Congratulations to Cabin Fever winners:

(Left to right) Highest hand—Bob Negri, $500 cash & $250 gift card from Fort Thunder H-D
Second place — Tedd Lash, $250 cash and a $100 gift card from Fort Thunder H-D.
Lowest hand — Rebecca McGinley for $100 cash and a $50 gift card from Fort Thunder H-D
Otis Mooney, 50/50 winner—$237, Pre-registration drawing — Shirley Ferguson, $150
New Member Ride to Sandro’s Pizza, April 2

Before the New Member ride even started on April 2, I knew it was going to be a great day!! At 9:00 on a beautiful Saturday morning we (a few chapter members and myself) gathered at the Fort for a safety meeting, for which had a very good turnout.

The OHP had a couple of their finest motorcycle patrolmen there to talk about safety on two wheels and especially breaking on two wheels. It was very good info. Kudos to Mike Austin for putting that together!

Onward to the New Member ride, the weather couldn’t have been more perfect—calm winds, 73 degrees.

I took our group of 11 bikes and 14 people out around Lake Stanley Draper, through some twisty turns and back to Sooner Road. Then we went south into Norman, onto Robinson west to Porter Ave, then south to Gray, and west to Flood, south to Main and ending up at Sandro’s Pizza and Pasta. There we had some good food and great conversation with our new members, along with some old ones too.

It was a good time for sure. This should be the norm for future new member rides.

Our mid road captain was Larry Burgess, and our sweep was Mike Gaston.

Thanks guys, until next time!!!
—Ray K (Lancelot)
Dinner Ride to Ballard’s, Paul’s Valley, March 26

We left out of Ft. Thunder at 12 noon. 12 riders on 11 Harleys bravely facing inclement weather. Taking the back roads on the east side of Norman until we arrived at highway 77 south of Noble. Then we rode Hwy 77 on down to Paul’s Valley. A trip of about 60 miles.

The other road captains were Gene Dutton and Mike Austin. It was a little cold but of course we got NO rain. As far as I could tell everyone had a good time, and I think most had some type of hamburger. Ballard’s is a very good place to eat and a good ride, so maybe we can DO IT AGAIN sometime.

BY the way...HOW does that “phone in order” phone work?

That is all..
Thank you…..thank you very much…….Larry (Leno)

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By Larry Burgess, Road Captain

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WANTED

By Larry Burgess, Road Captain

Message from the Safety Scout

by Mike Austin, Safety Officer

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Announcing

Wednesday Nights with Leno

Who? You and your friends will be led by Larry Burgess (Leno)

What? An impromptu dinner ride

When? Every Wednesday night — 6:30/7, June, July, and August

Where? Fort Thunder Harley-Davidson

Dinner Ride to Jake’s Rib, Chickasha—April 9

It was a good day to ride, even if it was windy. 27 people on 25 Harleys left out of Ft. Thunder at about 11:30 am.

We took hwy37 over to hwy44 and again followed hwy37 west over to hwy76 south. We went to Blanchard where we picked up highway 9 to Chickasha.

What an impressive sight in my rear view mirror, 24 Harleys following mine. I LOVE IT.

When we got to Jake’s they had our tables ready for us, even though we could not get in touch with them before we left. I thought that was a pretty great welcome.

I’m not sure but I think everyone had Bar-B-Q, either sandwich or plate. My thanks go to all for making it a great ride.

Thanks also to co-Captains Lee Allen and Mike Gaston, as well as Rick Marinelli, Ray Kubiszewski, and Ira, who were also with us. Photos are from Jud and Ronnie.

Jake’s is always great, and I’m looking forward to going back soon. …………..That is all.
Thanks…. Thank you very much …………Larry (Leno)

Welcome to spring, summer, winter and maybe some fall. I don’t think Mother Nature knows what she is wanting. But it’s so good to see that nothing can stop the Storm Riders Chapter from doing what they love to do and that is to ride.

I would like to give Monty and Brenda a BIG THANK YOU for a job well done on Cabin Fever. We made $98.00 on the donuts and coffee sales. Thank you Fort Thunder for donating the goodies. I do believe we all had a great time.

Our next LOH project is still in the planning stages. These projects are for the chapter. Even though LOH might be sponsoring an event, we still need all chapter members to participate.

So many people did a wonderful job selling quilt tickets last year. Another example is when we did gift wrapping at Fort Thunder.

This is the kind of cooperation we always need. If you are a Storm Riders Chapter member, we will need your help whether we are selling fireworks, quilt tickets, or whatever.

That’s all for now, “Happy Riding” and be safe.

Becky Hammer, “Hootie”
LOH Officer
Historical notes...  
by Lynn Cavin, Historian  

At one of my first Storm Rider officer meetings, I was asked if I might want to do an article about the history of the chapter. After all, I was the newly-elected Historian, so who better to delve into the archives on our website and see what I could come up with?

Both entertaining and educational, these newsletters from past years give us a peek into our past, and serves as a reminder that some things remain the same. We will always want our members to feel welcome, valued, included and important to the chapter. We will always need volunteers to help out in the various activities we pursue as fundraising opportunities. We will always seek to grow and move forward as an active HOG chapter. And of course, we want to get out there and ride!

Here are some of the highlights I came across while reading the 2003 chapter newsletters, at that time called the Moore H.O.G. Pens.

