



# TRCR

*Three Rivers Competition Riders*



"Western Pennsylvania's Premier Off-Road Club"

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## AUGUST 2006 NEWSLETTER

### EVENT CALENDAR

Visit [www.district5ama.org](http://www.district5ama.org) for updated HS, MX, GNCC & AWRCS race schedules

### SEPTEMBER

- 1-3 Fun Run at Powerline Park
- 3 Steel City MX National
- 9 Poker Run at Redbank Valley Park
- 11 Monthly Meeting, 8pm at West Hills Honda, Moon Twp.
- 24 TRCR Annual Picnic, Stiller's Bruin Site

### OCTOBER

- 2 Monthly Meeting, 8pm at Bentley's Cycle, Rt. 22 East, Murrysville
- 5-9 Hatfield McCoy Trailfest, go to [www.trailsheaven.com](http://www.trailsheaven.com) for details
- 7/8 GNCC at Powerline Park
- 8 Mountain Ridge Trails Resort Fall Foliage Ride, [www.mountainridgeatvtrails.com](http://www.mountainridgeatvtrails.com)
- 20-22 TRCR Annual Fall Hatfield McCoy ride

### NOVEMBER

- 6 Monthly Meeting, 8pm at Cross Roads Motorsports, Rt. 8, Gibsonia

#### THREE RIVERS COMPETITION RIDERS

President: *Steve Stiller* Vice President: *Michael Perry* Treasurer: *Nicholas Milan*  
Secretary: *Jeff Pflugh* Legislative Affairs/USFS Liaison: *Mike Babusci*

## **GREETINGS FROM THE BACK OF THE PACK**

The August TRCR meeting was held at Tom Clark Cycle. Although the turnout was rather light, we want to thank Melissa, the parts manager, who provided the hospitality and refreshments.

The biggest topic on the table was the annual club picnic which is set for September 24 at Stiller's riding site in Bruin. If you've ridden the Bruin site lately or raced the AWRCS event there a few weeks back, you already know the trails are quite challenging and fun. The feedback after the AWRCS race was that it was the best course of the series. If you haven't ridden Bruin since last year's picnic, you are in for a surprise as the trail is awesome – very technical. The club will supply burgers, dogs, corn and the beer. Thanks to Dave Caughey for taking care of the last two items – something he does year-in, year-out so give a howdy do to Dave next time you see him or as you are sipping your brew at the picnic. Everyone needs to bring a side dish to round things out. Overnight camping will be available for those who want to ride Saturday and camp out. As usual, help is needed! Steve can't exactly put on an event like this without a little assistance from us so please show up at the next meeting at Tom Clark Honda in Moon Twp on September 11 (late due to the holiday) and step up to the plate. Even spending a half hour helping out at the gate in the morning helps out a lot!

The annual club fall ride at Hatfield McCoy is up on the calendar. Whether you've been there before or not, now looks like a real good time to go back because we see a LOT of new trails on their website maps and, guess what, many of them are single track. You don't need to ride all 3 days to attend. Many riders only ride Friday/Saturday while some ride Saturday/Sunday. Of course, if you can ride all 3 days at 3 different trailheads, it's well worth the trip. We'll block off about 10 rooms to start at the Super 8 in Logan. If you don't mind spending a little more, there is a new Holiday Inn Express in Logan too. If you want to get on board to reserve a room at the Super 8, give Jeff an email at [jpflugh@peircelaw.com](mailto:jpflugh@peircelaw.com).

