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Director



A Huge Thank You and Love Ride Success!

As the days get cooler and we head into the holiday season, I want to take a moment to express my deepest gratitude. Your commitment and enthusiasm continue to fuel our Chapter, and it is truly appreciated.

Thank You for Your Support!

To every member who rode with us, attended a meeting, helped organize an event, or simply showed up to share a meal and fellowship—thank you. Your ongoing support is the backbone of Biggs HOG, and it's what makes our Chapter feel like a true family. We are incredibly fortunate to have such a dedicated and spirited group of riders.

Love Ride: Exceeding Expectations!



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This year, the energy and dedication surrounding the *Love Ride* were truly inspiring! I am absolutely thrilled to announce that Biggs HOG not only met, but **EXCEEDED** our fundraising goal for this monumental charity event.

We are so proud of the generosity shown by all of you. Every dollar raised will go toward helping *The Wounded Warrior Project*, and we couldn't have done it without your personal effort and commitment.

The Rebirth of a Legend

The return of the *Love Ride* to the Southern California calendar was a massive success, and Daniel P, Marlin, and I were proud to be a part of it. The atmosphere, the crowds, and the rumble of thousands of bikes coming together for a great cause proved that the spirit of this legendary event is stronger than ever.

It was more than just a ride; it was a powerful statement about the motorcycle community's ability to give back. Seeing the overwhelming positive turnout across SoCal has energized me and I anticipate *Love Ride 2026* to be even bigger and better.



Save the Date: Our Annual Christmas Party!

Let's keep the good times rolling and celebrate the end of a fantastic year together! You are invited to our Christmas Party. We will have great food, fellowship, and a change to unwind off the bikes.

Action Required: Please RSVP!

To ensure we have an accurate headcount, we kindly ask that you RSVP by December 7th.

You can RSVP to activities@biggshog.com with who will be attending and what you will bring to the potluck.

* Date: Saturday, December 13th

* Time: 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM

* Location: The Cloward Residence, Escondido

* Potluck: Appetizers and Desserts

Gene P "Tiki"

Assistant Director

Rally Around

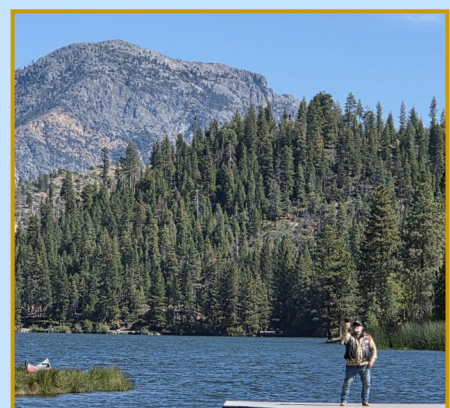
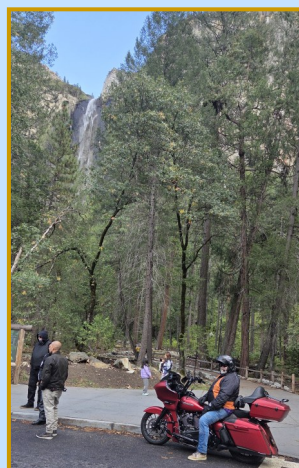


My long awaited time had come. After several years of being a HOG member and going on several long distance rides, I can now say that I have gone to an official HOG Rally. I had never considered myself as a “Rally” kind of guy. I love riding my Harley and love traveling with our Chapter, but never really wanted to hang out with a bunch of random people just because they also rode Harleys. Over the last few years our Chapter has ridden up north to participate in a few North Meets South events with other HOG Chapters, but those aren’t official HOG events. But going on those made me want to look into riding to a HOG Rally.

In 2022, when many in the Chapter went on the HOG California Big Trees Touring Rally, I had to stay behind. I was still working through my rehab and recovery from my accident and although I really wanted to go on that ride, I just wasn’t ready to go on a 9-10 day ride. And there was no way my wife was ready to let me go on a long distance ride yet either.

