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Hi all, it's that time again. I know some of you took advantage of the 60 degree days in feb, I know I would have if I wasn't in the cage. Good to see all the riders enjoying a quik break from the white stuff (Snow that is)!

A couple of things that I would like to bring up that have been asked of me this last month.

1: It was brought up that the Free Riders Press seems to be aimed at the customs out there, my response Not. This rag gives All riders from young to old, custom to rat the same amount of recognition. The FRP is not going to even try to be an Easy Riders or Hot Bike. Most of the writing in this paper is done by the average biker. I have tried to stress this from the start! Something we can all relate to. From the biker for the biker.

Which leads me to the next point:

2: You all have noticed that we here at FRP give space to as many different groups of riders as we can, including the vets, disabled bikers and downed brother's and sister's. Well starting this month we are starting a couple of new sections.

The first being brought up by my #1 fan my mother, who along side my dad, rode her own bike with the BMW Club of America back in the seventies (and you all wondered how I ended up this way!). "Chow Time" will give you an opportunity to let everyone else know where that great grub is served up for us tramps while on the road.

Next while sitting at a bar just shooting the shit, a brother originally from Milwaukee brought up the idea that everyone can contribute to. Remember When" will be for the riders that have that great memory of a run, bar or person that has left a lasting impression on your brain.

And as if that isn't enough, Ken From Chicago Biker Bars is going to profile bars and/or eateries that are biker friendly.

So with that, I'm going to leave you now so the next warm day I might be in the wind with ya.

Till next time, Preacher

### From the Readers

#### Another letter in response to Concerned Old Timer:

**This will be the final response to this letter. I could print rebuttal after rebuttal and fill up a whole paper on this subject from both sides**

Preacher.

Just got my January issue, a little late but it's here. I am responding to the letter by Old Timer. I got my first bike in 1970, yeah it was a jap bike, a Hoonnnndaaaa. Now I hate to say that word, but it is my first. So you can see I have been riding for going on 34 years. No R.U.B here, and almost an old timer myself, 50 this year. I totally agree with the old timer, HD has really let us bikers down. Remember Elton this summer? The only good thing about the 100th was at State Fair Park and that was only ok. The yups were plentiful, hell wish I had something to sell to them would have made a bundle of money like Harley. Alright enough jibberish,. What the old timer is saying, F\*\*k the rallies sponsored in part by Harley and lets do our own. I've held benefits, and with all the readers you have we could come up with something to raise funds at a rally of our own. Lets find someland, rent it out for the week and do our own rally for many causes. To help in legal funds for bikers, kids with cancer, etc. You know H-D might get the picture if we have our event say during their big yearly hog event. In any event with everybody's connections we should be able to pull something off and get back a little of what were losing. Print this if you'd like!

Breeze

#### Mission Statement:

This paper was started out of the love and respect for being in the wind, and the brothers and sisters that are in the wind also. I have been riding all my life and have learned what brotherhood means. The Free Riders Press is a paper dedicated to the biker who knows this respect. Not barring any rider for what he wears or rides. We try to cover stories that make the public sit back and have a positive outlook on bikers. We will try to cover events that are for the biker and put on by the biker. This paper will be used to better the riding community through education, updates and personal views that are of positive thinking for the riding community in general. We will try to fight the ongoing discrimination that seems to be thrown onto us without our view being told. Free Riders Press is for all to enjoy, so by working together someday we can be free in the wind, without the worry of any of the aforementioned items.



Brother Pollock at his best!!!!

#### "Bingo's Downed Biker Fund"

If you have a Brother or Sister down and would like to get them the Free Riders Press, NO PROBLEM, be glad to do it but it is not cheap. A lot of people help out by donating some coin. We here will do what we can, but with everybody giving what they can, we will make it go along way. We all know somebody that's down, and anything would be greatly appreciated.

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