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Politics - Legislative Bills At A Glance

Presented by The Lombardo Group, ABATE Lobbyist

AB 43 FRIEDMAN (D – GLENDALE, CHAIR OF ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION). TRAFFIC SAFETY. This bill would require, beginning June 1, 2022, and every 6 months thereafter, Caltrans to convene a committee of external design experts to advise on revisions to the Highway Design Manual. This bill would extend the period of time a prima facie speed limit may be justified by an engineering and traffic survey, as specified, if a registered engineer evaluates the section of the highway and finds that there has been an increase in traffic-related crashes.

*Senate amendments concurred in. To Engrossing and Enrolling. 9/9/21

AB 122 BOERNER HORVATH (D – OCEANSIDE) VEHICLES: REQUIRED STOPS: BICYCLES. This bill would require a person riding a bicycle, when approaching a stop sign at the entrance of an intersection, to yield the right-of-way to any vehicles that have stopped at the entrance of the intersection, have entered the intersection, or that are approaching on the intersecting highway close enough to constitute an immediate hazard, and shall continue to yield the right-of-way to those vehicles until reasonably safe to proceed.

*Enrolled and presented to the Governor on 9/8/21

AB 232 Gallagher (R – Yuba City) Off-highway vehicles: reciprocity. Existing law requires every off-highway motor vehicle that is not registered under the Vehicle Code to display an identification plate or device issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles, with certain exceptions, including an off-highway motor vehicle with a currently valid identification or registration permit issued by another state. Except as otherwise specified, a violation of the Vehicle Code is punishable as an infraction.

This bill would permit application of that exception only if the other state recognizes an identification plate or device issued by the department as valid for use in that state. (SUPPORTING)

*Enrolled and presented to the Governor on 9/8/21

AB-1512 BAUER KAHAN (D – ORINDA) OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICULAR RECREATION: CARNEGIE STATE VEHICULAR RECREATION AREA: ALAMEDA-TESLA EXPANSION AREA
* Ordered to inactive file at the request of Senator Glazer amended to SB-155 PUBLIC RESOURCES TRAILER BILL.

The bill would require the department to determine the best use of land known as the “Alameda-Tesla Expansion Area,” which is currently part of the Carnegie State Vehicular Recreation Area, as provided. The bill would prohibit the land from being designated as a state vehicular recreation area. The bill would transfer \$1,000,000 from the General Fund to the State Parks and Recreation Fund for this purpose. The bill would transfer \$29,800,000 from the General Fund to the trust fund to be used for the acquisition and development of properties to expand off-highway vehicle recreation, as provided.

*Enrolled and presented to the Governor on 9/15/21

SB 66 ALLEN (D – SANTA MONICA) CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON THE FUTURE OF TRANSPORTATION: ADVISORY COMMITTEE: AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE TECHNOLOGY.

This bill would require the secretary to establish an advisory committee, the California Council on the Future of Transportation, to provide the Governor and the Legislature with recommendations for changes in state policy to ensure that as autonomous vehicles are deployed, they enhance the state’s efforts to increase road safety, promote equity, and meet public health and environmental objectives. The bill would require the council to be chaired by the secretary and consist of at least 22 additional members, selected by the chair or designated, as specified, who represent, among others, transportation workers, various state and local agencies, and a disability rights organization.(SUPPORTING)

** August 26 hearing: Held in committee and under submission

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What is ABATE?

ABATE is a Motorcyclists' Rights Organization dedicated to preserving freedom of choice, freedom of the road on or off with emphasis on education and safety. Although not a club, our members are active in programs for public awareness, motorcycle safety and supporting charity events throughout the state. There are no special requirements for joining aside from an interest in promoting motorcyclist's rights and safety through Membership.

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Bills At A Glance continued

SB 227 JONES (R – SANTEE) OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES.

This bill would require, for the issuance or renewal of a competition identification, a specified configuration for the vehicle identification number and product identification number for an off-highway motor vehicle or ATV that is model year 2022 or later and is used solely for competition not on a public highway. The bill would impose restrictions on the operation of a competition motorcycle or ATV on public lands, including, among others, a requirement that a rider possess a current and valid competition card from a competition-sanctioning organization when practicing for a sanctioned event on public lands. Because operating a competition motorcycle or ATV on public lands in violation of those requirements would be a crime, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. (SUPPORTING)
 *Held in committee, Two Year Bill

SR-41 CABALLERO (D – SALINAS) MOTORCYCLE PROFILING: According to the Department of Motor Vehicles, there were 857,273 motorcycles registered in California in 2019. Motorcycle profiling is the illegal use of the fact that a person rides a motorcycle or wears motorcycle-related apparel as a factor in deciding to stop and question, take enforcement action, arrest, or search a person or vehicle with or without legal basis under the Constitution of the United States. Rallies to raise awareness and combat motorcycle profiling have been held in multiple states and six times at the California State Capitol since 2011.

