. Bear

**OREGON - 4 Rivers Trikers**

**Director:** Allen Cate, Ontario, 541-823-6270  
[cate532002@yahoo.com](mailto:cate532002@yahoo.com)

**News:** 4 Rivers Trikers is doing great. We didn't have a meeting in Dec, but we had a little Christmas party, and we all had fun. January will be a slow month for us. The group agrees: no snow chains. We will continue throughout winter to collect warm clothes for the needy. Come spring we will start collecting food. We should have some sort of a list of activities on our Facebook page and in the events page at BTW website soon. Hope all our Brothers and Sisters had a great 2014 and have a better 2015. We would like to give our condolences to all our Brothers and Sisters families who lost a loved one in 2014. They won't be forgotten.

**OREGON - Willamette Valley Chapter**

**Director:** Glenda Christman, Albany  
[541-974-6635](tel:541-974-6635), [tamlindgren@comcast.net](mailto:tamlindgren@comcast.net)

**News:** Dear fellow Trikers, Now that the holiday festivities are coming to an end, most of us will begin to work on our trikes and start getting them ready to ride at the first sign of Spring Sunshine. We hope you all will have a wonderful beginning of the year.

**PENNSYLVANIA - Borderline Trikers of PA**

**Director:** David Snyder, 724-866-3281, [david.snyder3@verizon.net](mailto:david.snyder3@verizon.net)

**Meetings:** Contact Director for Information.

**News:** Not much news to report at this time. We hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and a safe New Years and that everyone is surviving the bitter cold temperatures. Everyone had a good time at our Christmas party this year. All of the children's toys that were collected at the party were donated to a local organization that was in desperate need of meeting their goals for the children this year. Good food, good friends, good memories. We hope everyone

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is busy fixing and prepping for this spring. Planning for the “**Official**” 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Pennsylvania Trike-In in Aug is coming along just fine. We are looking forward to an even bigger and better time this year at our 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Pennsylvania Trike-In. If you have never been to our Trike-In or you couldn’t make it last year, you definitely don’t want to miss all the fun this year. We are looking forward to seeing everyone again in Aug. Additional information will be released soon. As always, if anyone has any questions, comments and/or suggestions for this year, please feel free to contact us. Until then... Stay Warm, Stay Dry & Be Safe.

## **SOUTH CAROLINA – Pee Dee Chapter**

### LOOKING FOR NEW CHAPTER DIRECTOR

Anyone interested contact Michael McIntire, 843-662-9654, [mcintirr@bellsouth.net](mailto:mcintirr@bellsouth.net)

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**Director:** Mark “Lefty” Rowlson, Tennessee Ridge, 931-721-2260, [rowlson@peoplestel.net](mailto:rowlson@peoplestel.net)

**Meetings:** 2nd Saturday, Even months, 1 pm, Ponderosa Steakhouse, Hwy 70 Bypass, Dickson. Next meeting 14 February

**News:** Not much riding here in Tennessee right now. Wanted to get out New Years Day, but 40 deg. temp was too brisk for me And the trike! Got to get started on the mods I want before it’s riding time again! We had a good turnout for our Dec meeting on the 13th. There were 10 there, although none rode, We still had a good time! We talked more about the Mid States Trike-in, coming in June, and most were glad it would run into the weekend! It will be the same day as our meeting day that month, so how bout we have a run to the lake that day! Have to bring that up at the Feb. meeting! Hoping everyone can stay healthy and make the meeting on the 14th! Happy New Year! - ‘Lefty’

## **TEXAS - Dallas/Ft Worth**

**Director:** Richard Troop Miller, Irving, 972-658-8914, [qwik@earthlink.net](mailto:qwik@earthlink.net)

**Meetings:** the second Sunday of each month at 1:00 at the American Legion Hall on Manhattan St in Ft. Worth

**News:** Happy New Year everybody, and I hope ya’ll had a great Christmas too! I don’t have much news this time since the winter weather has kept most of us off of our bikes and trikes for the last couple of months, but the DFW chapter did have our regular meeting in Nov & then in Dec we followed it up with our annual Thanksgiving/Christmas feast, which was fantastic. Not only did we have the traditional ham & turkey, we even had a Christmas brisket. How would Mr. Foxworthy say it? “If you’ve ever fixed a brisket for Christmas, you might be a Texan”! Next meeting we’ll be taking nominations for officers so who knows, someone else just might be sending in the next letter! If not, I’ll be here. Until then, ride safe and ride free. Troop.

## **TEXAS - Graham/Abilene Wind Riders**

**Director:** Looking for a Director

## **VIRGINIA – Coastal Trikers**

**Director:** Jerry Knuckles, Zuni, 757-618-4275, 757-485-3337 [nucklesfg2@hotmail.com](mailto:nucklesfg2@hotmail.com)

**Meetings:** The second Wednesday, of the month at

7:30 p.m. at the Golden Coral on Battlefield Blvd, Chesapeake

**News:** Happy New Year to everyone, hoping everyone had a safe one. Our group had our annual Christmas party, a good time was had by all. There isn't much news to speak of. Looking forward to nice weather so we can get out and ride.

