

Arizona Bike Week 2018 April 6-17 Guided

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| 8-Ride Days | Miles: ~ 1500 |
| Rider Shared Room: | \$2500 |
| Rider Private Room: | \$3100 |
| Rider/Passenger: | \$3150 |
| Shipping of One Motorcycle | Included |
| Shipping of an additional motorcycle | \$650 |
| Rental Motorcycles upon request | Ask for price |
| Lodging (8- nights) | Included |
| Meals Included: | All Breakfasts/and 2 group dinners |
| Guides and Detailed Tour Book | Included |
| Support Vehicle | Included |
| Riding Level: | Experienced |
| Gratuity | Not Included |

Arizona is an amazing place to ride because of the beautiful roads and magnificent scenery. I have been riding Arizona in the spring for many years and it never gets boring. After we land in Phoenix a short shuttle ride takes you to your hotel. Friday afternoon/evening we will just "hang out" at the hotel in Scottsdale relaxing after our flight.

Day 1 - Saturday morning we will ride east through Apache Junction and on to Tortilla Flat. It's an amazing ride and it will give you a chance to get acclimated to the desert SW and it's amazing roads and scenery. We will have lunch in Tortilla Flat while listening to some great live music. The ride back to Scottsdale will include a stop at Superstition Harley-Davidson just in case you need a t-shirt or souvenir. Saturday night we will have a group dinner for everyone to get acquainted before our week's journey. After dinner we will have a presentation on the week's "road trip". I will cover safe riding practices and the hand signals we will use during our ride. Each day will start with breakfast at 8:00 AM and "kick stands up" at 9:00 AM.

Day 2 - Sunday of our road trip we will head SE from Scottsdale and into the desert and mountains of Arizona. We will spend the night in Patagonia, Az.

Day 3- Monday is our "old west" day. We will ride to Tombstone and walk the streets that Wyatt Earp once walked. You can also watch the re-enactment of the "Shootout at the OK Corral". We will continue SE and stop in the quaint little mining town of Bisbee.

If we are lucky, we will meet LaVerne the "hugging mayor" of Bisbee. After lunch we continue SE to Douglas; a town on the Mexico Border. We will spend the evening in Wilcox, Az.



Day 4 - Tuesday we will see the Morenci Copper Mine. This mine is the largest open pit copper mine in the US. We head north on Route 191. This road was named RT 666 but people kept stealing the signs so they renumbered the route. Route 191 from Three-Way, Hannagan Meadow, to Alpine is a great road through very mountainous terrain. This could be our coolest weather day because of the high altitude we will be riding in. I suggest if you have heated gear this would be a good day to wear it in case you need to turn it on. We will spend the night in Eagar, Az



Day 5 - Wednesday we will ride through the Petrified Forest NP and the Painted Desert. Time permitting we will make a stop in Winslow, Arizona and take a picture by the sign made famous by the Eagles. We will spend the next two nights in Williams, Az

Day 6 - Thursday Today we ride to the Grand Canyon. This is an amazing day ride especially if this is your first time to the Grand Canyon. Words and photos do not do it justice; you have to see it for yourself to believe it! This will be a day full of photo opportunities so make sure your camera is ready!

Day 7 - Friday we will head south down Oak Creek Canyon to Sedona. We will take our morning break walking around Sedona. We will continue south to Jerome and then to Prescott for lunch. This afternoon is our last ride through mountains before we ride back into the desert. We will get back to Scottsdale and you can go to the Arizona Bike Week venue at West World.

Day 8 - Saturday we will load our motorcycle on the trailer for their ride home. We will fly home today but if you wish to spend additional days we can help you make those arrangements.

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