



Los Senderos

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May 2019

President's Report

This year's Members Only Ride truly turned out to be a great success in so many ways. The attendance was fabulous and I would like to thank everyone that took the time to come out and participate.

This year's event started off a bit cold with light rain, which made everyone question just what we were doing outdoors in this weather. But as predicted, the weather changed and by Friday morning we had nothing but blue skies with mild winds. As we prepared to trailer up the road for the first ride, I am not sure who was more excited, the rough riders of Los Senderos or Rick Whites colt. As we were all getting tack up for the ride, Ricks horse couldn't wait another moment and exited his trailer via the window (As Rick says - I guess daughter like mother). Many of the members stated they have not ridden in that area of the Cuyamaca Park in over 15 years and how beautiful the ride was. Ted Van Arsdale led a perfectly planned ride with several water crossings as well as a close-up view of the wildlife, several wild turkeys and deer all on the same ride.

Friday night was filled with activities like corn hole toss, eating a great dinner fixed by Jim Sheridan and a attempt to empty the bar trailer of all beverages humanly possible. Craig Knox appointed as the bar tender for the evening was seen sampling open bottles as

well as the bourbon maple syrup? This followed by an expedition on how to start a fire and witnessing the fire abilities of our club as they managed to dry out the fire pit for the deep pit BBQ. Note to one's self: Gasoline is no match for good kindling.

Saturdays ride was led by Bill Cuddenback where they ventured down to the lake and blazed some trails while working their way back to camp just in time for lunch and a long nap. Saturdays Dinner was over the top with Tom Laffs Deep Pit BBQ. Tom's collection of the "3 food groups - BEEF - PORK - TURKEY" hit this hungry group with Tom's special seasonings that he would not reveal or for that matter allow any pictures. Tom Laff, you OUT DID YOURSELF and this ride will be hard to top!

With the Members Only ride now behind us, we still have some really great rides planned by our 2019 Ride Committee.

Next month's ride will be hosted at Fiegel Ranch June 23rd. Please mark your calendars for this ride. The last time we rode this ranch the grass was high and the views were spectacular!

Your President,
Don Horn





2019 Monthly Ride Calendar

June 23rd Fiegel Ranch
 July 28th Ranch Samatagama
 August 25th Crouch Meadows
 September 18-22nd Annual Ride Los Senderos Park

October 27th Coogan Ranch
 November 24th TBD
 December - Annual Members Meeting
 January Dinner Dance

