

The Rogue Rag

Issue 2, May 25th 2007

"A man who is good enough to shed his blood for his country is good enough to be given a square deal afterwards. More than that no man is entitled, and less than that no man shall have."

Theodore Roosevelt in a Speech to veterans, Springfield, IL, July 4, 1903

A Note from the editor.

Alas the "The Rogue Rags" second edition, the first seemed to be well received. Except for some small typos all is well. This newsletter is the unofficial communication piece of Chapter Five and is an attempt to keep informed all members of the chapter. Thanks again to those that contributed to the original edition and I look forward to continuing this endeavor.

The Road Captains View

Sunday the 29th of Aprils ride to Portland went pretty much as planned - I met up w/ Steve O at Jimmy Ds and we left there right at 0800. On the way towards Tacoma, we stopped at Micky D's & Poet joined us. Making fairly good time, we arrived at Destination HD about 0840 and were shortly joined by Trooper, and soon after, his friend Mike (Mark? I don't hear so good no more) We hung out a bit after 0900 to see if anyone else was going to make it - but no takers.

After a fuel stop in Centralia, we met up with Cowboy nearly precisely at 1100. Good timing! From there, we continued to Vancouver - Mill Plain, actually, where we joined Chapter 9. As we got there and met the crew, Hoppie (Pres, ch 9) presented on of the new guys (again, with the hearing thing) with his rocker - T'was a cool moment!

The Swap meet was OK - not as big as Monroe, but respectable. Trooper bought some heavy duty frisbees(rotors) and some Buell tires. I picked up a wheel for my FXR, and Poet couldn't find any parts for his Kowalski. There was a sizable contingent of Brothers Speed there, as well as Jokers, Outsiders, Banditos & other presences. After the meet, Poet, Steve O & I went back to Elmers in Mill Plain for a late lunch & some conversation w/ Hoppie & Cowboy - Trooper & Mike took off for long beach a bit earlier - something about corners and lunch.

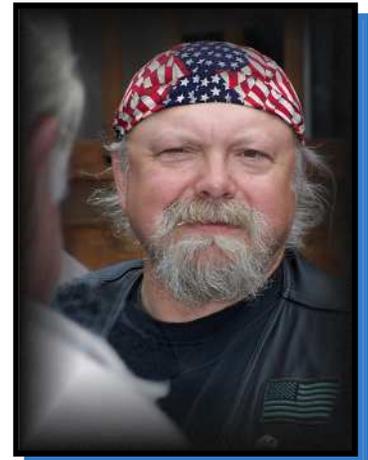
All in All - it was a good event, we got to spend a bit of Brotherhood time with the guys from ch.9, not enough - but some. It was great to meet Cowboy & crew, and good to see Hoppie again. Maybe sometime we can get together w/ 9 for the races at Castle Rock or something.

Oh, yeah - the weather - RIDING SEASON IS HERE!!!!!! It was GREAT!!!!
Which reminds me - it's time to start packing the sun block on the bike again.

I am certain that I can speak for the entire chapter in extending an invitation to our southern Bros any time they would like to come up and join us for any of our activities.

Readers Digest version;
Good Ride
Great Weather
Fun Swap Meet
Excellent Brotherhood

Cheech





Thank you to Kara Horton and Don Iterley (Odd Ball) for being part of our CVI family

