



Smoke Chasing 2011

Rules

March 25th through October 1st

The following rules shall apply during the 2011 Smoke Chasing Grand Tour, unless specifically advised to the contrary:

- 1) Rider must visit a minimum of 15 BBQ Joints to be considered a Smoke Chasing Grand Tour finisher. Finisher Levels are:
 - a) *Griller* Visit 3 different states & eat at 5 different BBQ joints in each state
 - b) *Smoker* Visit 5 different states & eat at 3 BBQ joints in each state
 - c) *BBQ Pit Master* Visit 15 different states & eat at 1 BBQ joint in each state
- 2) A Smoke Chasing Grand Tour visit will be documented using the following method:
 - a) Use your passport book to record the date of your visit, the BBQ joint's name and its address.
 - b) Take a photo of your passport book, motorcycle, and the sign for the Joint. All three items must be in the photo and must be legible/visible.
 - c) Only Barbeque Joints will be accepted. "Barbeque" **must** appear in the Joint's name. All derivations of Barbeque, such as "BBQ" or "Bar-B-Q" including those with incorrect spelling and missing letters will be accepted.
 - d) Chains explicitly know for BBQ such as Sonny's and Famous Dave's are acceptable but may be counted only once. That is, you may visit all locations of the Famous Dave's franchise but it will only count as one joint.
 - e) Places that serve BBQ, but do not have BBQ in the name or that are not explicitly national BBQ chains will not be accepted (e.g., Bob's Chicken n Waffles, will not be accepted).
 - f) "Eddie's Road Favorites" joints (detailed below) are accepted as listed with or without BBQ in the name.
 - g) The Grillmaster has final authority to determine which BBQ joints are, or are not, counted.
 - h) GPS Coordinates are a plus, but not considered part of or a substitution for these requirements.
- 3) At the conclusion of the Smoke Chasing Grand Tour, Riders are required to submit their passport book, photographs and any other supporting documents under Rule 2 by October 15th, 2011.
 - a) The submission should include a written Joint list that matches the rider's photo submission. Photos must be submitted on paper no larger than 4"x6" or digitally on any standard electronic media format via USB thumb drives or DVD/CDs.
 - b) Write your name and each BBQ joint name on the back of printed photos. If submitting digital photos write your name on the medium (e.g. optical disk) and include each BBQ joint name in its corresponding digital photo file name.

- c) All material should be mailed to: Smoke Chasing Grand Tour, c/o Team Strange, PO Box 1442, Lexington Park, MD 20653
- d) If you would like your documentation materials returned, a self addressed and postage paid envelope must be included with your initial submission.

4) Prizes –

- a. This is a BBQ based event designed to encourage riders to have fun and enjoy great food while raising money for a good cause. This is not a race. Prizes are offered for fun, nostalgia and as a thank you to the riders.
- b. All achievement levels will be recognized with a certificate suitable for framing
- c. A special “Eddie Approves” accolade will be added to your certificate if you visit at least one of “Eddie’s Road Favorites.”
- d. At least three finishers within each level (Griller, Smoker, BBQ Pit Master) will be selected at random for prizes including:
 - i. Single rider spot in the 2012 Minnesota 1000
 - ii. \$50 Gas Cards
 - iii. Single rider spot in the 2012 Land of Enchantment 1000
 - iv. Motorcycle apparel TBD based upon sponsors desire
 - v. Single rider spot in the 2012 Mason Dixon 2020
 - vi. Single rider spot in the 2012 Minuteman 1000
 - vii. Single rider spot in the 2012 Cape Fear 1000
 - viii. Generation 3 men’s or women’s liner from Warm & Safe Heated Gear LLC
 - ix. TPX Radar and Laser Detection System from Adaptiv Technologies
 - x. Alpine Star Riding Boots from Hitching Post Motorsports in Fridley, Hopkins, & South St. Paul Minnesota
 - xi. Motolight discount gift certificates (5)
- e. Prizes will be offered in the order in which the names are randomly drawn. The first name drawn can pick from any of the prizes. The 2nd name drawn will be allowed to choose one of the remaining prizes, and so forth until all prizes are exhausted.
- f. Prizes are donated by generous sponsors and supporters of Eddie’s Road. In some cases availability of prizes is contingent upon scheduled events actually occurring as planned. Eddie’s Road makes no guarantee of availability for these events.
- g. Super cool tee shirts sold separately.

5) All decisions by the Smoke Chasing Grand Tour Grillmaster are final.

Side Dishes

THE KOA KICKER – Smoke Chasing is sponsored by the AMA Grand Tours Series with KOA Along the Way. Staying at a KOA campground during this event qualifies you for an additional entry for prizes when you complete the Grand Tour at the Griller, Smoker or BBQ Pit Master levels.

- a. Riders will receive one extra prize entry for every night they spend at a KOA between March 25th and October 1st.

- b. The rider must produce a KOA receipt for accommodations dated between March 25th and October 1st along with a photo of their passport book held in front of the KOA sign at the location corresponding to each receipt.
- c. The submission should include a written KOA list that matches the rider's photo and receipt submission. Only original receipts or legible copies of original receipts will be accepted. Photos must be submitted on paper no larger than 4"x6" or digitally on any standard electronic media format via USB thumb drives or DVD/CDs.
- d. **Rider's are encouraged to tell the KOA staff they are on the Smoke Chasing Grand Tour.**

Ardys Kellerman's All You Can Eat– Visit all of the BBQ joints on EDDIE'S ROAD FAVORITES list.

