

# Rose City Oregon 500

While the Oregon 250 might be considered a warm-up ride, **THE ROSE CITY 500** is a full day of riding splendid roads in Oregon and Washington. Now in its 44th year, this route will lead you to several checkpoints - so bring your Grand Tour passport!

Sign-in will be from 4:30 AM thru 7:30 AM at Beaverton Motorcycles, 10380 SW Cascade Blvd, Tigard, Oregon. Timing lanes will be open from 5:00 AM thru 8:00 AM. Free coffee, tea and pastries will be provided. (Donations gladly accepted for the Vernonia Cares Food Bank.)

Entrants will receive the Rose City Oregon 500 tour pin and/or year bar, route instructions and a route card. Every checkpoint on the course will be staffed.

The finish cut-off time is 8:00 PM and awards will be presented between 8:30 and 9:30 PM. The winning times and mileages will be established by averaging the times and mileages of all the finishing motorcycles.

Entrants finishing nearest the official average time and mileage, plus or minus, will be declared the winner of each class. Unclaimed awards will not be forwarded.

Participation classes for Time and Mileage are: 4 places AMA, non-AMA riders; 4 places AMA, non-AMA passengers; 2 place sidecar/trike. In addition, there are awards for Youngest/Oldest Rider and Passenger on a motorcycle, Oldest Motorcycle, Smallest Motorcycle, Long Distance AMA and non-AMA Rider/Couple and the Sweepstakes Award.

Northwest weather can change quickly, so dress to assure that you stay warm and dry during a variety of conditions. We also suggest that you ride in groups of two-to-four motorcycles; larger groups will slow you down at fuel stops, checkpoints and rest stops. In case of a tie, the earliest entry wins.

As a safety precaution, all participants are urged to strictly obey state and local traffic laws.

The **ROSE CITY OREGON 500** is not a race!

