



Thanks for reading the Official Newsletter for HOG Chapter #5087. There is still a lot on the schedule for the next couple of months, and with the Winter holidays around the corner, it may be beneficial to get in some wind-therapy. The weather has been mostly good for getting out and getting in some extra saddle-time. If you haven't finished your Ride Book photos; this year it was murals around Oklahoma, make sure you get those completed, there's a cash prize! Be on the lookout on the Facebook page for upcoming rides and event. Be sure not to miss the events hosted by our sponsoring dealer: Fort Thunder Harley-Davidson! Whatever you choose to do, be safe and we'll see you out there!

# And now a word from our Chapter Director:

Hello Storm Riders!

Holidays are upon us... more time to ride and enjoy each other's company. We are family. If you are away from your "birth" family during the holidays, remember your "ride" family is here for you.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the Christmas Party, Saturday 7 December at 6pm.

**"THANK YOU"** to all the <u>Storm Riders Officers</u> of 2024, who made this a great year to be a part of the Storm Riders family: Carolyn Crilly, Sheri Elliott, Jim Galambos, Cindy Graben, Chris Hazen, Chris Holt, Ashli Patrick, Peggy Ramirez, Lynn Scantling, Kerrie Spitzer, Velmarie Swing, Colby Wardwell, Georgeanna VanWolde, and TJ VanWolde.

#### And now to introduce our 2025 Storm Riders Officers:

Director – Tracy Lucas, Assistant Director – Darryl Poole, Secretary – Kerrie Spitzer, Treasurer – Lucy Myers, Safety – Jim Galambos, Head Road Captain – Chris Holt, Assistant Head Road Captain – Colby Wardwell, Activities – OPEN, Membership – Lynn Scantling, Ladies of Harley – Velmarie Swing, Webmaster – Chris Hazen, Social Media Coordinator – Cindy Graben, Lead Photographer – Cindy Graben, Editor – Kerrie Spitzer, Chapter Angel – Melissa Lee.

Remember, keep up to date with the planned events and rides under the Events tab on the Facebook Storm Riders Family page and join us.

Remember, our goal is to **<u>RIDE & HAVE FUN!</u>** 

Cool Hand

## From our Membership Officer:

Okay folks, it's that time of year again. Memberships need to be renewed. As always, they are good from January 1 to December 31. The Chapter Officers made a change to the annual membership dues: renewals paid by March 31 are \$25 per person. On April 1, the dues will increase to \$30 per person. Purging of non-renewed members will begin on Apr 1, so if you have not renewed by then, you'll be removed from the roster. Please get those memberships renewed. If you have any questions, feel free to ask.

You can turn in your renewals to me or you can mail them to the following address:

Storm Riders P.O. Box 7337

Moore, OK 73153

Happy riding,

Valkyrie

# From our Head Road Captain:

Happy November everyone. I hope you had a good Halloween and here is to a wonderful holiday season coming up. By now you will have learned of the new officers. To each and every officer that was chosen for the 2025 year, Congratulations and I look forward to a fun and exciting year with everyone.

Since our riding season is all year round, here is a list of events we have in the books so far. The details are in our Facebook page as events. I will continue to post events as we create them for the rest of the year.

Friday November 15th - Ride to the Big Easy New Orleans Cafe - Loggie Lead

Saturday November 16th - Ride to Ruby's Inn Purcell. Shaggy Lead.

Saturday November 16th - Fort Thunder - Tacos and Test Rides

Saturday November 23rd - Ride to Overlook Cafe - Inquisitor Lead

Saturday Dec 7th - Annual Christmas Party

Tuesday Dec 31st - Last ride of the year (End at Fort Thunder to get miles recorded.) - Stroker Lead.

Again, it was a blast serving the group as Head Road Captain. I will remain the webmaster for as long as I can. So, for the last time as your Head Road Captain - Remember to stay safe, Ride as much as possible and have fun.