May 14th was a wonderful day for a ride! Cheech, Fossil, Mutt, Poet, Bones and Wild Duck met at Poulsbo Central Market and rode (CVI-5 event) to the S'Klallam Tribal Center in Port Gamble. Kara Horton was there to give each of us a warm CVI Hug and welcome and we were also greeted with the same CVI Hug and welcome from Odd Ball (Don Iterley State Delegate for CVI-5). This years Title X funds from Tribal Gaming Commission was \$30,000 to many local enterprises from Kitsap, Jefferson and Mason counties. Chapter 5 was the recipient of \$1,000.00 which will be used for CVI Scholarships awarded to dependents of Veterans in our local schools. Lunch was provided by the S'Klallam Tribal Center and was very, very, very good and included salmon, chicken, salad, fruit and other trimmings. Following the luncheon, CVI toured the Tribal facilities and many of us were quite impressed by the Education Center, Long House, Carving buildings where several Totems were being carved and the impressive growth of the S'Klallam Tribal Center. WSU, WWU and in the near future, Olympic College will be available at the Tribal Center for assistance in finishing a college degree. The following pictures are from the Tribal Long House where Bones received the Title X award on behalf of CVI Chapter 5. This is just one part of the many ways CVI is active as a Veteran Service Organization and actively participates with and seeks support of the local community. Thank you to Kara Horton and Don Iterley (Odd Ball) for being part of our CVI family. PS.....Just have to say this.....Doesn't Mutt look great?



Mutt had an excellent road plan and even allowed a few minutes to play "toss the chicken" while waiting for the Keystone/Port Angeles ferry. Cheech, Mutt did us well as Road Captain and took good care of us, all of us. Poet, on the other hand appeared to drool a little at the Hospital Corpsman's 2000 plus cc Kawasaki. Have to admit it sure was big and mimicked a lot of chrome on the "finned" water cooled jugs. But, it still was not a Harley. HeHeHe. So thankful we were able to attend. Murph! Was sure gracious to buy CVI lunch at the Asian Buffet in Oak Harbor. Hope to see Murph both on the road and at our meetings. He can be reached at RoadKing@murphus.net (what a nice email address) and is located in Port Townsend. Yeah, and we hope to see the Hospital Corpsman (Jeff ???) and his 2000 plus cc Kawa too. Our arrival at Naval Air Station Oak Harbor went very smooth and we received and returned hand salutes from the security force. A big thank you to Kimberly Martin, the Public Affairs Officer who assisted in our arrival on base.

EOD Memorial Service, Oak Harbor WA. April 30, 2007



Products

"Crash"

Crash reports that he may have CVI Flags for bikes. Soon, he suggests that National be given them for their Fundraiser. I don't know about anyone else but I have a place open on my bike. He reports that the cost will be in the area of \$8.00.



The Governor's Run was a Blast!

On Saturday the 5th of May, Wild Duck, Poet, Bad Back and myself went to see the vendors. We ran into Digger and Debbie, Cheech, Oddball and I think Choo Choo was there, but I don't remember seeing him. Sunday Wild Duck, Poet, Buck, Tank and Tonya and I went on the run. We did a CVI version, which cut out a few miles along the way, but was a good ride. Weather cooperated and only ran into small amounts of rain drops here and there. Spent money I should not have, which will catch up with me when the wife gets home tomorrow I'm sure. Six weeks is a long time and I'm glad she is finally coming home. The Goldwing Associations precision riders were pretty cool and the Seattle Cossacks were incredible. Saw a few other friends there like Jeff and Judy, Connie, Dave and Aaron and I'm sure I am not mentioning everyone. They gave away a bunch of money and prizes, including the two motorcycles, which unfortunately none of us won :-{. It was a long day Sunday but a good day of Brotherhood and fun. Wish we could have seen more of our CVI-5 Brothers there with us, but everyone knew we were there. Have attached a few select photos for all of you, have more if you'd like to see them later. Hope you enjoy the photos...caught Tonya with a "Hey look over here picture"! You will know what I mean when you see it. Later Bro's

Steve O.



"Ride for the Cure"

Update on donations for CVI-5 once I receive the rest from Poet from Chapter-9 we will have 118.00 dollars left to go to reach our goal guys we are almost there lets get this done. I spoke with Dave Sunday and he said that we are counted as having the 1,000.00 in the bank so good job CVI-5 and CVI-9 thanks again brothers and sisters.

