



# Empire City MC's

2024 Motorcycle Weekend,  
60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Week-Long Ride  
and Pittsburgh Pride!

23<sup>rd</sup> May – 26<sup>th</sup> May,  
27<sup>th</sup> May – 31<sup>st</sup> May,  
1<sup>st</sup> June – 2<sup>nd</sup> June

All male bikers and buddies are invited. Entry by motorcycle only. No four-wheeled vehicles permitted. Breakfasts, dinners and shared accommodations are all provided with your run fee.

Formation rides to and from our private run site in an undisclosed location, multiple meet-up points. More information at [www.EmpireCityMC.com](http://www.EmpireCityMC.com)



## Empire City MC's Annual Motorcycle Weekend, Ohio Exploration & Pittsburgh Pride Information

With the help of many friends and the dedication of ECMC members, we're excited to announce another great Memorial Day Weekend riding experience, including some meals, accommodations, followed by a week in Ohio and to top it off, riding in the Pittsburgh Pride Parade on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024! Come join the fun!

**Please read this entire run application carefully as 2024 is vastly different!**

You can choose which segments on this 11-day trip that you would ride with us or not! With the exception of Friday 24<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> when we stay at "The Farm" in Coal Centre, accommodations at hotels will be your responsibility to pay for. Please check the tick-boxes "" to indicate you will be riding with us on that day.

Of course, you are always responsible for your own travel costs, including fuel, tolls, etc. We might have a support vehicle following us through the Ohio segments to lighten our loads; however, this is not yet confirmed, so please do not count on one being there. We ask that you have an EZ-Pass toll transponder on your bike.

Empire City MC seeks, as always, to make this a ZERO-PROFIT event. We only facilitate these events.

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Read the day's description, any of your **\*financial obligations\*** and tick the box if you will be there, let's start:

**Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024:** Due to distance from New York City, we split the ride from NYC to Coal Centre, PA stopping in Harrisburg, PA for one night. We'll spend the night at "Crowne Plaza Harrisburg-Hershey" in Harrisburg, have dinner and meet up with The Pennsmen at their home bar, Brownstone Lounge. **\*You will need to make reservations for Crowne Plaza Harrisburg-Hershey for the 23<sup>rd</sup> May, departing 24<sup>th</sup> May.\***

**Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** We will have **\*brunch\*** in the lobby restaurant at Crowne Plaza and then ride to Coal Centre, PA, arriving by 5pm. We will spend the night at "The Farm", **\*dinner will be "dutch treat" at a nice restaurant\***

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** **\*There will be continental breakfast and a brunch at The Farm for \$20\***, this fee helps defray the costs to our hosts, such as food, alcohol/beer, washing up, water, fair use of their property. We kindly ask that everyone staying over Friday night pay this "day rate". Following brunch, there will be a motorcycle ride (tentative plans are to visit the United 93 Memorial and have lunch on the road. **\*admission and lunch expenses are your own\***) on Saturday evening, there will be a BBQ cookout with TRLC (Three Rivers Leather Club) of Pittsburgh, PA. This BBQ is included with your day-rate meal plan.

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** **\*There will be continental breakfast and a brunch at The Farm for \$20\***, this fee helps defray the costs to our hosts, such as food, alcohol/beer, washing up, water, fair use of their property. We kindly ask that everyone staying over Saturday night pay this "day rate". Following brunch, there will be a motorcycle ride and lunch on the road. **\*admission and lunch expenses are your own\***, later that evening, **\*dinner will be "dutch treat" at a nice restaurant\***

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** **\*There will be continental breakfast and a brunch at The Farm for \$20\***, this fee helps defray the costs to our hosts, such as food, alcohol/beer, washing up, water, fair use of their property. We kindly ask that everyone staying over Sunday night pay this "day rate". Only tick this box if you are staying over Sunday night, if you are meeting us initially on Monday at The Farm, tick the NEXT box below and you need not pay the \$20 day fee.

