



Monthly Newsletter to the Midwest VJMC Community

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This is a newsletter covering what is going on in the Midwest with our VJMC friends. Please send us your events, activities, or interesting stories. We will keep you informed about the above topics and want to see our region grow. Please pass this newsletter to any of your friends and let's build a community. Any correspondence will be kept private and no information will be given out without your permission.

August 2023 Edition:
Middle Rally:

Buddy Walton: Recap of the 2023 The-

Mark Bayer: Final 2023 KC VJMC events:

Buddy Walton: The Kansas City Vintage Japanese Clubs "Meetin in the Middle" show was held at a new location this year, LCC Powersports in Liberty Missouri. We had a great turnout with bikes from six different states and as far away as Denver Colorado! Also, so many different manufacturers. when was the last time you saw a Steen with a Hodaka engine? And not to brag but there were many high-quality machines and quite a few bikes that had not attended one of our shows before. Several of the bikes were ridden hundreds of miles by their riders to the show, entered the show and then ridden home. Fourteen different awards were presented along with a special handmade "Hard Luck" award built by Fred Reynolds Sr. We want to thank the Schmitt Law Firm and CMA (Christian Motorcyclists Association) with their assistance providing and serving lunch and drinks for everyone. At the conclusion of the show the fun wasn't over as about 20 bikes took off for a 25 mile back road ride to Excelsior Springs and early dinner at Wabash BBQ. Old bikes just seem to ride and sound better when riding together. Finally on Sunday morning we rode to Blip Roasters in the West Bottoms of Kansas City. This is a weekly Sunday morning coffee shop gathering that will have at least 150 bikes of all years, makes and models which occurs unless the weather is cold and wet. Maybe the biggest of its type in the USA. It

takes many volunteers to make these great events run well, we are always open to new members or volunteer help. See you at the CAF show in August!



Mark Bayer: KC VJMC has two more 2023 events. The CAF Rally featuring Japanese Police and the annual 2-Stroke Rally. Flyers are below.

2023 Commemorative Air Force Rally
Saturday August 5th

Where: New Century Airport, New Century Kansas
Address: 6 Aero Plaza, New Century, Ks. 66031
Time: 10 am to 2 pm (people will be there from 9am)
Food: breakfast and lunch served for a donation
Who is invited: All vintage motorcycles of any brand, **featuring Japanese Police motorcycles of any year**



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COMMEMORATIVE AIR FORCE

2023 KANSAS CITY ALL 2 STROKE RALLY
SATURDAY, AUGUST 12TH.

From 9 AM to 2 PM
At Johnny Ray's Drive-In, 800 SW Blue Parkway,
Lee's Summit, MO 64063 - 816-524-1910



VJMC Vintage Japanese Motorcycle Club
Wilson Performance

For more information: **Bill Wilson** at www.WilsonPerformance.net - 816-377-3185 - WVWRZ500N@aol.com

Calling all 2 stroke enthusiasts! This is the 8th annual Wilson Performance/VJMC 2 Stroke Rally. Running or not bring out your vintage 2 stroke to show and shine at this unique event. From the cool to the uber rare and highly sought after bikes of the GP era and more. Don't miss your opportunity to show a piece of history and enjoy a great day with other 2 stroke enthusiasts!

(4 Stroke motorcycles WILL NOT be allowed in the Rally parking lot. An adjacent parking lot will be designated for all 4-strokes ridden to the event.) It is our goal to be the only ALL 2 Stroke event of it's kind in the USA.

Go on the KC VJMC website (kcvjmc.com) for more information or text: 816-454-2891



**2024 VJMC National Rally
General Butler State Resort Park
1608 Hwy 227
Carrollton, KY 41008**

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The Vintage Japanese Motorcycle Club of North America would like to invite all our members and friends to join for the VJMC 2024 National Rally – where you can enjoy the river region or explore its bourbon culture. This event will take place May 30 – June 1, 2024, at General Butler State Resort Park, Carrollton, Kentucky.

Host Rally Headquarters is the General Butler State Resort Park Lodge.

A motorcycle show will take place on Saturday, June 1, 2024. Registration and check in will close at 11:30am, judging will be from 11:45am until 2:30pm and presentation of awards will follow the evening dinner buffet. Motorcycles must be left on display until after the award winners group picture is taken – no exceptions.

During our Rally there will be opportunities for tours, motorcycle ride rides, golf, and walks through the through the park. We hope you will take the time to immerse yourself in to one of Kentucky's most beautiful areas.

Registration Fee

VJMC Member: \$150.00

Non-Member: 190.00

Guest (Guests are wives, girlfriends, significant other or children - Guest cannot pilot their own bike): \$140.00

Registration Administration Fee: \$15.00

Bike Fee

First Bike: \$15.00

Each Additional Bike: \$5.00

You **MUST** be registered for the Rally to participate in the motorcycle show.

LODGING

Host Rally Headquarters is the General Butler State Resort Park Lodge, Carrollton, Kentucky. To register for lodging call (502) 732-4384 to secure reservation and pay individually for rooms. Call the Hotel directly for reservations and group rate.

Please keep in mind that you must be registered for the Rally prior to booking your lodging. This event, due to extremely limited on-site lodging availability requires a three-night minimum reservation (Friday and Saturday). Thank you for understanding.

General Butler State Resort Park
1608 Hwy 227
Carrollton, KY 41008

Tel: 502-732-4384

Room Block Code: 6526

Room Block expires April 30, 2024

Room Rates: [Click here to view lodging rates](#)

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