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No matter who our new president is, I am grateful I live here in the good ol' US of A. Call me patriotic, but I believe we should ardently protect our way of life here in the greatest country God has ever blessed. It would delight my heart if I did not have to be concerned about the country my grandchildren are destined to

inherit. Yet they are Americans, and Americans have always found a way to persevere!

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and interacting with bikers is a positive influence on these kids who may not have had appropriate role models in their young lives. All monies from the Poker Run are donated by the boys to the United Way.



















"Why did you do that?" The words rang out in my ears and bounced around in my head.

"Why did you do that?" It was as if I had just punched someone in the jaw or stolen a kid's ice-cream.

"WHY did you do that?" It just didn't make sense to him.

"WHY did you do THAT?!" He pressed further for an answer as I looked at him puzzled.

"Seriously! WHY DID YOU DO THAT?" His frustration rose and so did my pity for him. It was a simple thing. All I did was give a man my sandwich. We had pulled out of the drive through fast food joint and into the gas station to fill up and as I unwrapped my food I saw the man in a wheel chair holding a sign. So, without thought or delay I stopped, put it in park and jumped out. When I got back in the truck after handing off my food to a total stranger,

he looked at me dumbfounded and said; "Why did you do that?" "Because he needed it" I finally said. Proverbs 21:13 says; "Whoever closes his ear to the cry of the poor will himself call out and not be answered." There have been times in all of our lives that we have needed help and someone has helped us.

So the question is not "why did I do that?" the question is, "why didn't you?"

Something to think about in the wind.

- Pastor Matt



#### LIMBS FOR LIFE

RIDE OKLAHOMA CHARITIES ASSOCIATION (ROC) recently hosted a poker run for the Limbs for Life Foundation, an Oklahoma based charity with global reach. Limbs for Life is an organization dedicated to providing fully-functional prosthetic care for individuals who cannot otherwise

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### the beginning

I have been to a motorsickle rally. Or two. Throughout the years I have seen many motorcycle events come and go. Some were awesome and endure (Sparks, Copperhead, etc.) Some were genuinely good, and yet are no longer in business (Pawhuska, Eagles Nest, May Daze, Hawg Lakes). I hereby proclaim (check me down the road if I am wrong) Hawgtoberfest and other motorsickle events held at Discoveryland are here to stay!

Discoveryland is a pleasant twentyminute ride from Tulsa (only 35 minutes from Skiatook). It is idyllic for those of us who desire to ride out for the day, compete in bike games, shop the vendors, and eat the world's best damn

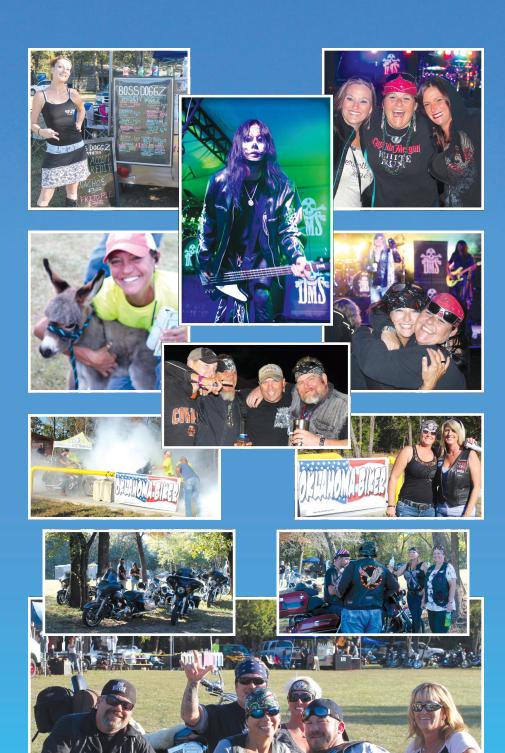


frankfurters from Boss Doggz. The site has plenty of shade for camping and is laid out in a big circle so you can walk around and see everything while visiting with friends. Those who cage can park their cars inside the gate and ride the shuttle back to the rally site. YES -- you don't have to constantly evade golf carts and 4-wheelers!