**WASHINGTON - State**

**Director:** Churchy Churchward, Tacoma [Churchy@nventure.com](mailto:Churchy@nventure.com) 253-759-8474, cell 253-279-6904

**News:** Kathryn Henry writes: With Churchy feeling "under the weather", I offered to write some state news. The Washington chapters have been busy getting ride schedules planned and it sounds like there will be some pretty amazing rides this year. And of course we are still working on details for the Pacific NW Regional Trike-in at Packwood, WA. Save the date AUG 13th-16th and get registered. There is a flyer in this magazine or contact myself or Churchy. I also want to make you aware of a hardship fund that has been set up to assist people in paying their membership fees. The committee (separate from the BOD) has been set up and are working on the criteria and rules. Money has been donated & a separate account established for this fund. So if paying your membership fee creates a problem for you, please send an email to headquarters explaining your situation. Your request will be reviewed and acted upon by this committee. You also have the opportunity

to help other BTW members by donating to this fund. We look forward to a year filled with rides, BTW friends and lots of laughter. Hope to see you at an event or on the road. Ride Safe

**WASHINGTON North Sound Thredom Riders**

**Director:** Russ Lamb, [russlamb57@gmail.com](mailto:russlamb57@gmail.com) 360-678-1551

**Co-Director & Ride Captain:** Mike Brenaman [mikesinschool@yahoo.com](mailto:mikesinschool@yahoo.com) 360-224-0799

**Meetings:** First Tuesday evening of each month at the Denny's restaurant located at 100 East College Way, Mount Vernon, WA. 98273. Dinner at 6:00pm and the meeting starts at 7:00pm. For more information contact Russ Lamb or Mike Brenaman

**News:** Just had our 15th meeting since the inception of the Chapter. Please allow me to say, what a great BTW family it is becoming. Co-Director and Road Captain Mike Brenaman ran the meeting and presented us with the first draft of the 2015 ride schedule. It is amazing to me the amount of work one can put into a ride schedule. Between all the possibilities, compounded by the geographical distance we live apart from one another, times the fuel stops, divided by the rest stops, and let's not forget the smoke breaks (not to be taken during the fuel stops). And then there is the scenic pull-out photo ops. Now let me see, were those on the left side of the road, or were they on the right side of the road? Now we gotta change the route to travel the other direction. Now that we've smoothed out the routes, any ideas where we

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want to eat? Great plan!! But, we're going north now instead of the other way due to the "left turn hazard continuum" And how hot is that gonna be that time of the year? We actually can't tell you that until we're there, as we determine the temperature by how far a triple scoop ice cream cone runs down Leroy's arm before he can finish it (just to the elbow we found to be 102 degrees) but again that can only be determined on location. Just when we thought we had it figured out, somebody asked what ferry will we have to catch? I'm sorry we don't say ferry anymore, it's the "Washington State, Over Water By-Directional Transportation System" Really? I mean Really? I guess it comes to no surprise Mike's still at it!! And this is going quite well compared to last year!! (As we now know how to determine temperature) Anybody who would like to join us, we welcome you-all. If you would like to have a ride schedule and you are not on our current email list, just let one of us know. This really does feel like a real family. Please see the meeting information above. We would be happy to have you join us.

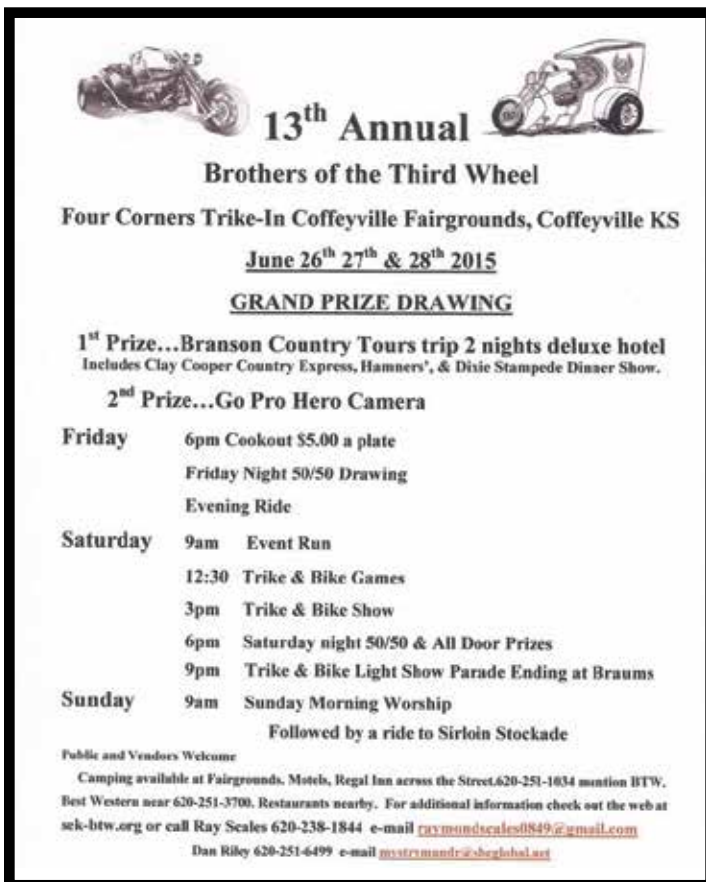
## WASHINGTON - Coastal Cruisers

**Director:** Kathryn Henry, Dupont, 360-923-0133,

[kathryn.henry66@yahoo.com](mailto:kathryn.henry66@yahoo.com)

