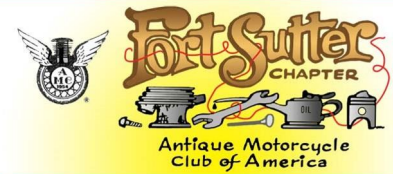




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President's Comments

Howdy doo to you all.

Well, it's been quite the year for Fort Sutter. We had our traditional national show and swap meet in Dixon and a national road run in Lake Tahoe, and only 3 months in between.

Nobody can say we didn't make up for lost time from being shut down during Covid. I think we have more than made up for lost time. My hat's off to all my fellow board and club members for all pulling together and putting on nothing short of two wonderfully planned and well-liked events. I've heard nothing but compliments from our guests that attended our two events this year.

If you were not able to attend the road run, you did miss out on a good time. Attending a road run should be on your bucket list. You won't know if you don't go.

So, it was nice to see a good turn out for the last meeting. I hope to see even more of you at our December meeting where we will be having elections for board of director positions.

I encourage everyone to participate.

Planning for our next year is under way and something we always need to stay on top of. Bring your ideas to the next meeting. Everyone and all ideas are welcome at our meetings.

Hope to see you all soon.

Ride often and ride safe.

Fort Sutter President

Mark Loewen

***Our Next Meeting will be Saturday, December 3, 2022,
At Sam's Hof Brau
Watt and El Camino Avenues Lunch at Noon Meeting at
1:00 p.m.***

**Fort Sutter Meeting & Annual Picnic & Meeting
Minutes October 1, 2022**

- **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at: 1:00 pm by Mark Loewen, President. There were 21 members in attendance.
- **Welcome New Members:** None in attendance
- **Membership:** Karie Schenken will update the current roster at our next meeting. Reminder to all Fort Sutter members renew your Club membership at the December 3, 2022, meeting.
- **Treasury Report:** Julie Loewen reported that the Treasury balance is \$9,892.18 currently. A full accounting of the treasury will be forthcoming.
- **Minutes:** A motion was made by Rich Kinney and seconded by Gary Kubodera to approve the August 13, 2022; minutes as written.
- **Old Business**
 - **Evergreen Chapter Road Run:** Rich Ostrander reported on the Evergreen's Road Run "**Ride on the Dry Side**" recently held September 19-21, 2022. A Road Run in the scenic Okanogan highlands of Northeastern Washington. Rich said this road run was in the Top 5 of all Road Runs he has participated in. The ride based out of Benny's Colville Inn, located in Colville, WA., a small town in the drier area of the state. The daily rides were fantastic and close to the Canadian border.
 - **Fort Sutter Road Run update:** Mark L. reviewed the recently held Fort Sutter Road Run in South Lake Tahoe. The hotel selected, proved adequate to accommodate all who attended including their trailers. The location was across the street from several restaurants and shops. He thanked all who helped with the Road Run. The banquet was held outside with the temperatures unusually warm for this time of year. The hotel provided a firepit to help keep everyone warm as the nighttime temps grew cooler. Pictures are included in this newsletter.
 - **SACAUTOSHOW:** Mark advised everyone that the Sacramento Auto Show will not be held in 2022 due to shortage of micro chips for most new vehicles.
- **New Business**
 - **Fort Sutter Promotion:** A discussion was held regarding attending more events where the Fort Sutter booth would be set up to promote the Fort Sutter Club. Tracy Stahlman suggested bringing the Fort Sutter EZ-up to the NORCAL Cycle SWAP in Sacramento on November 13th and December 11th. John M. offered to help staff the booth. Other volunteers will be needed in the future. Promotional material will be provided at the booth.
 - **November/December Rides:** Tracy Stahlman, Road Captain, announced that there Nevada Toy Run will be held on Saturday, December 10, 2022.
 - **Fort Sutter Board of Directors:** Two Fort Sutter Board Members, Mark Loewen and Karie Schenken, 2-year terms will end on 12/31/2022. Nominations are open and voting will take place at the 12/3/2022 meeting. All nominations to be submitted to John Markley, Secretary prior to the December 3, 2022, meeting. Note: all potential nominees must have been asked if they would like to serve on the Fort Sutter Board prior to submitting their name.
 - **The 2023 Fort Sutter National Motorcycle Show & Swap Meet will take place on June 16-17, 2023.** A discussion was held to determine the theme for 2023. Rich Ostrander stated this will be Fort Sutter's 40th year providing a Swap Meet. Why not use this as our 2023 Theme? A discussion was held and agreed that for 2023 the theme will be 40th Year providing a Swap Meet.
 - **Meeting adjourned at:** 2:25 p.m.



