

# Hilltopppers MC



# Newsletter June 2007

Wipe the cobweb's off, the ole newsletter is back. I was waylayed in a Tijuana lock-up for the last few months, please forgive the lapse.

#### Past Events:

### Hilltoppers MC 29 Palms Grand Prix, April 07

Thanks to everyone for helping to put on a great event. We had over 1271 riders this year and it was, without a doubt, one of our smoothest GP's to date. Way to kick some serious ass – everyone pitched in and got dirty. A note from Prez Harry, give yourself at pat on the back as you read it.

### Letter from the President

May 11, 2007

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all Hilltoppers, family and friends who attended and worked the 33<sup>nd</sup> Annual Hilltoppers 29 Palms Wild West Grand Prix March 31<sup>st</sup> & April 1, 2007 and also Thanks to all of the Captains, Officials and Officers for fine job well done. I would like to extend a Special Thank You to Brian Hoffmann, members and friends from 29 Palms who spent many days preparing the track, coral and camp grounds for the event, the addition of a new water tank, the Coral Challenge Course and also all their hard work during the event. The Race was very successful with 1272 entries, everything went smoothly and there were a minimum of minor problems. The scoring this year was great, Bill and Lori Bateman & Crew did fine job. All Races had official result within one hour from each event and Trophies were handed out by our Signup people after two hours of each event. Great Job Bill and Lori and to all who was involved in this task!

This Big 6 Series is still the largest Series in the United States and is getting bigger, and is actively pursuing big name sponsors to support the Big Six Series. The Big 6 encourages continued professionalism at all of the Big 6 Series events. Name sponsors are impressed when they observe professionalism and consistency.

Let me thank everyone once again for a job well done and hope to see ya soon.

Sincerely,

Harry Klaus – President

Hilltoppers M.C. Inc.

#### **Future Events:**

# **Hilltopppers Events**

#### Jun 30th to Jul 14th The Great Race - North Carolina to Anaheim

You guessed it - PeeWee, Harry Klaus, Danny Fitzgerald and Mike Larkin are racing the one of a kind Beerster across the country. Competing in the Great Race 2007, the guys are set for an epic adventure in the car they conceived and built. They'll be rolling into Yucca Valley for lunch on 07/13 and into Pomona later that day. Check em' out at <a href="www.beerster8.com">www.beerster8.com</a> and <a href="www.greatrace.com">www.greatrace.com</a> for daily updates. Good luck!! Keep the rubber side down.

# Jul 21st Hilltoppers MC Banquet 2007

The Banquet is in Long Beach this year and will be at Tracy's Bar & Grill. Cost to be determined but it usually runs around \$20.00 per person. If anyone wants relief from the desert sun come on out to the coast. We're going to have a day at the beach at Pete Browns place – water, horse shoes, general hi-jinks, etc. Spend the day there then hit the Banquet that evening. Please RSVP to Steve Vince, 562-304-3686. If any 29er's need a place to crash we can make arrangements.

# Oct 2007 Hilltoppers MC Field Meet @ the 29 Palms Raceway/Rodeo Grounds.

Date to be determined – we hope to finalize the date at the Banquet after discussion.

Everyone loved the Field Meet in Feb, so much so we're doing it again. A weekend of fun and games with the Club. Contests on both days, awards for top dogs in each category. Details forthcoming but be ready for a helluva a good time. As usual, A family affair. Friends are welcome.

#### **District 37 Events**

Jun 30<sup>th</sup> Prairie Dogs – Night Desert Scramble
Aug 26-27<sup>th</sup> Invaders Desert Scramble @ Red Mountain
Sep 8-9<sup>th</sup> Los Coyotes MC Dual Euro @ Red Mountain

Sep 16th United MC Desert Scrambles @ Lucerne

Sep 30th Shamrocks MC Desert Scrambles @ Red Mountain

Oct 6&7th Viewfinders MC - GP @ Ridgecrest

#### Membership:

Dues are due again for 2007. Be the next kid on the block to have the "nearly new for 2007" Hilltopper membership card. If you can't buy a membership that's pretty lame.

Annual membership is \$36.00 -- Associates Membership is \$18.00. Make checks payable to: Hilltoppers MC, 5482 Santa Catalina, Garden Grove, CA 92845

# Race Jersey's - The club has race jerseys in stock.

Medium, Large, XL, XXL and XXXL - \$25.00 for HTMC Members.

**Email Address list:** I'm trying to get updated email addresses for everyone in the club. If you have an email address please send it to me at <a href="SVince@2roads.com">SVince@2roads.com</a>. I will send the list to everyone once it's done.

# Lost and Found:

**LOST:** One vintage Pith Helmet (also known as a Sun Helmet). 20+ years old and has seen many things you wouldn't want your kids to see. Please report to Carroll Risbon, he's anxious to find it.

**FOUND:** One vintage Pith Helmet (also known as a Sun Helmet). 25+ years old and looks to be well used. Please contact Carroll Risbon if it's yours and you want it back.

You guessed it, Editorial contributions are welcome, as are buy and sell items, trail ride info, non district race dates etc.

Submit them to Steven Vince at <a href="mailto:Svince@2roads.com">Svince@2roads.com</a> or call 562-304-3686