

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.

January 2025 Edition:



This **QR** code will take you to our web site and individual event links!

Buddy Walton: It's A Wrap!

Mark Bayer: We are working on our 2025 events and one of the big changes will be that the annual **Meetin In The Middle Rally** will be in a new location. That location

will be Council Bluffs. Iowa.

It's A Wrap!

Our annual KCVJMC Christmas party was another fun event to wrap up the 2024 club year. We had 23 members in attendance at Zarda BBQ with great food and spirited visiting among all. A slide show on the big screen TV had a review of our shows for the year with plenty of beautiful machines on display for everyone to see. We always have a unique gift exchange where you can "steal" a gift that someone had picked before you from their assigned number drawing position, and yes there was some good hearted "thefts" occurring. There were great motorcycle related gifts along with a few "gag" gifts, in other words, there was something for everyone. It gets better every year and we are already making plans to make 2025 even better!

Buddy Walton



Kansas City VJMC, has been busy working on our 2025 events for both Kansas and Missouri:

As 2024 went well, we have high expectations for 2025. To begin with, the annual *Meetin In The Middle Rally* is going to change location. Our 2025 events should be the best ever. Our next newsletter should have much more information about this event or even other events for next year. As winter sets in this is a great time to think about plans for 2025. Here are some ideas:

- 1. Plan on attending at least one or more 2025 VJMC events in 2025. Although schedules will be incomplete at this time think about what months you will have open so you know when to look for events you can attend. Consider attending a National VJMC Rally!
- 2. This would be a great time to go back and *read the VJMC magazines that you didn't fully read* before. Review the entire year and refresh your mind about all that is going on with the club.
- 3. Get in touch with other VJMC members and get together for coffee or if the weather permits it, go on a ride!
- 4. *Make sure that your membership has been updated* and consider writing an article for the magazine about a restoration project or an event youy held, no matter how small.





This Marusho 500 was shown at one of our events in 2024 and this 1967 CB450D Scrambler is occasionally seen at some of our shows. Every year we have special bikes show up!





This picture from the 2024 Meetin In The Middle shows the great attendance. The *QR code above* will allow you to follow our events, it is not yet updated but is in progress. If you are active in the Midwest region please let us post your events. Make sure and follow us on our two facebook pages!