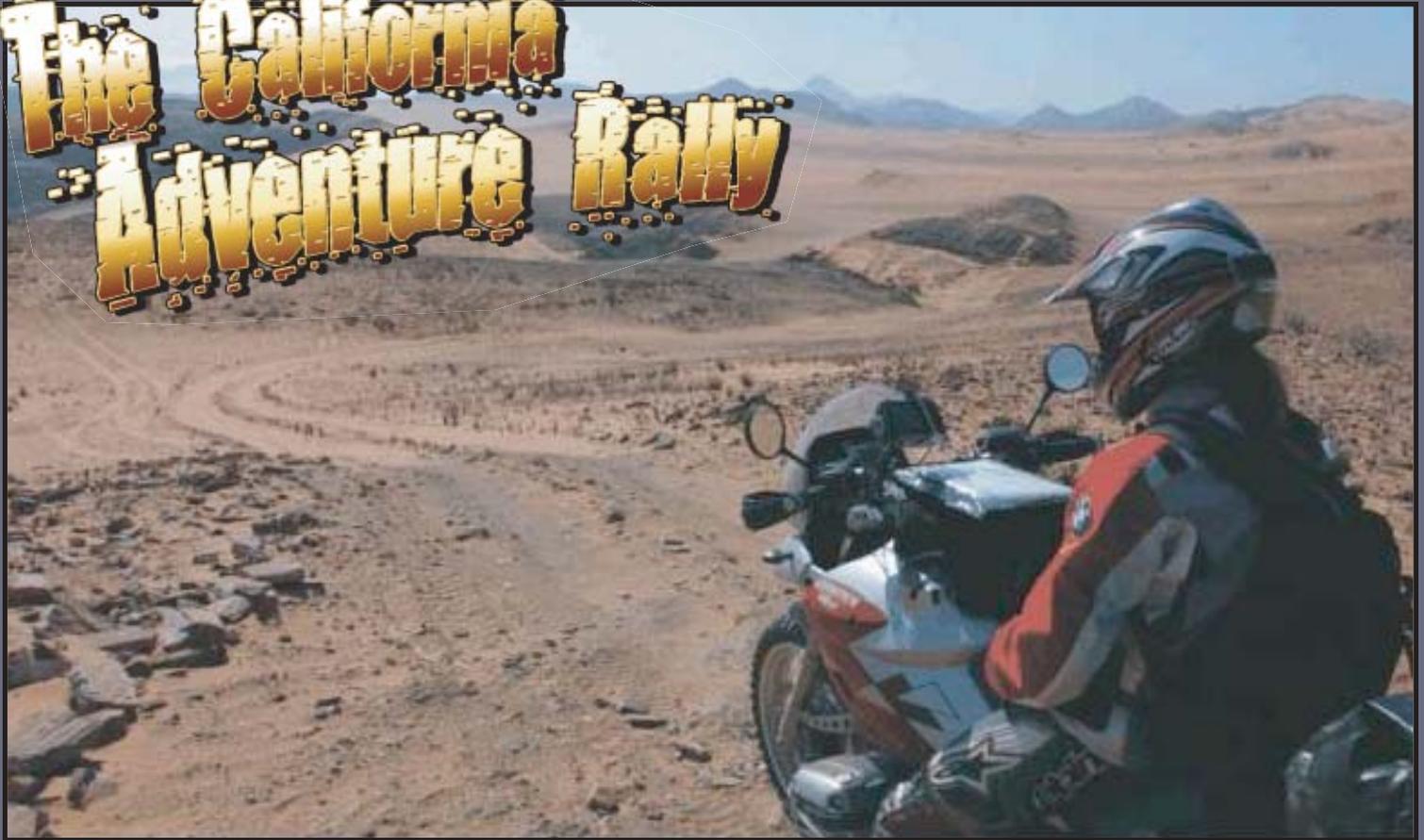


**RawHyde Adventures and your
Arizona, California & Nevada BMW Motorcycle Dealers Present,**

**The California
Adventure Rally**



**A Weekend of Adrenaline & Exploration - all you can handle...
category 1 to 5 Adventure rides, mild to wild,
and a Paris Dakar style experience...**



Experience Adventure!

Have you ever wondered what a couple of days at the Paris Dakar Rally "Bivouac" would be like? Join us and find out, There is nothing like the clarity of a desert night sky, the twinkling of campfires illuminating a sea of tents, The big support trucks and the rumble of motorcycles coming in out of the desert..... This Rally will be held in the heart of the Mojave Desert, far from the trappings of civilization. Just for a weekend... Feel the rush... Experience Adventure!