There will be other events at Discoveryland which are not biker-related. This location is advantageous to ALL types of activities, with 900+ acres and diverse structures. If you need a location for your event, I urge you to check out this location. For complete information contact: Jen 936.552.1056







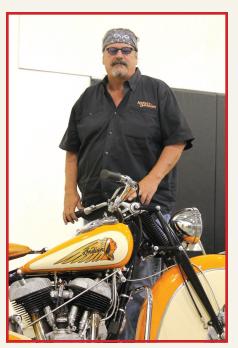


Lineup for the 2nd Annual Skiatook Toy Run was at Riveted Church. Fifteen minutes before Kickstands Up there was a car crash 100 yards away at the intersection we were supposed to go through. Our police escort was tied up with the auto crash. In great biker fashion...we simply went the other way and took a short ride through the

countryside instead of down the main street of Skiatook. We were welcomed at the United Methodist Church, where we dropped the toys off, with a free lunch. As you can see, Santa came all of the way from the the North Pole just hang out with the bikers, and check out the 1938 Indian motorsickle!













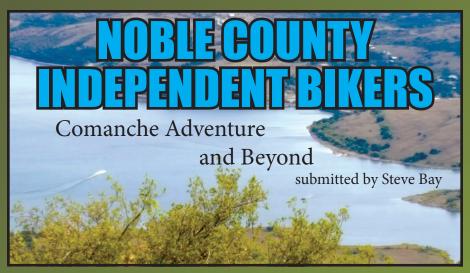








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these conditions center around additional security measures (additional officers, wanding for weapons, etc. The other major condition is that both of the clubs involved in last year's incident (the Iron Order and the Mongols) will be banned from all future shows.

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Chris Chaney, owner of JJ's, hired four bands to play the event. Derrick Stevenson, of Rib Rustlers, provided bbq sandwiches donating all monies raised to Arleigh. We want to give a special recognition to Riders United 4 Children and Ryder's Army for their generous contributions to Arleigh. Thank you to all who participated in this event. We raised more than \$3400 in a single afternoon!





























#### Poker Run is a HOME RUN

Sometimes everything just falls into place and you know it's going to be a great day.

Oct 1st was that for all of us at the Peaceful Animal Adoption Shelter, in Vinita.

Thanks to Oklahoma Biker – the word got out and the riders showed up. The weather was perfect, the bikers were the best - - friendly, funny and ready to enjoy the day. Yup – there were a few glitches, but no big craters - - just bumps.

Thanks to everyone who rode. The money raised will help us feed the dogs and cats in the shelter and, most importantly, cover some of the costs associated with our most successful program (PAAS Ride to Rescue). Each week we transport 30 - 50 dogs to our partner, Denver Dumb Friends League. All the dogs come from rescues who drive to Vinita with fully vetted dogs ready for a new home. It is emotional to load the dogs - some of them look at you as if to say "Seriously, you want me to get in a cage in a van AGAIN!!". But they load up, we drive down the road (through the night) and the next morning they're greeted in Denver.

This was our second year to host a Poker Run. Mark your calendars - for 2017. The Peaceful Animal Adoption Shelter Ride to Rescue will be the first Saturday in October - - that's October 7th.

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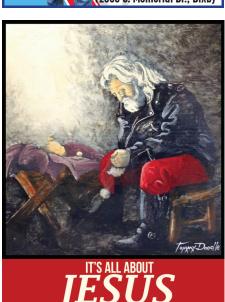
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The 4th Annual Owasso Toy Run benefiting Community Action Services started in the office parking lot of Oklahoma Biker. The weather was cooperative and 210+ motorcycles rode in the parade this year. The Owasso Police Department did an outstanding job escorting and blocking traffic on our ride to the Rib Crib restaurant in Owasso. A special thanks to my grandson, Julian, for helping take pictures at this event!

































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I would like to commend you on the direction that your magazine is going. As a law-enforcement officer and also has a family man I stopped picking up the magazine because of some of the content and the direction it was going at that time. Not saying it was bad just not appropriate for what I wanted and the way my life was going. I picked this one up as I was sitting in a car wash and began reading it and this is the first article I read.

After going through the entire magazine I now plan to continue reading the magazine every time it

comes out. I'm the same as you and enjoy riding with family and friends and to family oriented events. I have ridden motorcycles all my life in one form or another and currently ride a BMW GTL which is a full touring sport bike and sometimes not allowed or accepted in certain circles because of what I ride or what I do as a profession. But a rider is a rider no matter what he's on and I ALWAYS wave no matter what!!

As I stated before I commend you on the direction your magazine is going.

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- David Steiner









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Got some fan mail that I think I need to address. I was asked why I hate all "Yuppie" Bikers? Well, I don't hate "all" of you, as a matter of fact, I haven't even met most of you yet. And I wouldn't go as far as using the word hate. Maybe deplore, no, wait. The lying B\*#ch running for President called me "Deplorable," so I can't use that word. How about despise? I think that fits.