*Passed Senate Floor Unanimously 39-0 on 7/12/2021

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Membership Chair Report written by Sporty Milligan

Hello All! Once again thank you for all you do to try and keep our membership numbers consistent. This is a big deal! Local Presidents, do your best to keep your renewals. As always, we are striving to get the best results!

Remember the Membership Drive is nearing its final stretch for the year. That means you will have to do your best to sign-up new members, if you want to get the money for the First, Second or Third place spots.

How do you accomplish that task? Go to your area bike nights, ask folks to join ABATE of California. With a little bit of luck, you can be successful and sign-up a member or two. Carry the membership cards in one of your pockets.

You can also plug ABATE at bike dealerships. Just spread the word about ABATE wherever you go in the biking world. Happy membership hunting!

Regards, Sporty Milligan, ABATE Membership Chairman

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- (1) \$125 Gold Business w/ Blk/Wht Ad
- (2) \$200 Gold Business w/ Color Ad
- (3) \$250 Gold Business w/2X Color Ad

All Levels include (2) memberships with (1) address. Levels (1 & 2) ad size is (2 x 3.5) and Level (3's) ad size is (3.5 x 4) which is also published on our website www.abate.org along with a link to your company's website. New Business Members received a Display Plaque. Following years are supplied with a year plate. New Business Members or Business Members with new Business Cards must mail them into the ABATE State Office.

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(2 x 3.5) size Blk/Wht	\$15.00/Mo	\$150.00/Yr
(2 x 3.5) size Color	\$20.00/Mo	\$200.00/Yr
(3.5 x 4) size Color only	\$25.00/Mo	\$250.00/Yr

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(Ads & Flyers subject to approval by Editor)

¼ Page (5w x 7.8h)	\$150.00/Mo	\$1500/Yr
½ Page (10w x 7.8h)	\$175.00/Mo	\$1750/Yr
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Members may advertise in the Bailing Wire at no charge and their ad will be run up to (3) issues.

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If you have any photos of ABATE events, please send them to us. They will be returned if requested. Please include name of event, date, captions, etc. They must be received by the deadline in order to be published in the next issue. You can email pictures in (.jpg) or (.tiff) to bailing.wire@abate.org. All content is subject to approval by the Editor.

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What ABATE Membership Means to Me, And Remembering Sarah Renee Phillips.

From Glenn Phillips

Shortly after the tragic loss of my daughter Sarah on April 6th, 2000, I found a need to return to a love of riding motorcycles. A passion my father instilled in me as a young teen when he brought me to the garage and presented me with a new Suzuki 90 dirt bike alongside his new Suzuki 185. And the bonds of riding and comradery began.

Once I picked up riding again and finding friends who also enjoyed the joy of being on two wheels, I was introduced to ABATE. For nearly 20 years I have been involved with and a part of ABATE Local 17 and ABATE of California. I became a member over 15 years ago not only for the important cause of standing up for our rights as motorcyclists, but the friendships that culminated from it.

Over these years ABATE membership has given me not only emotional support but friendships that mean the world to me. These friendships go beyond ABATE to people that just care about each other. These friendships and others make the Annual Sarah Renee Phillips Scholarship Memorial Run possible. For years these friendships have deepened and persevered. Members that show up year after year and bring their friends to support this event or simply to donate.

Let me take a moment to Recognize and Thank those ABATE members that have taken time from their lives to volunteer for Sarah's event this year and over the years! Although not members now, Dan, Deb & Morgan Mcinnis as the original BBQ crew. Darla Bender of Miss Darla's, our starting venue, has been a very gracious host providing everyone with breakfast to start our day. Chef Mike & Candi Todd for heading up and organizing the BBQ lunch. Geno Hamrick and Chuck Moore for their help with serving and support to Chef Mike. Mike Southward for his help before, during and after with bringing and picking up of all the required supplies and helping with serving. Rose Southward for designing and organization of the run cards and flyers. Chuck Moore with serving and support to Chef Mike. Bill & Paula McBride for sign-in and information support throughout the day. Jay Marshall, Lynda Molina, Sam Fernandez and although not members YET, Dave and Beth Robertson, for awesome raffle and 50/50 organization and ticket sales. Jan and Mike Landers for whatever I might need. And all this in over 100-degree temps! Nick Benson for his event advertisement. Janet Wilhelm and the Bailing Wire staff for flyer publishing.

Now for the most important Thank You - my wife, Cathy. This gal puts up with my roller coaster emotions for a couple of months while I prepare for Sarah's event. From crying, anger, selfishness and not listening to her – she deals with it all year after year. Yes, I can be a pill, imagine that! She is my support though all of it and pitches in the entire day of the run. Her emotional support is year-round and I just need to say Thank You Honey!

