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## IN MEMORY OF BILL TAPPER



Bill Tapper passed away on Saturday April 21<sup>st</sup>, after a long battle with cancer. He was in the care of Hospice House at the time of his death. Bill has been a member of Back Country ATV since 2006. He was an active Board Member for several years. He contributed a lot of his time to help keep the club going and always volunteered when he could. The club will miss his dedication and energy very much. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Bill's family and friends.

Ken Chrisp

Bill was always a true gentlemen and a pleasure to ride with on the trail. He certainly handled his cancer with courage and dignity. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Bob LeClair

# Elections

May, 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012

At the last meeting (April 20, 2012) Back Country ATV Assn Inc. the General membership have nominated the following people for the positions below.

President – Gordon Ingraham

Vice president –Eliot Mohr

Secretary –Kathy Chrisp

Treasurer –Frank Traver

Board members

1. Jim (spike) Bennett

2. Gary Strickland

3. Joe Saffeels

4. Pat Labolle

5. Ken Chrisp

We will be voting on the above positions on Tuesday, May, 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012. If there is anyone else that would like to be nominated or would like to nominate someone. Please let me know (Ken Chrisp) 509-473-9032 or be at the meeting Tuesday, May, 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at the 4<sup>TH</sup>, Ave. IHOP, CDA, Id.

The Board meeting and the General meeting will both be held at the IHOP on 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Coeur D' Alene.

**BOARD AND GENERAL MEETINGS:** The board meeting will begin at 5:30PM just prior to the general meeting at 7:00PM, on the THIRD Tuesday of each month.

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# For sale

- 1. Dust Masks: I have many color and designs available. They are adjustable to fit and work great in the cold, pollen and dust. Machine washable. \$12 each. Call Bert at 208.683.0526**
- 2. If you would like to have a T-shirt made up for you, let Kathy know and we can get this done for you. Call 509.473.9032**
- 3. For your Information: Rathdrum Drugs, where our Logo's are printed, now have in stock various colors of long sleeve T-shirts. They also carry short sleeve T-shirts with a front pocket. If you would like one, ask for Pam at the drugstore and she will put a logo on it for you. These shirts are hard to find.**
- 4. Black and Chrome license plate frames. \$12.50 ea. See Kathy or call 509-473-9032**

**IDAHO (May 12, 2011) during the 2011 legislative session, the Idaho Recreation Council worked with legislators to pass SB1001. The passing of this bill brought a couple of key changes to Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) education requirements in Idaho.**

**How does this impact you? All unlicensed riders who wish to operate an OHV on National Forest roads are required to take an OHV safety course. All riders age 15 and under who wish to operate an OHV on roads must be supervised. The definition of supervision was clarified to mean that if you are riding on any road with your child you must be in a position to provide close support, assistance or direction. If you are not riding with your child you must be within 300 ft when supervising their operation on any road. You must e in a position to provide close support, assistance or direction.**

**Learn more:** Helpful links and answers to frequently asked questions are available here:

<http://parksandrecreation.idaho.gov/recreation/mandatoryeducation.aspx>

To obtain additional information on OHV classes near you, visit:

[www.parksandrecreation.idaho.gov](http://www.parksandrecreation.idaho.gov) or email [ohveducation@idpr.idaho.gov](mailto:ohveducation@idpr.idaho.gov)

# 2012 SCHEDULE

*ALL RIDES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE*  
WE HOPE THAT WE WILL BE ABLE TO RIDE IN

**MAY**

It would be great if everyone wore helmets this year, and if you happen to have a radio... bring it along too. I am sure there is going to be more road riding this year thanks to our Forest Service



## ***SUGGESTED RIDING SKILL LEVEL***

- EASY** – Beginning rider skills, mostly flat trails, no side hills, stay on designated trails
- INTERMEDIATE** – Experienced riding skills RECOMMENDED, roads/ trails, possibly some steep slopes, side hills or loose rocks
- COMBINATION** – Combination of difficulties, various terrains. For example intermediate to difficult abilities
- DIFFICULT** – Experienced riding skills REQUIRED, trails requiring 4WD, obstacle navigation, rocky, side hills and slower travel

## **HARRISON RIDE, SATURDAY, MAY 5<sup>TH</sup>, 9:00am (EASY)**

Leave the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parking lot at. Take Exit 28. Go to stop sign, turn left, cross the Hwy, and turn right at stop sign. Lunch in Harrison, or bring it. Might want to bring gas. Approx 70 miles round trip. Possibility of snow on road, if so we will improvise and try other routes. We have to try at least.

## **NEW**

### **CATALDO RIDE FROM 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY PASS, SATURDAY, MAY, 12<sup>TH</sup>, 9:00am. (EASY)**

This is a **NEW RIDE** with a lot of unknowns in it, leaving the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Pass parking lot at 9:00 am. Take Exit #28 Go to stop sign, turn left, cross the Hwy, and turn right at stop sign. Eat lunch there or bring it. As always you might want to bring gas, approx 140 miles round trip unknown.

### **CLARK FORK, SATURDAY, May 19<sup>TH</sup>, 8:00 am (EASY)**

Leaving from Bunco Parking lot at 8:00 am. Early time is due to longer distance, approx 110 miles. Bring lunch and extra gas, or get both in Clark Fork.

### **SHRINERS POKER RUN, SATURDAY, MAY 19<sup>TH</sup>. – (INTERMEDIATE)**

Leaving from Smelterville, registration from 8-11:30am. Take exit #45 on Hwy 90

### **NAPLES ORV PARK AND BBQ LUNCH, SUNDAY JUNE 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:00 am (EASY)**

Naples ORV park is north of Sandpoint on hwy 95 near Naples Id.