I despise the way you have come into my lifestyle, and couldn't conform to the ways that had been around since the beginning. First and foremost, none of you guys even considered coming around until after '84. (See if your RUB-ass can figure out the significance of that comment.) There is no way the majority of you could have lived the true "old school biker lifestyle." It wouldn't fit into your suburban house having, 9-5, picket fence life that you live Monday thru Friday. I sit and laugh at the thought of Bob and his trophy wife Lucinda trying to make a trip to Sturgis on a Shovelhead! If there was ever a time to bring a trailer!! But we didn't. We rode all day and wrenched all night. Basically it's just turned into one big dick measuring contest.

So, here's how I see it. You wanted to be like us without having to be us during the week. You know, kind of like the weekend Cowboy shit we all had to start enduring during the 70's and beyond after Urban Cowboy came out and a bunch of city boy, ass puppets started dressing up like cowboys. And just like with the cowboy thing, you just wanted to "Play" biker for the weekend and not really immerse yourself into the real lifestyle. You got yourself a Hog and a starter vest and some chaps and boots. But you forgot about respect and honor and true Brotherhood. (They don't sell that at the Harley shop.) So since no one wanted to assimilate to the ways, you and the materialistic, money grubbing b\*st#rds just went about changing a lifestyle to fit your needs and fill up their pocket books.

The way I see it is that we now have half-assed, watered down, nonexclusive version of a once great lifestyle! To make matters worse, now you have a bunch of no-neck, wannabes running around with patches on their backs that mean nothing to them and have the equivalent value of participation awards. They don't mean shit and everybody gets one! And as I have covered before, the group of puppets, running around with a bunch of store bought shit patches sewn on to a vest, you think makes you look like a biker -- it's all about making money now and image and not about the lifestyle.

I'm going to point out what happened over time in another lifestyle, Country Music, look at the "Main Stream" pile of shit that has become! To be honest, Country can't even be considered to be good Pop music. It's a bunch of machine and corporate generated crap that is money driven and performed by a bunch handpicked cookie cutter pretty boys and Barbie dolls that have no talent. They can't write and they can't sing without auto tune. I guess that just makes them dancing monkeys! Look at "Old" country and the look at the crap we have today, big

difference. Today all you get is the same shit, with a different package. Once what was an American Original Classic brand of music has become a half-assed, watered down. nonexclusive version of a once great music! (Hmmmmm, sounds familiar) They have destroyed the real Nashville music venues (seriously, torn them down to the ground) to make room for motels and hotels and new fancy bullshit bars for the new talent to play in, while not giving the time of day to the cats that can really play. The song smiths, studio musicians and working class musicians that get out there every chance they can, keeping real country alive are getting fewer and harder to find. It's just a damn shame. But it's all about making money now and image and not about the music or the people.

So in summary:

You're the one that's trying to be something you're not.

You're the one trying to be me. I would hang myself if I had your life.

I don't care what you or your lady think.

If you're offended -- go elsewhere!

I understand that things evolve, that doesn't mean I have to like it!

If you don't have a steel player in the band, it's not Country.

- Tank

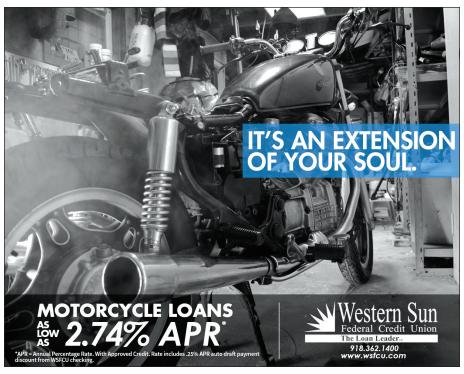














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Thank you Collette Morrison for being an awesome Miss Sparks America 2016!! I want to give a big congratulation to Lana Morrison Miller for taking over the well-deserved crown and being Miss Sparks America 2017!

I want to Thank Pete Horne and Kim McGilvrey for all the Butt cans all over the Park to help keep our campgrounds clean!

I want to thank Johnny Stretch, Tracy Daniels, Rocken Rooster, and everyone who has contributed to make the Sparks America Scholarship possible. We were able to raise \$4,143.50 for the 2016 scholarship. We will award the scholarship to the well-deserved recipient on our stage during the kids Halloween Bash Nov. 5th 2016.

Thank you to all my staff for helping make sure this rally was ran smooth. Thank you for everything I love each and every one of you! Can't wait to do it again!!! See everyone at the Kids Party in November!

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