

2023

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### Date: Sunday, January 1st 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop Up Ride:

Dest. was: Hidden Treasures, 5993 S. Ridgewood Ave, Port Orange 32127

Three bikes with 4 people departed the racetrack station this beautiful Florida morning. Doug counted 80 Members helping to celebrate Chapter 131's 23rd Anniversary! We welcomed Bill and Kim for their first ride with Chapter 702 and hope we see them on many more. Bill won a 25th Anniversary SCRC Shirt at the raffle! Chapter 131 did a great job!!!! Chapters 131, 242, 739, 694, 122, 050, 702 came out in support for Chapter 131's 23rd!

### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 3<sup>rd</sup> Officer Bill & Kim Goss

Pop Up Ride Date: Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: Mike's Galley, 3162 S. Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach Shores FI, 32118





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#### Date: Saturday, January 21, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Ride:

Destination was: Hog Wild Country Cafe, 888 Co Rd 310, Interlachen, FL 32148

Six Bikes with six hearty souls headed out from the Racetrack Station this cold, damp Florida morning for a fun day in rural Florida. The rain was a coming but we made it back home before the sky opened up! From Chapter 716, Mark and Dave met us at the Restaurant, Chapter 115, Scott and two Members not known to me were there before us and were finishing up their meals. It was great to see Mark back in the saddle, we hope to see you there for many more rides. The food was great the service quick with no hiccups and the fellowship was superb. Eddie did a great job leading us to the restaurant and Joe had our six!

#### Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Ed Diloreto Joe Petrelli Ha Le **Chapter 702 Guest:** Ronnie Mitchell **Chapter 716:** Mark Dehnart Dave Alston **Chapter 115**: Scott Dukes 3 other members of 115

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, January 21<sup>st</sup> 2023 Dest was: Hog Wild Country Cafe, 888 Co Rd 310, Interlachen, FL 32148





#### Date: Saturday, January 28th 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop Up Ride**

Dest. was: Norma D's, 224, N Main St, Hastings, Fl 32145

Six Bikes with six people headed out on a beautiful cool Florida morning for a 100 plus mile ride through rural Florida. Sparky took us on some roads I had not been on in quite a while and a few I have never been on, Good Job #2! Frank joined us on this ride with his new/old Harley Classic, Big Ed and Debbi met us at the restaurant. The food was excellent and the fellowship fantastic. Not many pictures this time, I was being lazy, LOL!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Ed Diloreto Charlie Munna Mike Trippi Frank Carl Ed & Debbi Silverman

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: Norma D's, 224, N Main St, Hastings, Fl 32145

SCEC Florida, Chapter 702, Pop-up Ride to Norma D's







#### Date: Saturday, February 4, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Ride:

**Destination was: Downwind Cafe**, 100 Cessna Blvd, Port Orange, FL 32128

Five Bikes with Six People met at the Racetrack Station and ventured out on a bright,

cool Florida morning. Sparky led us through an 83 mile round trip today, Good Job Sparky! Members of Chapter 242 came in shortly after we did and several of Chapter 131

Ladies were there at the restaurant already. We all had a tasty, filling lunch with our

SCRC Family!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Charlie Munna Randy and Debby Ruff **Chapter 242** - 4 Members

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: Downwind Cafe, 100 Cessna Blvd, Port Orange, FL 32128













### Date: Saturday, February 18, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### Chapter Pop-up Ride:

Destination was: Aunt Kates, 612 Euclid Ave, St. Augustine, Fl 32084

Four Bikes with five brave souls headed out from the Racetrack Station on a cool clear day for a 120 plus mile journey. The meal was great and the company fun and animated.

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Bill & Kim Goss Eddie Diloreto

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: Aunt Kates, 612 Euclid Ave, St. Augustine, Fl 32084





Date: Saturday, February 25, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Ride:**

Dest. was: Terry's Place, 4121 NE 36th Ave, Ocala, FL 34479

Nine bikes with eleven people headed to Ocala this morning on a beautiful Florida Day. We put over 160 miles round trip on the odometer today, had a great lunch, with great Friends. Eddie you did a great job leading and Joe for covering the rear, we look forward to many more rides with you bot

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: Terry's Place, 4121 NE 36th Ave, Ocala, FL 34479





Date: Saturday, March 4th, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### 2023 Daytona Bikeweek Meet-N-Greet