TANK

Photos from the Blue Star Memorial Bi-way Marker Dedication

Steve "O"



Tank and Pup (Tank's son Aaron)
With resident veteran from Retsil

The Markers are dedicated by the National Garden Club, WA State Federation of Garden Clubs and Cross Sound District of Garden Clubs. The National Garden Club originated in New Jersey in 1945 and they have placed hundreds of Memorial Markers all over the US Highways and Veterans Facilities throughout the United States.

Travelling Vietnam Memorial Wall

Steve "O" reports on the Traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall

I just met with the staff at Miller-Woodlawn Funeral Home and they advised me that there is a 90% chance that the Traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall will be arriving in Bremerton on **Monday JULY 9th, 2007.**

There will be a motorcycle escort from Cheney Stadium in Tacoma that morning (time to be determined). We will have a law enforcement escort from Tacoma to Bremerton. Upon arrival in Bremerton, there will be a "Blessing of the Wall" and then there will be a complimentary BBQ for the escort crew at Prendergast Park.

The Wall will be open to the Public on Friday July 13th - Sunday July 15th. 24 hours a day.

More information will follow as I get it. But for now, save the date of **July 9th** for the escort...

For more information contact Dave Raymond at 360-271-7814

A Tribute to A Fellow Veteran

On Monday the 21st of May Former Senator Bob Oke was laid to rest at Mount Tahoma National Cemetery. Former Senator Oke was a Retired Navy Senior Chief. Mike Carrol (Poet) National Chaplain CVI, Steve Olson (Rocker Chapter 5) and Drake Evans (Wild Duck) Vice President Chapter 5 provided an escort for the hearse and family who buried the late State Senator Bob Oke at Tahoma National Cemetery. Senior Chief Oke, United States Navy Retired, was provided full military honors and it was (also) an honor for Combat Veterans International to be part of the ceremony. The family thanked CVI for their service and for honor and respect we shared for a fellow veteran. Although this was a private family burial, Combat Veterans International displayed a "Brotherhood" that went beyond family.



Our very own "Wild Duck" had the privilege of being stationed with Bob Oke while in the Navy and in the article below shares a few memories of a fellow Chief.

My memories really focus not on the politics but when we served together on the Proteus and Hunley. Many a time we shared not only working days but also duty days when Bob stood OOD and duty chief watches on the brow and I stood Squadron Fifteen duty chief watches. We shared many a meal and conversations in the Goat Locker and squared away many young sailors who looked to us for leadership. Being stationed in Guam and responsible for our nation's strategic weapons platforms and first line of defense during the Cold War was indeed an experience and a bonding of brothers of which only Bob and I could share. I know the Lord will provide some time in Fiddler's Green for Bob and I hope to meet up with him again someday. My sorrow is with you for our loss and I am thankful for the times I knew Bob. It would be an honor if Combat Veterans International could ride in at Tahoma National Cemetery and pay our respects to Bob during the burial. Many of us share not only a brotherhood with Bob, but share a great loss when one passes on.