Chris "Timex" Hazen

## From the Activities Officer:

Storm Riders Christmas Party 2024 Details Place: Ted's Cafe Banquet Room Address: 6900 N. May Ave Suite 11 OKC, OK 73116 Date: Saturday, December 7th Time: 6 pm - 10 pm Cost: \$20 per person (Not Refundable) Menu: included with price - steak and/ or Chicken Fajitas Combo - Caramelized onions and bell peppers, grated cheese, sour cream, handmade guacamole and pico de gallo. - All served with soft flour tortillas, chips, salsa, atomic salsa and cheese sauce; with plenty of rice & beans - Non-alcoholic beverages included: Iced tea & sweetener Alcoholic beverages are available upon request at each person's own expense. Storm Riders (Men) will bring homemade desserts - no store-bought cookies 👄 There are hotels very close by. Dirty Santa (for those who wish to participate) played a little differently. - Right, Left, across gift exchange - Alcohol vs non-alcoholic gifts will be separated (as requested in previous meetings).

Deadline to sign up and pay was November 13<sup>th</sup>. If you've RSVP'd that you are attending and have not paid yet, contact Stormie to get payment made as soon as possible.

The ride books for 2024 are due to Stormie by December 31. There's a cash prize involved, so don't miss out. If you are completing the physical book, you will need to coordinate with Stormie to make sure she has it by December 31. If you are completing the book online, have your photos uploaded and let Stormie know that you've completed the 'book.'

# **Did you know?**

There has been a collectible ornament available for purchase from the White House Historical Association since 1981. The White House Historical Association was originally formed in 1961 by then First Lady, Jacqueline Kennedy. Each year's ornament is still available for purchase and, while they are conceived by different artists every year, they have been produced since the beginning of the program by the same Veteran-owned small business: ChemArt. The 2024 ornament honors Former President Jimmy Carter. For more information or to purchase an ornament, please visit:

#### https://www.whitehousehistory.org/about-the-official-white-house-christmas-ornament

#### https://shop.whitehousehistory.org/products/official-2024-white-house-christmas-ornament

\*Chapter Meetings are the second Wednesday of the month at Chelino's Mexican Restaurant, 8966 S. Western Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73139.

Websites for information, calendar, membership form, pictures, and more Storm Riders fun:

Storm Riders Chapter #5087 | Moore Oklahoma | H.O.G. (stormridersok.com)

Facebook Pages (must have a Facebook log-in to view)

- (1) Storm Riders HOG Chapter | Facebook
- (2) (1) Storm Riders Family | Facebook

Instagram Page (must have an Instagram log-in to view)

Stormriders\_Okc (@stormriders\_okc) • Instagram photos and videos

YouTube

(125) Storm Riders OKC - YouTube

If you have any questions, comments, or feedback about our social media pages, please email: Social-media@stormiders

If you are having issues finding the Chapter Newsletter on the website, you can sign into your account, click on "My Account" and you'll see "Newsletters" in the drop down. They are always posted on the Storm Riders HOG Chapter page on Facebook and will always be uploaded to the Storm Riders Family page under "Files".

## Laura Bush's Cowboy Cookies

By Maggie Burch Updated on November 20, 2023

Recipe tested by Southern Living Test Kitchen

Yield: 24 large cookies

#### Ingredients

- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 Tbsp. baking powder

- 1 Tbsp. baking soda
- 1 Tbsp. ground cinnamon
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 1 1/2 cups butter, room temperature
- 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- 1 1/2 cups light-brown sugar, packed
- 3 large eggs
- 1 Tbsp. vanilla extract
- 3 cups semisweet chocolate chips
- 3 cups old-fashioned rolled oats
- 2 cups sweetened flake coconut
- 2 cups chopped pecans

#### Directions

1. Combine dry ingredients:

Heat oven to 350°F. Mix flour, baking powder, baking soda, cinnamon and salt in bowl.

2. Cream butter and sugar:

In 8-quart bowl, beat butter on medium speed until smooth and creamy, 1 minute. Gradually beat in

sugars to combine, 2 minutes. Add eggs, one at a time, beating after each.

Beat in vanilla. Stir in flour mixture until just combined. Add chocolate chips, oats, coconut and pecans.

3. Scoop cookie dough:

For each cookie, drop 1/4 cup dough onto ungreased baking sheets, spacing 3 inches apart.

