

**The News and Views of the
River Valley Riders
Motorcycle Club**

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Letter from the President

Greetings RVR,

Once again its time to send you a little note and let you know how things are going. The summer is going by too fast don't you think? Nick and Carol thanks for the burgers and dogs at your house. Wow nice to have five guess at the meeting. Frank you finally made it back in the club. Did you know that Frank was our first President of our club? We all welcome you and hope to see you on a lot of rides. ☺ The poker run is coming right up. Hope to see all of you there.

Irv and I just got back from camp in Maine. I bought the paper while we were there and found these motorcyclist tips interesting:

Be visible, Motorists often have trouble seeing motorcycles and reacting in time.

Make sure your headlight is on day and night.

Wear bright clothing and reflective strips or decals on your clothing and on your motorcycle.

Be aware of the blind spots for motorists.

Flash your brake light when you are slowing down and before stopping.

Wear a quality helmet and eye protection.

Wear leather or other thick protective clothing.

Get formal training and take refresher courses.

Call 800-446-9227 or visit www.msf-usa.org to locate the Motorcycle Safety Foundation hands-on Rider Course nearest you.

Happy and safe riding,

Nancy

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For Sale

1986 Honda VT500C very good condition, 27623 miles , new tire , new battery last spring, less than 1500 miles on them (that's why I'm selling ,can't ride two bikes at the same time) shaft drive , water cooled, low seat height, high windshield quick, light handling but will "talk " to you when the throttle is twisted \$1600 now (price increase as spring comes closer) contact Art James 413-398-2230 most anytime.

Kaboom Fest—Jaffrey

Les will be leading a ride to Jaffrey NH on Saturday August 19th at 1:00PM from the Burger King parking lot in Brattleboro, VT. It will be a 3hr ride to Jaffrey and the admission to the fireworks is \$6.00(?) per person.

Motorcycles have special parking and are the second group to leave before cars are let go.

So strap your folding or collapsible chairs on your bike. Don't forget to bring a blanket and warm clothes for the ride home. This is awesome if you have never seen it.

NOTE: If there is any remote possibility of thunderstorms—all will be cancelled. Call Les Berg if there is any question. 802-257-0637

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Editor's Page



Well I can't believe it, I have ridden all summer thus far and haven't change my rear tire yet. I currently have about 6500 miles on it and it is starting to show. I am not sure what (if anything) I am doing different this year, but I am loving it. I have already done more miles this year (without cooperation from the weather) Than I have every done in a riding season. The bike is running well and I have managed to sneak a couple of extra days here and there when the forecast looked good to do some riding. I hope you all are doing the same. 😊

There is no Secretaries Minutes or Treasurers Report for this months letter. I sure you will be updated at the next meeting. Just to let you know the next meeting will be held at Doug and Wendy Hadlocks in West Chesterfield on August 10th. The directions are on the last page on the news letter.

The riding season is getting shorter but there are several more days that you could get your ride in.

RVR Editor

Keith Bruce

Just let Lisa Covey now and she will be sure to add you to the calendar.

Well I shall sign off for now see you soon.

Meeting Schedule - 2005

August 10th- Doug & Wendy Hadlock

Sept. 14th- Shannon & Lisa Covey

Oct. 12th-Henry & Carrie Wheeler

Club Rides and Other Rides



CLUB RIDES TODATE



- 6/23-6/25 NH Blessing of the Bikes <http://nhblessingofthebikes.tripod.com>
- 6/3 Budweiser Ride Merrimack, NH Dave LaValley
- 6/9/05 - 6/11 Americade Rutland, VT Stay overnight at the Cortina \$149.00 2 nights / 2 people + Breakfast buffet (Vermonters' Special) see Les for more details
- 6/17 Waterfall ride Moss Glen falls, the prettiest Falls in VT even if it isn't the tallest. This is a long ride so get hard for it or bring a soft pillow.
- 6/18 Breakfast ride, leave at 7:30 and should be back around 10, Wagon Wheel Restaurant in Turners Falls MA Good food
- 7/8 Church Ride led by Irvin Bruce (leaving Burger King at 7:45 AM)
- 8/5 Poker Run (sign in between 8am and 8:45 am Burger King)
- 8/19 Jaffrey Fireworks Ride (led by Les Berg) Dependant on clear skies. See PG 2
- 8/25-8/27 Corn Roast

Other suggestions:

Nick - Day ride to Maine (coast?)

Dave VanPamelan - Ride to Lake Placid

Dave V. - Ride to Jaffrey - Kimball's Ice Cream

Dave L. ride to Aerodome in Rhinebeck, NY

OTHER RIDES

- 8/17-8/19 H.O.G. NH/VT State Rally Stowe, VT <http://vtnhstaterally.com>
- Fall 2006 Benefit for Shriner's Hospital Adams, MA Date/Info to follow

Date: 8/12..... raindate 8/13

FUNDRAISER POKER RUN

Sign in 8:00 - 10:00 ride promptly at 10:00

Meet at field at intersection of rt.#11 and Reservoir Rd.... next to Chester National Guard depot

Benefit for: local families of leukemia patients for their medical expenses and treatment travel expenses... all donations given locally

and not to a national organization where little of the money will ever return to VT

Donation: \$10 per rider and \$5 for passenger

50/50 raffle and mileage guess contest; Hamburgers and Hotdogs for sale after ride

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Meetings are always held on the (2nd) Thursday of the Month, Unless published otherwise.

Potluck starts at 6:00 pm. Immediately following will be the meeting at 7:00 pm.

From Brattleboro

Doug and Wendy Hadlock 602-256-6382

(East) onto SR-9 [Chesterfield Rd] 2.0 mi
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From Keene

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