So the chance came this year with the Golden State HOG Rally in October. I met Pat & Cathy K for breakfast in Rancho Cucamonga along with 3 bikes from Temecula HOG. We got into Fresno early in the afternoon and checked into the hotel just as the rain was starting. The next morning we headed over to Mathews H-D to join a group ride up Highway 49, known locally as the “Little Dragon” because of all of the twisting turns of the road. After a lunch stop in Greeley Hill we all put on our rain gear as we had a feeling that we would get wet sooner or later. We took Hwy 120 to the north entrance of Yosemite and just as we were getting close, it started to lightly rain. Once inside the park, the ride leader pulled the group over to check that everyone had their gear on and then we continued on. Right after that it really started raining. I watched on my GPS as the temperature kept going down, getting down to 40. Rain turned to a mix of snow and hail. We slowed our speed and increased our distance a little but kept going. It rained on and off most of the time in Yosemite but it was still beautiful and we got some great pictures.

The following day we joined the group ride up to the Sequoias and Hume Lake. Totally different weather that day as we were in beautiful sunshine most of the day. Then we headed back for the closing ceremony dinner and met some new friends and heard some new stories. Within a few weeks we should see the HOG Rally schedule for 2026. I for one am hoping there will be at least one close to us.



Dave H

What's Happenin' at Biggs H-D



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NOVEMBER UPCOMING EVENTS

NOV. 1

NOV. 8

NOV. 15

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Ride to Homes For Our Troops Key Ceremony September 27, 2025



Road Captain

11 Motorcycle Riding Tips for Group Riding



Tip 1: Plan the Route Ahead of Time

- Use Maps and GPS

Tip 2: Pre-Ride Meeting

- Discuss Signals and Expectations

Tip 3: Maintain Proper Formation

- Staggered Formation
- Single-File in Narrow Roads

Tip 4: Keep a Safe Following Distance

- Reaction Time Matters

Tip 5: Communication Is Key

- Hand Signals

Tip 6: Ride at a Comfortable Pace

- Respect Skill Levels
- Avoid Peer Pressure

Tip 7: Gear Up for Safety

- Helmets, Jackets, Gloves, and Boots

Tip 8: Be Predictable on the Road

- Consistent Speed and Lane Positioning

Tip 9: Refuel and Rest Together

- Fuel Stops
- Hydration and Food Breaks

Tip 10: Know Your Signals for Hazards

- Road Debris and Obstacles

Tip 11: Respect Traffic Laws & Other Road Users

- Setting a Good Example
- Group Reputation Matters

Group rides are more than just a bunch of bikes moving together—they're about teamwork, communication, and trust. By following these 11 motorcycle riding tips for group riding, you'll ensure that every trip is safe, enjoyable, and unforgettable. Whether you're heading for an adventurous off-road trail, a desert ride, or a long highway cruise, preparation and discipline make all the difference.

David L "TAZ"

Ride to Hamburger Factory October 5, 2025



Ride to Mo's Egg House October 12, 2025



Ride to Borrego Springs October 18, 2025



Ride to Farmhouse October 4, 2025



**Rainbow Oaks Dinner Ride
October 15, 2025**

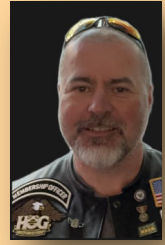


Ride to Village Pizza September 28, 2025



Membership

Membership Renewals



Membership renewal submissions for 2026 officially opened, and it's time to secure your spot for another year of fun, friendship, and unforgettable rides!

- 📌 Please note: Membership dues have increased by \$5 for 2026 - moving from \$25 to \$30. This small adjustment helps cover rising costs while ensuring we can continue providing the rides, events, and activities that make our Chapter such a great community.

The enrollment form is available at the membership table at a Chapter Meeting or on our website <https://bit.ly/ChapterMembershipForm>.