Respectfully,
Drake Evans
U.S. Navy Retired

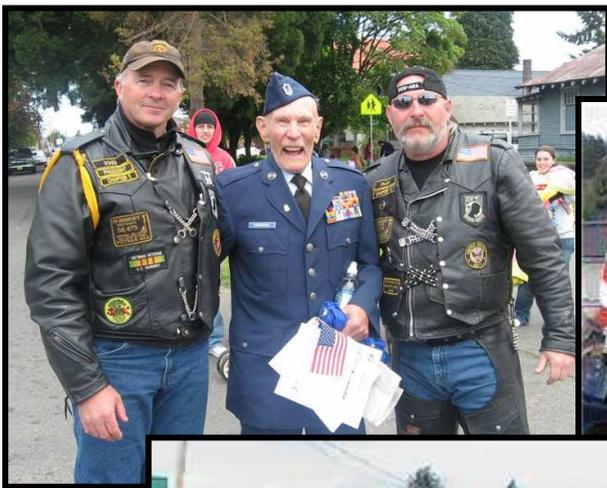
ARMED FORCES DAY 2007

On May 19th 2007 Combat Veterans once again roared their mighty engines and drove down the street to the roar of applause. Combat Veterans again enjoyed bringing up the rear of the parade and as usual was the crowd favorite. Since the founding of Chapter 5 in 2003 our brothers with the help of the "Brothers in Arms MC" and other veterans groups have always ended the parade much to the crowds delight. This year again was no we ended the parade in style. For the fifth year in a row now Chapter Five with their brothers have been awarded a trophy again this year we won the Grand Marshal's Award for "Best Military Unit."

Thanks to the Chapter 5 members who attended, Brothers in Arms MC and Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association for once again making the Armed Forces Day Parade such a huge success.

"A Note from the "Mad Poet of CVI"

I wanted to express my appreciation to all who made it to this very memorable event. AFD has always been a fun event for CVI. It was also a good opportunity to fellowship with CVMA and Brothers In Arms. We even got a little moisture to cool down the bikes about half way through the ride. I hope Crash doesn't need new rubber on the rear right away. It was really neat just to be a part of it again. To those who were not able to make it this year, you are in our prayers. Cheech recognized those who are dealing with health issues before the ride. When we have this much fun it is easy to look forward to our next gathering. I hope we have a good turnout for the Biker Bar B Que on 3 June because it will just before Duck and I start our US-50 adventures therefore we will miss the next meeting. For those who can't, let's ride.

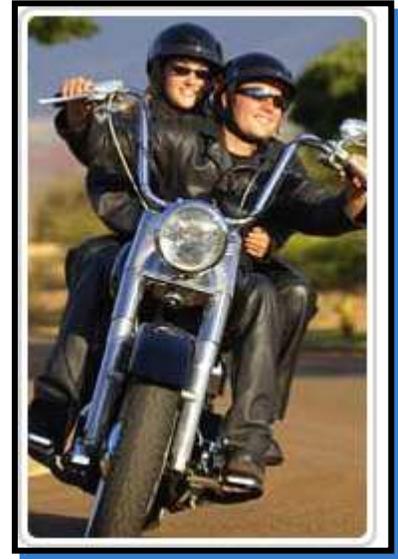


Upcoming Brotherhood Rides

June 30, 2007 Silverdale, Washington

Kitsap Ride for a Cure

The ride will start at the north parking lot of Kitsap Mall in Silverdale. The poker run will be through scenic Kitsap and North Mason counties. The ride benefits the American Cancer Society Relay for Life, Pancreatic Cancer Action Network, and Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation



Other Rides and Events of Interest

Fred Ross Memorial Run

May 27th, 2007 (Sunday)

Start at Legend HD in Silverdale

The Fred Ross Memorial Ride is a fundraising event, Bringing awareness to local riders of the needs of military Veterans living at Retsil Veterans Home. Let's take the time to Honor the years of Service they have given to our Country. See the in-store flyer for items to be donated. Ride gathering starts at 9:30 and departs at 10:00am for Retsil, Presentation/Meet/Mingle w/vets.

12:00 noon ride back to Legend H-D for a Veterans BBQ

Contact: Legend HD @ 360-698-3700 or <http://www.legendharleysilverdale.com>

June 3rd 2007 Port Orchard, Washington

Biker Bar-B-Q

Harper Church in Port Orchard. All Biker's eat for free, two bluegrass bands will be there. It starts after noon There are no costs for bikers at this event

June 3, 2007 Mulino, Oregon

3rd Annual Little Orphan Annie Poker Run

Sponsored by Veterans MC, Horseshoe Bar & Grill, Oak Grove Choppers, Corners Saloon, and Columbia Helicopters

Sign up begins at 7:00 am at The Horseshoe Bar & Grill, 27534 S. Highway 213 in Mulino. Last bike goes out by 9:00 am. All bikes are welcome. Ride ends with live music. The ride is a fund raiser for the Canby Viet Nam Era Veterans Memorial. For more information call (503) 804-9196, <http://www.vietnamerameorial.org>.