**Meetings:** Socials every Thursday, Homestead Restaurant, 7837 South Tacoma Way, Tacoma 6PM Everyone welcome.

**News:** Here it is January 1, 2015 and I have just returned from the first Coastal Cruisers ride of the year! At 35 degrees, it was a very crisp short ride but the camaraderie during brunch at the casino warmed my heart and started my year out right! Thanks to our ride captain Churchy Churchward, we now have a schedule of rides for 2015. That's right we plan an entire year of rides (at least one ride per month) so everyone has the information and can plan their schedules accordingly. It is of course subject to revisions as the year goes on and Mother Nature interferes. In December we had our annual Christmas Party. Gary Ledbetter catered (who knew he could cook) an awesome meal featuring Prime Rib and Roast Pork Loin with all the sides, a great selection of appetizers and desserts. If anyone left hungry it was certainly their own fault! After dinner we enjoyed a very nice polite gift exchange until.....The Seahawks Merchandise showed up! Then everyone started to steal gifts fast and furious, even husbands and wives worked together to ensure they got the most treasured item. The stealing was rampant and the laughter abundant! Oh what a great BTW family I have!!!! And my two daughters were able to join us as well. My daughter Tessie Carr was over here to pick up her first Trike! She got an awesome Goldwing and Idaho got a new BTW member. Thanks go out to Terry Edwards for all the help he gave Tessie making sure this was the right purchase for her. I believe she has adopted you and Linda! Now it is time to get on with the plans for the Pacific Northwest Regional Trike-in. That is August 13th through the 16th at Packwood, WA. A flyer should be in this magazine. Reserve that time, get signed up-----Chef Lorena has the menu planned and she is trying the surprise desserts out on her husband. We have rides planned to Mt Rainer and Mt St. Helens, both are very scenic enjoyable rides. As a final note, please update my email address in your records ([Kathryn.henry66@yahoo.com](mailto:Kathryn.henry66@yahoo.com)) My previous email address was stolen along with all my contacts so it has been a busy time trying to rebuild that. Ride Safe Kathryn L Henry



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## CANADA

### British Columbia Chapter

**(Interim) Director:** Daye Delan, Grand Forks, 604-379-9902, [dayeglo777@gmail.com](mailto:dayeglo777@gmail.com)

**Meetings:** TBA

**News:** Greetings all. This is DayeGlo,...Daye Delan, the newly anointed Interim director for BC. Thank You Kathryn Henry, I hope all is well for You. By the time this is published and sent out, Christmas and New Years will all be history. Here's hoping we all get to have great riding ahead of us in 2015. In the past few months, I have sent out communication to as many BC members as I could locate. Partly to say hello, and partly to get feedback regarding our upcoming Camp Out /Trike In... get together round the campfire. Yes, it's coming soon. From the members response, and by what would qualify as a quorum, it was agreed that 2015 will see us getting together on the weekend of July 24,25,26. in Rock Creek, BC. So mark that on Your Triker calendar. The camp ground is called Byman's Bend. It's a terrific facility with a good mix

of sun and shade. Very well tended sites. Plus if you want to cool down, or get an adult beverage, simply wade across the Kettle River to the Rock Creek Hotel. Camp sites are going fast, and for \$15 a night.. hey, it's no wonder. They do have some RV spots @ \$35/ night. They are requiring at least one night payment up front. SOooo... contact them at [1-250-446-2651](tel:1-250-446-2651) or [1-250-528-4499](tel:1-250-528-4499), and let them know You are with BTW, {so they can alert the authorities .LOL }. You can also contact myself at [1-604-379-9902](tel:1-604-379-9902). My computer recently got thrashed, so I now have a New Email- - [dayeglo777@gmail.com](mailto:dayeglo777@gmail.com). I want to wish all members, a very Happy new Year. I also want to let it be known to all members, that my lines are open, and if You have any concerns, IDEAS, wants, wishes, desires <relevant to triking>, please let me know. This is about You. My big desire is to see this chapter grow. It's a vast area in this province.... bigger than some other countries. There's plenty of good Triking for us all, and room for members all kine. Do You know of any lapsed members, or potential new members? ? Round 'em up , and welcome all. Many

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### **Vancouver Island – Vancouver Island Comox Valley 3 Wheelers**

