

# The SLO 4-Wheeler

## October 2007



**SLO 4-WHEELERS** 

www. slo4wheelers.org

### Up coming runs

Next General meeting, 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday November 7th Players Pizza in Atascadero 7:00

#### October 19th- 21st

- Club Run- Dessert Run to the Desert - Red Rock. For more info Contact  $\operatorname{\sf Eric}$  .

SLO 4 WHEELERS DESSERT RUN
WHO: SLO 4 WHEELERS
WHERE: RED ROCK
WHEN" OCTOBER 19TH THRU THE 21ST
PLANNED TRAILS TO RUN LAST CHANCE CANYON,
NIGHTMARE GULCH AND BURRO SCHMIDT
TUNNEL PROPOSED TIME OF DEPARTURE LEAVE
PASO ROBLES BETWEEN 12.00PM AND 1.00PM THE
19TH . TRAVEL TO RED ROCK.
PLANNED DEPARTURE TIME TO RUN TRAILS IS
9.00AM TRAIL BOSS ERIC

#### October 27th -

La Panza Campground Maintenance – We will be meeting at La Panza Campground at 9am.

I will be meeting with Ranger Lloyd at the Ranger Station in Pozo around 8:00-8:30am to get the supplies, if anyone doesn't know where the Campground is at they can meet me there. We will be fixing the Bathrooms and repairing/replacing Campground Barriers and cleaning out the Fire Pits. I will send out a separate email with more info as soon as I find out from Lloydwhat supplies we will need to supply.

If you have any questions contact Anthony S

#### **GET 'EM TO JOIN!**

If you are not on the CLUBS email list send me an email and we'll sign you up Mark

#### 2007 Officers of the SLO 4-Wheelers:

Officers:

President: Eric F. Vice President: Jim T. Secretary: Chris S. Treasurer: Florence S. **Board of Directors:** (Includes officers) Ways and Means Director: Dennis V.N. Membership Director: Dave O. **Events Director:** Anthony S. Land Use Liaison: Anthony S. CA4WDC Club Liaison: Suzy J. Newsletter Editor: Cameo W.

**Committees:** 

Social Chairperson: Robin M.

Safety Chairperson: Frank S. &Dennis V.N.

Virtual committee: Mark B.
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Adopted trails:

Pine Mountain: Anthony S.I Garcia Ridge: Jim T.

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SLO 4-Wheelers is also a member club in the **California Association of Four Wheel Drive Clubs** (CA4WDC)If your not a member, check it out, http://www.cal4wheel.com or ask Suzy



SLO 4-Wheelers contribute to and/or is a member club in these organizations. Visit and support,-they are working for US!



**MISSION:** The BlueRibbon Coalition champions responsible use of public lands for the benefit of all recreationists by educating and empowering its members to:

- Secure, protect, and expand shared outdoor recreation access and use
- Work collaboratively with land managers and other recreationists
- Educate the general public media, elected officials, and other decision makers on recreation and access issues
- Promote equitable and responsible land management
- Affect the political and administrative process
- Support recreation on, and promote, respect for private property
- Encourage appropriate enforcement of the law

http://www.sharetrails.org/



The United Four Wheel Drive Associations also acts as your voice to keep 4x4 roads and trails open so that we can continue enjoying four wheeling in the great outdoors.

Through our united efforts, the opinions and beliefs of four wheel enthusiasts are heard by land management agencies and by our elected officials.

http://www.ufwda.org/



The California Off Road
Vehicle Association (CORVA)
is a varied group of outdoor
recreationists who are
extremely active in promoting
the positive aspects of
vehicular access on public
lands and protecting that right.



## "MEETING OUR MEMBERS"

President:

Eric F.



My first experience of 4-whelling was a 74 Ram Charger I bought in 1989. I put some joint spring pieces to lift it some more and installed 33's which were BIG at that time. I used to take my kids up to Saddle Back Mountain and drive the five rocks. I thought that was four wheeling. About eight years later I acquired a 73 Power Wagon. It had a lift, 33's and blown engine. I rebuilt the engine and found out it used to be a desert chase from the late 1970's or early 1080's. I was working at Frohn Dodge and one of the boys I worked with was a member of IE4W.

I was on a run with that club and we went to an Indian reservation near San Diego. I learned what a Rook Garden was, off camber and slick rook. I had an education that day and was hooked. I wheeled that one till I found my commander. I wheeled the commander till I found the Cherokee.

Modifications:

87 jeep Cherokee.