- a. Riders will receive a plaque suitable for hanging if they complete the Ardys' All You Can Eat challenge.
- b. The rider must produce a photo of their passport, bike, and restaurant sign from all of the EDDIE'S ROAD FAVORITES between March 25th and October 1st
- c. The submission should include a written restaurant list that matches the rider's photo and receipt submission. Only original receipts or legible copies of original receipts will be accepted. Photos must be submitted on paper no larger than 4"x6" or digitally on any standard electronic media format via USB thumb drives or DVD/CDs.

Bill Watt's Canadian Bacon Challenge

- a. The person who gets the most BBQ joints (minimum of 3 required) in any Canadian province will get delightful surprise gift pack with a value not less than \$75.00 donated by Bill Watt. If the winner gets BBQ joints in at least 6 provinces the prize has a value of \$150.00
- b. The winner will be determined by number of Joints with any tie being determined by the Province count. Territories will count as Provinces. If there is still a tie a hat draw will decide the winner.
- c. We need to build a BBQ list for Canada and this is a good way to start.
- d. Submission must be made in accordance with sections 2 & 3 of the rules above.

Famous Dave's Kicker – Michigan & Ohio – 6 Special Locations

We love Famous Dave's! In fact, we are getting ready to break the rules for six special Famous Dave's locations in Michigan and Ohio. Why? Because these Famous Dave's locations care about Smoke Chasers and are rolling out the red carpet for your visit.

What's the deal?

When you visit any of the six locations listed below and present your SCGT11 passport book you will receive 50% off of your appetizer or dessert when you purchase an entree.

There are also three different ways you can win prizes from Famous Dave's.

1. Save your receipts and submit them to the Grillmaster. There is no limit to the number of receipts you can submit and each one gives you another chance to win. Only original receipts or legible copies of original receipts will be accepted. Submit receipts prior to July 31st for drawing #1, and October 1st for drawing #2. You may enter both drawings. Receipts may be submitted **electronically via e-mail to smokechasing@teamstrange.com** or mailed to Team Strange PO Box 1442 Lexington Park MD 20653.

2. You will earn an additional entry for exclusive prizes if one of these Famous Dave's is one of your SCGT11 stops. Just take your photo, with motorcycle, passport book and sign at one of these locations for an extra drawing entry. This applies to the October draw only. (Sorry only one Famous Dave's can be part of the Smoke, Griller, Pit Master completion levels – rule 2d)
3. You will earn an additional drawing entry for posting “eating” photos from your Famous Dave's visit on Facebook. There is a maximum of one entry earned for posting your photos on Facebook. Your photo must include your passport book, your meal and the menu.

What can you win?

Famous Dave's shirts, sauces, cook books, and of course gift certificates and lots of them. We will do one drawing on July 31st for half the prizes and another at the close of SCGT11 for the other half.

What's the Catch?

This kicker only applies to the six locations below. You must visit one of these locations for a discount on an appetizer or dessert and a chance to win prizes. If you win a gift certificate it must be used at one of these locations but we will allow "horse trading" and there are a more than a dozen prizes to go around.

What rules did we break?

You don't have to complete SCGT11 to be eligible for the discount on appetizers and desserts and you do not have to complete the ride to win one of Famous Dave's exclusive prizes.

Just be sure you understand that for official SCGT11 visits, only one Famous Dave's location can be counted towards completion in accordance with rule 2d.

43350 Crescent Boulevard Novi, MI 48375
2945 Rochester Road Rochester Hills, MI 48307
20300 East 13 Mile Rd Roseville, MI 48066
23811 Eureka Road Taylor, MI 48180
36601 Warren Road Westland, MI 48185
26410 Great Northern Shopping Center North Olmsted, OH 44070

WE HEAR YOU! Any rider that finishes the Grand Tour at any finishing level will be allowed to nominate a BBQ/Smokehouse style restaurant for the 2012 edition of the Smoke Chasing Grand Tour.

EDDIE'S ROAD FAVORITES

Arthur Bryant's, Kansas City, MO and/or KS
Bear Creek BBQ, Callaway, MD
Big Mouth BBQ, Great Falls, MT
BJ's BBQ, Sparks, NV
Bob's Smokestack Ribs, Elgin MN
Central BBQ, Memphis, TN
City BBQ, Reynoldsburg, OH
Cooper's BBQ, Llano, TX (Eddie James all time favorite)
Dreamland BBQ, Downtown Montgomery, AL
Eddie's BBQ, Alexandria, LA (Either location)
Hole in the Wall BBQ, Eugene, OR
J&J BBQ, Franklin, GA
Jack's BBQ, Nashville, TN (Eddie James 2nd favorite)

****Jack's BBQ, Woodbine, GA (not related) **Jack's BBQ, Woodbine, GA has closed**. We have replaced it with Jack's BBQ, Kingsland, GA Exit 1. Same good food, same owners. Just a different location.****

Market BBQ, Minneapolis, MN
Ole Time BBQ, Raleigh, NC ***Closed but the sign is still up***
Rib Daddy's Steak and Seafood, Key Largo, FL
Sonny's (where ever)
The Hitching Post, Casimalia, CA (Grillmaster's Favorite)
Wilson's BBQ, Tulsa, OK

Team Strange & Eddie's Road encourage you to let us know about your favorite BBQ experiences. Please share your "review" of each joint in the space provided in your Passport.

Have Fun and Be Safe!