**Chapter Director:** John (Helgi) Helgason, 1-250-703-9598, Courtenay BC, helgasonj@telus.net

**Assistant Director:** Bob O’Blenis 1-250-338-2313

**News:** Once again we have passed into a new year and ahead in 2015 lies roads to be rode, places to visit for the first or hundredth time, new members to meet and old ones to greet with new fervour and excitement. The festive season will have given us a new supply of favourite stories to tell and new toys to show our friends. Some may even have new rides to tell us about and bring envy into our hearts until we remember the gift our old rides have provided us over the past years. As usual, we on Vancouver Island have been gifted with bright skies and warm tropical like weather (Monsoons and flowing banks on our rivers, water in the basements and fields awash with the most happy groups of Trumpeter Swans and Mallard Ducks.) Oh dear, I did regress. For those of us who carry our insurance all year round it is also a time to ride between the storms. No snow and as of yet little ice on the roads allow for some fine excursions on our trusted steeds, bundled up with warm underclothing (Suggest several layers) warm sox’s and long johns (suggesting several more layers) water proof boots, wool shirt and sweater and electric vest (Plugged in of course!) (suggest more layers of

whatever you got), good cold weather/waterproof jacket, a warm wool toque and full face helmet. There, now you’re ready, but can you still stand up and walk? It is wise not to spend any time indoors once dressed. Oh yea, don’t forget your wool lined gloves. About a week ago I saw some potential cold weather riders who were leaping off a bridge behind my house into the Puntledge River, air temp about 28 degrees Celsius and I watched in horror as they swam to shore and stood and talked to one another. When I asked them to join our group they responded ”Hell No! It’s to bloody cold!” Go figure eh! The Harbour Seals were drifting close by and seemed bemused by these crazy humans actions. I still have small lumps behind my neck just watching! lol Bob and I go out any chance we get and several more of members living all over the Island also take any opportunity to keep the oil warm and mixed and the wheel grease moving. We are looking forward to spring and having meetings on a regular basis and get some long rides under our belts once again. The Provincial Director has expressed some good ideas on how to get folks together from the Mainland and the Island and we will do our best to assist him in achieving this goal. There are some Rallies being held in the Upper western States in the early part of this year and I am hopeful some of our members will want to attend in a group together. If you are an interested triker living on Vancouver Island and have not yet joined us please

give me a call and let's talk. We are always looking for new members and we welcome all Trikers and those interested in more information regarding our Chapter. We are hopeful of getting new members from East to West and from North to South on Vancouver Island so we can travel more and have places to visit for BBQs and such. Give it a try It can be a lot of fun, sharing outings, stories, mechanical knowledge and friendship with others with the same three wheel life style. It is the wish of all of us in V.I Comox Valley Three Wheelers, that all BTW members, family and friends have a wonderful and exciting New Year and Ride the damn thing like you've stole it!!!! That goes for all two wheelers as well!!! Fondest Regards John Helgason

## Ontario Chapter

**Director:** Billy Linnitt, Ontario, 519-923-2477, [william.linnitt@sympatico.ca](mailto:william.linnitt@sympatico.ca)

### Meetings:

**News:** Greetings from Ontario. Well it's below zero here at my house, how about you? We're still having problems with insurance here in Ontario and it seems that a lot of us won't be riding this season just because of the sheer cost to insure. I've talked to many of our membership and everybody that I speak to is very optimistic tinkering with their trikes. I'm personally in the same boat as everybody else, looking forward to seeing everybody in the spring.

## UNITED KINGDOM

### England

**Director:** Dean "Punky" Barnitt, Cornwall: 07912 101065, [btw-uk@hotmail.com](mailto:btw-uk@hotmail.com)

**Asst Director:** Kathy "Beano" Barton: 01462 637752, [beanobaggit@hotmail.com](mailto:beanobaggit@hotmail.com)

### Meetings:

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**Area 2:** Every 2nd Sunday, 2pm. Royal British Legion, Newport Pagnell, MK16 8AN. Contact Crinkle: 07831 452313 or [jonhorwood@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jonhorwood@hotmail.co.uk)

**Area 4:** Norfolk. Contact Beans: 01485 518254, 07455 220174 - [beanzie59@gmail.com](mailto:beanzie59@gmail.com)

**Area 5:** Cheshire. Contact Colin Hornby: 07804 093648 - [xxcolin@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:xxcolin@hotmail.co.uk)

**Area 6:** 3rd Thursday of the month. Tom Hoskins Pub, 131 Beaumanir Road, Leicester, LE4 5QE. Contact Mixa: 07773 138659

**Area 7:** 1st Sunday of the month. Dog & Rat, Broughton, North Lincolnshire. Contact Rob: 07525 170721 - [r895mills@yahoo.com](mailto:r895mills@yahoo.com)

**Area 8:** 2nd Wednesday of the month, 8pm. Lowers Arms, 301 Hyde Rd, Denton, Manchester M34 3FF Contact Martin (Dusty) Ablot: 07883 828387 - [martinablot@aol.com](mailto:martinablot@aol.com)

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Please note: All meeting dates are subject to change, so please contact by phone or email first.

