

# River City Beemers



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### Membership Meeting

Sat Oct. 6th, 5 pm

For October only

Cloverdale KOA

See directions inside

### **Director's Meeting**

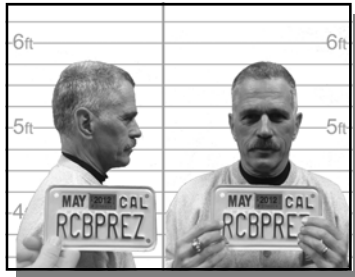
Tues Oct 9th, 7:00 pm  
Race Place Motorsports  
3130 Bradshaw Road  
Sacramento, CA

### **Breakfast - Be There!**

Every Saturday 8 am  
Susie's Country Oaks Cafe  
500-G Cirby Way  
Roseville

### **Weds. Dinner Ride**

**Meet between 5-6:30 pm**  
Leaves every Wednesday  
evening at 6:30 pm from The  
Coffee Republic in Folsom



## The President's Corner by Gordy Olson

We have just about made it through the very hottest of the riding season and cooler weather is on the horizon. Of course, that means the rains are also approaching but I am proud to be a member of a club whose members ride skillfully -- rain or shine, hot or cold, day or night, hard or even harder. We are all guided by the words displayed on one of our most popular raffle prize tee shirts: "Fill. Ride. Repeat." Those are truly words to live (and to ride) by.

About two dozen RCB members participated in the BEEMER BASH up in Quincy. In addition, the Club sponsored the Poker Run at the event as a favor to our sister club from Central Cal. Ken crafted a wonderful route that drew unanimous praise from the riders. We sold enough poker hands to completely cover the \$400 in prizes that we distributed. In my view, even if we had to subsidize some of the prize money it would have been a good investment in inter-club relations. The folks at CCR were very, very appreciative of RCB's willingness to handle all the details (and the financing) of the poker run. RCB has already been invited to organize the poker run at next year's BASH. Perhaps this can be the beginning of closer cooperation between the two clubs on other events that might be too complicated or too expensive to do as individual clubs. We'll see what (if anything) develops.

Regarding our own Club events.....As you read this we will have just held our first Fall Classic (Cloverdale Edition). The Board decided to experiment with the idea of rotating the Fall Classic annually between the Manchester Beach and Cloverdale KOA's to inject some meteorological and geographic diversity. Please let me or another Board member know what you thought of the new location after the inaugural Cloverdale

Edition. Obviously, we will not continue the "location rotation" if -- after this experiment -- our members prefer to hold the event at the same place every year (whether that's Manchester, Cloverdale, or even someplace else).

More generally, members are encouraged to take an active role in the Club's activities. If you have an idea for an event, please let me know. If you want to take the initiative and actually organize an event -- EVEN BETTER! Last year, one of our members stepped up and proposed AND organized the Samuel P. Taylor Oyster Run in June. It was great success and it looks like the event will become an annual entry on our riding calendar. As you are aware, not all of our new event ideas panned out as well this year, but that is no reason to stop innovating, thinking, or doing.

Attending the annual planning meeting (scheduled for Sunday, November 18 at 5pm) is the easiest way for members to get involved in suggesting and approving events for next year's calendar. (BTW: It's also an opportunity for some free pizza and a cold one!) You can be certain some hardy perennials (e.g., Ride 'n' Bowl, Tahoe Chill, Lois Lewis Memorial Poker Run, Rider Skills Improvement Day, Fall Classic, Christmas Party, et al.) will continue, but it is up to active members to come up with new ideas for events to complete our offerings for next year.

Members can also impact the direction of the Club going forward by becoming a Club officer or by participating in the monthly Board meetings (either as a Board member or simply by attending the meetings to express your views). New officers and Board members will be elected at the November monthly meeting. The Club officers and Board represent the membership and all of us do our best to come up with ideas and events to support and advance our shared love of all things related to motorcycling. Your participation and help in those efforts is essential and genuinely welcomed.

Ride often, ride safely, ride hard, ride purposefully, and keep those air vests UNinflated!

Cheers,  
Gordy, RCBPREZ

# Plan For The RCB Fall Classic - Cloverdale

RCB Cloverdale Campout  
Fri-Sun, Oct 5-Oct 7, 2012

Once again, the River City Beemers are taking their October club meeting, their October club ride and as many members as possible on the road. This year, switching things up a bit, we're going to try the Cloverdale KOA. Cloverdale is a small town of 8,000 located in northern Sonoma county.

