



Motorcyclists Ride to Help Teen Challenge of the Rockies Raise Money for Faith-Based Solution to Drug and Alcohol Abuse

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Teen Challenge is the nation's most successful faith-based solution to the drug and alcohol abuse affecting this country's youth, with consistent success rates in the 80-percentile range or greater. Their mission is to assist persons of all ages with life-controlling problems, including alcohol and drug addiction.

Riders and guests will meet at Southwest First Assembly of God Church, located at 7350 W. Eastman Place in Lakewood, CO. Registration and check-in begins at 8 a.m., with coffee and donuts. The scenic ride will commence at 9:00 a.m. and the rally, food, and festivities will kick off at noon.

Registration for riders is fifteen dollars per bike and ten dollars per passenger, with catered lunch included. Big Papa's BBQ is providing the lunch. Registration for nonriders who wish to attend the luncheon is ten dollars.

Current sponsors include Mountain Man, Big Papa's BBQ, Family Worship Center, and WindDancer Clothing, with live music provided by No One Man band. The silent and live auctions will start at noon, during the luncheon. The silent auction will include themed gift baskets from varying price ranges, overnight stays at condos in the resorts, jewelry, and much more. There also will be door prizes and contests during the rally at noon.

This will be a fun-filled event, including contests for participants. "Best Tattoo" "only ones you would show your mother will be judged; "Best Bike;" and an "on-the-spot" transformation of Peggy Vawter, the Rocky Mountain Women's Ministries Director, from "church lady to biker babe for a day!" She will be auctioned off and "accessories," including temporary tattoos, will be applied by the highest bidder to complete her transformation.

Many attendees of this event will be available to share their testimonials of the good work that Teen Challenge has provided them in their personal struggles to overcome drug or alcohol addiction.

Everyone is welcome. Sponsorship opportunities are available and volunteers are needed to help with the day's events. Roles that volunteers will fill include: registration of riders, serving food during lunch, and assisting at rest points for riders along the route.

Teen Challenge is the oldest, largest and most successful program of its kind in the world. Established in 1958 by David Wilkerson, Teen Challenge has grown to more than 170 centers in the United States and 250 centers



world-wide. For almost fifty years, Teen Challenge has been going into schools around the world, working with teens to educate them about the dangers of drugs.

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