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**News:** Firstly, we would like to wish you all a big, and slightly belated, HAPPY NEW YEAR! Here in the UK, we have had all of the weather over the festive season, but despite feeling a little chilly and windswept, we are hopeful of a scorching summer and a great triking year ahead. The festive season really went off with a swing as the members of Area 12 welcomed several members from Area 2. Mr and Mrs Hightower were also able to attend the festive



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gathering, and everyone had an excellent time. Many thanks to Area 12 for throwing, yet another, fantastic party. If you are new to the BTW, or new to triking, you may not be so aware of some of the fantastic rallies that will be going on up and down the country. So, it is that time, again, when I remind members, old and new, that now is the time to start planning your rally diary. One such epic rally, that is heavily attended by BTW members, is the Trikes 'R' Us rally: Trikefest. This particular rally is an extremely popular, sell-out, event, and as this is their 20th anniversary it is especially important that you book nice and early to avoid disappointment. There is a strict 500 ticket limit. The rally will run from May 22 - 25, 2015 at the Littleport Leisure Centre in Ely. With brilliant facilities, fantastic entertainment and the opportunity to make a bunch of awesome new friends; this rally is an absolute 'MUST ATTEND' event. Tickets will be on sale very soon; for more

information please visit the Trikes 'R' Us website: <http://www.trikesrus.co.uk/trikefest.php> Obviously, after the excitement of 'Trikefest' you will be looking for another awesome rally-fix. What better way than with your very own BTW UK 'Threedom Rally'. Yes, I am plugging this to death, but this is another amazing event, with the added bonus of it being totally yours. As well as a excellent line up of entertainment and a truly fantastic rally site, you also have comfort of knowing that you will be spending the weekend in the exclusive company of your BTW brothers and sisters - and close friends. Please be aware that there is a limit to the amount of tickets that we can allocate, so it is advisable to book early. The event will be held at the 'Tiddler' in Ellerdine on July 17-19, 2015. Again, for further details please visit our website. Wishing you all a fantastic 2015. Georgia



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# Around the World on Trikes



Superstition Chapter AZ We all had a great time at our Christmas party. Lots of food for everyone!! Thank you goes out to Benjamin Vega and wife Shirley for opening up their home.



Colorado's Pike's Peak Trikers' at their Holiday Dinner Party. Great turnout!

SAN DIEGO XMAS PARTY



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# *Around the World on Trikes*



**Martin Dusty Ablott BTW-UK Area 8  
And Friends**



A great day at Lake Mead for our photo shoot !!!! thanks to Charles and Claudia for joining us with their beautiful Goldwing trike with side car it's awesome !!!! we then had lunch at Railroad Pass for talk of the day !!!!



**Three of us Bridge City types in the  
Vancouver Veterans Day Parade. Jeff, Dave  
& Dick**



**Don and Jane Carr, Forsyth, MO**

# Around the World on Trikes

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Eagle Rock Riders IL Christmas 2014 at The Elmore's



From the Finger Lakes Area Chapter NY



High Country Area Chapter AZ presenting a check to Child Haven in Prescott. Many thanks to all who attended the High Country Area Blowout in Payson and made it such a success.

PAHRUMP TRIKERS MAKING A \$500 DONATION TO FOOD FOR THOUGHT !!!



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# Around the World on Trikes

Ho, Ho and.... Ho.  
Merry Xmas with UK area 12.



UK: Present time with  
Mr & Mrs Hightower.



Southern Nevada Xmas party what a great party and great food !!! thanks to Jody for all her hard work getting this together it was an outstanding job !!!! the food that everyone brought was just great ! we had so much fun at the gift exchange but I feel sorry for Gale he lost his gift about 3 times lol !!

**Our very own chapter Director from Vancouver Island CA. says Merry Xmas and a frantic first to all BTW from Santa Clause BTW North Pole. Prancer said to say, don't just put out milk and cookies, Reindeers like lettuce**



# Around the World on Trikes

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## **ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS**

**KEEP THE PHOTOS OF YOUR TRIKES AND ARTICLES ABOUT YOUR TRIPS COMING! IF WE DON'T FIND ROOM THIS TIME WE WILL GET THEM IN THE NEXT ISSUE.**

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# ITEMS OF INTEREST

## Kentucky & Barkley Lakes Area

**With the Central States Regional Trike-In being held here at Gilbertsville, Kentucky,**

I thought it might be a good idea to give our TRIKER friends an overview of our beautiful Lakes Region which some have dubbed “Kentucky’s Western Waterlands”. Kentucky Lake, which is less than a mile from the site of the Trike-In, was formed in 1944, after the completion of Kentucky Dam on the Tennessee River. It’s purpose was to control flooding on the Tennessee, lower Ohio & Mississippi Rivers. KY Dam, which can be accessed for a great view, is 206 feet high and 8,422 feet long! It created the largest man-made lake in the eastern United States, with 2,300 miles of shoreline, and draws millions of visitors a year! It’s neighbor, Lake Barkley, completed in the sixties, is a bit smaller but together they are a vacationers paradise! From primitive camping to luxury resorts, you can choose your favorite way to relax. Dividing the Lakes is a beautiful strip of land now known as the Land Between the Lakes or LBL. It is designated a National Recreational Area, similar to a National Park. You’ll find no gas stations or fast food joints in LBL, so gas up before you go! What you will find are mile after beautiful mile of woods, wildflowers and assorted forest dwellers, all easily reachable on the “Trace,” which runs north from Grand Rivers, KY south to Dover, Tennessee. In between are the Nature Station, where you can get up close with various local critters, the Golden Pond Visitor Center & Planetarium, The Elk & Bison Prairie, (NOT on a trike! They are free roaming, but fenced from main road) and my favorite The Homeplace, a living history 1880’s farmstead, where you can watch and maybe even help with the day to day work of a “tween the rivers” farm. It’s an area with plenty to do, that still has a small town feel. Yes, there’s a McDonald’s, a Crackerbarrel, and a KFC, among others. But we still have a Drive-In movie theater, Mom & Pop businesses, quiet corners to get away from it all and roads to ride! And that’s just in the neighborhood..... Stay Tuned!

