



Folsom HOG Chapter 1787

San Simeon/Harbor Festival Run

10/2-4/09

Hook up Friday 10/2 Mel's Diner on Folsom Blvd. 9:00 depart
10am

This ride goes along California's Coast, Hwy 1 with the first
night's

stop at San Simeon where you can tour Hearst Castle. On
Saturday,

we'll take in the Harbor Festival at Morro Bay and return
Sunday ...

We'll leave on Friday morning, 10/2 around 10:00 from Mel's Diner in Folsom at the intersection of Blue Ravine and Folsom Blvd. Be there for breakfast at 9:00.

The first day, we'll head south on I-5 (yeah, the sucky part) to Westley, about 100 miles for a gas stop. From there, we head over Pacheco Pass to Monterey and Hwy 1. We'll be on Hwy 1 the rest of the day, cruising through Big Sur, Pfeiffer State Park and over the Bixby Bridge (remember the TV show "Then Came Bronson" this is the bridge in the intro.) The first night is in San Simeon across Hwy 1 from Hearst Castle. (see the list of hotels in San Simeon). There are quite a few options...I'm staying at the Courtesy Inn on Castillo Drive.

Then next day, we go down to Morro Bay and spend the day at the Harbor Festival. Folks who did this 2 years ago had a blast. Late afternoon / early evening, we'll motor back to San Simeon for the night, where we can experience a second sunset over the ocean.

For those of you who wish to tour Hearst Castle, here is the link to make your reservations.

If you plan on doing the tour, do so on Saturday evening as this gives us more time to play along the coast on Friday. If you are considering this, make your reservations ASAP.

<http://www.hearstcastle.org/tours/>

The final day, we'll head back home, likely along the coast for as far as practical.

The round trip is a little over 650 miles, so ensure that you and your

scooter are ready. You're on your own for accommodations, so call early. If you find any outstanding details, please share them with the group.

Oh yeah, watch the website for possible cancellation due to weather. If this occurs, I'll send out a note three days in advance on the message board.

...Chuck

Hotels in San Simeon

Courtesy Inn of San Simeon
9450 Castillo Drive, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-4691

Inn's Of California San Simeon
9280 Castillo Dr, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-8659

Motel 6 - San Simeon
9070 Castillo Drive, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-8691

Quality Inn San Simeon
9260 Castillo Drive, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-3998

Sands Motel San Simeon
9355 Hearst Drive, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-3243

Sea Breeze Inn
9065 Hearst Drive, San Simeon, CA 93452
(805) 927-3284