4. Bake cookies:

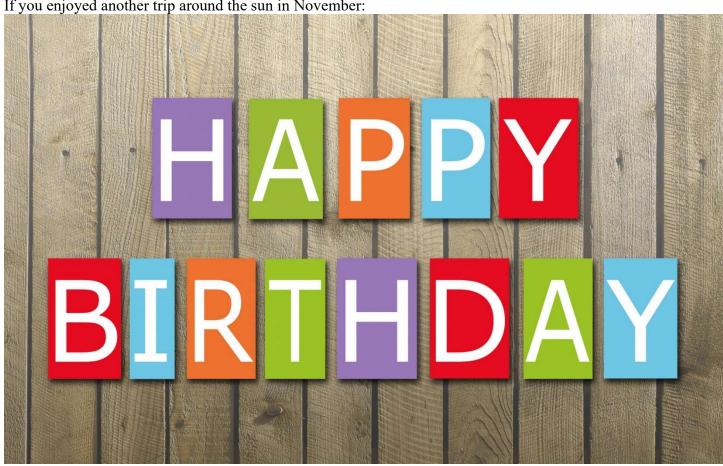
Bake in 350°F oven 17 to 20 minutes, until edges are lightly browned; rotate sheets halfway through.

Let cookies cool 10 minutes on baking sheet, then remove cookies to rack to cool.

Tip:

Recipe update June 2022: This recipe yields 24 large cookies—the recipe calls for 1/4 cup of dough per cookie. Some might even call these cowboy cookies *giant*. The measurements for baking powder and baking soda (1 tablespoon of each) are correct in ratio to the amount of flour.

Recipe copied from: <u>https://www.southernliving.com/recipes/cowboy-cookies-recipe</u>



If you enjoyed another trip around the sun in November:



# Fort Thunder Harley-Davidson Dealership Challenge





RideNow PowerSports Harley Dealership challenge.

John and Fort Thunder are sponsoring a dealership challenge for 2024. Ride to the RideNow owned Harley Dealerships and get a picture of you, your Harley, and his flyer in front of the Harley Dealership. Make sure to have a date with in your picture or in the title. Drop the picture in the Dealership Challenge folder on our StormRiders family page.

Winners are the ones who visit the most Harley-Davidson Dealerships owned by RideNow PowerSports. 12 total excluding Fort Thunder Harley-Davidson (List Below). Minimum to enter the contest is 3 Dealerships not including Fort Thunder.

In the event of a tie then the tiebreaker is the Rider who achieved their visits the quickest. Example, If Joe and Bob each have 8 HD dealerships, Joe completed it in Sept. Bob completed his in Nov, then Joe wins.

Nov, then Joe wins.

https://www.ridenow.com/

https://fortthunderharleydavidson.com/

First Place – 2 year VIP maintenance package Second Place – Leather Jacket Third Place - \$250 Gift Card

All entries due to the Head Road Captain by the New Members Ride Jan 1st 2025.

Black Gold Harley- Davidson 1007 State Highway 121 Allen, TX 75013	Arrowhead Harley- Davidson 16130 N. Arrowhead Foun- tain Center Drive Peoria, AZ 85382	Saguaro Harley-Davidson 7355 N. I-10 E. Frontage Rd Tucson, AZ 85743
Dallas Harley-Davidson 1334 W Centerville Rd Garland, TX 75041	Old Pueblo Harley- Davidson 7503 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ 85710	Rattlesnake Mountain Harley -Davidson 3305 W 19th Ave Kennewick, WA 99338
Central Texas Harley- Davidson 2801 N. Interstate 35 Round Rock, TX 78664	Roadrunner Harley- Davidson 1402 N 159th Ave Goodyear, AZ 85395	Powder Keg Harley-Davidson 2383 Kings Center Ct. Mason, OH 45040
War Horse Harley- Davidson 5331 N US Hwy 441 Ocala, FL 34475	Scorpion Harley-Davidson 6895 W Chandler Blvd Chandler, AZ 85226	El Patron Harley-Davidson 621 El Cajon Blvd El Cajon, CA 92020
	Fort Thunder Harley- Davidson 500 SW 11th Street Moore, OK 73160	