Roughly three BMW-hours west of Roseville, midway between Healdsburg and Ukiah, Cloverdale features great weather, riding, hiking and outdoor fun. Wineries, small shops and restaurants will cater to every need. Our home for the weekend is the Cloverdale/Wine Country KOA and we have reserved space for 100 attendees.

Historically, some riders arrive

Friday afternoon and take advantage of Saturday to explore both coastal and mountain roads, while others arrive Saturday and use the ride up and back to rediscover back roads around Sonoma and Mendocino county. RCB will supply coffee, continental breakfasts, Saturday dinner and a keg of beer. Still not convinced? Raffle Meister Gordy has picked up some special prizes for the club meeting.

Saturday evening we'll conduct our October Club meeting around the campfire, complete with presentations and raffles. (Don't go to Susie's that weekend – You'll be the only one there!) After the meeting, we'll be treated to the culinary creations by one of our Master Chef'ss, Mary Sweeney. She says she's still working on the wine pairing. Stand by!

Your costs are \$9/person-night\* camping, or, if that's not your style, either Kabins or RVs\* (some with electricity) are available at a 10% RCB discount. Saturday's banquet extravaganza is another \$5 (in advance, \$10 at the door).

Last year we had 88 (!) attendees for the biggest RCB event of the year. So send the kids to the Grandparents, the dogs to the neighbor, lock down the house and load up your bike for two or three days of Northern California excitement.

\* Note: Kabins and RVs require reservations. Call 800-368-4558 to make yours.

Cloverdale KOA Camping Resort is located at 1166 Asti Ridge Road Cloverdale, CA 95425

<http://winecountrykoa.com>

## 4th Annual Central Coast Classic Motorcycle Club Show

You are invited to the 4th annual Central Coast Classic Motorcycle Club show and rally in beautiful San Luis Obispo, CA set for October 11-13, 2012.

Our event is a fundraiser for two cancer charities this year; Kids Cancer Research Foundation and Making Strides Against Breast Cancer.

Here's our schedule this year:  
Thursday, October 11th – 6-9 PM

motorcycle display and ride-in for club enthusiasts at the Santa Barbara Bank & Trust parking lot (995 Higuera, enter from Osos Street) during our locally famous San Luis Obispo downtown Farmer's Market.

Friday, October 12th – At 11 AM there will be a club-led ride up scenic Highway 1.

Saturday, October 13th – 9 AM to 4 PM Motorcycle Show and Swap

Meet, 1775 Calle Joaquin in SLO (same location as last year).

We are one of the west coast's best attended classic bike shows with over 1500 persons attending last year. Check our website for more details

([centralcoastclassicmc.com](http://centralcoastclassicmc.com)). See you in October!

## A&S Vintage Motorcycle Show Sept 29th

The Vintage Motorcycle Show is a Fall tradition at A&S Powersports and it attracts scores of amazing old bikes from Ariel to Zundapp! Show starts at 10 a.m. with prizes awarded at 1:00 p.m.

The bikes will be judged by AMA Director Perry King. (If you'd like to participate, there's no fee, just bring your showpiece to the shop at 8:00 a.m.) Lunch is on the house!\* A&S' famous Free Barbeque will be prepared by the River

City Beemers motorcycle club.

In addition A&S will have vendors, a clearance sale and more!

## RCB's Successful Poker Run in Quincy

By Gordy Olson

RCB was very well represented at the BEEMER BASH up in Quincy. There were at least 20 of us up there and the Club organized and funded the Poker Run. Both the CCR folks (and some risk averse RCB'ers) were surprised/worried by the guaranteed winning amounts of \$200 for best hand, and \$100 for both the second best and worst hands. LO AND BEHOLD, I will be depositing \$450.00 into the RCB coffers to help offset the \$450.00 that I withdrew for the event. WAIT A MINUTE....that doesn't just help to offset the costs,

it covers them 100% -- to the dollar!!! Yup, RCB pulled off the BEEMER BASH poker run at NO COST TO THE CLUB -- thanks to Ken's expert routemanship and (modesty be damned!) to my excellent marketing and cajoling which sold just enough tickets to cover the prize costs. Best of all, \$100.00 of the winnings stayed in the RCB family, since John Beaver's ace-high flush was good enough to capture second place honors. Presumably, John will be offering to treat about 5 or 6 of his closet friends to breakfast with his poker winnings, so get to Suzie's early next week.