Held at: Highjackers Restaurant, 202 Airport Road, Palm Coast, Fl 32164

We thank all those who braved the Bikeweek craziness to join us in meeting new and getting reacquainted with old Friends and our SCRC Family. We welcomed our National Vice President Greg (*Sparky*) Ponton, as well as representatives from Texas, Tenn, and Ga. I apologize for those I may have missed! Next time we will utilize sign in sheets! We had 145 plus bikes parked by 11:30 AM with more coming in every minute. The restaurant was able to rise to the occasion and get to us all! Thank You Highjackers for another successful Family gathering! Thank you to all those helping Bob, Bill, Deborah, Stephani, Flagler Cycle Service and all those without which this would not have been possible!

Stephanie, without your untiring efforts with 50/50 sales we would be lost! We hope you enjoy the Certificate of Appreciation and gift card in Sincere Appreciation of your valued efforts!

Now we will begin preparation for the:

2023 Biketoberfest Meet-N-Greet, Saturday, October 21, 2023.

#### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 2023 Daytona Bikeweek Meet-N-Greet

Held at: Highjackers Restaurant, 202 Airport Road, Palm Coast, Fl 32164









### Date: Saturday, March 11th 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

Chapter Pop-up Ride: Dest. was: Jim's Place, 4917 SR207, Elkton, Fl 32033

Four Bikes with six people met at the Racetrack Station on the NE Corner of Old Kings Road and SR100 venturing out into a beautiful Florida Day. We did a bit of exploring through Flagler Estates getting turned around once, oh well that is all part of the experience! Big Ed and Debbi met us at the restaurant. The meal was fantastic and the fellowship superb. Our trip back was just as interesting with an excursion through Cowpen Branch Road, SR204/13 to US1, Old Kings Rd to Mantanzas Woods (*West*) to Belle Terre Pkwy (*South*), all safely arrived home!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Charlie Munna Jeanette Mirabella Ed & Debbi Silverman Martin Gillis and Susie

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Jim's Place, 4917 SR207, Elkton, Fl 32033





### Date: Saturday, March 25, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-Up Ride:

**Destination was: Downwind Cafe**, 100 Cessna Blvd, Port Orange, FL 32128

Eight Bikes with nine people left our Racetrack meet up point this morning. Ronnie met us at the Restaurant, it is always a pleasant experience when she is able to join us! I am still trying to figure out how she managed to stay out of the restaurant photo and I took it! We are still trying to get her to join and become an Official Chapter member! We welcomed Doug on his first ride with the Chapter. We hope to see him on many more.

Sparky lead us on a 130 plus mile ride today through many rural twisty turney rural Florida roads, good job!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Deborah Johnson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Martin Gillis and Susey Ron Dougherty Charlie Munna Doug Mercer **Guest:** Ronnie Mitchell

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Downwind Cafe, 100 Cessna Blvd, Port Orange, FL 32128





Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> 2023 Downwind Cafe, Spruce Creek, FI







### Date: Saturday, April 1, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-up Ride:

**Destination was: Idle Awhile Resort**, 120A Georgetown Ldng Rd, Georgetown, Fl 32139

Nine Bikes with Eleven People rode out from the Racetrack Station this beautiful morning.

We added another 130 plus miles to our rides! Big Ed, Debby, Gunner and Raini met us at the restaurant. We kind of overwhelmed the kitchen with our fifteen peeps added to a full house of regular customers, we had over an hour wait! The wait was worth it as the food was great and plentiful and the company, as always, was superb! Sparky did a great job and our route to and from the Restaurant was scenic and beautiful!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Ron Daugherty Doug Mercer Eddie Diloreto Ed and Debbie Silverman Gunner Kai and Raini Moore Paul and Eli Morand Randy and Debby Ruff

Chapter Pop-up Ride Date: Saturday, April 1, 2023

Destination was: Idle Awhile Resort, 120A Georgetown Ldng Rd, Georgetown, Fl 32139







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### Date: Saturday, April 8, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-up Ride:

**Destination was: Palm Valley Outdoors Bar & Grill**, 377 S Roscoe Blvd #2, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082

Seven Bikes with Seven people headed to our destination on a beautiful Florida Morning. The Restaurant wait was inordinately long but the overall service and the food was more than acceptable. This beautiful venue on the Intercoastal is in desperate need of additional staffing. Sparky did a great job getting us to our destination and then home safely, 143 miles plus added to our odometers today!

### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Ron Daugherty Mark Graves Mike Trippi Bill McCracken Mike Turner

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> 2023

Dest was: Palm Valley Outdoors Bar & Grill, 377 S Roscoe Blvd #2, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082





#### Date: Thursday, April 13th to Sunday, April 16th 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### 2023 SCRC Florida State Rally

Dest was: Quality Inn and Suites, 201 N 1st Street. Palatka, Fl 32177

Another successful SCRC Florida State Rally is now in the history books! The hotel was

fully booked with Cruisers and the Overflow Hotel was utilized. Thursday we were rained out about a mile from the Hotel and after a harrowing U Turn returned soaking we, another out about a mile from the Hotel and after a harrowing U Turn returned soaking we, another out about a mile from the Hotel and after a harrowing U Turn returned soaking we, another adventure in the life of a Cruiser! All of the scheduled rides and the Dice Run were completed safely, the Bike Games went off without any incidents, fun for all! All those who volunteered their time in support of this Event were acknowledged with the presentation of a Certificate of Appreciation. Trophy's for the Winners of Bike Show and Games were awarded Saturday evening. We had Cruisers from Louisiana, Texas, Georgia, and all over Florida attending the Rally. There was a very Pleasant surprise from Chapter 739, a check made out to St. Jude in the amount of \$4100.00!

I will try to include as many photos and videos as I can on our Facebook Group Page.

#### Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Ed Diloreto Bill Goss Eric and Jill Wilson

2023 SCRC Florida State Rally Date: Thursday, April 13th to Sunday, April 16th 2023 Dest was: Quality Inn and Suites, 201 N 1st Street. Palatka, Fl 32177





#### Date: Saturday, April 22, 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Hallie's, Crescent City, Fl

Eleven Bikes with thirteen people headed out this morning for a beautiful adventure through rural Florida.

We arrived at Hallie's but the place was packed. We regrouped and headed for **Three Bananas**, which was close by. The service was great and the food excellent, the fellowship with our Cruiser Family fun and animated.

We were joined by two Members of Space Coast's Chapter 122, Glenn and Harold. We welcomed Felicia and Jack for their first ride with their SCRC Family in a while. Not many photos this ride, my phone memory card went south, possibly from the drenching it got at the Rally!

Sparky you managed to do it again, y'all got us there and back safely! Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Deborah Johnson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Officer Ed Diloreto Joe Petrelli Jeanette Mirabella Martin Gillis Felica Wright Jack Denaro Ron Daugherty Guest(s): Susie Chapter 122: Glen (G2) Gramm, 1st Officer, Chapter 122 Harold Hackett, 2nd Officer, Chapter 122

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> 2023 Dest was: Hallie's, Crescent City, Fl

We arrived at Hallie's but the place was packed. We regrouped and headed for Three Bananas, which was close by.







Date: Saturday, May 20th 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

**Destination Was: Gator's Riverside Grille**, 4255 Peninsula Point, Sanford, FL 32771

Four people met at the Racetrack and decided to modify the Destination to: **Woodpeckers BBQ**, 4930 State Rd 13, St. Augustine, FL 32092.

Sparky led the group on a 140 mile ride through rural Florida. Johnathan joined us for his first outing with the Chapter on his new Honda Goldwing.

### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Martin Gillis Susie DeShazo Jonathan Parmet

#### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Gator's Riverside Grille, 4255 Peninsula Point, Sanford, FL 32771

Four people met at the Racetrack and decided to modify the Destination to: **Woodpeckers BBQ**, 4930 State Rd 13, St. Augustine, FL 32092.





### Date: Saturday, May 27th 2023

### SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Eaton's Beach Grille, Weirsdale, Fl

Five people met at the Racetrack and began a 160 mile round trip ride through rural Florida. Eddie led the group on this beautiful day on our ride through rural Florida. The food was delicious and the fellowship superb!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Martin Gillis Susie DeShazo Eddie Diloreto

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Eaton's Beach Grille, Weirsdale, Fl




## Date: Saturday, June 3rd 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Mystery Breakfast Pop-Up

Three people met at the Racetrack and began an 80 mile round trip ride through rural Florida to **Rodie's' Restaurant**, Palm Coast, Fl, returning before 1:00 PM and the expected rain. Sparky led us on this beautiful day on our ride through rural Florida we received a small spritz of rain running through Flagler Beach after breakfast. The food was delicious and the fellowship superb!

### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Deborah Johnson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Officer

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023 Dest was: Mystery Breakfast Pop-Up - Rodie's' Restaurant, Palm Coast, Fl,









### Date: Saturday, June 10th 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Whitey's Fishcamp, Fleming Island, Fl

Eleven people left our Racetrack Station for a 160 mile ride up along the beautiful St. Johns River to our destination. The food was excellent and the company fun and animated. Sparky did a good job as usual leading us and returning us all home safely! We welcomes back Steve after not riding for a while, there will be many more rides to come! We welcomed 2 new members (*I am awaiting their application approvals from National*) Abbie and Susie!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Eddie Diloreto Steve and Abbie Katz Martin Gillis Susie DeShazo Roy Salthouse Ron Daugherty Ronnie Mitchell Paul Clark

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Whitey's Fishcamp, Fleming Island, Fl





## Date: Saturday, July 1st 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: 1st Turn, 5218 Ridgewood Ave, Port Orange, Fl 32127

11 Bikes with 13 people headed out for a pleasant morning ride. Our original destination had series of music events going on in the area of the restaurant and parking was no good this was a pay to get in event! Sparky did a quick change up and we headed for the **North Turn Restaurant**, an excellent choice. Chapter 739, 122, etc, opted for another Down the Hatch, next time we will get together! **Chapter 702 Members Participating:** 

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Susie DeShazo Jack Denaro and Beth RK Ha Le Charlie Munna Felica Wright and Dean Martin Gillis Paul Clark Ed Silverman Plus two (*forgot names*)

## Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, July 1st 2023 Dest was: 1st Turn, 5218 Ridgewood Ave, Port Orange, Fl 32127





Date: Saturday, July 8th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Mikes Galley Restaurant, 3162 S Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach Shores, Fl 32116

Six bikes with eight people left our meet up point this morning. We had to make a "hide from the rain stop" en-route to the restaurant. Sparky did a great job with Martin and Susie as his Tail Gunner. **Chapter 702 Members Participating:** 

Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Susie DeShazo Martin Gillis Eddie Diloreto Joe and Jeanette Petrelli Mark Graves Paul Clark

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Mikes Galley Restaurant, 3162 S Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach Shores, Fl 32116







#### Chapter 702 Pop-Up Ride Completed Saturday July 8, 2023

Dest. was: Mikes Galley Restaurant, 3162 S Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach







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### Date: Saturday, July 15th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: Mystery Breakfast Ride

#### Alfie's Restaurant, Ormond Beach, Fl

Seven Bikes with seven people departed the Racetrack gas station heading out for an early breakfast in an attempt to beat the heat. I believe we did just that! The food was delicious and the company was wonderful. Eddie started out as our Tail Gunner. Steve had an issue with his bike and Eddie stayed with him. A gas cap problem, which they were able to correct, they actually beat the group to the restaurant. In the interim Abbie filled in as our Tail Gunner, good job Young Lady! **Chapter 702 Members Participating:** 

Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Eddie Diloreto Steve and Abbie Katz Ed Silverman Joe Petrelli Glenn Will

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Mystery Breakfast Ride - Alfie's Restaurant, Ormond Beach, Fl

#### Chapter 702 pop up ride Saturday, July 15, 2023 Destination Was: Alfie's Restaurant, Ormond Beach, FI





Date: Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## Chapter Pop-Up Ride

Destination Was: Fillin' Station, 590 A1A Beach Blvd, St. Augustine, Fl 32080

Seven Bikes with eight people departed our Racetrack Station for a shorter than normal run to the restaurant. We hoped to beat the worst heat of the day yet get some riding in, the forecast was for a 110 deg heat index! We all enjoyed the company and fellowship. Thank you Eddie for covering our six.

## Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Eddie Diloreto Joe Petrelli Mark Graves Martin Willis Susie DeShazo Steve Katz

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> 2023 Dest was: Fillin' Station, 590 A1A Beach Blvd, St. Augustine, Fl 32080





Chapter 702 Pop-Up Breakfast Ride Date: Saturday, July 22, 2023 Dest was: Fillin' Station, St. Augustine, FI







Date: Saturday, July 29th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: George's' Diner, St. Augustine, Fl

Ten Bikes with ten brave souls headed out from the Racetrack Station for a 151 mile scenic round trip ride. The food was filling and tasty and the company animated and fun! Sparky did an excellent job leading and we were home before the worst heat of the day and we managed to stay dry!

