



EMPIRE CITY MC's PRIDE MONTH ACTIVITIES

"Come out" and join us on multiple post-COVID, in-person events this month! Please note: **EVENT TICKETS ARE REQUIRED!!!**



FREE BIKE BLESSING tickets: <https://ecmc2022bb.eventbrite.com/>



FREE BIKER'S PICNIC tickets: <https://ecmc2022bp.eventbrite.com/>



If you want to BE IN THE PARADE on your MOTORCYCLE, you MUST agree to the terms and **PURCHASE A TICKET** to be IN THE MOTORCYCLE SECTION OF THE GAY PRIDE MARCH, from the SIRENS, M.C. at this website:

<https://bit.ly/2022pride>

More information about these events follows in this newsletter and online at <http://EmpireCityMC.com>



**Biker, Buddy and Non-Bikers Welcomed!
Eastbound and Down! RIDE LI 22!**

RIDE LI MOTORCYCLE TOUR AND POOL PARTY
Jones Beach to Southampton

SATURDAY JULY 16

Join us on a two wheel tour from Jones Beach State Park eastward to Southampton for a Private Pool Party and BBQ. Atlantic Ocean, Pine Barrens, The Big Duck, Shinnecock Canal and beautiful Southampton views along the route. Limited overnight beds available, please book early.

Pool Party and BBQ limited to 40 guests. Overnight accommodations on first reserved, first served basis. Please comment on PayPal whether you are planning to stay over.

\$10 per person

Scan QR Code to the left or go to liravensmc.org/rideLI22.html or for more information
Secure payment through PayPal
Refunds If canceled due to rain.

CELEBRATING 30 YEARS * 1992-2022
LONG ISLAND RAVENS M.C.
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SAT, 16th JULY 2022

11:00 AM - BIKES START RIDE FROM JONES BEACH STATE PARK

3:00PM - POOL PARTY AND BBQ BEGINS SOUTHAMPTON

GET YOUR BIKES READY FOR A SCENIC TOUR ALONG LONG ISLAND'S SOUTH SHORE AND FINISHING AT PRIVATE RESIDENCE IN SOUTHAMPTON FOR A PRIVATE LEATHER POOL PARTY.

NOT A BIKER, JOINS US AT THE END AND WELCOME THE RIDERS AS THEY ARRIVE!

Tickets and more information online at <http://www.liravensmc.org/rideLI22.html>

ECMC's 58th Annual Motorcycle Blessing & Christening & Biker's Picnic

Our annual Bike Christening and Blessing kicks off pride week! Come on down to Ty's Bar, 114 Christopher St, New York, NY 10014 on Friday, 17th June.

Although we'll be there from 9am keeping the street clear of cars and you're welcome to come down and hang with us at any time, if you're coming by motorcycle, please plan to arrive between 6pm and 7pm to register if your bike is to be blessed (group blessing) and/or christened/named (individually).

The blessing starts at 7pm and this is always a great event if you like bikes or bikers, as there is always lots of eye candy!

If you're coming by motorcycle, please register in advance so we save a space for you by getting a FREE TICKET at <https://ecmc2022bb.eventbrite.com/>



ECMC's 11th Annual Motorcycle Weekend

As per usual for the past 11 years, our Motorcycle Weekend was held this past Memorial Day Weekend. Unusually, however, we started a day early and returned a day late in order to take an eight-hour ride and turn it into two four-hour rides with a layover in Harrisburg Thursday night and Monday nights. We met up with the Pennsmen in Harrisburg for food and drinks and avoided getting cold or wet the entire weekend!

Spacing out the ride there and back allowed for much more flexibility for attendees from all over to meet up and gather at multiple points on the journey. On the return trip, we stopped in Centralia, PA (a borough and near-ghost town in Columbia County, Pennsylvania. Its population has declined from 1,000 in 1980 to 5 residents in 2017 because a coal mine fire has been burning beneath the borough since 1962. Look it up.)



In the Pittsburgh area, we stayed at Mike N's place, nearly 100 acres secluded on a hilltop in Coal Centre, PA which he has nick named "The Farm". We had beds and space for up to 14 people and tent space for up to 25 more! Several meals were included in the weekend, which were diligently planned and

prepared by Tim, Lewis, Jay, Mike and friends. We even got all sorts of cakes, cookies, pies and deserts from a local baker on the run. We did NOT go hungry, and we had LOTS of fun!

On Saturday, we made an excursion to Frank Lloyd Wright's famous "Fallingwater" house, only 40 minutes away from The Farm, where we got a private guided tour of the property!



UPCOMING EVENTS & RIDES

Some Featured Rides & Events from our calendar:

Wed 15th Jun, 20:00 – 21:00: SOCIAL MEETING: Empire City hosts a social teleconference on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All interested parties are welcomed. We discuss ride and event ideas, current events, other useful stuff. <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Social>

Fri 17th Jun, 18:00 – 21:00: EVENT: ECMC **FREE** Bike Christening/Blessing

Sat 18th Jun, 09:00 – 17:00: RIDE: ECMC's 58th Annual **FREE** Biker Picnic*
(*entry by motorcycle only!)

Sat 26th Jun, 12:00 – 16:00: RIDE: NYC 2022 Gay Pride March

Wed 6th Jul, 20:00 – 21:00: OPEN GENERAL MEETING: Empire City MC's monthly Open General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 8pm to 9pm by teleconference at: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Meeting> All interested parties may attend.

Sat 9th Jul, 09:30 – 16:30: RIDE: Emilio Carranza Memorial & Wreath Laying

Sat 16th – Sun 17th Jul: RIDE: Long Island Ravens present "Eastbound and Down! RIDE LI 22!"

Wed 20th Jul, 20:00 – 21:00: SOCIAL MEETING: Empire City hosts a social teleconference on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All interested parties are welcomed. We discuss ride and event ideas, current events, other useful stuff. <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Social>

Wed 29th – Mon 1st Aug: RIDE: Red Caboose & ABBA Concert in Lancaster, PA

Wed 3rd Aug, 20:00 – 21:00: OPEN GENERAL MEETING: Empire City MC's monthly Open General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 8pm to 9pm by teleconference at: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Meeting> All interested parties may attend.

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Thu 18th – Tue 23rd Aug: RIDE: Montréal Trip 2022 & Lake George, NY (Contact the Road Captain for information!)

Fri 26th – 28th Aug: RIDE: Get your kicks on RT-6 (PA)

Thu 1st – Tue 6th Sep: EVENT: 2022 Delta Run #28 (Private, Invitational Event)

Thu 1st – Tue 6th Sep: RIDE: Philadelphia Weekend II (includes Bike Stop, Cranberry Bog Tour and Hindenburg Crash Site)

Wed 7th Sep, 20:00 – 21:00: OPEN GENERAL MEETING: Empire City MC's monthly Open General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month from 8pm to 9pm by teleconference at: <https://bit.ly/ECMC-Meeting> All interested parties may attend.



REMEMBER: There are plenty of other events and rides added to our official calendar on a regular basis, especially day rides! Be sure to bookmark <http://calendar.EmpireCityMC.com> and come along with us on some great rides! Our physical mailing address is: **Empire City MC, 10 W 15th St, Suite 609, New York, NY 10011-6821.**

For membership information, visit <http://empirecitymc.com/membership.php> to view and download our constitution, bylaws and membership application. We're on social media at <https://mewe.com/join/empirecitymc> where you can chat with us.

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