When: April 29th to May 1st

Where: Ballarat, California

Cost: \$100 per person

What you get: A very unique experience plus 5 meals, (dinner Friday thru Breakfast Sunday) drink coupons, camping pass & raffle tickets, Area maps, and a chance to ride with like minded adventurers on some of the most beautiful "Adventure Tracks in the west" Plus a special Rally Shirt!



Your personal experience!

The idea behind our rally is to give you the time and the chance to enjoy a remarkable weekend in the desert, exchange stories around a campfire, make some new friends & "feel the desert". Most importantly we want to demonstrate how rewarding the world of back country riding can be.

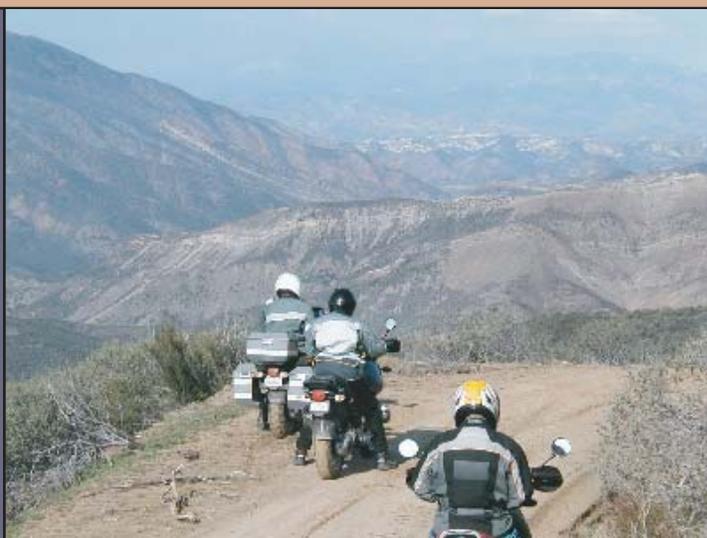
The Rally Program: How to sign up?

Register online @ www.rawhyde-offroad.com and click the Adventure Rally link on the homepage. You must download a registry form and fill it out, and mail your check to the address on the form. or Contact your local BMW dealer for additional information.

Riding to the Rally:

Several BMW dealerships across the state will serve as starting points for those of you who enjoy the camaraderie of riding with a group. Many dealerships will have a "ride master" leading the way to the rally. (See our website for participating dealers - www.rawhyde-offroad.com.)

***The Rally will be limited
to 500 Bikes
(solo or two up),
So sign up now!***



Riding at the Rally:

Adventure riding is one of the most rewarding things that can be done on two wheels. Do you know that more than 95% of the worlds roads are unpaved. And some of the most beautiful and interesting places in America are somewhere beyond where the pavement ends. But before you get nervous about the prospect of riding in the dirt... The Rally has lots of options for a variety of great riding. Here are a just a few: Each of these rides will have a "Trip Leader" who knows the way, and is aware of the difficulties particular to that ride.

There will be a sign up sheet for "ride outs" which will begin at 9:30 AM Saturday morning... there will two sets of Ride outs! Half day and full day. These rides are not officially "guided" for liability reasons, and Bureau of Land Management restrictions, but for those who want to do the more remote rides there will be someone on each ride that knows the area.

Top 5 rides will be: In descending levels of difficulty.

1. Charlie Manson's cabin.

The place that the famous serial killer of the '70's was apprehended. The ride up Golar wash is quite challenging, its manageable on a GS if you are a very good off road rider, rock ledges, lots of sand, and large rocks.

(Difficulty level 5) - 30 miles, half day ride.

2. Ride to the "Race Track."

One of Death Valley's best kept secrets, a dry lake bed with "boulders" that mysteriously move on the surface of the mud. 125 mile loop, partially paved.

(Difficulty level 4) - all day ride.

3. The "Cerra Gordo Experience."

An amazing ride to the perfectly preserved ghost town of Cerra Gordo. The site of the richest silver strike in California. The site is so remote that there has been no vandalism, and the original 3 story hotel and all the major buildings still stand. We will follow the Wells Fargo Stage coach trail back to camp. 50 miles off road.

(Difficulty level 3) all day ride.