## **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Mark Graves Charlie Munna Martin Willis Tom Scime Steve Katz Ed Silverman Glen Will

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: George's' Diner, St. Augustine, Fl





Date: Saturday, August 12th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-Up Ride

Destination Was: Heffer's Kountry Cafe, 603 Yonge St, Ormond Beach, Fl 32174

Thirteen Bikes with fourteen People headed out from our Racetrack Station this toasty morning. Cooter got us to and from the restaurant safely with one slight redirection, thanks to Jim P. for getting us back on track. Unfortunately our 1st restaurant choice was unable to handle our group without a considerable wait. Jim and Rhonda directed us to another place close by; **The Rivera Country Club Restaurant**, 500 Calle Grande Ave, Ormond Beach. We had a delicious meal with the best of friends! We are sorry we missed Chapter 395, we will get together another time

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Ed & Nikki Diloreto Mark Graves Ron Daugherty Jim & Rhonda Payne Felica Wright and Dean Tom Scime & Andrew Scime Ed Silverman Ed Lobb Raini Moore Gunner Kai

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Heffer's Kountry Cafe, 603 Yonge St, Ormond Beach, Fl 32174













Date: Saturday, August 19th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Destination Was: Idle Awhile Resort, 120 Georgetown Landing Road, Georgetown, Fl 32139

13 Bikes with 14 people left out Racetrack Station this morning with Mark in the Lead and Cooter in the rear. Gunner and Raini met us at the Restaurant, This was a beautiful cloud and rain free Florida day perfect for our ride through Florida's rural countryside. We welcomed Bob and Judy on their first ride with the Chapter.

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Ed & Nikki Diloreto Mark Graves Ron Daugherty Jim & Rhonda Payne Felica Wright and Dean Tom Scime & Andrew Scime Ed Silverman Ed Lobb Raini Moore Gunner Kai

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: Idle Awhile Resort, 120 Georgetown Landing Road, Georgetown, Fl 32139





Date: Saturday, August 26th 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was: 207 Diner, 131 FL-207, East Palatka, FL 32131

Eight Bikes with nine people headed out from our Racetrack Station this beautiful Florida Morning. Sparky did a good job leading us on a twisty rural route with some narrow and winding roads with Cooter bringing up the rear. The food was great the service fast and precise and the company, as usual, fun and animated!We passed by Veterans Park, Flagler Beach where Chris Dalessio was performing his 1st Annual "Perch-A-Thon" on our way to the restaurant. We all waved to him high up in the air! Sparky and I swung by on the way home to see how he was doing. Chris will be coming down Sunday about 2:00 PM after spending 45 hours, 30 feet in the air in his effort to help the Kids in Bunnell, Elementary School. Anyone wishing to see Chris in this event please feel free to visit him and say howdy, and if you wish, leave a little something for the kids! I will be there a there by 1:30 PM before he comes down on Sunday!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Joe Petrelli Mark Graves Ron Daugherty Charlie Munna Ha Le Martin Gillis Susie DeShazo Joe Petrelli

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest. was: 207 Diner, 131 FL-207, East Palatka, FL 32131



Chapter 702 Pop Up – Brunch Ride Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> 2023 Dest was: 207 Diner, E. Palatka, Fl





#### Date: Saturday, September 9, 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Destination Was: Jim's Place, 4917 State Rd 207, Elkton, FL 32033

Eleven bikes with eleven people met at our Racetrack Station and headed via beautiful Florida rural roads to our destination. As usual the food was great and the company very special indeed! You did a good job leading Sparky! Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Bob (Sparky) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Deborah Johnson, 3rd Officer Ed Diloreto Ron Dougherty Ed Lobb Ed Silverman Tim & Dawn Anderson Dan Palmisano **Guest:** Ronnie Mitchell

## Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, September 9, 2023 Dest. was: Jim's Place, 4917 State Rd 207, Elkton, FL 32033





### Date: Sunday, September 10, 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### Chapter Scheduled Ride Destination Was: 17TH ANNUAL FLAGLER COUNTY 9/11 MEMORIAL RIDE & CEREMONY

Eight Bikes with eight chapter 702 members formed up at our Racetrack Station to meet with and participate in this remembrance. We formed up with other SCRC Chapters, 131, 242, 716, 545, 739, 694. We opted not to go to the scheduled ride terminus but instead road to Sonny's BBQ, Cypress Edge Pkwy, Palm Coast. Cooter was tasked (and honored) to lead this assemblage to the restaurant.