BTW: RCB Has already been invited back for the 2013 BASH to run (and fund) the Poker Run again. As they say, "No good deed goes unpunished!"

The BASH itself was great -- perfect weather throughout, about 400 participants, a dual sport ride as well as our poker run, great rides getting there and back, and a really good dinner. The breakfasts were kind of lame, but at least the morning coffee was plentiful and good.

## Wanted: A few good men and women!

For its thirty years of existence, RCB has run on volunteers. Starting with Earl Mattingly in October of 1982 and most recently with the dozen who cooked hot dogs during "Christmas in August" at the Sacramento Children's Receiving Home, hundreds (or thousands) of RCB members have contributed and given unselfishly of their time.

As we approach year-end, we're looking for a handful to serve in RCB officer and director positions in 2013. Specifically, we need a Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and multiple director positions filled. None of the jobs are "easy" and all will require some level of commitment, but they are all rewarding. Guaranteed!

Job descriptions are posted in the [By-Laws](#), and if you think it's time to give a little back to the organization, contact a [board member](#) or [Prez Gordy](#) to express your interest.

K1300 GT 2010, A Perfect low mile bike 8950 miles, bike has all options with exception of traction control. City connection tank bag, bar backs, custom exhaust and painted to match top case. Just serviced at A&S, new front brakes. No dings or dents or scratches, new Metzler Z8 300 miles ago. Great bike and deal. 15,500.00 OBO. Rico Morotti, (916) 240-2400 riko@ricoswindow.com

BMW ALLAROUND motorcycle boots  
BMW Allaround gore-tex motorcycle boots. metric size 44 US size 10 1/2 to 11. I wear a 10 1/2 & I found them a little tight. Worn only a few times. Our friendly local BMW dealer has them for \$249. I'd like \$100 for mine. Larry Campbell, (707) 446-1859 Laurence.campbell@sbcglobal.net

Corbin Seat For R1200RT, Nearly new Corbin saddle. Fits 2005-2012 BMW R1200RT. This seat was custom made using Carbon Fiber Leather and looks awesome. Check out the specs <http://www.corbin.com/bmw/bmwr12rt5low.shtml> Has been carefully maintained, no rips tears or scuffs. No back rests included but can be added. Chuck Costa, (916) 765-1950 chuck@calcosta.com

2000 BMW 1100RT parts, A lot of parts still available like motor and trans (needs clutch) together or separate 108k miles on bike, also alternator, starter, coil and more. Various body pieces including all 3 bags need paint and to be keyed. If have questions email is best. Thanx for looking. Daniel Goodenough Gasmandanimal@gmail.com

2010 Honda Goldwing, Audio Comfort (GL18HPNAMA), Grey (mosquito brown), 14,450 Miles \$22,299 OBO VIN: 1HFSC47LXAA905435 One owner and all services current • ABS Brakes • Navigation System by Garmin • SiriusXm Radio • Heated grips • Heated front and rear seats with independent controls • Intercom • CB Radio ready • iPod/iPhone charger and audio system integration • Dunlop Elite III front and rear tires • SuperBrace • All Balls steering stem bearings • Traxxion adjustable rear shock • Traxxion front suspension • Kuryakyn Ergo II with mini arms & switchblade

highway pegs • Kuryakyn Adjustable rider backrest. • Kuryakyn Removable trunk organizer with flip out mirror • RAM mount for swivel drink holder • RAM mount for Adaptive Technologies TPX 2.0 radar detector • Clearwater (Krista) High powered LED Lights in the cowling. Dimmable and triggered by the high beam. • 3-Piece Deluxe Carpets for side cases and trunk • 3 Piece Luggage Liners • Handle bar risers Jim Fee, (916) 671-9817 redox1@ix.netcom.com

2007 K1200GT Crystal Grey Metallic - \$12,500 VIN: WB105970X7ZN46240 Second owner all services up to date ABS Brakes Electronic Suspension Adjustment Automatic Stability Control 31,000 miles BMW 28 Liter Top Case Rick Mayer two-tone leather seats with seat cover. Rear Brake Pedal enlarger Handlebar Riser by Verholen Tank Grips-Gripster Grips by TechSpec Side Stand enlargement plate VStream windshield by ZTechnik Carbon fiber rear fender Carbon fiber license plate frame Carbon fiber tank protector Paint protection throughout Clearwater Lights Glenda high powered LED lights on forks BMW GPS Navigation IV and mount Accessory shelf wired for Adaptive Technologies TPX 2.0 radar detector. Jim Fee, (916) 671-9817 redox1@ix.netcom.com

