

## October 2016

Hello Brothers and Sisters.

Up here in the High Country the weather is great for riding. Although it has been cool at night and in the mornings, it been just right during the day. Monsoons have begun to subside a little, but don't let that fool you, always be prepared when riding in the mountains. Stay alert and watch for elk, this being rut season herds are on the move. You don't want to meet by accident.

October 15<sup>th</sup> is our 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Chili Cook-off. Hans Olson will be performing. Bring your best chili and enter to win \$100+ and a damn fine trophy. If you don't know how to make chili, but you're a pro at eating it. Then come be a judge. If you're not that good at being a judge, but you just like chili. Then come eat, there will be plenty. There's something for everyone, just bring your appetite for good music, food, and fun. Starts at 11am, Spur Bar in Star Valley. All entries must be in by noon.

Both State and Chapter elections are right around the corner. So if you think you know someone that would be beneficial to the organization to have them in an officers' position, nominate them. If you believe you have what it takes to take on an officers' position, then step forward. New people, and new ideas is what helps us to grow as an organization and a family, and both are welcomed.

High Country Chapter holds our meetings on the third Sunday of every month. Moose Lodge 852 in Star Valley Az. 10am. All are welcome. We meet for breakfast 8:30am at the Spur Bar prior to the meeting.

Keep wind in your face, sun on your back, fuel in the tank, and rubber on the road.

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