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1<sup>st</sup> Officer Joe & Jeanette Petrelli Tim & Dawn Anderson Ha Le & Wife **Other Central Florida Chapters Participating:** 131, 242. 716, 545, 739, 694 (*65 plus SCRC Members*) **Guest:** 

Tim

Pop Up Ride Date: Sunday, September 10, 2023 Dest. was: 17TH ANNUAL FLAGLER COUNTY 9/11 MEMORIAL RIDE & CEREMONY





Date: Saturday, September 16, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### Chapter Pop-Up Ride Destination Was:

### Multi-Chapter - Florida/Georgia Meet-N-Greet

**Held at: Woodyard Grill**, 102 NW 250th Street, Newberry, FI 32669 Six bikes from Chapter 702 and three from Chapter 122 met up and headed north and west for a long ride to our destination. Our arrival was a bit later than we had planned, going through Gainesville proved a bit tedious, we had not taken into consideration a football game at the college! Our route, was for the most part, rural and very pretty. You did good Sparky!

#### Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Abbie Katz Mark Graves Ron Daugherty Eddie Diloreto **Chapter 122:** Glenn (*G2*) Gramm, 1st Officer Harold Hackett, 2nd Officer

From Weasel: Thank You SCRC - 12 Total Chapters

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Florida - 131- 108 - 91 - 242 - 739 - 702 - 050 - 366 - 716 - 545 .. Thanks for your support on this Great day, For the Kids!

Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, September 16, 2023 Dest. was: Multi-Chapter - Florida/Georgia Meet-N-Greet









Date: Saturday, September 23, 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

#### **Destination Was: Crescent City - Arts and Farmers Market**

Eight young at heart members departed our Racetrack for our stop at the Crescent City Arts and Farmers Market. Big Ed and his better half met us at the market. We had arrived in time to get front row seats for Kai and Raini's performance. We were suitably impressed with the "Gunner Kai Duo" as they called themselves. We hope to be able to see their efforts in future concerts.

We left the market area and headed for the Three Bananas restaurant (1/4 mile away) on Crescent Lake, for a delicious lunch and a lot of tomfoolery!!! We enjoyed ourselves! Or ride home included rural farm country and tree covered back-roads. We could not have asked for a better day to ride, not to hot no rain! Thank you Joe for covering our six.

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (Cooter) Lanier, 1st Officer Joe Petrelli Ron Daugherty Mark Graves Dan Palmisano John Fucci Ed & Debbie Silverman

## Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, September 23, 2023 Dest. was: Crescent City - Arts and Farmers Market





### Date: Saturday, October 7, 2023

## SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

**Destination Was:** Our original destination was local, **Southside Grille**, 1104 S. State St, Bunnell, Fl 32110

Sparky broached the option of another destination in Deland that Dest was: **Cook's Buffet Cafe Bakery**, 704 N. Woodland Blvd, Deland, Fl 32720

Everyone opted to try Cook's! Nine bikes with nine hungry riders departed our Racetrack Station on this cool, overcast morning for a 104 mile ride through beautiful rural Florida. Sparky did a great job today, he navigated us through some zig zag hilly (small hills, more like dippity doo's this is Florida after all) roads with pretty tree canopy and farms. We arrived at the restaurant safely and really enjoyed a great lunch, most of us even got desert! Nothing like a home cooked meal, this is the place!!!! We all got home safely ready for another adventure!!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st ) Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Roy (*CSI Roy*) Salthouse Chuck Kimball Joe Petrelli Ron Daugherty Mark Graves Eddie Diloreto

### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, October 7, 2023

**Dest. was:** Our original destination was local, **Southside Grille**, 1104 S. State St, Bunnell, Fl 32110

Sparky broached the option of another destination in Deland that Dest was: **Cook's Buffet Cafe Bakery**, 704 N. Woodland Blvd, Deland, Fl 32720





Date: Saturday, October 14, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

## 2023 Flagler County Drug Court Foundation - Ride for Recovery

Held at the **2K Ranch**, 6067 Tangerine Ave, Bunnell, Fl 32110 As we have done since 2018 the Chapter has participated in this worthwhile effort. We were again asked to come up with and lead a ride again for a second year. We departed the Texas Roadhouse, Palm Coast Pkwy, Palm Coast parking lot with eighteen bikes and four jeep vehicles following the behind group. This was not a Police Escorted event!