Some of us know local off-road rider JT Bennett who rides for Mark Weiland's TDI Racing team and is sponsored by Lojak's Yamaha. JT has qualified for the ISDE to be held in New Zealand later this fall. JT's wife, Gretchen, is the Crew Chief and is spearheading raising funds to get JT to New Zealand. TRCR members can help get a local rider to the ISDE to bring back some gold. They are selling raffle tickets based on the daily number drawn every Friday through November 3<sup>rd</sup>. They are also hosting a comedy night on Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at the Dorseyville Firehall. JT and/or Mark will try to make it to the next meeting to sell raffle tickets, comedy night tickets and t-shirts. Tickets are also available by mail through their website. It would be great for the club to buck up on this worthwhile cause. Not only is it a great cause, but you also get a chance to win at least \$100 on each weekly drawing, plus the opportunity to win a larger cumulative jackpot. Details on the drawing and such can be found on their website – [www.tdi-racing.com](http://www.tdi-racing.com).

Well, that's it for this month. Come out to the next meeting and sign up to help at the picnic, reserve a spot for the Hatfield McCoy ride and trade stories about rides and the Steel City National. Anyone with submissions for the newsletter can email them to the club website or me at [jpflugh@peircelaw.com](mailto:jpflugh@peircelaw.com) or, talk to one of the officers at our next meeting – Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at West Hills Honda, Moon-Clinton Rd., just off "the runway" in Moon Twp. at 8pm. In the meantime, we'll see you in the woods.

**CLASSIFIED** - (ad will run for 3 months only, unless renewed)

**2001 KTM 520 EXC** in nice shape. PRICE REDUCED, MUST SELL, NEW BIKE HAS ARRIVED. Only ridden in summer months. Street Legal conversion by Don Adams, inspected and tagged. Trail Tech computer, GPR stabilizer, Rekluse clutch, fresh top end 9 mos. ago. Lots of brand new stuff like chain/sprock, bearings and bushings, tires, Bonz bar mounts. Newer and extra stuff like brakes, rotors, plastic etc. Needs nothing. Clean, well maintained and runs great. FIRST \$3,000 TAKES IT.

Jeff, 412-417-5863 after work hours.

**2005 Honda CRF250X**, Dirt Rider's '04 Bike of the Year. Excellent condition, never raced and carefully maintained. \$4,500 OBO. Fred 412-302-0217.

**Fly Racing Boots**, Vibram soled, Gray/Black, Size 12, new in box. Dan 412-761-1666.

**2002 Load Rite 3 rail trailer** like new. Over \$1,100 new, asking \$725, Ray, 814-227-8287

**MOTORCYCLE REPAIR** – Expert dual sport conversions and general motorcycle and ATV repairs. KTMs are my specialty! Don Adams, 724-744-2377

**Free to Good Home** Truxedo bed cover, like new, fits Dodge Dakota w/ 6 foot bed. Jeff 724-295-2583

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**ANDREWS CYCLE** 13134 State Route 62 Salem, Ohio 330-332-8534 - 800-596-6199

**BENTLEY'S Yam-Suz-Pol-KTM** 4451 Rt 22 Murrysville, PA 724-325-2344

**BENTLEY'S Yam-Suz-Kaw-Polaris** 589 W. Pike St Cannonsburg 724-746-7100

**BOB THOMAS HONDA** 12671 Rt. 30, No. Huntingdon, 724-863-0237

**BOB TRACEY'S World of Cycles** 604 Narrows Run Rd Moon Twp, 412-269-9999

**BOHN CYCLE** 2015 Saw Mill Run Blvd Pittsburgh 412-882-4330

**CROSS ROADS MOTORSPORTS**, 5375 William Flynn Hwy, Gibsonia, PA 724-444-6555

**DARLINGTON CYCLE** Rt. 51 at Rt. 168, Darlington PA 724-847-4011

**DAVIS CYCLE**, Kaw-Suz-SeaDoo, 701 New Castle Road, Butler, PA, 724-287-3052

**DIRTY HARRY'S BICYCLES**, Main Street, Verona, PA, 412-828-2667, [www.dirtyharrys.net](http://www.dirtyharrys.net)

**DUTCHMAN RACING**, 412-781-5551 or [www.dutchmanracing.com](http://www.dutchmanracing.com)

**GEITHER'S AUTOBODY & WELDING, Inc.**, 201 Hansen Ave., Butler 724-283-6610

**iMX Internet Motorsport Xessories**, 146 Chestnut Street Zelienople, PA 16063, 724-452-6952

**INSTIGATOR RACING**- ATV Tires, Wheels, Bumpers, skid plates & accessories, Freeport PA, Mike Fajbik 724-295-3707 [www.instigatorracing.com](http://www.instigatorracing.com)