This is what ABATE membership means to me. Thank you to my wife, dear friends and comrades. I am and forever will be a grateful man for these dear friendships. A successful event needs a great support staff and I am grateful that I have that and so much more. So, the next time someone asks you to join ABATE, remember the friendships that will be behind that.



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Latest Legislative Information From ABATE



California has always allowed valid "out of state" OHV registered vehicles to use our public lands. It has come to our attention that some of our neighboring states have recently implemented a "non-resident" fee for OHV's being operated in their state. By no longer honoring our California registration these states are reneging on a long standing tradition in the OHV community. These new regulations will be expensive and prove onerous to every legally licensed OHV owner that travels and recreates in other states. Our ABATE OHV Division is asking for your help and financial support in fighting this type of legislation. Assembly Bill 2761 sponsored by Assemblyman Gallagher (Republican-Yuba City) seeks to remedy this issue of reciprocity and ABATE of California is asking you to help the OHV communities of our states restore equal access to OHV areas for all legally licensed users.

In addition to AB 2761, Abate of California is proposing two other bills for our elected official's to consider this year. Our first bill would require DMV to allow rider's to take both the M/C skill's test and their DMV written exam during their CHP certified M/C training classes. After a rider successfully completes and passes both tests the school would submit the information to DMV and they would issue a valid M/C endorsement card by mail to the rider that is valid for the duration of their current California drivers license. Upon license renewal the M/C endorsement would then be added to their new license thereby saving the student the time and expense associated with visiting and testing at their local DMV office.

Our second bill would seek to exempt all M/C riders and especially our Military Veteran riders from being accessed a toll fee when traveling on a toll road within the state of California.

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Lobbyist's Legislative Report

by James Lombardo, Sr, Lobbyist

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As of Midnight September 10th, the Legislature has adjourned until January 4th, 2022. As often quoted 'No man's life, liberty or property are safe while the Legislature is in session' - They can only pass laws this Fall if they are called back by the Leadership of both Houses for Special Session, which hasn't happened in decades. Governor Newsom has until October 10th to sign or Veto bills:

Our bill SB 227 by Senator Jones did not pass off the infamous "Suspense File" so is a Two-year bill. Riders can purchase the 2022 off-road racing bikes, but will not receive a Sticker. They will only be allowed to be used for Racing events.

AB 232 Gallagher which will allow reciprocity for off-road bikes from others states to operate in California passed to the Governor.

AB 1512 Bauer-Kahan which would have allowed the expansion of State Vehicular Recreation Area Carnegie OHV Park to be sold for \$9 million was amended due to our coalition's instance that it be sold at fair market value - the State allocated \$1 million for the park and an additional \$29,800,000 to reimburse the OHV fund and secure another site for development! A small victory for the loss of the expansion of Carnage.

Take a look at our "Bills At A Glance" section for further details. Safe riding! See you in Fresno for the in person PAC & Board meeting. Thanks, as always, to the Locals and Individuals who contribute to the Dedicated Lobbyist Fund keeping us in the Capitol protecting Motorcyclists Rights!



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Mission Statement

ABATE of California is committed to protect and promote the interests of the Motorcycle community. ABATE exists to preserve and safeguard the individual rights and liberties of all riders thru political and legislative action ABATE promotes motorcycle safety through] education, training and public awareness.

In Memory of Peter Daniels - 17 September 2021

On Sunday, September 12th I got a phone call from Sandy Daniels, Peter Daniels wife. Sandy told me that Peter had been put on hospice and was at his house and if I wanted to see him that I should come now.

I gathered my thoughts, jumped on my bike and went to see Peter. I arrived at Peter's house and Sandy led me into the room where he was lying on the bed. At this point. I was not sure about anything expect my best friend, Peter, was dying. I met Peter about 30 years ago. Our love of motorcycles and the political climate that goes with it kept our friendship together. Many of you will remember that he worked tirelessly for ABATE for 32 years and was involved in many levels of our organization. Peter could always be counted on when a volunteer was needed. He was a true Freedom Fighter and my hero. For all who knew and respected him, he will be greatly missed.

He was my mentor. When it was time for Peter to step down as President of ABATE Local 1, he knew I would be able to step into the reins with his blessings. Peter was a great family man and devoted Catholic. He loved his wife Sandy very, very much. They were married for 55 years. Be blessed Sandy, that Peter was the measure of a man we all hoped to be in this life.

Peter died on September 17th, 2021. I guess at some point soon I will let my emotions out. Peter being the private person he was would just want you to say good bye. So, my old friend, good-bye. I am going to miss you dearly. This world is a poorer place without you. But I'll carry on in your memory.