## FROM THE NORTH SOUND THREEDOM RIDERS

Co-Director and Road Captain Mike Brenaman ran the meeting and presented us with the first draft of the 2015 ride schedule. It is amazing to me the amount of work one can put into a ride schedule. Between all the possibilities, compounded by the geographical distance we live apart from one another, times the fuel stops, divided by the rest stops, and let’s not forget the smoke breaks (not to be taken during the fuel stops). And then there is the scenic pull-out photo-ops. Now let me see were those on the left side of the road, or were they on the right side of the road? Now we gotta change the route to travel the other direction. Now that we’ve smoothed out the routes, any ideas where we want to eat? Great plan!! But, were going North now instead of the other way due to the “left turn hazard continuum” And how hot is that gonna be that time of the year? We actually can’t tell you that until we’re there, as we determine the temperature by how far a triple scoop ice cream cone runs down Leroy’s arm before he can finish it (just to the elbow we found to be 102 degrees) but again that can only be determined on location. Just when we thought we had it somebody asked what Ferry will we have to catch? I’m sorry we don’t say Ferry anymore, it’s the “Washington State, Over Water By-Directional Transportation System” Really? I mean Really? I guess it comes to no surprise Mike’s still at it!! Russ





# ITEMS OF INTEREST

This is a brand new venture in 2015 for BTW with the First Gold Hotel and Casino in Deadwood SC, this year we are getting involved and BTW will be operating the Trike show at the event. The plan is to partner with this Organization next year and make this a national BTW event. For all of you members who travel all the time, We are working with them to offer Discounts to BTW card holders at any time of the year. This project is being handed by Kathryn Henry Regional Director.

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# BTW EVENTS CALENDAR



## Upcoming events

**Feb. 13 - 15, 2015**

**Sweetheart Trike-In** at Utery Mountain Regional Park \$20 per couple/ \$15 per person. Includes patch. Destination Rides, Games, meet & Greet w/icecream Social. Auction,  
Checks payable to Superstition Chapter of the BTW.  
Mail to Lance southworth 29362 N. Varnum Rd. San Tan Valley AZ 85143, for more info call Tom magin @ 602-999-5479 or Lance Southworth @ 480-263-3862 or karen Redfern @ 480-823-4411.

**March 20-22, 2015**

**BTW Western Regional Trike-In**

Riverside Hotel and RV  
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We are setting aside the entire week from March 16-22, 2015, as part of the event. We will have additional rides and events prior to the official weekend activities. We will have our St Patrick's Day celebration with all of the goodies on March 17th.  
Make plans to join us for fun, friendship, rides, food and a good time for all. Further information will be available in the TRIKER Magazine as the date approaches. To volunteer: Contact Jack Mertes, Region 9 jackregion9btw@dakotacom.net

**APR. 17 - 19, 2015**

**NEVADA TRIKE-IN**  
Held in Beatty NV. more info to follow.

**Apr. 30 - May 3, 2015**

**California Spring Trike-In** at Madera Cal.

**May 22 -25, 2015**

**The West End Fun run** Memorial Day Weekend in Seligman AZ, more to follow

**May 22 - 25, 2015**

**2nd ANNUAL MEETING** of BTW FRANCE in Aix Les Bains organized by BTW International Association France (Brothers of the Third ideally located between the mountains and the lake in the hearth of the Rhône Alpes region, where the most prestigious concentrations of cars and bikes, the 2nd meeting will take place. The "Esplanade du Lac", a prestigious location known to host one of France's

largest musical event (Musilac), will gather an expected crowd of 400 aficionados of these unusual vehicles and their 200 "machines" and of course 8000 to 10000 visitors from Aix and Rhône Alpes. It is, as always, with a frame of mind of Fraternity, Conviviality, Exchange and Solidarity that trikers from the 4 corners of France and Europe will converge to Aix Les Bains  
Come join us.

