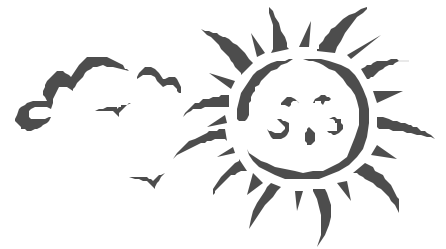


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Yesterday

It was 1910 when the Seattle Motorcycle Club sponsored the first “Endurance” motorcycle event of its kind in the Pacific Northwest. Riding from Seattle’s Pioneer Square to Mt. Rainier and returning to Seattle in two days, each rider began with 1000 points. The event was based on a number of variables including losing points for arriving before or after the predetermined time allocation the ride was said to have taken, - the *absolute time* it would take to complete the route within the legal limits. Winners were awarded cash, tires, goggles and even gold. The event continued through the teens and eventually disappeared into history.

Today

Now, Sound RIDER! re-awakens the “Endurance” tradition with the Gerbing’s Three Pass Blast. From June until September of 2002, ALL endorsed motorcyclists in the Northwest will be afforded the opportunity to compete against one another to determine who can ride from Monroe to Issaquah via Leavenworth and Peshastin, in the determined time it would take to legally do so. This event will take riders over three scenic mountain passes, Stevens, Blewitt and Snoqualmie allowing time for fuel, meal and rest stops.

Using modern technology, an individual date is no longer needed to enjoy this event. Instead, riders purchase fuel at each of three checkpoints using a credit or debit card. The receipt is imprinted with their name, date and time. Riders will return the final entry form with the original fuel receipts as proof of making the trek and clocking exact times. This allows you to participate on ANY DAY during the four month period. The Soundrider.com website will be updated monthly with highlights about the event.

Winners will be announced at Kirkland’s Café Veloce, October 12th at 3pm.

The Prizes - \$3,000?

The overall winner will be the individual whose time comes closest to the absolute time and will win \$500.00, plus the “Sweetening Bonus” of \$5.00 for each rider entered. If 500 riders participate, the total award would be \$3,000.00 In the event of an exact tie, the award will be evenly distributed.

Other winners will receive cash prizes for:

- Best Vintage Time. \$100 (Only bikes 20 years or older qualify)*
- Best Senior Time. \$100 (open to riders 55 years of age and over)*
- Best Club Average. \$500 (the average of all club members during the event months)
- Best Weekday Time. \$100
- Best Three Wheel Time. (Sidecars and Trikes)* \$100
- Best Midnight Ride. \$100 (Riders who compete on the route when the clock strikes midnight, all stations are open 24/7)

* Photographs including rider and bike in front of three landmarks is required with your final entry.

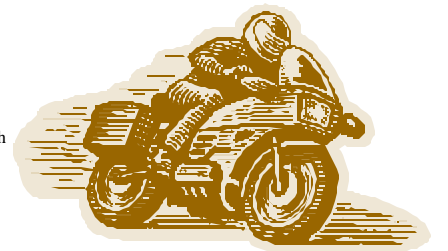
Entry fee is \$20.00 and includes a \$10 gift certificate to Café Veloce which you will receive at the event October 12th.

What Is Absolute Time?

Absolute time is the time to meet, not beat. Absolute time is determined to be the time it will take to complete the course at the legal speed limit and the following criteria:

- Total distance from Monroe to Issaquah via Leavenworth and Peshastin.
- Three fuel stops, of five minutes each.
- A single one hour lunch/meal stop
- Two rest stops of ten minutes each.
- Use of alternate bypass routes via Plain and Cle Elum.

You have the clues. The actual Absolute Time will not be made public until the October 12th event at Café Veloce.



Scoring

All riders begin with 850 Points. Total possible points is 1,000

- 1 point is subtracted for each minute a rider arrives late at a checkpoint, up to the first 30 minutes.
- 5 points are subtracted for each minute a rider arrives late at a checkpoint, beyond the first 30 minutes arrival.
- 1 point is subtracted for each minute a rider arrives early at a checkpoint, up to the first 5 minutes.
- 5 points are subtracted for each minute a rider arrives early at a checkpoint, beyond the first five minutes of arrival.
- 50 bonus points are added to your score for each of the three optional photos provided (see below).

Checkpoint Locations**

Texaco
19101 US Hwy 2
Monroe, WA 98272

Texaco
9689 Hwy 2
Peshastin, WA 98847

Texaco
825 Front St N
Issaquah, WA 98027

You must pump your fuel at all three locations with a DEBIT or CREDIT card and provide the receipts in your final entry. The last name on the receipts must match yours. Stations can print duplicate receipts inside in the event of a printer error at the tank.

** **VERY IMPORTANT:** Equilon Enterprises intends to change all Texaco locations to Shell stations between now and the end of the year. The addresses will remain the same.

Optional Photos

All riders may include the following three optional printed photos. Each photo must include the rider, the motorcycle ridden, and a landmark in the photo. See www.soundrider.com for examples.

- Photo 1 – In front of the Plain Grocery Store in Plain Washington
- Photo 2 – In front of the Peshastin Texaco**
- Photo 3 – In front of Sportland Yamaha at the corner of SR903 & Bullfrog Road

Pre Registration

You must pre-register and pay your registration fee **BEFORE** you ride. You may pre-register two ways:

Online: Go to www.soundrider.com/store.

Mail: Use the form below and mail your pre-registration form and \$20 entry fee to:

Sound RIDER!
2002 Gerbing's Three Pass Blast Pre-Registration
2226 Eastlake Avenue East, Suite 69
Seattle, WA 98102

(tear or cut along the dotted line below)



GERBING'S 3 PASS BLAST! Pre Registration Form

NAME: _____

STREET: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PAYING BY : CHECK CREDIT CARD (please do not send cash)

CREDIT CARD/DEBIT CARD # _____

EXPIRATION: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

GERBING'S 3 PASS BLAST! Final Entry Form

The final entry form must be submitted following your ride. Fill out the form and be sure to include your three original gas receipts, a copy of your driver's license and any of the optional photos.

Mail your final entry form to:

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2226 Eastlake Avenue East, Suite 69
Seattle, WA 98102



NAME: _____

STREET: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

BIKE USED — MAKE: _____ MODEL: _____ YEAR: _____

TYPE: TWO WHEEL THREE WHEEL

CLUB AFFILIATION (if competing for club class): _____

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Be sure to include (you may staple them below):

- Your 3 ORIGINAL fuel receipts
- Photo Copy of your Drivers License
- Optional Photographs

www.soundrider.com



FINAL ENTRY FORM
Send AFTER You Have Completed The Ride



Contest not open to employees of Sound RIDER!, the events sponsors or their immediate families. Contest finishes September 30th, 2002

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM ON REVERSE
Send with your Entry Fee BEFORE You Ride

