

2022 Pioneer Chapter Riders Club Rally - 23rd Annual - 24-28Aug2022

The Rally was based at The Country Lodge Inn - 525 Main Ave N - Harmony MN 55939 - 507-886-2515. We had 18 members attend. Most arrived the afternoon of Wednesday the 24th. Social time was that evening at the motel.

Thursday we all headed out for a ride led by Jim Rendahl. It was a great ride. Dodged some rain and rode thru some rain on really nice curvy roads. We had lunch at Elsie's in Caledonia MN and put on about 125 miles riding that day. We took breaks at Rushford and at Lanesboro MN. The Pioneer Chapter had pizza catered in for dinner from B&B Olympic Bowl in Preston 507-765-2522.

Friday we rode to Waterloo IA and went to the John Deere Tractor and Engine Museum. After the Museum we went for lunch at Costa's in Fairbanks IA. Ernie Henderson had arranged the tour and led us on the rides that day. We rode about 215 miles on Friday. The weather was beautiful. Nancy, the motel owner, provided us with a fantastic Chinese Dinner that evening. A big Thank You to Nancy for this.

Saturday started out really wet and only a few went with Jim Rendahl on the ride that day. Several of us met them at Stellar 181 Tap House in Spring Valley for lunch. They attended a Charlie Parr Concert at Forestville MN that evening. All in all they put on 220 miles dodging showers all day. Ody's Country Meats and Catering from Spring Valley 507-346-2579 catered in grilled chicken breasts, cheesy potatoes, baked beans, macaroni salad, and dinner rolls for our meal Saturday provided by the Pioneer Chapter. It was great as in the past. This is the third year Ody's has catered our Saturday Dinner.

The group decided to come back to Harmony 23-27Aug2023 for the 24th Annual Rally. We discussed making some changes to which nights we have which meals. And the participants from Illinois and Indiana would like to have one day of our rides go to The Shed as they have never been there.

Planning has already started for the 24th Annual Pioneer Chapter Riders Club (PCRC) Rally. Let us know if you have ideas for ride etc.

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