

Quad Cities Section

The Quad Cities is where the Mississippi River makes a turn to the west running through the middle of the QCA, located about 180 miles due west of Chicago. Just look for the BIG X of the 80 & 74 Interstates. This is the Heartland. Here's a quick up date on a few the places I have talked about. The 5th Ave Café in Rock Island is close to completing the construction for the outdoor area and covered patio. It's looking to be a great BYOB party place. Hog Dogs in Historic Downtown Savanna, IL should be opening the 1st of the month. It will not be just a bar and grill but will feature a motorcycle co-op with lots of large glass display cases full of motorcycle related things for sale. Another new Biker Friendly restaurant is Mazzarisi Pizza, they have been getting great reviews from those I have talked to. So check then out and let me know. These are certainly two more good parts of the puzzle that will make Savanna, IL the most Biker Friendly town along this part of the Mississippi River. The local bike nite scene is going strong, the most fun & entertaining one has to be at Jammerz Roadhouse on Wednesday hosted by Beth Davis of the Dwyer & Michaels morning radio show on 97X. Ducky's Lagoon had DIXIE CHOPPER'S "Chopper Bike" built by OCC. Don't forget to look for the Wheels of Freedom MC holding "mouse races" at bike nites to raise money for the POW MIA causes. When some of you will be reading this I will be at the Iron Horse Bike & Music Festival in Sabula, Iowa across from Savanna, IL. Located up on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi River makes the camping even that more enjoyable. I will be there hosting the event again, and will have the all the fun contests such as best campfire, most improved campsite, largest group, oldest riders and who rode the farthest. Two Harleys are going to be given away on Sunday the 2nd from the River Ramble Run. There were 70 places along both sides of the river that you could get a free entry. Check www.thehorserrally.com for all the details on the Aug 31 to Sept 3 Labor Day event and the River Ramble Run. For more local info on rides and event check out www.qccruz-news.com Remember to let the sponsors of the Quad Cities Section know you saw their ad and thank them for supporting this paper. I had quite a few answers to lasts month's trivia question look for it on the editors page. Jimmy Carlson was this month's winner.

As Always – Ride Safe

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