Sandpoint Marine and Motor Sports will provide BBQ lunch. Further directions to follow.

### **MAGEE RIDE, SUNDAY, JUNE 10<sup>TH</sup>. 8:00 am (EASY)**

Leave from the Bunco parking lot at 8:00am. Bring lunch AND GAS. Take the Bunco Rd. located on the south end of Silverwood Park on the east side of Hwy 95, follow the road and signs to the parking lot. Approx 85-90 miles round trip. (Very pretty ride)

### **HOO DOO MTN. SATURDAY, JUNE 16<sup>th</sup> 9:00 (EASY)**

**NEW RIDE**, Leave from Blanchard on Hwy 41. More info to follow when we get the parking worked out. Bring lunch and plan on a good time. Some road and some trail riding but will be interesting.

### **JUNE 23 & 24 OPEN BUT SCOOT AND SHOOT IN WALLACE THAT WEEK-END CATALDO,**

### **Leave the Bunco parking lot SUNDAY, July 1<sup>TH</sup>. 8:00am (EASY) NEW RIDE,**

Leave from the Bunco parking lot. Leaving at 8:00am. Take the Bunco Rd. located on the south end of Silverwood Park on the east side of Hwy 95, follow the road and signs to the parking lot. This being a new ride there will be a quit a few variables. You can eat Lunch at the Mission Inn, or bring your own. Bring gas or get it at the Kingston. Approx 125 miles round trip.

BALDY MTN TO SCHWEITZER MTN, SATURDAY JULY 7<sup>TH</sup> 9:00 AM (INTERMEDIATE)

Go north on Hwy 95 through Sandpoint to Ponderay. Follow Hwy 95 toward Canada. Turn Left at Schweitzer Mtn road and proceed to parking lot at the Bonner County Fairgrounds. Ride will go up Baldy Mountain Rd to Baldy mtn and then continue to the back Side of Schweitzer Mtn. Great views of Sandpoint and the Lake. Bring lunch and gas as this ride over to Schweitzer is about 80 miles round trip.

JULY 14 & 15 IS OPEN

STRONG CREEK RIDE, SATURDAY JULY 21<sup>ST</sup>, 9:00 am. (INTERMEDIATE)

We will be leaving from the Hope Grade School parking lot off of Sam Owens Road. Take Highway 200 East of Sandpoint through Hope to Sam Owens Road, Peninsula Road. Turn right and then make an immediate left turn up the hill to the parking area. Bring your lunch and it is advised you may also need extra gas so be prepared and bring gas with you.

PACK RIVER RIDE, SATURDAY, JULY 28<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am (INTERMEDIATE)

From Sandpoint go north on hwy 95 to the upper pack river rd. (Samuels Store) approx 11 miles from town. Turn left go approx 8-9 miles the large parking area. Bring lunch, drinks and snacks.

HARRISON RIDE, SATURDAY, AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>, 9:00am (EASY)

Leave the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parking lot at. Take Exit 28. Go to stop sign, turn left, cross the Hwy, and turn right at stop sign. Lunch in Harrison, or bring it. Might want to bring gas. Approx 70 miles round trip. Possibility of snow on road, if so we will improvise and try other routes. We have to try at least.

AVERY RIDE, SUNDAY, AUGUST 12<sup>TH</sup>, 9:00 am (EASY)

Leave from Wallace parking lot AT 8:30am, Exit at 61; go to the stop sign at bottom of off ramp. Turn right, and then cross the street into the big dirt parking lot on your left. Lunch in Avery or bring your won. Bring gas. Approx 80 miles round trip.

CLARK FORK TO SCOTCHMANS PEAK PARKING AREA SAT AUG 18TH 9:AM (EASY)

Park at the Clark Fork High School Parking lot on Hwy 200 in Clark Fork. This is a easy ride up to the parking area for the Scotchmans Peak Trail Head. Will have time to walk up a little ways on the trail during lunch time, so bring you lunch with you.

**DISMAL LAKE RIDE SATURDAY, AUGUST, 25<sup>TH</sup>, 8:00 am. (EASY).**

Ride to a small lake south of Avery, All roads. Beginner and UTV ok, just remember 145 miles is a long day. Bring lunch and extra gas unless you can make it 115 miles to gas at Avery.

**CHAMPION CREEK, SUNDAY AUGUST, 26<sup>TH</sup>, 9:00 am (ADVANCED).**

Suggested 4 WD. This is a challenging and technical ride into the mountains of Idaho and Montana. Lunch at the Montana Bar and Grill in Saltese. Gas available at Saltese or bring your own. 90 miles.

**SEPT. 1 and 2 OPEN**

**EARLS RIDE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER, 9<sup>TH</sup> 9:00 am. (INTERMEDIATE)**

Earls ride leaving from Wallace parking lot at 9:00am. Guaranteed to be a great ride. There will be Lunch available in Murray or bring own.

**CLARK FORK, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER, 16<sup>TH</sup>, 8:00 am (EASY)**

Leaving from Bunco Parking lot at 8 am. Early time is due to longer distance, approx 110 miles. Bring lunch and extra gas, or get both in Clark Fork.

**SILVER DOLLAR BAR RIDE, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup>, 8:00 am (EASY)**

Leave from the Wallace parking lot at 8:00am. Exit at 61 go to the stop sign at bottom of off ramp. Turn right, and then cross the street into the big dirt parking lot on your left. UTV friendly. Lunch at the Silver Dollar Bar, or bring your own. Gas available at the Bar, or bring gas if you think that you might need it on the way. Approximately 110 miles round trip.

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