June 8 - 10, 2007 Baker City, Oregon

Hells Canyon Motorcycle Rally

Sponsored by Bikers just like you!

Held at the Geiser Grand Hotel on Main Street in Baker City beginning at 5:00 pm on Friday. The rally will include a bike show and a ride. For more information call (503) 358-0799,

June 8 - 10, 2007 Murtaugh, Idaho

Rally In The Valley

Sponsored by Southern Idaho Snake River Bro's

The rally will begin at 8:00 am at Murtaugh Lake Park in Murtaugh. Admission is \$20.00 for adults 18 years and older. Those under 18 get in for \$10.00. The event will include an organized ride, bike games, music, camping and more. For more information call (208) 404-6020,

Port Gamble Old Mill Days Poker Run

June 9th, 2007

Port Gamble Masonic Lodge, Port Gamble, WA

9:00am

<http://www.oldmilledays.com>

10,000-Mile Ride for the Wounded

June 12th in Washington State

<http://10000milerideforthewounded.com/RideMap.html>

June 15 - 17, 2007 Ontario, Oregon

High Desert Motorcycle Rally

Sponsored by Excalibur's Knight Riders

Registration opens at 9:00 am at the Holiday Inn. The event will feature a poker run, a motorcycle parade, bike games, music, and more. A metric motorcycle will be sacrificed to the gods. Proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. For more information call , <http://excalibursknightriders.net>

Ride for the Scouts

June 16th, 2007 (Saturday)

Legend HD Silverdale

Sponsored by American Legion Post 68

tomcurley@silverlink.net

June 23, 2007 Chilliwack, British Columbia

Riding for the Cure

Sponsored by Fraser Valley Harley Owners Group and Harley Davidson of Chilliwack

The ride starts at 10:00 at HD of Chilliwack, 44768 Yale Road, in Chilliwack. The ride will end with music, dancing and a barbeque. For more information call (604) 626-0711

June 29 - July 2, 2007 Nelson, British Columbia

5th Annual Toad Rock Rally

The rally opens at 1:00 pm on Friday at Toad Rock Motorcycle Campground, 2865 Toad Rock Road on Highway 31 north of Nelson. Events include motorcycle games, a poker run, a motorcycle show and shine, and live music. Admission is \$60.00 for the weekend. You must be 19 years of age to attend. The rally is a charity Fund-raiser for Juvenile Diabetes Research, and motorcycle safety groups. For more information call (877) 229-5448, <http://www.toadrockcampground.com/>.

June 23, 2007 Scappoose, Oregon

2nd Annual Columbia County Cancer Fund Run

Registration is at the Varsity Grill, 52001 Columbia River Hwy in Scappoose starting at 9:00 am. The ride will be going to Rainier, Clatskanie, taking the ferry on the Columbia River to Cathlamet WA., and riding back to Longview over the Lewis and Clark bridge. The ride ends with food and drinks. The ride is to raise money for cancer research. For more information call (503) 369-7838.

June 23 -24 2007 Federal Way, Washington

The Lawman 1000

All RIDERS will DEPART from THE COMMONS, FEDERAL WAY between 4 & 6 AM Saturday, June 23, 2007. Destination: Sunday, June 24, 2007. To Yakima, Washington

The Lawman 1000 is an annual motorcycle ride to raise money for selected children charities in Washington State. Our ride is a weekend ride of nearly 1000 miles. It is always held the fourth weekend in June. While the weekend never changes, the destination and the route changes each year. The charity frequently changes, too. Take a look around our website and see what the Lawman 1000 has to offer you.

Do you have what it takes to "Ride on the side of the law?"