Sporty Milligan, President, ABATE Local #01 Los Angeles

ABATE Events & Bike Nights for 2021

2021 Events:

- October 9th – OC Bikers for Christ – Downed Bikers Rally (see flyer this issue)
- October 23rd – ABATE Local 17 – 9th Annual Texas Hold Em Poker Tournament (see flyer this issue)
- October 23rd – ABATE of CA 4th Quarter Board Meeting (see flyer this issue) **NEW DATE**
- November 6th – ABATE Local 24 – 31st Annual Turkey Run (see flyer this issue)
- November 14th – Totally Kids One More for The Heart – contact HR for details and to volunteer (hr-wolfe@att.net)
- November 20th – ABATE Local 38 – 24th Annual Turkey Run (see flyer this issue)
- December 5th – ABATE Local 19 – 33rd Annual Toy Run
- December 18th – ABATE Local 38 – 30th Annual Imperial Valley Los Ninos Toy Run
- December – ABATE Local 1 & Glendale HD – 34th Annual LA Toy Run – A Drive by Event – Details to be announced

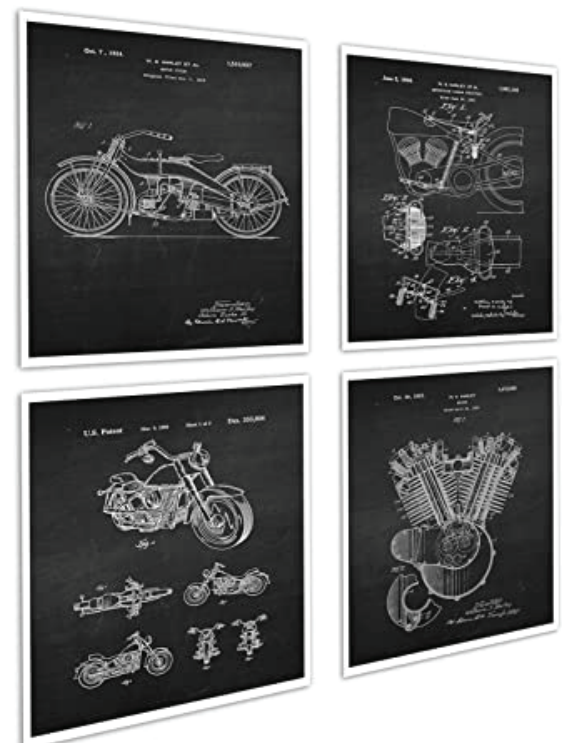
Bike Nights:

- ABATE Local 3/13
1st Thursday of the month
(see flyer this issue)

-ABATE Local 23
3rd Wednesday of the month
(see flyer this issue)

If you have a date for your event, and no details or flyer yet, you may still submit your dates, so others can pencil it in on their social calendar. Then submit your flyer in time for the Bailing Wire and to be posted on ABATE's website.

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2022/2023 ABATE Board Members Election

It is that time again! We need willing people to step up for our Board of Directors. The current Board Members up for re-election are: Sporty Milligan and Jody Maxwell. This leaves 4 open seats for the 2022-2023 term

Any current Member may nominate another member to be placed on the Election Ballot. The nomination must be seconded by another ABATE Member in good standing. The nominee needs to have been a member in good standing for at least 1 year. Nominees then need to complete the Candidacy Paper printed here and submit it with a selfie to bailing.wire@abate.org

Let's keep ABATE of CA and our fight for Biker's Right alive and well!

2022-2023 Board of Directors Election Ballot

Local # _____ Member # _____

Name #1 _____

Name #2 _____
(If couple or 2nd Business Member)

Vote #1	Vote #2 (If couple or 2 nd Business Member)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lee "Sporty" Milligan III
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jody Maxwell

You May Vote for 1 or Both

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- Member is not current at time of tally (Dec 2021)
- Ballot is not legible
- Ballot is not filled out by the actual Member

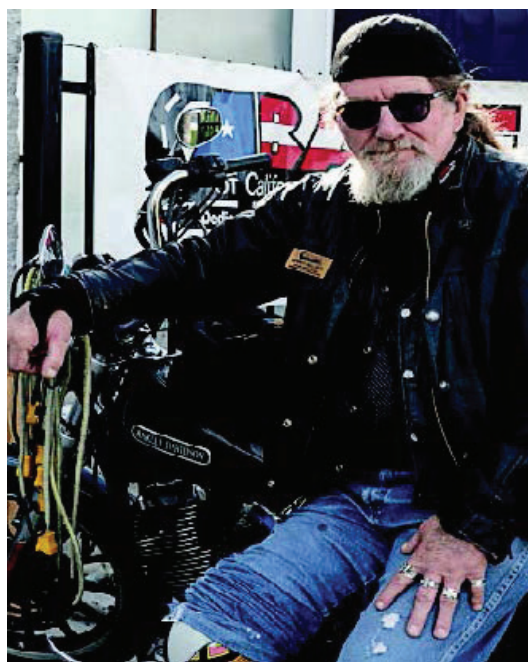
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- Scan and email to info@abate.org (write "Ballot" in the subject line)
- Fax to 1.760.956.6519 (no cover page needed)



My name is Jody "Moonie" Maxwell and I am asking that you allow me to continue as a Board Member for another 2-year term. I have been an ABATE member for 13 years and a motorcycle rider since the 1970's. I hold a liaison position in the Southern California Confederation of Clubs (COC) and am an officer in my ABATE Local 20.