There were older items of interest mentioned from club history, such as the Chapter Corner being introduced at the Bryan H-D store in February of 2001.

In July of 1999, a dinner ride was held with different destinations-one for the appetizer, one for the main course, and the final destination for dessert! It was called a progressive ride.

In March of 2002, the very first Grand Foo-Pah award was given to Diana Hansmeyer for slipping on a doughnut.

February 2003 brought the launch of the chapter website, courtesy of the "WEBMEISTER" Ira Frame.

The April 2003 newsletter has an article titled "David & Ira's Great Adventure" which chronicles their trip to Bike Week in Daytona. It rained 99% of the time! In the small town of Edgewater, FL there's an older woman who probably still smiles when she recalls the show David put on for her while putting on his rain gear.

While we are enjoying our current meeting place at Willow Creek, I was amused to see some of the different places we've had our monthly meetings over the years. There may be others; these are just the ones I have come across while reading our archives.

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What a variety of places! Just as we are a widely-varied group of individuals who share this passion for our bikes, our trips, our friends, and our future as a chapter.

Each one of us helps write a little bit of our chapter’s history...so let's make it memorable!
Saddle Up and Let’s Ride!
by Brenda Stutterheim
Activities Officer

Spring has sprung, which means riding for people like you and me!

Thank you to EVERYONE who helped with our annual Cabin Fever Poker Run! We couldn’t pull this off without your help, so thank you, thank you, and THANK YOU! We have some great hard working chapter members! Give yourself a pat on the back!

The 12th annual Rooster Ride is coming up May 19-21. This is a ride created and led by our former director, David Wiist.

Everyone that completes the entire ride comes home with a “Rooster” name! In addition, you have the fun of riding the route David has custom created for this particular year, while having lots of fun with a great group of people!

If you decide not to go on the Rooster Ride, we have a dinner ride planned for Friday, May 20, to Kendall’s restaurant in Noble that our chapter director, Ira, will lead.

June 10-12 we will be riding to Eureka Springs, Arkansas to enjoy some good riding and the laid back atmosphere of Eureka Springs.

If you are planning on any of these overnight rides, please make your reservations as soon as possible. I only block a few rooms with a cutoff date and when they are gone that is it! If you need hotel information, please let Monte or me know and we will get that to you.

We always provide something for everyone, and some fun people to ride with!

We are always looking for ideas, so if you go to a restaurant, museum, or any place you think the chapter could benefit from and enjoy visiting, please pass that along to one of the chapter officers. We LOVE getting ideas from YOU! This is YOUR chapter and we want to do what YOU want to do!

Ride safe and REMEMBER….. It is all about the ride and ALWAYS about having fun!!

Brenda Stutterheim
Activities Officer

Chapter Meeting, April 13
### STORM RIDERS CHAPTER, OKLAHOMA TERRITORY H.O.G.  
**May 2011**

**The deadline for information for the June newsletter is May 15**

**Rain or shine, we dine:**
**Ice or snow, we don’t go**

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**What’s Happening**

*Every Friday*— Bike Night at Fort Thunder, 6—9 p.m.

**Saturday, May 7**— Smokin’ Joe’s BBQ, Davis. 11/11:30, FTHD.

**Sunday, May 15**— Hideaway Pizza, Stillwater, 12:30/1 FTHD.

**Friday, May 20** — First Friday night dinner ride! Kendall’s, Noble, 6:30/7, Fort Thunder H-D.

**Thursday, May 19—22—Rooster Ride,** 7/7:45a.m.  Conoco station I-35/2nd street, Edmond (exit 141)

*Hotel info:*  
**Thurs**—Best Western, Miami, OK 948-542-6681  
**Fri**—Quality Inn, Idabel, OK 580-286-6501  
**Sat**—Best Western, Lawton, 580-353-0200

**Saturday, May 28**— New Member orientation 9:30, New Member Ride 10:30/1, FTHD.

**Sunday, June 5**— Cajun King, 5816 NW 63rd, OKC, 10/10:30, Valero.

**Friday, June 10—Sunday, June 12** — Eureka Springs overnighther, Eureka Inn, 1-800-221-3344.

**Saturday, June 18** — Red Hawks game, (for those who signed up and paid in advance)

**Saturday, June 25** — Breakfast Ride, Rock Café, Stroud. Time to be announced later.

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**Meeting**

**Monday, June 27** — Million Mile Monday Ride, to Eischens, meet at FTHD. Time to be announced later.

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**Meetings**

**Tuesday, May 3**— Officers’ Meeting, 6 p.m. FTHD.

**Wednesday, May 11**— Chapter Meeting, 7 p.m. Willow Creek Country Club (social time 5:30—7 p.m.)

**Tuesday, May 31**— Officers’ Meeting, 6 p.m. FTHD.

**Wednesday, June 8** — Chapter Meeting, 7 p.m. Willow Creek Country Club (social time 5:30—7 p.m.)

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If you would like a special occasion, get-well wish, or other item listed in this newsletter, please send to:

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linwebs@gmail.com

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Let’s meet

Chapter meeting held 2nd Wednesday each month at

WILLOW CREEK GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
OKLAHOMA CITY

6501 S Country Club Drive
(From SW 64th and Pennsylvania, go west two blocks)

May 11, 2011
Dinner 5:30-7, Meeting at 7pm.

Ride your bike-get a chance to win a FREE dinner!