**June 3- 6, 2015**

**Trikeapallosa 2015 at Camp Sandusky** 3518 Tiffin Ave Sandusky, Oh 44870 Bruce Kline, 330-336-5191 threedom riders @aol.com 4 days of fun in the sun. This event is held during the amazing Ohio Bike Week in Sandusky, Ohio. Our base camp will be at Camp Sandusky, 3518 Tiffin Ave. Sandusky, Ohio, +Phone 1-800-431-7449. Mention BTW when making reservations. Campground has tent camping, RV and cabin available. Hotels, motels, restaurants in close by. Tons for all to do

**June 4 - 7, 2015**

**Oregon State Trike-In** at Dallas OR.

**June 10th - 14th, 2015**

**Central States Regional Trike-In** at Ken - Bar Lodge, 7711 U.S. 641, Gilbertsville, KY, 42044 and Kentucky Lake Resort and RV Park, adjacent to the lodge. Details are still being worked out, but the two host accommodations will take early reservations now! All the rooms at the Lodge are \$50.00 a night, tax included. (270) 362 - 4990. The RV park only has space for 30 RV's (water & electric, \$18 a night and full hookup, \$20) but has primitive sites available for \$10 a night. They also have other rooms & 1 cottage available with prices ranging from \$50 to \$95 a night. Call (270) 362 - 8652.. Registration for the event is only \$5.00 a person. Thursday night, the 11th, we will be going to a Branson style 50's & 60's variety show, in nearby Grand Rivers. Tickets for the show will be \$20.50. For any questions please call Gene Renfro, State Director or Bonnie Walton, secretary, at (270) 909 - 0094.

**June 19 - 21, 2015**

**Blackhawk Lake Trike-In** Blackhawk Lake S. Blossom Rd. Lake View, IA 51450. Bob Kepler, 612-209-2330 willys39sd@hotmail.com Camping at State Campground, south side of lake. Motels and restaurants available  
Trike Show, Parade ride, meal runs.

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# BTW EVENTS CALENDAR

**June 26 - 28, 2015**

**12th, Annual Four Corners Trike-In** at Coffeerville KS.

**June 26 - 28, 2015**

**OHIO TRIKE IN**

Meet & Greet, Adult & Kid Games, Group meal, Trike Games, Trike & Bike Show. State Meeting, Camp Fire, Contact Marc Tyler@tylermarc33@yahoo.com or 614-444-8612 event held at Mohican Reservations Campgrounds 23270 Wally Rd. Loudonville OH 44842 Pre-registration fee:\$15.00 adult, \$9.00 kids 12to18years, 12 & under free, Camping is \$10.00 person/ per day

**July 3-5, 2015**

**The 2015 Colorado Trike-In** at Mountindale Campground, Colorado Springs. contact the campground directly to make a reservation, at 719-576-0619. For information on the trike-in events or schedule, contact Bill Haskett at bhaske@aol.com, 719-598-5531 or Kathy Haskett at khaskett@ent.com or 719-550-6797.

**Jul 16 - 19, 2015**

**1st. Annual 3 Wheel Motorcycle Rally** in Deadwood South Dakota. BTW is participating in this event go to www.d3wr.com for more information

**July 17-19,2015**

**BTW UK Threedom Rally** at Ellerdine.

**July 17-19,2015**

**16th, Annual Finger Lakes Trike-In** at NY.

**July 24-26, 2015**

**Camping In The Clouds Trike-In** at Florence WI.

**Aug. 13-16, 2015**

**Pacific NW Regional Trike-In** at WA.

**August 14 - 16, 2015**

**Field of Dreams Trike Rally**

Held at the Field of Dreams Camp Ground in Milledgeville, IL. for info call Jim Fiser at 815-281-0278

**August 21-23, 2015**

**15th, Annual Pennsylvania Trike-In,**  
Borderline Trikers

**August 21-23, 2015**

**Iowa State BTW RALLY and Iowa Heartland Trike-in** Holmdahi Park Kellogg IA Kellogg, IA 50135

Directions: off I-80 take exit 173 off I-80 take hwy north about 2 miles to Kellogg Rock Creek State Park reservation number 1-877-427-2757 . Motels Newton and Grinnell Iowa. RV camping at exit 173 two. trike games, & a trike run. Event patches available for \$5.00. Event \$10 Per Person, Any questions on camping call Dave at 641-792-8127 24-7 CELL 641-840-0826 or e-mail leeh@iowatelecom.net

**August 21-23, 2015**

**15th, Annual Pennsylvania Trike-In,** Borderline Trikers

**August 21-23, 2015**

**16th, Annual Nebraska Trike-In** at Wilber NE.

**Sept 11-13, 2015**

**12th, Annual Kansas State Trike-In** at Emporia KS.

**Sept 18-20,2015**

**14th, Annual High Country BLOWOUT** at Payson AZ.

**Sept. 25-27, 2015**

**4th Annual Pokie Okie Trike-In** OK

**Sept. 25-27,2015**

**Missouri Fall Reunion** MO

**Oct. 16-18, 2015**

**California State Fall Trike-In** at Madera CA.

**Nov. 6-8,2015**

**14th, Annual Florida Trike-In** at Inglis FL.

**Nov 6-8,2015**

**15th, Annual Turkey Fest** at Tombstone AZ



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# FROM THE MEMBERS

**To Desert Renagades BTW Tucson AZ. from Casa de las Ninos Family services.**

Thank you all soooooo much for a wonderful day! I am so sorry that I had to leave early, but I know that the children and staff had a really good time and they really enjoyed everything! We are so thankful that you chose to come and spread some holiday cheer around to our little ones. They really needed it especially this time of year. I hope that we can continue to keep in touch and that your family and friends have a safe and happy holiday! THANK YOU!



p.s., the young lady that I took with me received her gift when she came back to Casa. She always wanted a Monster High doll and said that she was "so beautiful" and couldn't believe she finally got one.