- Renewal Fee: \$30
- Two Easy Ways to Renew:
 1. In Person: Bring your completed form and \$30 cash or check
 2. By mail: Send your completed form and \$30 check to:
Biggs Harley-Davidson
ATTN: Biggs HOG Officers
1040 Los Vallecitos Blvd #113
San Marcos, CA 92069
- Checks should be made payable to: Biggs HOG Chapter 0270

Important Reminders:

- Please **DO NOT** post-date checks.
- Please **PRINT** legibly: your name, address, email address, phone number, and National HOG number.
- The enrollment form must be dated January 1, 2026 or later.
- Forms **MUST BE** signed with a wet signature (in ink).



Our Chapter motto, "Have fun and make new friends," continues to guide us. We are a community built on camaraderie and the shared joy of riding. So, gear up, join our events, and let's make the rest of 2025 unforgettable!

Let's Ride!

Shawn E

Ride to Bowers Museum October 19, 2025



Get Acquainted Ride (GAR) October 11, 2025



Golden State HOG Rally October 2 - 5, 2025



Long Distance

Overnight and Long Distance Trips



.....2025 MEMORIES.....



Laughlin Overnight Trip February



Solvang Overnight Trip July



North Meets South Long Distance Trip May



Sonora Long Distance Trip October



Cottonwood Long Distance Trip March

COME RIDE WITH US

Come out and spend a weekend, or long weekend, riding with your Biggs HOG Family in 2026!

Please email *Suggestions for 2026 Overnight and Long Distance Trips* to kenc@biggshog.com.

Overnight Trips

100 - 200 Miles

2 Days & 1 Night

Typically Sat - Sun

Long Distance Trips

300 - 500 Miles

4 Days & 3 Nights

Typically Fri - Mon

Ken C

Volunteers

Volunteer Opportunities



Upcoming volunteer opportunities:

- Help Set Up at the November 14 Chapter Meeting.
Arrive by 5:45 PM.
- Help Take Down after the November 14 Chapter Meeting ends.
- Help with our Annual Holiday Party: Planning (now through December 12)
Set Up, Take Down (December 13)



For more information on how you can help our Chapter, please stop by the Volunteer Table at the back of our Chapter Meetings. I look forward to seeing you there!

Mary D

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Chapter Meeting October 10, 2025

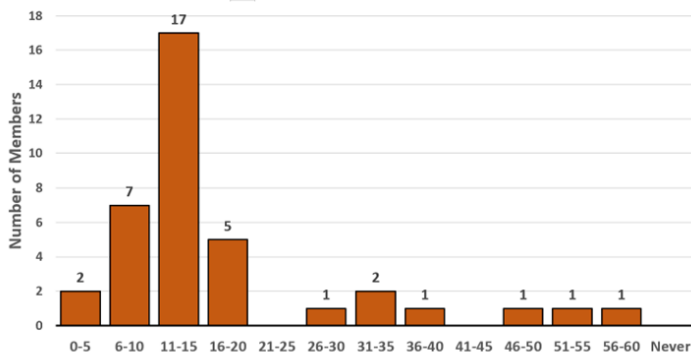
Getting to Know Our Biggs HOG Family



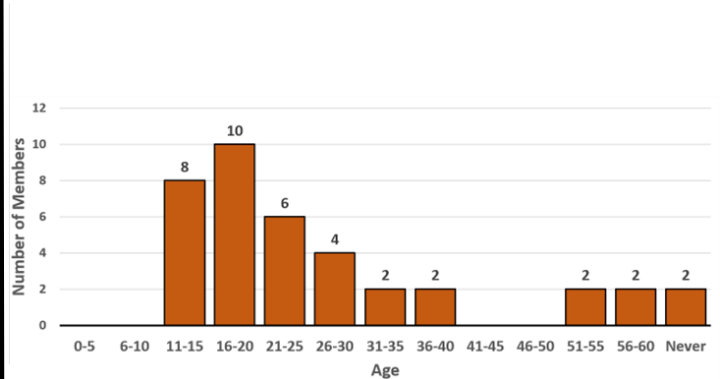
38 members completed the September 2025 Survey.
 Congratulations to Mike S who won the gift card drawing.
 A new survey opens on October 15.