I enjoy participating in motorcycle events and attending National Coalition of Motorcyclists (NCOM) informational conferences in various locations throughout the United States. I also hold the NCOM Liaison position for ABATE.



Hi all! This is Sporty Milligan, current ABATE Board of Directors Chairman, Member and State Membership Chair. You know where I stand on the issues that affect your right to ride.

With that said, I am again asking you to support me as a Board Member with your vote. We can accomplish much and need leaders to guide the membership. I feel that I can bring that leadership to guide us into the future.

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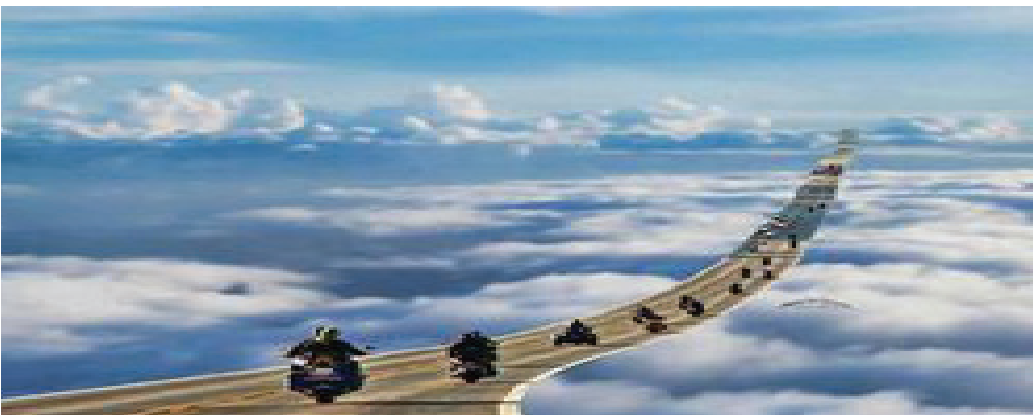
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Sporty's Rides

Sporty's Rides cover the events of my adventures in the rides I go on. All the years that I have been writing about these have, hopefully, been an enjoyable read for you all. With that introduction I hope to continue to provide an enjoyable column for you to read.

There are only a couple of runs to discuss. The first one was the invite to join the Santa Maria HOG Chapter in Ventura off Harbor Blvd to take the Flag on its journey to the Rock Store that was the next leg in its eventual journey to Las Vegas. Since our leg was during the Labor Day holiday, the turnout was small.

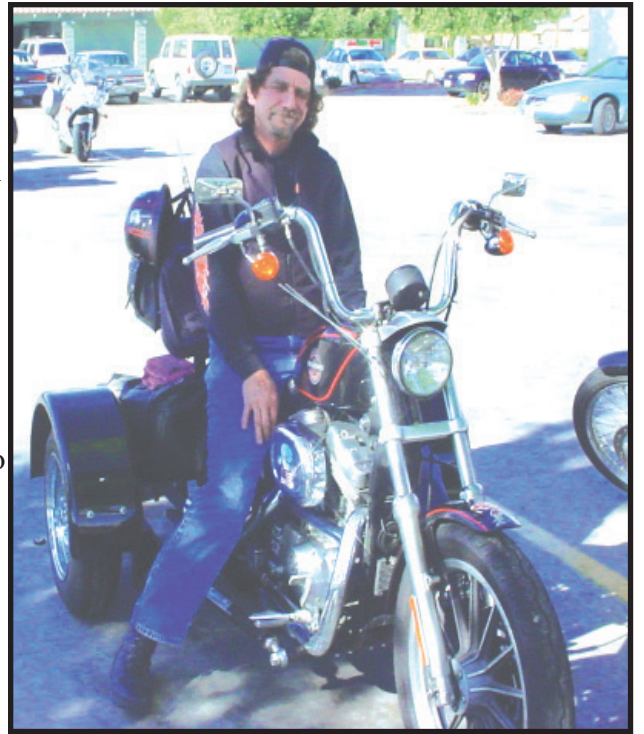
When we arrived at the dealership, we had only 6 riders show up. We had to be in Ventura by 10 am. Chad Martin was the leader and we got to Harbor Blvd in plenty of time to meet up with the Santa Maria HOG Chapter.

Once assembled, we proceeded to the Rock Store. Hot ride, but a good ride. They had special parking at the Rock Store for us. Really nice and we got a special Subway lunch - sweet. Ate in the Rock Store dining room.

