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From the Editor:

As you can see, we here at FRP are a little busy. A lot of new advertisers joining the family of biker friendly establishments that are looking to show all the riders in the upper Midwest what they got. Let's give them a try and check them out, shall we.

I have been putting some miles on this year and have seen and/or been in some hairy spots involving cagers. Keep an eye out for them motorists that might not see you. Reading of the deaths as of Monday May 15th in Myrtle Beach, all three were due to failure to yield by a cager. They're out to get us, at least that is the frame of mind I'm in when I ride my bike. Some of the legislation that has went through in WI and many other states will hopefully help give drivers an incentive to double check when changing lanes or turning unexpectedly.

Bike nights are off and running. The turnouts are somewhat low but it's early yet. For those of you that don't know what bike nights are, here's a little FYI. Free Riders Press bike nights are held every Tuesday between mid May and Sept. They are held at our advertisers business's to give our readers a chance to check out new spots. This year we have multiple stops each week so you don't have to ride so far. Does it cost you anything? NO! Why should I go your saying to yourself. Well you meet new people, see new places and get Free Food thrown in. So check out the schedule on **page 19**, and we'll see you there.

A heads up to where I will be in the upcoming month. I will be at the Horse Rally in Sabula, IA over Memorial day weekend, with a couple of stops at smaller advertised events along the way. June 3rd at Ray's/Hardtails party and Sunday in Oshkosh for the Fox Valley Bike show. On the June 10th & 17th weekends I will be taking my wife's advice, drawing pieces of paper with event names written on them out of a hat to see where I will be popping in. If I don't catch your event here is your assignment should you choose to accept it. Send me a few pics and a short write-up/ thank you of your event for publishing. For all events there is a secretary or person in charge of promoting your deal. If you don't run an ad and/or send me a write-up, your event obviously isn't that important to you. Someone asked me if he could send me something for print, "by all means I said." Another group is Wings of Charity (page 23) that does fund raising for different events. They have sent me many pics and thank-you's from their events. The VNVMC have sent me some items as well. Do you see a pattern here? What items are in the paper the most? These and many other events, printed year after year because they got off they're butts and took a couple of minutes out of there busy schedule to promote something they believe in. Hooray for you guys!! With All that said, I will catch you in the wind. Ride Safe.

Till Next Time
 Preach

YOU can and be a part of history....

The Party chairmen and the Board of Directors for the American Biker Party are proud to announce The First American Biker Party Convention to be held on July 15th at the Country Springs Hotel, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

www.americanbikerparty.com

For Lodging Reservation www.countryspringshotel.com

WANTED

Taverns to participate in the Best Damn Biker Bar contest on June 24, 2006 at CC's Grove 8258 S Kean, Willow Springs, IL

All bars will be included in upcoming Biker Bar book

Bars must register prior to event

Call Kenn at 630-675-6852 or go to website: www.chicagobikerbars.com for details

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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.

" 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 does cost money. 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 a long way. We all know somebody that's down, and anything would be greatly appreciated.



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