Women's Olympia Airglide II Pants Size 10, Silver (grey), excellent condition. Missing liner. \$40. obo. Will deliver at RCB breakfast. Dave Swift (530) 320-4478. beemerdave@att.net

2003 K1200RS Capri Blue Original owner w/ clear title in hand, Garage Kept, Miles @ 22,883, Dealer Installed PIAA and Rear Brake lights, Sargent Seat, etc. Price: \$8500/OBO gfriss@yahoo.com or 209-256-0268 Located in the Mother-Lode. George Friss, (209) 256-0268 gfriss@yahoo.com

Near New FUEL Tank for 2005 GS  
Near New Fuel tank, removed from a near New 2005 R1200GS, was replaced with a GSA 33L tank by the dealership. Mint Condition. No photo is needed; take my word. Stan Paolini, (530) 409-4901 paolini\_stan@yahoo.com

1973 R75/5 parts, About 30 years ago I had my 1973 R75/5 stolen and wrecked. I have essentially the entire bike in parts, and would now like to find someone who has a use for it. No charge to a good home. Jeff Jennings jenningsj1955@aol.com

1981 R100RS rennsport, Beautiful white machine, 2 saddles, 2 bags, more... Bob Henderson, (925) 376-4164 Kurrewa@aol.com

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BLACK/38 NEW  
NEW UNUSED Airglide 3 black pants with liner. The 38 can be worn as a over pant if you are a 36 or just as riding pants if you are a 38 (List price \$229.) Sell for \$150. Dennis Allstead, (530) 391-5754 clcman@sbcglobal.net

1999 BMW F650 w/Givi luggage - \$3,250  
Well, I hate to do it, because I love this bike, but between the tax man calling, and the fact that I'm not riding it enough to justify keeping it, it's time for someone else to enjoy this awesome bike. 1999 BMW F650 Classic / Funduro. 11,763 miles. It features: A Bags Connection tank bag with SW-Motech quick detach mount Givi E21 side cases Givi V46 Top Case Rick Meyer Custom Saddle Engine guards (unsure of brand) Grip warmers The bike is in perfect condition - needs nothing. Ready to be ridden cross country and back. This bike has been very well taken care of during it's life. It's in pristine condition - especially considering it's a 13 year old bike. My loss is your gain. It's located in the Sacramento, CA, USA area. PM me if for more info or if you would like to take a look at it. \$3,250 OBO. Mike Long, longmd@gmail.com

1150 GS, Mandarin, 6500 miles, recent top to bottom service at A&S; many extras, accessories and riding apparel. Jerry Cooper, (530) 878-2858 jcoopster160@gmail.com

K1200S Sargent Seat \$400.00, non-heated one piece seat with pillion backrest in excellent shape. Paid almost \$700.00 new. Also have Hot Laser exhaust and BMW factory cover. Rick, eldiablo2072@yahoo.com



# 2012 Calendar of Upcoming Events

Check often because events are always being added or changed.

- Oct 6th, Sat Meet at the Cloverdale KOA campground with club meeting around 5pm before dinner. All members and guests welcome.
- Oct 9th, Tue Director's meeting at Race Place Motorsports, 7:00 pm, 3130 Bradshaw Road, Sacramento. All members welcome.
- Wed. Ride Weds. Dinner Ride, Meet between 5-6:30 pm, Leaves every Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm from the Coffee Republic in Folsom.
- Thur. Ride Meet up for a weekly Thursday day ride, "Because We Can Ride". Meet at Brookfield's at Sunrise and Folsom, eat at 8am and ride at 9am. For all retired, independently wealthy or just plain sick of work!
- Oct 5-7 Cloverdale KOA campout, Phil Sweeney. Alternating years will be at the Manchester KOA.
- Oct 14 Sun 5 passes 2012, start time and location TBA. Check future newsletters
- Nov 18 Sun 2013 Planning meeting 5 pm, location TBA
- Dec 8 Sat 2012 Christmas Party at A&S Powersports, 6:30 pm

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