4. Agueberry Point.

A stunning view over Death Valley that few ever see. Mostly a street ride, with a 6 mile dirt road out to the "view point" considered one of the top 3 "view points" in California. On your way to Agueberry point be sure to stop by the "charcoal Kilns" an engineering marvel of the 1800's. The view over the Sierra Nevada mountains is beyond spectacular. 50 miles.

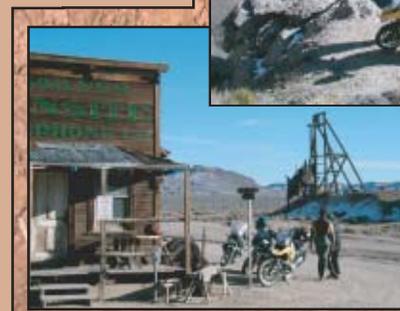
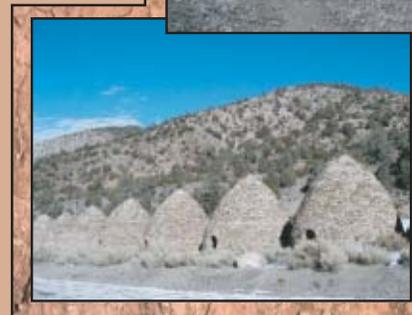
(difficulty level 2) half day ride.

Passable by 2 wheel drive passenger cars.

5. Ride to Gold Point NV.

Mostly paved, to a fun-n'-funky old mining town, still inhabited by some "interesting folks." Easy dirt road into Gold Point, stunning views on the road north through Death Valley. 150 miles.

(difficulty level easy) all day ride.



Accommodations:

Camping is included with entry fee, tents, motor home's, and campers welcome at rally venue! All camping fees are included with your entry fees.

Here are 3 of the closest motel/hotels in the area...

#1 Panamint springs Resort: located about 23 miles from the rally site is an 1800's era stagecoach stop. Originally built as part of the stage line to carry silver from Cerra Gordo this funky "resort" has modest but clean rooms, a nice restaurant, and a truly unique "air" about it. The web-link below has driving directions and all the contact info. This would be a good choice if you are not a camper but would like to ride to the Race Track in Death Valley, or take the Cerra Gordo ride!

<http://www.deathvalley.com/reserve/reserve.shtml>

#2 The Carriage Inn: in Ridgecrest is about 45 miles from the rally site, and is a nearly new 100 room "Best Western" class motel. Easy to reach from the rally, you have all the amenities of the big city if "camping isn't your style"

<http://www.carriageinn.biz>

#3 Stove pipe wells in Death Valley

http://www.stovepipewells.com/dynamic/mz_viewer.htm?articleid=2

Rally Schedule:

The Rally will officially open at 4PM, Friday the 29th of April,
Welcome & Orientation will be at 7PM,

Welcome dinner 7:30 PM -

8:30 to 9PM - Fireside Chat with Jim from RawHyde Adventures, and the official "trip leaders" talking about the various riding options for Saturday, safety issues, and question answer session.

Saturday:

7 -8:30AM - Pancake Breakfast, with "bag lunches for ride outs" and Chile with the all "fixins" for those who stay in camp"! Dinner on Saturday

9AM: Jim from RawHyde Adventures will be offering a 30 minute overview of safe "off road riding tips".

9:30 A.M. - All Adventure rides begin!

If you have signed up for a half day ride. You'll be back for lunch and a chance for a 2nd ride before sunset. And the all day groups will have lunch "on the trail" and will be back in camp for happy hour.

7:30 P.M. - Dinner, followed by a "fireside chat with Grant Johnson" of "horizons Unlimited" Grant is a true explorer, and has spent 11 years traveling the world on his GS. Grant will tell some amazing stories from his travels, and perhaps inspire you to do a little exploring of your own.

Sunday:

7 - 8:30 Breakfast

9 A.M. - 9:30 prize and raffle drawings

10:30 Pick up lunch boxes, and depart for home.

For your comfort:

There will be a first aid station

There will be toilets on site

Water trucks will be available with outdoor showers and wash facilities for a nominal fee.

There will be a beverage vendor on site for water and other beverages.

We will have a beer tent offering a locally brewed "sidewinder ale" and "rattlesnake red" beer.

All meals are provided, and special needs (within our abilities) will be met.

What to bring:

If you are camping
Sleeping bag & pad
Tent & ground cloth
Folding chair or stool
Clothes and personal items
A towel, soap and shampoo
Sandals & swim
suit to wear to
the "outdoor showers."

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