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July 7-8 2007

5th Annual Benefit Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run

To Grand Coulee Dam \$20 donation requested

Meet at parking lot 160th and Meridian Check in starts at 8am
on the road at 9am

Motel at Grand Coulee 1-800-633-6421 rate \$85 nite or
Grand Coulee Motel 1-866-633-2860 rate \$40 nite. For each site tell
them you are with the Pierce County Sheriff's Benefit Ride to get the
special rate. Rates available until April 1st. Call anyway to see if
rates are still available.

Questions call: Sgt Greg Stonack at 253-405-4851

July 14, 2007 Portland, Oregon

2nd Annual Oregon Burn Center Poker Ride

The ride begins at the Oregon Burn Center at Emanuel 3001 N. Gantenbein Ave, in Portland. Check-in is at 8:00 am and riders leave at 9:00 am. Pre-registration fee is \$25.00 which includes a t-shirt. After 6/30/07 the fee is \$35.00 and no t-shirt. At the end of the ride, there will be a safety fair and vendor booths. This is a benefit ride for the Oregon Burn Center. For more information <http://www.obcride.org>.

July 13 - 15, 2007

Traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall - public presentation

Miller Woodlawn Cemetery

5505 Kitsap Way, Bremerton

The Wall will be open to the public 24 hours a day

<http://www.vietnamwallexperience.com>

Contact: Susan Teale, 360-377-7648

Rally for the Troops

July 15th, 2007 (Sunday)

<http://www.rallyforthetroops.com>

Destination HD in Tacoma 9:00am

I will be organizing a group to go over together.

*Remember there may be a \$3.00 toll to cross the bridge

**MDA Summer Camp Ride
July 22nd, 2007 (Sunday)**

5:30pm Kick-off BBQ at Al's Grocery in Olalla
Ride to Miracle Ranch (near Horseshoe Lake)
(More details to follow)

July 20 - 22, 2007 Lebanon, Oregon

Hawgs N Hay Biker Rally

Sponsored by

Held at 31909 Berlin Rd. in Lebanon Oregon. Gates open at 8:00 am. Events include a bike show, bike games, vendors, contests, music, camping and more. Bike games will include games such as running of the bikers, biker jousting and a burnout contest. For more information call (541) 367-0424, <http://hawgsnhay.com>.

Sun & Surf 2007

July 27-29 (Fri-Sun)

Ocean Shores, WA

<http://www.sunandsurfevent.com>

July 27 - 29, 2007 Pocatello, Idaho

POW-MIA Awareness Rally & Rodeo

Sponsored by POW-MIA Awareness Rally Corp.

Held at the Bannock County Fairgrounds in Pocatello beginning at 9:00 am. The event will include a motorcycle rodeo, fun run, vendors, music and more. For more information call (208) 241-4151

July 28, 2007 Vancouver, Washington

2007 Credit Union Charity Ride

Sponsored by Iq Credit Union

Starts at 10:00 am at 305 NE 81st St, in Vancouver

The ride is to raise money for Doernbecher Children's Hospital. For more information call (360) 759-3048,

Road Trip to Mt. St. Helens...

August 2-3 (Thursday-Friday)

Leave Bremerton at 9:00am and ride the scenic route to Mt. St. Helens

Stay overnight in Castle Rock at the Mt St Helens Motel,

<http://www.mtsthelensmotel.com>

Then ride back a different scenic route...

Contact: Dave Raymond 360-271-7814 or relaylogisticsguy@yahoo.com

Mt St Helens Motel: 360-274-7721 (mention you are with me when reserving a room)

Ride for the Fallen

August 11th, 2007 (Saturday)

A poker run to support the fallen Police & Firefighters Memorial

http://www.rpmcdisciple.com/rpmc_spsd.htm

Charity Ride for Memory

August 18th. 2007 (Saturday)

Silverdale H.O.G. & Legend HD in Silverdale

<http://www.silverdalehog.org>

9:00am, \$15.00 entry fee, Raffles, BBQ & more...