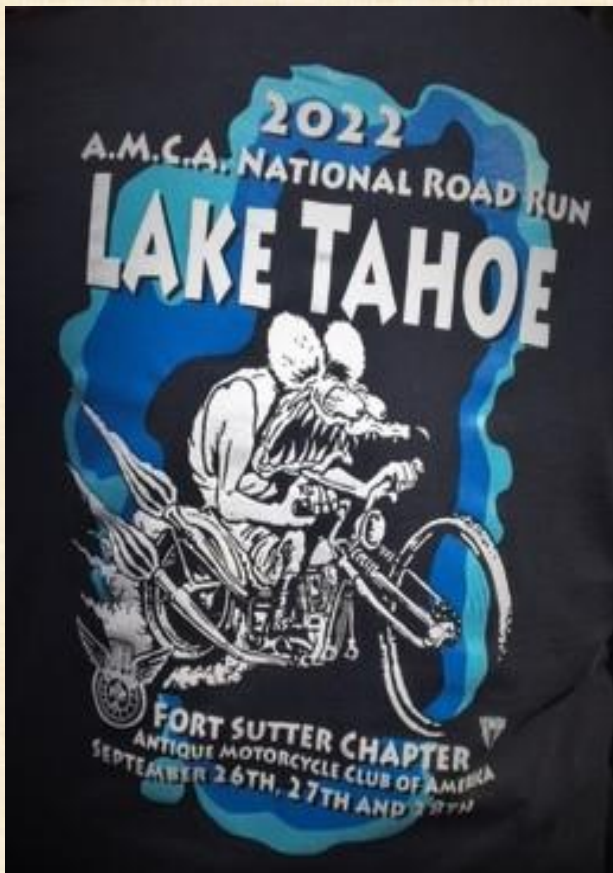
**The Fort Sutter Road Run was held on
September 26-28th, 2022**

**100 Riders enjoyed 3 days of California's most beautiful
areas with scenic routes, fresh air, friends and old iron
rolling through the mountains.**



**Riders enjoyed
Great Weather
Great Rides
Great Food
Great TIME>>>>>>**

Check out the Pictures!



Fort Sutter invited riders from all over the Country to beautiful Lake Tahoe for 3 days of riding. Our neighboring Comstock Chapter helped sponsor the Road Run.

*How would you describe motorcycle riding?
Answer: From a fellow AMCA member
Motorcycle riding is a combination of exhilaration, fear, relaxation, and pleasure that changes you! Riding with other AMCA members makes memories forever.....
Would you agree?*



Hotel Becket, South Lake Tahoe

The Road Run base hotel was centrally located in South Lake Tahoe just south of the Nevada State Line. Lake Tahoe was only 2 blocks away, the Lake Tahoe Balloons were only 5.5 miles away, Close to the Lake Tahoe Boat rides ----- However, right across the street was shopping, restaurants, Heavenly Ski Resort and the heavenly alpine views.

The Fort Sutter Road Run planning team put together a fantastic Road Run with all the right pieces coming together. For anyone that hasn't experienced an AMCA Chapter Road Run make it a point to mark your calendar and register for a Road Run in 2023.

Road Run 2022 Lake Tahoe



*Above and L to R
Tracy Stahlman, Fort Sutter Road
Captain & Mark Loewen, Fort
Sutter President
Reviewing the Daily Ride map
Each morning at 9:00 a.m.*



All gathered around to hear the first day's route.....



*Above – Road Run attendees
talking about past Road
Runs and the routes planned
for this year!*



*Right - Mark Loewen's Trailer
was positioned perfectly to
help riders at check-in and each
day offered snacks and water
for the daily rides.....*

*Rick Najera
Mr. Road Run was there
to enjoy the 3 days in
Lake Tahoe
Thanks for a GREAT
Time.....*

Rick



Below are pictures of the Fort Sutter Road Run volunteers that made it all happen---Thank you!



