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Member News and Rides

John A., Bob P. and Chuck rode up to Big Sur on the newly-opened section of Highway 1 on July 23. Some pictures of their ride are on Page 2.

Debra and Howell also rode to Big Sur the weekend that Highway 1 re-opened to join in the celebration of the official opening. Howell reports that it was a "Great gathering on a beautiful day at Ragged Point on Friday then rode up to the Big Sur Lodge for a couple of nights. The road is open with just a couple of short one-way sections. Little traffic heading north, so great ride the whole way!"

Steve and Fran went on a French Alps tour, with 3,000 km of great roads, thousands of corners, great vistas, excellent food and wine. Some pictures of their trip on Pages 4 and 5.

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Debra at the Highway 1 opening celebration. Photo by Howell.



Big Sur Ride

John, Chuck and Bob rode up newly re-opened Highway 1. Photos by John A.



Repaired and newly-opened section of Highway 1 at the Mud Creek Slide area.

SB BMW Riders Calendar

- ❖ Monday, August 20: Club meeting at Cody's Café, 4898 Hollister Avenue, Goleta, CA. Come at around 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. for dinner and stay for the 7:30 p.m. meeting.
- ❖ Monday, September 17: Club meeting at Cody's Café, 4898 Hollister Avenue, Goleta, CA. Come at around 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. for dinner and stay for the 7:30 p.m. meeting.
- ❖ Saturday, October 20: Tech Day in Carpinteria. Watch for more information or contact Marten: marten@cox.net
- ❖ Any other activities or rides scheduled? Let me know! djkrohn@cox.net



Motomania Central Coast

The 10th Annual Central Coast Classic Motorcycle Show will be September 15, at the Paso Robles Mid-State Fairgrounds. This venue has a classic bike show plus racing, with a motocross, amateur/vintage-friendly track for those who would like to do some track racing. RV camping is available at the site, and hotels in Paso Robles are within walking distance. [Central Coast Classic](#)

Wheels 'n Windmills Car Show

Don't forget about the Wheels 'n Windmills Car Show in Solvang on August 25. Club members Phil Wilson and Dave Hamilton are entering bikes in the show. [Wheels 'n Windmills](#)

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Upcoming Events

- August 16-19: 20th Beartooth Rendezvous, Red Lodge, MT. [Beartooth Rendezvous](#)
- August 24-26: MOA Getaway Copper Mountain, Copper Mountain Resort, CO. [MOA Getaway Copper Mountain](#)
- August 25: Wheels 'n Windmills Car Show, Solvang. Phil Wilson, Dave Hamilton, and Doug Wilson are entering bikes in the motorcycle portion of the show. [Wheels 'n Windmills](#)
- August 31-September 3: Range of Light Gypsy Tour. Starts in Napa, CA. Part adventure ride, part endurance ride, part camp-out. [Range of Light Gypsy Tour 2018](#)
- August 31-September 2: 7th Annual XLADV High Sierra Rally, Benton Crossing, CA. [XLADV High Sierra Rally](#)
- September 7-10: High Sierra Gathering of the Tribes, Kings Canyon National Park. Contact John Covington at jwcov@yahoo.com
- September 14-16: 33rd Annual Autumn Beemer Bash, Quincy, CA. [33rd Annual Beemer Bash](#)
- September 15: 10th Annual Central Coast Classic Motorcycle Show, Paso Robles, CA. [Central Coast Classic](#)

Steve's and Fran's Excellent Alps Tour





More of Steve's and Fran's Excellent Alps Tour

