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# UPCOMING INTERNATIONAL MOTORCYCLE SHOWS



The IMS International Motorcycle Shows are held all across the country during the winter months. These events draw thousands of people to interact with major motorcycle manufacturers and see the new models. If you're looking for a new bike, IMS is where you can sit on many models back-to-back to see which one fits you well. PLUS, there are plenty of opportunities to jump on the bikes for a test drive – even if you don't have a license.

Don't miss the vintage, classic and retro-style motorcycles on display from bike clubs across the country. Another "must-see" attraction is the J&P Cycles Ultimate Builder Custom Bike Show. It is the world's largest motorcycle builder competition, featuring more than 300 motorcycles and \$100,000 in cash and prizes. Professional and amateur builders compete at local shows for their chance to move-on to the Championship Round in Chicago.

And it's not just about motorcycles. You can boost your knowledge about parts, gear and accessories. Numerous manufacturers of all kinds are on hand to show you tires, batteries, windshields, helmets, and other riding gear. You can find pretty much any patch you can imagine. Several event promoters, such as Laconia and Americade, have booths to try and draw attendees. So do a number of motorcycle clubs. The funniest thing I saw at the last show was the Christian Motorcyclists Association and the Hell's Angels practically a booth away from each other.

Tickets and event information can be found at [www.motorcycleshows.com](http://www.motorcycleshows.com).

- **New York, NY:** December 6-8, Jacob K. Javits Convention Center
- **Dallas, TX:** January 3-5, Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center
- **Washington D.C.:** Jan 10-12, Washington Convention Center
- **Denver, CO:** January 17-19, Colorado Convention Center
- **Cleveland, OH:** January 24-26, I-X Convention Center
- **Minneapolis, MN:** Jan 31 – Feb 2, Minneapolis Convention Center
- **Chicago, IL:** February 7-9, Donald E. Stephens Convention Center

## FEELING LUCKY?

## Get The Bike You Like 2020 MOTORCYCLE GIVEAWAY SWEEPSTAKES

**Win a 2020 Harley-Davidson FXDR 114  
OR The Bike Of Your Choice, Up To \$20,000!**

Maybe you've got your eye on a custom-built motorcycle or a Fat Bob Harley this Christmas... OR the 100th Anniversary edition of the Indian Scout... Perhaps an all-new electric bike would look good under the tree? Or a Triumph Rocket 3R? BMW S100 RR? Yamaha Niken GT?

**What's on Your Christmas List?**

Go here for a chance to win: [www.BikersWin.com/Kansas](http://www.BikersWin.com/Kansas)







# TOYS FOR TOTS CHARITY RIDES



**HAVE A  
LAUGH!**

**Q:** What kind of  
motorcycle does  
Santa ride?

**A:** a Holly Davidson!





On Sunday, December 1st, the Chicagoland Toys for Tots Parade will be celebrating over 40 years of bikers providing presents to children at Christmas time.

This annual event happens in Chicago on the first Sunday in December. It has been called "The World's Greatest Motorcycle Parade". Each year tens of thousands of motorcycle riders come to Chicago to ride together and donate toys for needy children. Each rider must bring at least one new, unwrapped toy to donate.

The Toys for Tots parade is now the largest motorcycle parade in the world, providing thousands of children with brand-new presents for Christmas. More information for volunteers and people wanting to participate in the parade can be found at <https://chicagolandtft.org/parade-faq-and-more>.

Another long-running motorcycle parade is the Olympia Toy Run on Saturday, December 7th, in the Washington State capital city. For over 40 years the Olympia parade has been bringing toys and gifts to children at Christmas time while raising money for donations to the Salvation Army.

The organizers say "It's all about the kids... For this day, we are one brotherhood/sisterhood, with thousands of riders thinking of the smiles our toys will bring to kids' faces!" Learn more at <http://olytoyrun.com/>.

Find out how you can get involved by asking about Toys for Tots Charity Events at your local Harley-Davidson dealership. Many H-D dealers sponsor these rides and events during the holiday season.



## YOUR LEGAL GUIDE TO **MOTORCYCLE** INJURY COMPENSATION

**What Bikers MUST KNOW  
About Insurance Claims  
Settlements & Verdicts!**



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## Your Legal Guide To **MOTORCYCLE INJURY COMPENSATION**

This insider's guide explains how motorcyclists can maximize claims after an accident and avoid expensive mistakes, that could devalue their case and cost them tens of thousands of dollars or more. Readers will learn the answers to 11 questions that injured bikers need to ask before they sign any settlement documents with an insurance company.

**Read this** important legal guide BEFORE you are involved in an accident!



# OPEN ROAD RADIO:

## Motorcycle Talk Radio Show



Check this out! Tune in every Saturday morning to Open Road Radio on WCGO AM/FM, for the most lively, fun, and upbeat motorcycle talk show. Live call-ins make the show spontaneous and unpredictable. Radio show host, Gina Woods, has been on the air for 22 years – and with nearly 4 million listeners, you know the show is popular!

Open Road Radio does live broadcasts from The Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, IMS Shows, Daytona Bike Week, The LA Love Ride, Laconia Motorcycle Rally, Race Week and many others. Previous guests have included celebrities like Robbie Knievel, Peter Fonda, Keanu Reeves, and Jay Leno talking about his motorcycle collection. A who's-who of the most recognizable names in the industry are regularly featured, including interviews with Ricky Carmichael, Chris Carr, Jeremy McGrath, Ben Bostrom, Nicky Hayden, and Angelle Savoie.

Tune in every Saturday at 11am-noon CDT for up-to-the-minute Race results, Road trips, Rides N Rallies, and Motorsports Lifestyle news. You can hear Open Road Radio on WCGO 1590 AM, 95.9 FM, or on Facebook live-streams at [www.facebook.com/Roadhost](http://www.facebook.com/Roadhost) and [www.facebook.com/choppertown](http://www.facebook.com/choppertown).



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## BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT LIST For Motorcycle Lovers

Looking for great ideas on what to get the biker in your life for Christmas this year? Here are two lists for the best Christmas gifts for motorbike lovers -- everything from stylish motorbike apparel to leather panniers, handy tech accessories and rad helmets, gloves, and more! You will find custom hand-made leather gear, along with bags, jackets, and stocking stuffers. Other ideas include patches and pins, Bluetooth headphones, GPS navigator, and power adaptors that make practical motorbike gifts.

Brands include Ashley Watson, Motogirl, Iron & Resin, Blackbird Motorcycle Wear, Viking Bags, StylMartin, and Knox Armour. And if you're looking for unique gifts for motorcycle riders who love all things vintage and retro, then Atom Riders and 78 Motor Co. are sure to please! From beautiful leather boots to stylish handcrafted accessories... this is your ultimate gift list for all things biker this Christmas. Check out the top picks:

<https://motowitch.com/best-motorcycle-christmas-gifts/>  
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*Oh, What Fun  
It Is To Ride!*