**Above - L to R
Bob Henry, Mark Loewen, Tracy
Stahlman and Amanda Henry**



**On the Left
L to R
Julie Loewen,
Jeremy Loewen,
Mark Loewen**



**Below
Rich Kinney
Our trouble truck driver
and his trusty trailer.....**



**Above L to R
Kim Stahlman, Julie Loewen
and Karie Schenken**



**Above L to R
Phyllis Markley,
Jayne & Tom Myers**



**Left
Rich
Ostrander**



**Above L to R
Karie & Jim Schenken**

Fort Sutter Road Run



Bikes right outside their room for most riders



Above Left - Tom Myers chatting with Mike Moore (center) with Jayne Myers on right. I guess Mike loves Harley Davidson? Nice shirt!



Left - Almost ready to go for another day of riding.....

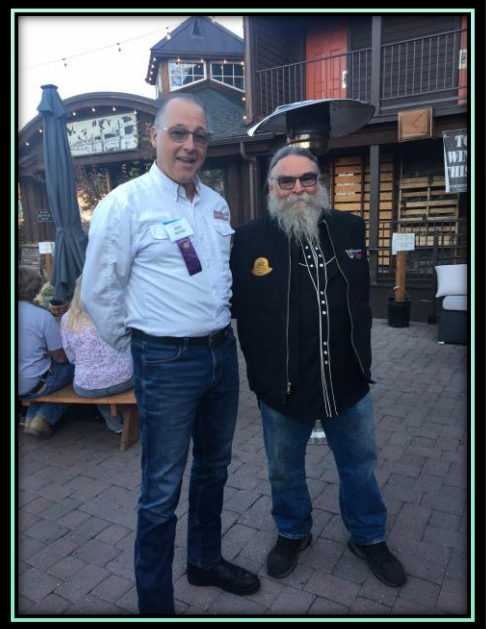


Traffic stop while heading up Mt. Rose

Fort Sutter Road Run 1st Days Lunch



Banquet Pictures



Banquet Pictures



Banquet Happy Hour outside the Becket Hotel



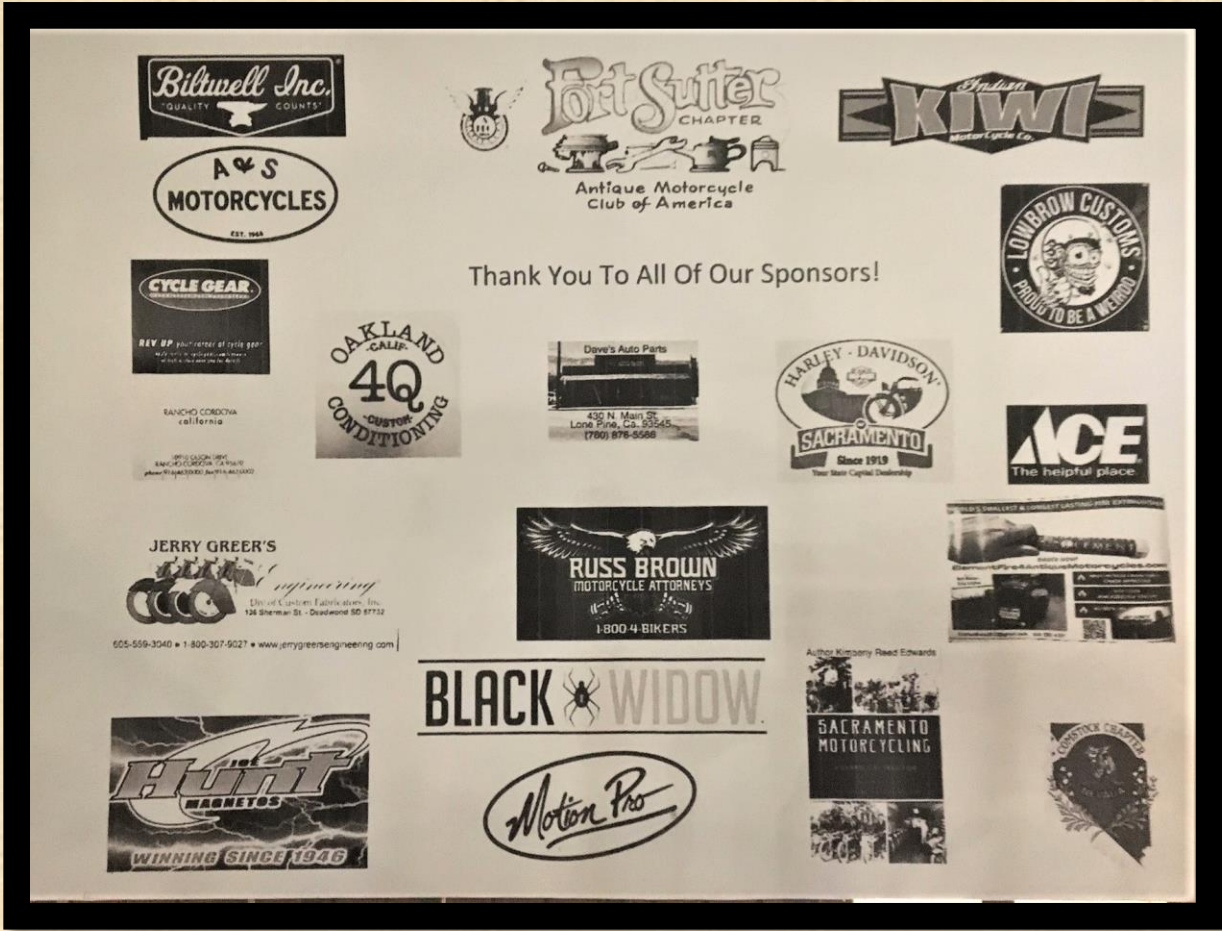
The Banquet meal is now ready for everyone