We got to witness the passing of the Flag to the next Flag carrier. Gave a donation to the military veteran we were supporting. I had a good day. It was very moving.

Nothing more happening until September 11th when I went to the Glendale HD HOG Chapter meeting and then a nice ride to the Flags in Malibu at Pepperdine University. We went across PCH and parked at Malibu Park where they had vendors and food trucks plus a band. Saw Alex from Born Free Cycles at his booth. The HOG Chapter guys went downtown to eat. I stayed at the vendor area and got some chicken strips from a vendor food truck - not too pricey. Finally left for home after enjoying the day. Till next time, be safe and love your family.

Scribe Sporty reporting



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Orange County Bikers For Christ Downed Biker Rally by Steve Tolerico

It all started 15 years ago. Our late Pastor, Tom Longbrake, was given a vision from God to help bring unity within the biker community. This is the avenue the Lord laid out for the Orange County Bikers for Christ Chapter to be the boots on the ground to show the love of Jesus. Pastor Tom had a love for motorcycles, clubs, and brotherhood, but mostly Jesus, so he wanted to show that same love back with a special ministry to benefit those bikers who have been involved in a street motorcycle accident and needed assistance. Therefore, the Downed Biker Ministry and Rally was launched into action as a way to help assist the biker community.

Orange County Bikers for Christ became the first organization to host a rally to benefit those who have gone down on a street motorcycle and has been going strong ever since. Over the years, OC BFC along with many of our brothers and sisters within the Bikers for Christ Organization nationwide have assisted in countless motorcyclist aid by the grace of God. Due to unfortunate circumstances, we have had the privilege to visit many of those men and women in the hospital or at their homes. However, the ministry does not stop there because we have been called to serve. The ministry is blessed, and in view of that fact, we have been given the opportunity and ability to give a one-time monetary donation to every downed biker.

Since we are called to serve, we have been known to meet different needs in a number of capacities throughout the years; like home visits to pray and support, mow a lawn, help make traveling arrangements to doctor visits and even wash some dishes. It's God's way of using us to serve those who are in need and to glorify our Lord and Savior.

Another extension to the Downed Biker Ministry is our once-a-month Bike Night at Fatburger in Carson, CA. It is hosted by Menace, our SouthBay

Elder and the SouthBay Bikers for Christ Chapter. The SouthBay Chapter has been hosting bike nights for 10 years strong. The bike nights have been a tremendous blessing in raising additional money for the Downed Biker Fund. But beyond the monetary value, Bikers for Christ has had the pleasure of meeting different people and experiencing the comradery of brotherhood through a single commonality; motorcycles.

The Downed Biker Rally is inspired by God to raise funds for motorcycle riders regardless of race, color, religion, or club affiliation, that have been involved in a motorcycle accident that resulted in hospitalization. 100% of the proceeds collected go strictly to those who have been in an accident. We do not have any paid employees, directors or officers. We believe the purpose and goal of this ministry is to serve and bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to as many people as possible. The mission is simple, "Here am I, send me", (Isaiah 6:8).

Please contact us if there is anything we can do for you or someone you know. We love and care for all riders and their safety and Jesus does too. The Downed Biker Rally is held every 2nd Saturday in October at Rushing Wind Church at 14631 Leffingwell Road., Whittier, CA 90604. Would love to see you come out and support the ministry.

In addition, Bikers for Christ Organization is very much involved with ABATE of California. OC BFC has been a member of ABATE Local 20 in Orange County for many years to support and protect motorcycle rights. Since we pride ourselves on brotherhood, we feel it's necessary to share and encourage those who ride a motorcycle to get involved. When you get involved, you not only have a better understanding of your rights, but you are contributing towards a greater cause for all motorcyclist. Along with ABATE, we believe in - riding free!

If you would like more information on the Bikers for Christ Downed Biker Fund, you can get that information here: <http://www.downedbikerfund.org>.

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Lunch 12:00 pm – 1:00

Board of Directors Meeting: 1:00 pm – Conclusion of Business

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Local #01 Report - Los Angeles

Hi! Local 1 is back to their old stomping grounds at the Elks Lodge in Tujunga. They are doing their third Sunday breakfast again on a regular basis.

I would be remiss if I did not thank Jon Smith and the 44 crew in North Hollywood for allowing us to use their club house for our meetings in the interim. We will be asking our members to attend their events in the future.

Our meeting will be a planning event as we're doing a yard sale on the 25th of September, which is a fund raiser to build up the treasury for Local 1. We have to keep doing our Local's commitments to the state office.

We'll talk political stuff as well and, hopefully, find out about the possible LA Toy run, if we're going to do it in December.

Finally questions from the members attending the meeting. Then we'll have breakfast. After breakfast, I will go to my wife's friend, Debbie's, house to collect items for the yard sale.

ABATE Local 1President Sporty reporting

Local #08 Orange County

Greetings from Local 8! Just a short note today. Our Local meeting Monday night was well attended, though a few of the regulars were absent.