Kudos to you all and making it a really special day for them.

I cannot thank you enough J



**On August 1, 2014 the three BTW couples** in the picture started out from Cochran, PA on a trike road trip which lasted 31 days and 9300 miles. Our travels took us to Sturgis, SD for bike week then on to Montana, Washington, and Oregon. The picture of Arnold Lippert; Judy Mona; Dave and Barb Dodds; and Nancy and Roger Brunot was taken at the Lava Fields near Sisters, Oregon. We traveled through the Redwoods in northern California and then headed east to Colorado where we drove up Pikes Peak before traveling home to Pennsylvania. We met other BTW members during our trip. We have a beautiful country and enjoyed the many National and State Parks and other points of interest and scenery along the way.



## NOTICE

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# FROM THE MEMBERS

## Greetings Trikers and Friends... From Churchy

When I went to take the WA 3-wheel endorsement test they told me I could not take it on my custom VW Trike..."Your Trike is too wide for the course, you have to use one of our loner trikes"...Boy was I pissed... Long story, short version - I passed...

Russ Lamb, North Sound Threedom Riders Co-Director, had been in contact with Kyle McCarty, ( DOL ) and had an opportunity to show Kyle how his "too wide to fit" Rewaco Trike could easily navigate their course... Russ gave me Kyle's info and I contacted him about doing more research... Long story, short version - We all agreed that "too wide to fit" was not the way to do it...So, thanks to Russ, Kyle and the DOL, the WA State Legislature has changed the "too wide to fit" rule...

Quote from THE RIDE REPORT, A newsletter for Washington Motorcycle Safety Program Instructors...

## Now Testing All Legal Rigs

"In the past, unconventional 3-wheel vehicles (i.e. - Bikes with Voyager or Tow-Pac kits, large trikes, etc.) were excluded from being used in the 3-wheel Endorsement Test.

However, like it or not, the Legislature has determined these vehicles are currently legal on Washington roads. Therefore, after conducting research tests, and in consultation with our state's 3-wheel Chiefs, DOL has decided that these rigs are now able to be used in Endorsement Testing. If it has three wheels, is plated as a motorcycle, and requires an endorsement - it can be tested." Kyle emailed me about the good news and we set a date for him to speak at the Coastal Cruisers regular Thursday evening meeting Jan. 8th... I was under the weather that night and was unable to attend...I'm told it was very productive meeting with a lot of good questions from the 38 people in attendance...Kyle also spoke about a new licensing requirement for new home built Trikes being licensed for the first time... Russ drove down from Whidbey Island to hear what Kyle would talk about and here's what Russ has posted on the BTW Public Forum...Check out the forum to see what other BTW members are saying and join the conversation...

Please allow me to add the new report concerning Home-built Trikes licensed in Wa. State. -Home-built Trikes will be allowed to be licensed in Wa. State as long as the builder of said Trike is willing to sign a waiver releasing the State of all liability. And in doing so, the builder of that Trike shall from that point forward except all liability for that Trike build. -If that builder sells that Trike in the future, he still holds the liability for the soundness of that build. -Any new Home-built trikes built from multiple vehicles licensed as a new vehicle will be subject to current EPA standards of that time. -All licensed existing Trikes are Grand-Fathered in on the standards of their original build or say, original license dates.

## Russ Lamb

I wish I could have been there... Someday I might want to build another Trike... For those of you that did not attend that presentation and need more info, I suggest you contact Kyle directly... Here is his contact info... Kyle McCarty  
Department of Licensing Motorcycle Safety Technical Specialist 1125 Washington St. SE Olympia, WA 98507-9030  
KMcCarty@dol.wa.gov (360) 902-3640 -Office (360) 584-5746 -Cell (360) 570-4914 -Fax Kyle is a really nice guy and I'm sure he can answer any of your questions... Straight from the horses mouth, so they say... So, for any of you that do not have their 3-wheel endorsement, you won't have to run the course on a loner Trike like I had to...And if you're building a new Trike, your welds should be done by a certified welder... Document everything because you may need that info down the road sometime...That's it for now... Keep the shiny side up... Churchy

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# In Memory of Trikers Lost



**Sheila Shaw** of Callahan, FL. went home to be with the Lord on December 31, 2015. Wife of BTW member Buck Shaw We will miss her greatly.

## Correction from last Issue:

**Kevin Judson** was submitted in error and KevIn is alive and well !!!!

**Bear Hoffstatter** passed away Jan 2nd, 2015, husband of Bobee Hoffstatter and long time member and Director of the BTW Long Beach Chapter, We have lost much of the fun in this world that he always brought.



**George Heisler** passed away Jan 24, 2015 after a lengthy illness. He was a member of the Iowa NW Lakes Tripods and will be missed by all.



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