

Hello South West Idaho Club officers.

1. For new officers, I need their Names, position, phone numbers and e-mail addresses. These will be listed on the paper calendar and the web site pages.
2. Meeting times and locations of regular club meetings (open to public)
3. Names of the central person to contact for the events and their phone number, if not the club officer. Usually, I like to put the road captain's number on the event. But I can put a special number if necessary.
4. Dates of major events open to the public with locations and times.
5. Check your current listing, by club on the web site:

<http://www.swimcc.org/>

Make any changes and forward me an e-mail from the page (small letter ICON)

SWIMCC Annual Planning Meeting For 2011

The date set for the annual SWIMCC planning meeting is: **Wednesday, March 2** at the Casa Mexico, 10332 Fairview Avenue, Boise, ID, 6PM dinner, 7PM meeting. To be confirmed in the fall.

Please send a club representative with your club dates. **TWO to THREE PEOPLE MAXIMUM PER CLUB!!!!** No guests or observers, please, because the room is limited to 50 people and with the number of clubs present it is a full house even without extras. This request, by the clubs, is to speed up the meeting and a provide seating for actual club representatives. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

The plan again is to complete and publish the paper calendar by March 15, and the web site updated by March 31. Final review copies to be e-mailed two weeks prior to those dates.

The data file for the calendar will be given to each club to print and distribute as they choose. 100 calendar sheets will be given to the motorcycle shops listed on the calendar listing by March 15 or soon there after. The paper calendar only runs from May through October. Pre and post season dates are listed as space is available.

Cost this year will be \$25 per club, payable to me (Mike McLain), to cover cost of printing and distribution of the paper calendars and for the web site hosting fees. At least 1200 copies were printed last year and distributed to MC shops in the valley. This nominal fee is requested to get your events published in the paper and web site editions. Last year several new clubs came forward asking to be included after it was too late.

The web site hosting costs are \$120/year. The additional money collected this year from each club is to pay for the site hosting. Any extra money will be donated to a local charity.

Adding events or clubs. I occasionally get requests for a club or event to be added to the SWIMCC calendar, so I have included my policy (for lack of a better one) that I have been using for the last five years. See next page:

Policies and Guidelines:

To be included in, and published by SWIMCC, each club or event must follow these Policies and Guidelines:

1. The South West Idaho Motorcycle Club Calendar (SWIMCC) is a non-profit group of volunteer clubs who have collaborated in promoting the sport of motorcycling. The SWIMCC is sponsored by several motorcycle clubs in this area.

The SWIMCC editor is a volunteer and receives no compensation for time spent in the process. All clubs share equally in the costs of materials and supplies to publish and maintain the web site. The current club fee is \$25 per club per year.

Our purpose and aim of SWIMCC is to promote friendship, cooperation, safety and love for the sport of motorcycling. The clubs listed on this website have paid for, and contributed to, the SWIMCC in the hope that you will join us on the roads and highways, as brothers and sisters of a free nation, to experience fun and fellowship as motorcyclists.

2. Any club listed must be a "public" club, i.e. no special requirements for membership. The only exceptions to that rule are clubs that are "brand" centric, like HOG, GWRRA, and BMW.

3. Any event must be a "public" event with no restrictions of any kind other than event fees. No exceptions. Special large events, like Sturgis, are included more for planning purposes because of the large interest. Some individuals sponsor events that I include like the "Chili burger run" and the "Halloween Ride" and are annual events.

4. Local charity events are listed as a public service and must be locally sponsored by clubs or individuals and are motorcycle focused or oriented ride events. A couple of examples would be Ride for Rescue, or Hope House ride.

5. Motorcycle web site of general interest can be linked by request. Any web sites listed/linked on SWIMCC must not contain offensive material. Family Rated Viewing. No nudity or vulgarity.

6. Space is very limited on the paper calendar and events are listed on a "space available" basis. On days where space is limited, the listing priority is: First special events, charity events, Second regular annual events; Third club meeting and weekly dinner rides.

7. Once the paper calendar is printed (frozen) any new dates will only be published on the SWIMCC web site. Because of the cost of printing the SWIMCC is printed only once. However, you can always download a .PDF version of the latest version from the SWIMCC web site.

8. Updates to the web site can be sent to the SWIMCC editor by clicking on the mail envelope on each web page. The editor will make changes as time allows throughout the year.