When the Membership Report came up in the agenda, Bill enticed us into a very lively discussion about gaining new members and keeping the ones we have.

Although the thoughts will need some time to digest and turn into an action plan, it looks like we could be heading into an exciting time. We are really looking forward to seeing what next month holds in store.

All for now, Steve

Local #25 Sacramento

Lil' David called the meeting to order at 7:00. There were 6 members attending.

ABATE Board Meeting: Most of the PAC activity is about off-road motorcycles. Thanks to your help, SR 41, Anti-Motorcycle Profiling Resolution passed on the Senate Floor unanimously 39-0 on 7/12/2021. Spike has retired from the Board; he was our public relations person. Janet is compiling a list of ABATE Local FaceBook pages (we don't have one). The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

Local #38 Imperial Valley

Hello ABATE Members! To start off September we had our annual No Host Labor Day Breakfast Run. This year we went to Descanso Junction. Very biker friendly, great food and decent prices. There were 13 of us. It was a nice day for a ride.

We are in the middle of preparations for the Turkey and Toy Runs. Save the dates November 20th and December 18th. The donations are starting to trickle in. Got some new ones as well as our regulars. The Chrome Divas from Oceanside as well as one of the local car clubs called the Midnight Society will be attending.

Did I mention the Los Ninos Toy Run turns 30 this year? Bob Brown always does a great job organizing this event.

We are now meeting at the Applebee's Grill & Bar, 2421 Cottonwood Drive in El Centro on the last Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. We had a dozen members show up. Most we've had in a while.

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NCOM BIKER NEWSBYTES

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NCOM CONVENTION PUTS THE HEART IN AMERICA'S HEARTLAND: Hundreds of biker's rights activists from across the country gathered in America's Heartland to discuss strategies and hear status updates regarding key issues of importance to all concerned motorcyclists, as the NCOM Convention convened July 23-25, 2021 at the Holiday Inn - Airport in Des Moines, Iowa for a weekend of learning, sharing and camaraderie.

From First Aid to traffic stops, this year's NCOM Convention addressed legal, legislative and lifesaving topics, including a featured presentation on "The Demise of Gas-Powered Vehicles" by the NCOM Legislative Task Force that explored existential threats to our sport and lifestyle.

Other informative seminars included "Insurance Law and the Big Fight" during the A.I.M. Attorney Conference along with a "Biker's View of the Law" talk by NCOM Public Relations Liaison Bill Bish, and "Protect Your Privacy & Probable Cause" by A.I.M. Attorney Joey Lester.

The Silver Spoke Awards Banquet honored Darrin Brook, Vice President of ABATE of Florida, with the Silver Spoke Award for Media; Michigan A.I.M. Attorney Dondi Vesprini for Legal, and in a stirring dedication, Boar, NCOM Board of Directors Club Liaison, presented the Ron Roloff Lifetime Achievement Award, NCOM's highest honor, to former EMS Dick "Slider" Gilmore, SOS for his lively and life-saving "Two Wheel Trauma" first responder presentations across the country over the years.

NCOM Board Chairman James "Doc" Reichenbach adjourned with a reminder that next year's NCOM Convention is scheduled for June 23-25, 2022 in Nashville, Tennessee, so check back at www.ON-A-BIKE.com for further details as they develop.



SENATE PASSES HIGHWAY BILL WITHOUT MOST MOTORCYCLE PROVISIONS: The U.S. Senate passed their version of the Highway Bill 69-30 on August 10, a \$1.2 trillion 2,000+ page Infrastructure measure to rebuild the nation's deteriorating roads and bridges and fund new climate resilience and broadband initiatives, but lacking the motorcycle-friendly provisions of the previously-passed House version, including only the reestablishment of the Motorcyclists Advisory Council (MAC).

The House Highway Bill contains several key provisions benefiting motorcycle riders; such as expanding prohibitions on motorcycle-only checkpoints, prohibiting law enforcement activities that profile motorcycle operators, evaluating biker profiling by law enforcement, specifies that motorcycles must be considered in autonomous vehicle operation, allocates increased motorcyclist safety funding, and reauthorizes the MAC at the U.S. Department of Transportation.

Typically, the Highway Bill would be taken up by a conference committee of both chambers to iron out any differences before sending a final compromise measure to the President for his signature or veto, but House Speaker Nancy Pelosi has indicated that they will not take up the bill until the Senate passes a separate, even more ambitious \$3.5 trillion social policy bill.

It could take months for Congress to pass both measures, if ever, but the current surface transportation bill expires on September 30 unless the deadline is extended.

STURGIS BIKE WEEK "BUSIEST IN YEARS": After a dip in average attendance during 2020, due primarily to the COVID-19 global pandemic, the 81st annual Sturgis Motorcycle Rally has been one of the busiest in recent memory, report officials at the event.