We were privileged to lead the group on an 87 mile (2 hour) ride through the beautiful Florida rural countryside. We arrived safely and all together. Flagler County and the 2K Ranch did a great job in smoothing an compacting the short section of Tangerine Ave. to the ranch driveway! It was a slip and slide yesterday! *The 2K Ranch is a beautiful facility*!

Sparky did a great job with Cooter in the rear and Roy with his strobes light a flashing!

Palm Coast Council Member, Cathy Heighter was on site to present a \$100.00 Check to Mike Feldbauer, Pres. of the Flagler County Drug Court Foundation! I even managed to get a photo of them both! She remained at the event till the end , joining in the festivities.

Roy and Bob tried their hand at the paintball targets'. they did not attempt the axe throwing though!!!! LOL

I even won the 50/50 drawing! My winnings went back to the Foundation!

#### Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Roy (*CSI Roy*) Salthouse

#### Pop Up Ride Date: Saturday, October 14, 2023

Dest. was: 2023 Flagler County Drug Court Foundation - Ride for Recovery



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Date: Saturday, October 28, to Sunday, October 29, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## 2023 Okeechobee Meet-N-Greet

Larry and Denis of Chapter 108 did a superb job in putting this Meet-N-Greet together, despite some minor hiccups. Bob and I enjoyed our 195 mile ride to Okeechobee, and quite by chance we met Chapter 739 at the racetrack, corner of 60 and 441. We rode together to the Golden Corral and enjoyed a great lunch. After checking in at the hotel did a short ride to J&S Fishcamp a quaint little bar on the water, decorated in abundance with Halloween decorations. Eric found a TV, wrestled the remote and was able to watch his Gator's Game, based upon the score he should have left the remote alone!!! LOL!

That is when the first hiccup began, The Brahma Bull had no idea (or so they claimed, then admitted, "oh we forgot") that the Meet-N-Greet was to occur at their venue!

Larry and Denis quickly switched it up to the Tiki Bar at Good Spirits Lounge. This proved to be a good choice, the food and service was great and the company amazing.

Bob and I opted on Sunday to ride around Lake Okeechobee, some 125 plus miles, while you could not see the lake itself the route was a fun ride we did find that 720 took us through some sugar cane plantations, on a very narrow road. These roads have little or no shoulder and an 8 to ten foot deep ditch on either side! We put more than 560 very enjoyable miles on the bikes arriving home safely but tired!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer

## Date: Saturday, October 28, to Sunday, October 29, 2023

Dest. was: 2023 Okeechobee Meet-N-Greet





Date: Saturday, November 4th, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Dest Was: Monkey Morning Cafe, 1728 S. Nova Road, South Daytona, FI 32119

Seven Bikes with eight people departed our racetrack station on a brisk Florida morning for a 73 mile round trip ride. We picked up Chuck in Ormond adding another rider to our ranks. We welcomed Roger for his 1st safari as a new member of the Chapter 702 family. Sparky kept the ride interesting and safe. The restaurant staff were friendly, and service was quick, the food delicious. The company was as always animated and fun!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Martin Gillis Susie Deshazo Roger Cressey Eddie Diloreto Mark Graves Chuck Kimball

## Date: Saturday, November 4th, 2023

Dest. was: Monkey Morning Cafe, 1728 S. Nova Road, South Daytona, FI 32119





Date: Saturday, November 11th, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## Chapter Pop-Up Ride

Dest Was: Eaton's Beach Sandbar and Grille, Weirsdale, Fl Eight Bikes with eight people departed our racetrack station on a clear Florida morning for a 173 mile round trip ride. We met Bear and Weasel at the restaurant adding two more to our happy family. Sparky kept the ride rural twisty and tree covered for most of the route get us all home safe and sound. The restaurant staff were friendly, and service was quick, the food delicious. Our SCRC family was, as always animated and fun!