Your choice
Chocolate
or White
cake for
dessert!



Fort Sutter Road Run



Thank You To All Of Our Sponsors!

Thanks go out to our Road Run Sponsors for their support and Raffle Prizes!

Road Run awards ready to be presented



Road Run Pictures



*Road Run Raffle
Prizes and Awards*



Thank you Sponsors!

Road Run Awards



Carl Olsen "Longest Distance Ridden" award picked up by Carl's Grandson



Jim Moore "Oldest Rider"

**Right
Lonny Campbell
"Longest Distance towed"
& "Broken Bike"**



Tunie Crawford for having the "Oldest Bike"



**Youngest rider
3-year-old
"passenger"**

**Road Run Pictures
Virginia City and off to Bowers
Mansion Regional Park**



**Lunch served
by the Comstock Chapter at the
Bowers Mansion Regional Park**



**L to R
George Canavan, Comstock Chapter
President & Tracy Stahlman, Fort
Sutter Board Member and Road Run
Route planner**

**Fort Sutter Road Run
Bowers Mansion Regional Park**



Comstock members serving the Road Run attendees.....thank you Comstock Chapter!



**Thanks
Comstock!**



**Road Run
Lunch in Gardnerville**



***A food truck – that fed all 100 riders.....yes,
he was able to do it!***

***Yes, it was tight getting into the
parking lot!***





**Fort Sutter Road
Run invades
Markleeville with
100 motorcycles!**



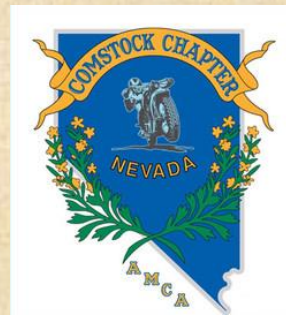
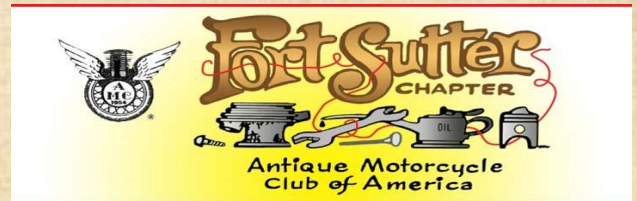
**Above - L to R
Tracy Stahlman, Mike
Moore & Jim Moore**



**Above
Time for a break and a drink
plus a souvenir**



Fort Sutter Road Run



3 Days of Great Riding!
Thank You for joining us on
the 2022 AMCA Road Run!

See you on the next
AMCA Road Run!