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= Feather Pin Ride

November 2025

Start of Ride Locations in San Marcos

BIGGS H-D: 1040 Los Vallecitos Blvd

STARBUCKS: 126 Knoll Rd

SAT 1 -- Ride to Desert Overlook Tower
9:00 AM BIGGS H-D
Long Distance on Back Roads to
01 In-Ko-Pah Park Rd, Jacumba Hot Springs, CA

SUN 2 -- Ride to Main Chick Hot Chicken
10:30 AM STARBUCKS
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
2675 Gateway Rd, Carlsbad, CA

WED 5 -- Officers Meeting
6:45 PM Coyote Cafe
6:00 PM meal (optional); meeting starts at 6:45 PM.
1450 N Santa Fe Ave, Vista, CA

SAT 8 -- Motorcycle Monkey Ride
9:00 AM BIGGS H-D
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
10366 Mission Gorge Rd, Santee, CA

SUN 9 -- Annual Mt Soledad Memorial Ride
10:30 AM STARBUCKS
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
6905 La Jolla Scenic Dr S, La Jolla, CA

FRI 14 -- Chapter Meeting
7:00 PM BIGGS H-D
Arrive early at 6 PM to socialize, sign up to volunteer,
renew your membership. Everyone is welcome.

SAT 15 -- Formation 101
8:30 AM BIGGS H-D
Come learn (or refresh your knowledge) about how
we ride as a group. Coffee and donuts. Members
receive a Rider Pin.

SAT 15 -- Get Acquainted Ride (GAR)
10:30 AM BIGGS H-D
After Formation 101, put your knowledge to work
during our popular Medium Distance ride on Mixed
Roads and then eat lunch with your HOG family at
Thai One On, 485 S Melrose Dr, Vista, CA

SUN 16 -- Ride to El Indio
10:30 AM STARBUCKS
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
3695 India St, San Diego, CA

SAT 22 -- Ride to Breakfast Republic
9:00 AM BIGGS H-D
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
251 N El Camino Real, Encinitas, CA

SUN 23 -- Ride to Yo' Cheesesteak
10:30 AM STARBUCKS
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
31333 Temecula Pkwy, Temecula, CA

FRI 28 -- Ride to Mexico Café
10:30 AM BIGGS H-D
Medium Distance on Back Roads to
44500 Pechanga Pkwy, Temecula, CA

SAT 29 -- Ride to Nixon Library
8:00 AM STARBUCKS
Long Distance on Mixed Roads to
18001 Yorba Linda Blvd, Yorba Linda, CA

SUN 30 -- Ride to Liberty Station Corvette Diner
10:30 AM STARBUCKS
Medium Distance on Mixed Roads to
2965 Historic Decatur Rd, San Diego, CA



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Biggs HOG Chapter 2025 Rides Recap January 1 - September 30

Type of Ride	Number	Total Days	Total Bikes All Days	Ave Bikes Per Day	Total Miles	Ave Miles Per Day
Local Feather Pin Rides	78	78	838	11	4,482	57
Overnight Trip Rides	2	4	45	11	1,386	347
Long Distance Rides	2	10	69	7	3,047	305
2025 Total (Jan-Sept)	82	92	952	10	8,915	97

Local Feather Pin Rides mileage is "one way" from starting point to destination. Overnight and Long Distance Trip mileage includes ride to destination, optional day rides during trip, and optional ride home.

Miles not included in totals:

- * 8 Local Feather Pin Ride Rain Outs
- * Optional RARs (Ride After Ride)
- * May Ride

8 Rain Outs

- 1 in January
- 2 in March
- 2 in April
- 1 in May
- 2 in September



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