## **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Kat Petrelli & Sam (*Guest*) Joe Petrelli Roy Salthouse Roger Cressey **Chapter 716** Bear & Stephanie

Date: Saturday, November 11th, 2023

Dest. was: Eaton's Beach Sandbar and Grille, Weirsdale, Fl





Date: Saturday, November 18th, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

## **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Dest Was: Drifters Riverfront Bar & Grill, 55716 Front St, Astor, FL 32102

Eight bikes with eight people headed out for a one hundred mile ride through the rural Florida countryside. Big Ed and Debbie met us at the restaurant. The food was very good and the fellowship fun and animated! We were supposed to meet up with Chapter 346 but we arrived a bit earlier and they a bit later! We will try a meet up another time!

### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Tim & Dawn Anderson Roy Salthouse Joe Petrelli Ron Daugherty Ed & Debbie Silverman

#### Date: Saturday, November 18th, 2023

## Dest. was: Drifters Riverfront Bar & Grill, 55716 Front St, Astor, FL 32102





Date: Saturday, November 25th, 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

#### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Dest Was: Rossie's Side Street Cafe, 910 Village Trail, Port Orange, FL 32129

Six bikes with six brave soles headed out on this chilly November morning for our adventurous travels through rural/suburban Florida. The restaurant was fast to serve us and the food was plentiful and delicious. We will be returning in the future! We welcomed Chuck and Steven on their first chapter ride. One of our shorter rides 75 mile round trip. Thanks to Sparky for getting us there and home safely.

## Chapter 702 Members Participating:

Jim (*Cooter*) Lanier, 1st ) Officer Bob (*Sparky*) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Eddie Diloreto Roger Cressey Steven Jahn Chuck Devlin

## Date: Saturday, November 25th, 2023

Dest. was: Rossie's Side Street Cafe, 910 Village Trail, Port Orange, FL 32129





### Date: Saturday, December 2nd 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

### **Chapter Pop-Up Ride**

Dest Was: Fysh Bar & Grill, 3633 S Ridgewood Ave, Port Orange, FL 32129

12 Bikes with 12 people headed out from our regular departure point for an 75 mile round trip ride thru some rural Florida scenery. We were met at the restaurant by Members of Chapter 242. Sparky got us to and from the restaurant safely with Joe covering our six! The restaurant was excellent, we will be returning in the near future!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

Bob (Sparky) Gucciardo, 2nd Officer Eddie Diloreto Tim & Dawn Anderson Joe Petrelli Charlie Munna Ron Daugherty Glen Wills Mark Graves Ron Carstens Steven Jahn Jerry Condon **Chapter 242 Members Participating:** Sammy Ginicola Bob Sweida

#### Date: Saturday, December 2nd 2023

Dest. was: Fysh Bar & Grill, 3633 S Ridgewood Ave, Port Orange, FL 32129



## Date: Saturday, December 9th 2023

Dest. was: Beef-O-Brady's, 201 N 1st St, Palatka, FL 32177



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Date: Sunday, December 10th 2023

# SCRC Florida, Palm Coast, Chapter 702

# 1st Annual Holiday Season Family Get-to-Gather

**Loc: The Landing Strip Tavern**, 202 Airport Rd, Palm Coast, Fl 32164 *Our 1st Annual Holiday Family Get-To-Gather is now history.* Forty Five of our Chapter 702 Family Members participated in this Get-To-Gather.

The Buffet put out by the Landing Strip Tavern was superb, thank you Cindy (*Gen Mgr.*) for making us welcome and for producing such a delicious and diverse Menu. Mary, our waitress was well up to the task of keeping the liquid refreshments coming and fulfilled. She was amply rewarded for efforts!

We ran off a 50/50 raffle and the 1st prize winner donated his winnings to St. Jude. We now have a grand total of \$541.00 in the pot for St. Jude, hopefully we will be adding to that sum before next years FI State Rally. The Chapter will make a donation to St. Jude at the 2024 Florida State Rally.

We presented Jeanette with a Certificate of Appreciation and a \$25.00 Gift Card. For her tireless effort in taking the lead in organizing and calling/verifying Chapter Membership to verify their participation. Thank you again Young Lady for your help, you are greatly appreciated! We will now be looking ahead to next year, as we are hoping to make this an annual Get-To-Gather!

#### **Chapter 702 Members Participating:**

50 Members

#### Date: Sunday, December 10th 2023

## **1st Annual Holiday Season Family Get-to-Gather**

Loc: The Landing Strip Tavern, 202 Airport Rd, Palm Coast, Fl 32164

