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## September Birthdays

Bruce 11<sup>th</sup>

*If I missed you  
let me know!*

## From the Prez

I want to welcome our two newest probates that joined our club at the September meeting, Tammy and Chase. Chase will be riding his first cross country race at the Furnace next weekend. He'll be riding in the 250F schoolboy class while Ken and Wayne will also be racing the Furnace but in the Vintage class. We have about 10 members that will be volunteering to help in addition to our racers.

Coming up this weekend on Sunday the 10<sup>th</sup>, will be a chance for members to ride the course for the upcoming 49er enduro. We will be re-running mileage and making sure all the check and mile marker ribbon is in good condition for the event next month. Plan on an easy pace and we'll space out and ride "Nevada style" to avoid the dust. Be ready to ride at 9:00 am at the clearing at Elkins Flat. If you need directions download them from the website or give me a call.

Also this month, don't forget the September Ride of the Month, the cross country at Honeylake. I hear Dave will be trying to get back in the running for 1X.

October is going to be real busy. We rescheduled our annual motocross against the Dirt Diggers at Sac Raceway to the 13<sup>th</sup> and it's also Ride of the Month too! Besides our regular monthly meeting we're also going to have a special club meeting the Tuesday before the event to make sure everyone is ready, knows their assignments and to have a check worker refresher class. Then on the 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> will be the 49er weekend. Come up early on Friday to help arrow if you can.

Finally, we have an update on SuperChuck. He is finally on his way home and on the last week of his 5 month road ride. He probably rode on every out of the way highway in half of the states in the U.S. on this ride. He'll probably have to use a forklift to the October meeting to carry in all the pictures!

See you at the races or on the trail!

Bret

## On the LAO Front

Mike Pace is attending a Forest Service meeting this month up at the Pioneer office concerning the future of the Gold Note trails. Look for a report at the October club meeting.

## Meeting Schedule

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month, 8:00 pm at Coco's Restaurant at Greenback and Sunrise. (Bench Racing to begin at 7:30pm)

January 3rd	February 7th	March 7th	April 4th
May 2nd	June 6th	July: June 27	August 1st
September 5th	October 3rd	November 7th	December 5th

**2006 1x Standings**  
As of 8/31/2006

<u>POINTS</u>	<u>Name</u>
328	12x Jim
306	31x Cliff
205	2x Dave
158	20x Bruce
145	16x Ryan
132	15x Curt
132	10x Bret
110	13x Steve
95	27x Ernie
94	25x Jim
74	60x Vern
74	42x Wayne
71	11x Bill
68	14x Bill
58	26x Ken
54	6x Mark
43	5x Ken
40	8x Dwayne
38	58x Dan
38	18x Rod
32	21x Dave
28	54x Bob
18	23x Larry
14	37x Chuck
8	17x Doug
8	Probate John

## September & October Upcoming Events

Date	Event	Location
September 10	49er Mileage Work Party	Elkins Flat
September 17	Furnace Hare Scrambles	Prairie City SVRA
September 23	Wild Horse Enduro	Fallon NV
September 24	Wild Pony Enduro	Fallon NV
September 24	Honeylake Hare Scrambles Ride of the Month	Milford, CA
October 3	October Monthly Meeting	Cocos, Citrus Hts.
October 6-7	Prime Time Hare Scrambles	Metcalf Park, San Jose
October 13	PDMC vs. DDNMC Motocross Ride of the Month	Sacramento Raceway
October 17	49er Special Meeting	Round Table Folsom
October 22	Jackhammer Enduro	Stonyford, CA
October 28	Crazy Miner Family Enduro	Georgetown, CA
October 28	49er Enduro Setup	Elkins Flat
October 29	49er Enduro	Elkins Flat

## August Ride Report

We went back the club's roots for August's Ride of the Month, TT racing at the world famous Lodi Cycle Bowl. Well, at least they claim its world famous, but it was a starting point for many famous riders like Kenny Roberts, Ricky Graham, Jimmy Filice, the Bostrom brothers and Chris Carr to name a few.

Lodi runs a nice program. Only \$35 buck to race. For that you get two practices, a four lap heat and a six lap main. The heat and main are like two motos but the heat determines how you line up for the main and your final position is only based on how you finish in the main. The main was over way to quick as we were having a blast out there. And the best part is your bike and air cleaners are just as clean when you leave as when you got there!

Old Ken and his 65' Triumph were in their element. I couldn't stay with him in the first practice session, being a little tentative to break the rear knob loose on the hard packed clay surface. By the second practice I had it dialed and was ready for the heat and main. Jim and Bruce also made it out for some of the blue groove racing with Jim's wife Marci giving us all support. Jim was a little eager the first practice lap and grabbed a too much throttle off the jump and looped out but no serious harm done.

We all settled down to some good hot laps during both the heat and main. By the way, Lodi gave us our own moto too! (It may have been to keep our knobby bikes out of the way of the "real" flat track racers). Anyway, the racing was close and we can't wait for Ken and Lodi to invite us back for some more TT action. Look for pictures on the website.