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Meet This Month's Next Generation Riders. Both of these young people were at the Chicago Bike Show last year. I hope they had a great time checking out all the cool stuff!



If you have a picture of your Next Generation Rider, feel free to send it in to me. Who knows it just might kick start a Hollywood career for them. Send those pic's to preacher@freeriderspress.us or by mail to PO Box 1126 Wautoma, WI 54982

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How's everyone doing out there? I have a feeling as I write down these thoughts that we may have seen our last warm weather for awhile. And I really use the word warm in a really wide open way. Even though I haven't ridden in a few month's, I still see a diehard every now and then when the sun pops out. But from what the weather channel say's about the near future temperatures, I doubt it if many people will even want to poke a nose out the front door. I think during this chilly whilly spell, I will hang out inside and stick my tongue out at Lorie. (everybody needs a hobby right!) I will truly be able to say it sure is warm in here. LOL.

For the last nearly 12 years, I have always tried to remind all the brothers and sisters to remember the warm rides, the sunny poker runs and the cold beer at the rallies around a huge campfire. The relaxing backrubs from the wife's, well let's just say you can't get the same feeling with a lot of leathers on. Feeling warm yet?

As we come off the Thanksgiving break that allows us to remember what/who we are grateful for, we head right into the greatest holiday I think we have, Christmas. How about the Christmas season?. The time of the year when we share time with family and friends that we may not see very often. Or maybe it's one of the few times a year when all the kids come together at the same time. What I am getting at is that Christmas is the time for giving others a warmth that they may not have very often during the rest of the year. Like the toys that are donated during the Lonely Few MC or D.C Eagles MC events. Many kids give off a smile that would melt the coldest heart. I tell you it don't take much to let others see who we as bikers really are, and what we can do for the community to make it great.

The season of swap meets is also coming up quick. Check out the following swaps for this year's gatherings for many riders. wisconsinswapmeets.com or walneckswap.com or paragonspromotion.com You may go to buy, you may go to chat, but please

do check out the shows. The vendors and promoters really put a lot of time and effort into their shows.

Lastly, you may notice that this issue is a bit smaller than usual. Well let me revert back to the first paragraph of this editorial. It's cold and winter. We are in a twilight zone to some extent. Not much to do, not much money to spend and not many events being held. I decided a couple years ago to go bi-monthly during the winter month's to help save my advertisers a few bucks. But never fear, the warm summer winds will be blowing through our hair before you know it. And I plan on getting a lot of hair tangling time in the saddle in a few short month's.



Stay warm, help and support others because it's who we are. We are the greatest people in the world. The Brothers & Sisters in the wind. Peace





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