More riding on the next page...

## What's round on the ends and high in the middle? Our Ohio excursion!

☐ **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** We shall depart from The Farm at 11am to head into Ohio! Persons not coming on the Ohio trip are free to go elsewhere on their own. We will spend the night in Columbus, OH, the hotel name/address will be in your confirmation letter. **\*brunch, dinner hotel accommodations are your responsibility\***, you do not have to stay at our designated hotel, but you are responsible to meet up with us at KSU on time!



☐ **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** Columbus, OH, the hotel name/address will be in your confirmation letter. **\*brunch, dinner and hotel accommodations are your responsibility\***, you do not have to stay at our designated hotel, but you are responsible to meet up with us at KSU on time! There will be various rides in Ohio every day.

☐ **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** Columbus, OH, the hotel name/address will be in your confirmation letter. **\*brunch, dinner and hotel accommodations are your responsibility\***, you do not have to stay at our designated hotel, but you are responsible to meet up with us at KSU on time! There will be various rides in Ohio every day.

☐ **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2024:** We ride to Cleveland, OH! Our hotel name/address will be in your confirmation letter - FLEXSpas Cleveland has nice rooms and is a serious consideration. **\*brunch, dinner and hotel accommodations are your responsibility\***, you do not have to stay at our designated hotel, but you are responsible to meet up with us at KSU on time! On Thursday evening, we will go to the Leather Stallion Saloon, hopefully spot some local clubs like the Unicorn MC. There will be various rides in Ohio every day.

☐ **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024:** We ride to Pittsburgh. **\*brunch, dinner and hotel accommodations are your responsibility\*** There will be limited, free billeting space at the homes of ECMC/TRLC members!

☐ **Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024:** We ride in the Pittsburgh Pride Parade in the morning; then return to our respective hosts/hotels to load up our bikes to return home... if heading east, consider joining us on our ride back to Harrisburg, PA to spend the night at our half-way to NYC hotel...

☐ **Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024:** We'll ride from Pittsburgh, PA to Harrisburg, PA for one night. We'll spend the night at "Crowne Plaza Harrisburg-Hershey" in Harrisburg, have dinner and meet up with The Pennsmen again at their home bar, Brownstone Lounge. **\*You will need to make reservations for Crowne Plaza Harrisburg-Hershey for the 1<sup>st</sup> June, departing 2<sup>nd</sup> June.\***

☐ **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2024:** We will have **\*brunch\*** in the lobby restaurant at Crowne Plaza and then ride to New York City.

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## The Farm



# Run Application – transfer your ticks to this page!

**RUN FEE: There is NO run fee this year. Each segment has its own fiscal responsibilities, which will be collected by the respective persons/businesses directly with you. In the case of "The Farm", please pay Mike N personally.**

**This is a motorcycle only event!** No four-wheeled vehicles, other than as authorised are allowed! We understand there are riders from many places that would like to participate in this event; therefore, we have several meet-up points and times. All will be specified on your personalised CONFIRMATION LETTER.

You must submit this signed Run Application page prior to 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2024. You may use digital or scanned signature. Send your completed application to [Road-Captain@EmpireCityMC.com](mailto:Road-Captain@EmpireCityMC.com) – you will get an acknowledgement e-mail within 48 hours, and a confirmation letter with additional details before 23<sup>rd</sup> May.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Club Affiliation (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ I am:  Rider /  Buddy Rider

I will participate up with the group on the following days:

## Memorial Day Weekend

- Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024: Overnight at hotel in Harrisburg
- Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024: Meeting in Harrisburg KSU, or  Meeting at The Farm at 5pm
- Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024: or  Meeting at The Farm 11am KSU (not staying over Friday night)
- Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024: or  Meeting at The Farm 11am KSU (not staying over Saturday night)
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024: or  Meeting at The Farm for Ohio trip at 11am KSU (not staying over Sunday night)

## Ohio Trip

- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024: Overnight in Columbus, OH
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024: Overnight in Columbus, OH
- Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024: Overnight in Columbus, OH
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2024: Riding from Columbus to Cleveland, or  Meeting in Cleveland for dinner at 6pm

## Pittsburgh Pride Parade

- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024: Riding from Cleveland to Pittsburgh, or  Meeting in Pittsburgh for dinner at 6pm
- Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024: Riding in the Pittsburgh Pride Parade
- Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024: Riding from Pittsburgh to Harrisburg and spending the night in Harrisburg
- Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2024: Riding from Harrisburg to New York City (or split off on the way...)

