

VFW

Motorcycle Association

Constitution

VFW Riders is a motorcycle group made up of members of the VFW and VFW Auxiliary members in good standing. We are a group within the VFW that enjoys the past time of motorcycling.

We are a family oriented group and are pro-military. We encourage our members to support other veteran's rider groups.

Distinction of class, nationality, or gender will not be recognized nor tolerated by our organization. Our members act in good faith with other members and uphold the traditions of the VFW.

As of September 2010 at the Conference of Administration Department meeting the VFW Missouri Riders were officially approved as being a recognized group of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Missouri. All members will follow the by-laws of the VFW and support the Armed Forces and the Commander in Chief of the United States of America.

Our members come from all walks of life and have served honorably in the Armed Forces of the United States in the times of conflicts. We ride all types of motorcycles, 500 cc or larger, of both foreign and domestic manufacture. A motorcycle by our definition is a two-wheeled vehicle and we do allow "trikes" which are three wheeled motorcycles. We do not allow any sort of all terrain vehicle (ATV) as part of the group as they have been manufactured for off road use only and are not intended for street or highway use.

Purpose

- To ride safely and have fun.
- To participate in parades and other ceremonies which are in keeping with the aims and purposes of the VFW.
- To promote motorcycle safety programs and to provide a social atmosphere for VFW members who share the same interest.
- To use our association to promote programs of the VFW, and raise money to support these programs.
- Raise money to support at least one local charity/charities of the chapters' choice.

This document is intended to serve as a standard for all Missouri Chapters of the VFW Riders Motorcycle Group, aka, VFW Riders.