"There are more people here than in the 31 years I've been doing this," Meade County Sheriff Ron Merwin told the Rapid City Journal. Sturgis Public Information Officer Christina Steele said officials have heard the rally numbers could reach the 2015 record level of more than 700,000 attendees.

Public health officials have been raising Coronavirus-related concerns about the rally since before it started, particularly with the more contagious delta variant spreading across the U.S., but South Dakota Governor Kristi Noem (R), who rode to the rally, balked at the analysis, calling 'super-spreader' fears "fiction."

FUEL PRICES SOAR OVER SUMMER: As Americans hit the road this summer, they are finding a nasty surprise: High gas prices.

According to Patrick De Haan, the head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy, gas prices in some states are at their highest level since 2014, while others are at their highest since 2018. The national average fuel price this August runs about \$3.18 per gallon -- 43% higher than this time last year. The highest ever gas price average \$4.11 on July 17, 2008, according to AAA.

Gasoline demand is also nearing pre-pandemic levels. But this year, the rise in gas prices doesn't just come from demand, the issue lies with a shortage of truck drivers.

California is reported to have the highest gas price across the nation, followed by Hawaii, Nevada, Washington and Oregon.

IMS NYC CANCELLED DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS: 2020 was a strange and stressful year when most motorcycle shows were canceled. But if 2020 was the year of cancellation, 2021 has so far been a year of uncertainty, as this entire year has a caveat that events may be changed and/or canceled at any time.

COVID strikes again, as the Progressive IMS Outdoors New York City stop will not be happening this year, as announced via Instagram and Facebook; "As a result of the state of New York's recent decision to enforce proof of vaccination and rapid testing for public events of scale, we have made the difficult decision to cancel the New York event."

It then goes on to say that International Motorcycle Show organizers believe that the other events on the 2021 schedule will remain intact, not because of anything to do with the virus but because their other venues have "less restrictive health and safety mandates."

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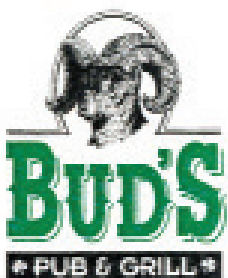
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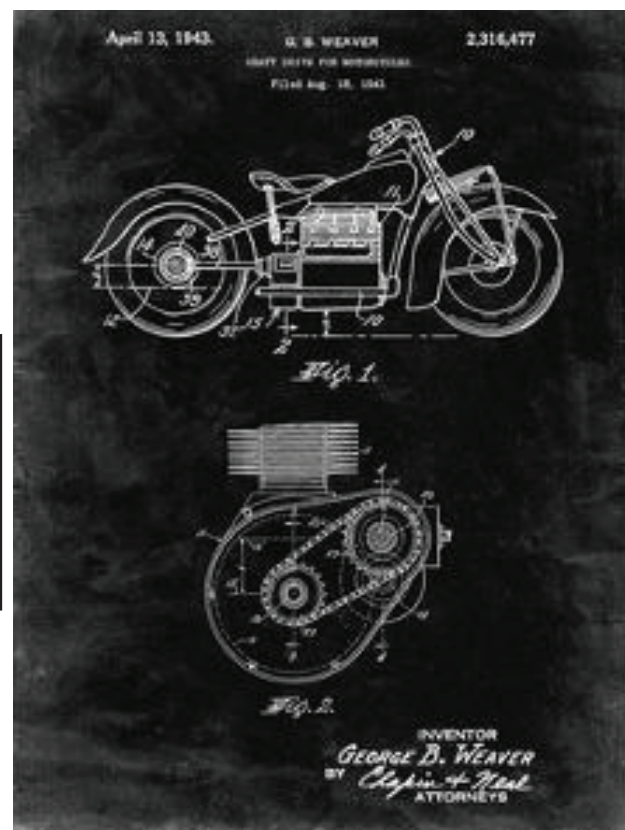
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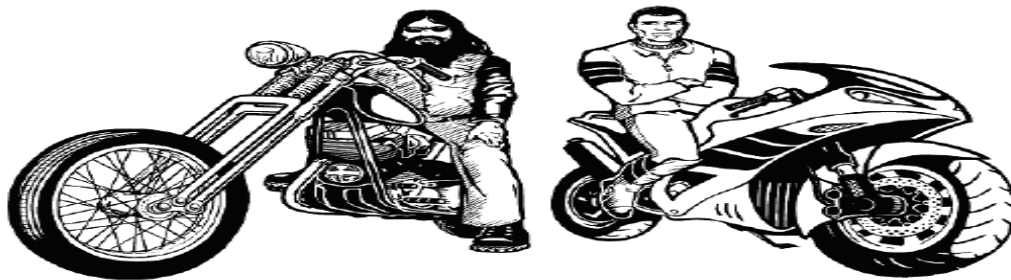


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