40 auto throley header flow master muffler

mods done 6 inch long arms

part tera fley-part roody's

front dana 30 front with true-trao

chrome alloy axles 4.10 ring pin.

rear dana 44. 4.10 ecded electric hooker. tera flex disc brake led.

A.A. H.D. short shaft

and Tom Woods drive lines

Pro Comp Rock Crawler rims

Pro Comp x Terrains 33-12.50 15

Rock Sliders by Jeremy

Front bumper by BCB Off Road

Harbor Freight 9500 winch

Body work complements of Dusy Trail Deep Creek Honda CRV Saw Zall

#### LA PANZA CAMP GROUND INSPECTION REPORT AND TRAIL RUN

MEMBERS PRESENT ERIC F., PAUL V., DAVE F., KIM K., DAVE O., STEVE AND DEBBIE, PAUL AND JIM T..

THE GROUP MET UP AROUND 9.00AM AND LEFT FOR THE TRAIL AROUND 9.20. (DAVE O WAS RUNNING BEHIND) THE GROUP MADES IT WAY TO LA PANZA CAMPGROUND WITH ONE STOP TO AIR DOWN FOR A BETTER RIDE.

THE GROUP MADE IT TO THE CAMP GROUND. JIM AND ERIC PERFORMED THE INSPECTION OF THE BATH ROOMS. DAVE O. PERFORMED A NASCAR PIT STOP,. HE CHANGED TO HIS OFF ROAD TIRES.

PAUL FOUND SOME HUNTERS TO CHAT WITH. STEVE AND DEBBIE DID SOME EXPLORING OF THE CAMP GROUND. DAVE AND KIM CHECKED THE FIRE PITS.

AFTER THE INSPECTION. ERIC ASKED WHAT TRAIL SHALL WE RUN. DAVE F SUGGESTED TO CONTINUE OUR INSPECTION AND CHECK ALL THE PICNIC TABLES ON PINE MOUNTAIN. THE GROUP MADE ITS WAY TO PINE MOUNTAIN AND UP THE TRAIL.

THE GROUP STOPPED AND INSPECTED THE FIRST PICNIC TABLE AND BENCHES, ALL WERE OK.

THE GROUP MADE ITS WAY TO THE LAST UP PICNIC TABLE. ON THE WAY UP WE SAW QUITE A FEW HUNTERS PARKED ALONG SIDE OF THE ROAD. WE WERE SURPRISED HOW SOME OF THEM MADE IT. QUITE A FEW WERE TWO WHEEL DRIVE.

THERE QUITE A FEW LITTLE ROCK STEPS SHOWING UP ON PINE MOUNTAIN NOW. IT GAVE ERIC'S NEWER JEEP SOME TROUBLE AS IT IS OPEN IN ALL DIFFS.. ERIC HAD TO CHOOSE HIS LINES WISELY. STEVE AND DEBBIE WAS ALSO OPEN. THEY FOLLOWED SOMEONE ELSIES LINES.

EVERYONE MADE IT THRU THE V-NOTCH WITH NO TROUBLE AT ALL. ERIC GAVE STEVE AND DEBBIE A QUICK SPOT THRU THE V-NOTCH.

THE GROUP MADE THERE WAY TO THE LAST PICNIC BENCH. BENCH WAS FINE AND THE GROUP HAD LUNCH THERE. PAUL SHARED HIS HOT PEPPERS WITH ANYONE WHO WAS DARING ENOUGH TO TRY THEM. YES HE HABENERROS.

AFTER LUNCH THE GROUP MADE ITS WAY DOWN THE TRAIL

AT THE TRAIL HEAD EVERYONE SAID THERE GOOD BYES AND CHOSE OUR WAYS HOME. THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO CAME. ERIC FALEY

### LIST OF NEED ED REPAIRS OUTHOUSE#1

VENT PIPE MISSING VENT PIPE TOP AND FLASHING.

#1 SCREEN WINDOW MISSING AND OUTSIDE TRIM. APPROX.  $10FT\ 4\frac{1}{2}$  ID PIPE

#2 LEFT SIDING PULLED AWAY INTERIOR OK

#3 BACK SIDING PULLED AWAY SOME SHEETING MAYBE REQUIRED.
2 SEAT LIDS MISSING.

#4 LEFT SIDE INTERIOR WALL EATEN AWAY. VENT TOP MISSING RIGHT DOOR REPAIR

FIRE PITS NEED CLEANING OUT. ALSO NOTED BOUNDARY RAILS MISSING THROUGHOUT CAMP GROUND





