



**May 2026 – NoCo IMRG Membership Meeting
May 16th, 2026
Timberline Church Parking Lot, Fort Collins**

Meeting called to order at 10:05 a.m.

Leadership present: Randall Holman, Mark Whaley, Ted Wolfe, Karen Holman, Kenneth Camp
Leadership not present: Jeff Sroufe, Jim Banks, Michelle Banks

President – Randall Holman

- Welcomed members to the May chapter meeting.
- Thanked Mark Whaley for leading the Road Officers Orientation prior to the chapter meeting.
- Informed meeting attendees of the Skills Training following the chapter meeting
 - Paul Carroll conducting the training
 - This is a "no judgment" zone designed to help everyone shake off the winter rust. Encouraged everyone to stay and participate
- Provided a recap of recent ride activities
 - March post-meeting ride to Wellington for lunch at the T-Bar
 - First dinner ride of the season going to Laporte Pizza
 - May 2nd – International Female Ride Day
 - Breakfast at Doug's Diner in Mead
 - Rode to Lookout Mountain overlooking Golden
 - 4 women on the ride – the most we've ever had for IFRD (Karen, Mary-Kay, Cressa, Dawn)
- Reviewed the communication channels used to keep members informed about rides/events
 - First and foremost - The event calendar on our website (nocoimrg.org)
 - Informer Newsletter
 - While we may not have all the details when the newsletter goes out, the events and dates are typically known.
 - Also a current list of events is placed in the back of the newsletter
 - Punchbowl
 - Email will come from punchbowl.com

- We started using this about a year ago – it allows us to get RSVPs, and automatically sends out reminders
 - Check spam/junk folder – whitelist punchbowl.com
 - Email distribution (comes from nocoimrg@gmail.com)
- Covered NoCo IMRG rides/events cancellation communication
 - First and foremost – We will update the calendar on our website (nocoimrg.org)
 - If the event went out via Punchbowl, we will use Punchbowl to send out cancellation
 - We will send out an email.
 - We might also post on Facebook about the cancellation
 - We will send out cancellation notice as soon as possible, but it could be as late as the evening before
 - Bad weather is generally the reason for a cancellation, and sometimes it pops up at the last minute
 - You might want to make it a policy before you leave the house to check the website and your email for any cancellation notices.
- MotoAmerica King of the Baggers
 - With the new Indian Wrecking Crew, re-engineered Challengers with Vance & Hines performance mods, Indian has been dominating the series
 - As such, MotoAmerica is allowing Harley to have an increase of 200 more RPM to be more competitive.
 - This will provide additional horsepower, primarily for straight-aways (when H-D was outpacing Indian on straight-aways in past seasons, there were no concessions for Indian).
 - Will see what this does at the next KOB race on May 29th at Road America in Wisconsin.
- Encouraged members to have Motorcycle Towing
 - Breaking down without having good towing coverage can be a very costly mistake.
 - A flatbed tow for a motorcycle can easily cost hundreds of dollars—even for a short tow
 - E.g. 8 mile tow-\$200-\$300; 60 mile-\$400-\$500; 100 mile-\$600-\$1,000
 - Having a decent dedicated motorcycle towing service can provide peace of mind
 - Be aware, unless you buy a more premium service your miles may be very limited
- Upcoming Events
 - 5/21 (Thursday) – Bikes and Bites Dinner Ride @6:00pm CJ's Patio
 - 5/23 (Saturday) – Cinnamon Roll & Peak-to-Peak Hwy Ride
 - 6/09-6/14 (Tue-Sun) – Durango Rendezvous
 - One group going down on Tuesday, and another on Wednesday
 - There are lots of different rides and activities – you're not obligated or expected to only hang out with the group
 - Sunday – Ride Home
- South Region IMRG Roundup – Sept 9th-13th (Grand Junction)
 - Currently have 58 registered participants (from 12 different chapters; both in and out of the IMRG South Region)
 - Grand Junction Indian Dealership was about to shut-down, but worked out a deal to stay with the new IMC

Membership – Karen Holman

- 55 Chapter members / 22% Non-Indian

Vice President – Mark Whaley

- No new business

Treasurer – Ted Wolfe

- Board and Officer insurance has been paid

Web Director – Kenneth Camp

- Reminder to everyone that the cutoff for discounted hotel rates and to buy merchandise for the South Region IMRG Roundup is June 30th.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 10:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Randall Holman, President
Northern Colorado IMRG Chapter #2036