**MACE'S MOTORCYCLE SERVICE, ATK** Rt. 982 So., Mt. Pleasant 724-547-5355

**MATTHEWS WALL ANCHOR SERVICE** piercing, waterproofing service Inc., 7250 Big Beaver Blvd., Beaver Falls, PA 1-800-284-7471 [www.wallanchor.com](http://www.wallanchor.com) Bud Norton Sr. 724-462-0082, Bud Norton Jr. 724-462-0091

**MILAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATES** Prepare now for year-end Taxes. Call Nicholas C. Milan, experienced, professional service. 412-782-3773.

**NORTHGATE CYCLE** – 20634 Rt 19 Cranberry Twp., 724-776-4283

**PERFORMANCE TECHNOLOGIES**, East Pgh., 412-823-7338, 20% off parts, 10% off engine/susp

**PRO-ACTION SUSPENSION**, 3611 8th Ave, Beaver Falls 724-846-9055, [www.pro-action.com](http://www.pro-action.com)

**SCHULZ CYCLE & ATV**, 234 Millers Run Rd., Bridgeville, Parts & access. 15% off, ATK, Husqvarna, Gas Gas, Kasea parts/service 412-257-3188

**STORMIN NORMAN'S RACING**, Billet clutch baskets \$125-\$135, Basket wear inserts \$90 kit, includes machining (select models) call Norm at 724-722-3630

**STREET TRACK 'n TRAIL** 13723 Conneaut Lake Rd Conneaut Lake, PA 877-STNT-YES

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**TOM CLARK MOTORSPORTS** Honda, Suzuki, 4588 Rt. 51 South, Belle Vernon, 1-877-929-7333

**VEHICLE MAINTENANCE CENTER**, 68 Camp Horne Rd., Emsworth, 412-761-1666. Auto and cycle inspection

**WEST HILLS HONDA** 209 Moon-Clinton Rd, Moon Twp., 412-262-2200



**2006 TRCR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION - DUES RENEWAL FORM**

**PRINT NEATLY!!!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ AMA No.: \_\_\_\_\_

NEW MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS CHANGE \_\_\_\_\_

*New members only – membership is \$3.00 per month for each month remaining in year*

Single Membership \_\_\_\_\_ \$34.00 annual (Anyone age 18 or over)

Family Membership \_\_\_\_\_ \$35.00 annual (A family includes parents w/ children under 18)

**RELEASE**

In signing this membership application, I acknowledge that off-road riding is a hazardous activity with inherent risks of injury and that I voluntarily assume those risks. I understand that TRCR, its officers, directors, trail leaders and members welcome my participation as a club member, but are not responsible for my safety or liable for any injury that might result from my participation in any club activity. Furthermore, I will rely upon my own judgment and ability while participating in TRCR events and assume all risks of injury or damage arising out of such participation. I will not sue or make any claim whatsoever against TRCR, its officers or the organizers of its events as a result of such participation. I agree to follow sensible trail riding principles and ride carefully to ensure my own safety as well as the safety of those with whom I share the trail. As a parent or guardian of a member under the age of 18, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the above mentioned parties from any claim or injury or damages which said minor may sustain. I hereby consent to and permit emergency medical treatment if I am injured. Above all, I hereby acknowledge that TRCR is an off-road vehicle club which is dedicated to the furtherance and preservation of the sport. I therefore agree to follow general rules of good conduct and sensible behavior at all club functions and wherever TRCR appears in public in any way.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to TRCR and bring to next meeting OR mail to  
Michael Perry, TRCR VP  
667 Baur Drive  
Wexford, PA 15090