Emergency contact \_\_\_\_\_ & phone number \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that I have attained at least twenty-one (21) years of age and that I, based upon mutual covenants and considerations, will not hold Empire City Motorcycle Club, Inc. (a.k.a. ECMC), "The Farm", nor the individual and collective officers, members, servants, agents, employees thereof liable for any injury to my person or property during the period of Empire City MC's Annual Motorcycle Weekend. I further agree to indemnify, save harmless and hold harmless ECMC, "The Farm" or the individual and collective officers, members, servants, agents, employees thereof from any and all liability, serious injury, economic loss, and any other loss arising from whatever event, source, manner and/or nature which they may suffer as a result of claims, demands, costs or judgments against them, individually and/or collectively, arising out of their individually and/or collectively granting to me the privilege of attending and participating in part and/or whole of Empire City MC's Annual Motorcycle Weekend.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this application to our Run Chairman for processing. Bed space will be assigned on a 'first registered, first served' basis, so don't delay! Please read the directions carefully and return this page digital/PDF to [Road-Captain@EmpireCityMC.com](mailto:Road-Captain@EmpireCityMC.com) – problems doing this? Questions? Call Chaz at +1 212-212-CHAZ (2429) for assistance. It is vital that your motorcycle is in good working order and you are on time to your respective meet-up location.



## **HARRISBURG OVERNIGHT HOTEL RESERVATIONS**

If you would like to stay overnight with us in Harrisburg, PA, please make your own accommodation reservation(s). We'll be staying at Crowne Plaza Harrisburg-Hershey, 23 South Second Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Call the front desk to make a reservation: +1 717 234 5021, or make it online or any other travel website.

We are staying on 23<sup>rd</sup> May (way to The Farm) and on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2024 (return home).

We will ALL meet-up for brunch at "Restaurant23" at 09:30 (the hotel restaurant), kick-stands up at 11:00.

To discuss room-shares, discuss online: <https://mewe.com/join/empirecitymc>



## **WHAT DO YOU NEED TO BRING?**

A bed, clean linens and towels will be provided by The Farm (and at appropriate hotels and billeting), but for your safety and comfort, we recommend you bring the following:

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|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| - bike tool kit   | - extra bungee cords   | - rain gear (we hope not to use it!) |
| - driving license | - motorcycle paperwork | - mobile phone charger               |
| - medications     | - dry clothing         | - club colours/banner                |

## **OTHER REMINDERS & NOTES**

- The Farm has 'play space' as well as a pool, bar, nature trails and more!
- This is a MOTORCYCLE EVENT and only those arriving by MOTORCYCLE will be allowed to participate.
- There may be a support vehicle to assist with luggage on the Ohio Portion of the event.
- There is ample tent space for those who wish complete privacy, some tents are available for free use.
- All meals, fuel, tolls, etcetera, are your own financial responsibility, so please plan appropriately and bring cash as needed – do not expect every place to accept credit cards.
- Your day rate fee at The Farm pays for your food and beverages at The Farm as well as cleaning/prep.
- After registering, we will send you an acknowledgement that we received and approved\* your run application. A confirmation letter with further details will be sent to you, personalised for the events/rides you are participating in.
- If you have any questions or concerns, please e-mail Chaz at [road-captain@empirecitymc.com](mailto:road-captain@empirecitymc.com) or call +1 212 212-CHAZ (2429)