Contact: Cindi Wadlow: 360-613-3537 (Days)

newsletter@silverdalehog.org

August 18th and 19th

Brotherfest 10th Anniversary ride

Brotherfest 10th Anniversary ride August 18th and 19th. Place: McMillian Grange 12612 State Rt 162 E Puyallup, WA. Cost is \$20.00 per person or \$35.00 per couple. There will be a Bike Rodeo, Overnight camping, Live Bands, Bike show and a Pig Roast and Spaghetti Feed. More info call 360-432-1429.

September 23rd and 24th Richland, Washington

Commemorative Event Honoring the Families and their Fallen Hero

Saturday, September 29, 2007 1:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Howard Amon Park – Richland, Washington Entertainment and Food Vendors

Candlelight Vigil at 9:00 pm

Sunday, September 30th, 2007 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

Flat Top Park – West Richland

* Rolling Motorcycle Review

* Roll Call of the Fallen

* Military Band

* Missing Man Flyover

* Memorial Unveiling

3rd Annual Buck Mabbutt Memorial Ride

August 25th, 2007 (Saturday)

Location: Silver Bay Professional Building

9692 Levin Road Silverdale, WA 98383

<http://www.pancan.org>

Contact: Joan Mabbutt, joanmabbutt@wavecable.com

Again Brothers and Sisters, Let's not forget about Montana, It is getting late and time is running out! Plan now for July 20th, 21st, and 22nd 2007

Motel Prices for the National Meeting.

Wagon Wheel Cafe & Motel, there prices are as follows; People Bed Price

1 1 \$37.00

2 1 \$42.00

2 2 \$45.00

3 2 \$49.50

4 2 \$55.00

And they have Rolla ways @ \$7.50 Telephone # 406-288-3201(TAX IS NOT INCLUDED)

The Other Motel, Sky Motel, their phone 1-800-559-3206, and their Prices are; People Bed Price

1 1 \$36.40

2 1 \$42.80

2 2 \$51.40

4 2 \$64.20

And they have 4 Rolla ways @ \$7.50(all these for this Motel is Tax included)

THESE MOTEL'S ARE IN DRUMMAND, WITCH IS 15 MILES PAST THE CAMPING AND MEETING PLACE.

Also at the Camp Grounds

July 20,21,22,2007

National CVI Camp Out. Place Chalet Bearmouth MT

Make Reservations at Chalet Roger&Jackie Phone (406)825-9950 e-mail chaletbearmouth@blackfoot.net

Tent \$10.50 per night,
Motor homes 47,with hook up \$16.50 per night,
8 rooms(up to 20 persons)prices range from \$37.50 to
\$65.00 per night.

On river, meeting room, laundry, restaurant, lots of space. Please let Yosemite (Ron Pelletier) Chapter 4 Sect.
PH#(406)826-0050 E-mail samkz1000p@yahoo.com know if you are going to make it.
Also Dirty Dave Chapter 7 Missoula MT e-mail daveathome@blackfoot.net

Our beloved Sailor the Original Vice President of Chapter Five has announced that he is getting married again
and I have included his invitation to the Brothers. Sailor we wish you and Elva all the best. May the Lord shine
down upon both of you.



WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT
SAILOR and ELVA
17:30 JUNE 09, 2007
CAMP UNION COOKSHACK
14194 HOLLY RD SEABECK, WA

HARLEY/WESTERN ATTIRE
NO FANCY DUDS
METRICS PARK IN the REAR

RSVP

And finally, Yup, his first formal dance was last night.



“Fender’s” first formal (Fender is the son of our very own “Mutt ” and “Solo”).

Thanks again for helping me make this newsletter such a success. The Rogue Rag is a product of Chapter Five and is produced with the help of all it’s members in hopes of keeping everyone informed and also allowing those individuals that are surfing through an idea of who we are and what we do. Chapter Five meets every month on the second Sunday at the American Legion on Sheridan in East Bremerton at 6 PM, Hope to see you there.

“Daddy Dean” *May 2007*