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CalMoto & Tri-Valley Moto SUNDAY RIDE

Sunday, October 2, 2011

Destination: The Goat Roads Tour

Departure: 9:00am from CalMoto in Mountain View

We will be riding out on Sunday, October 2nd, leaving the CalMoto shop parking lot at 9:00 am. Please be gassed up and ready to go at that time. We'll have a short safety meeting before the ride, and a sign-out sheet for contact information if needed. As always, we'll have coffee and doughnuts by 8:30 or so. Please arrive a little early and give yourself a chance to relax and socialize before the ride. The ride will be led this month by Arlie Ray Blackshear, as I have a previous commitment.

This ride features an assortment of some of the best "Goat Roads" in the Santa Cruz Mountains. This will be a relatively short ride, over small, tight, technical roads, at low speeds, with several bail-out places if you need to get home early. This is a great ride to practice your skills on bumpy terrain.

Our route will be to leave the shop and head toward Foothill College where we will pick up Moody Road to Page Mill and the summit. We will then head north on Skyline to Old La Honda Road where we will drop back down toward the valley and Woodside. From Old La Honda we will pick up Mountain Home to 84/Woodside (near Roberts Market) and then turn right onto Kings Mountain Road which will take us back up to the summit. We will then cross over 35 onto Tunitas Creek and follow that down to a right on Lobitos Creek Rd. From there we will go left onto Verde and then Lobitos Creek Cutoff back to Tunitas Creek. We will follow Tunitas Creek back to Highway 1 south where we will make a left onto Stage Road. We will follow Stage all the way to Pescadero where the ride will end. In Pescadero you can stop for something to eat or just a nice coffee!

Everybody, please, be sure to stay within the safe limits of your riding ability. This is a social ride, not a race, so always ride within your comfort zone and work on being the smoothest rider on the ride, not the fastest. True riding skill is built on the practice of smoothness, control and a sense of the right line, not on trying to go fast. So, as always, this is a leisurely ride, and please, no racing! I hope you can join us. Have fun and be safe!

[E-mail me](#) or call me at 650-966-1183, ext. 3 if you have any questions or concerns.

Mike Meissner