

# The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Polar Bear Ride

Weiss Lake Chapter SCRC



On a day when most motorcycles have been put away for the winter about 76 brave bikers decided they wanted to join the Weiss Lake Chapter of the SCRC on a little ride thru the countryside. The date was January 1, 2007, the Place was Biker Shack 411 and the mood was exciting. You may be asking yourself, what is this all about? It is the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Polar Bear Ride! Over 100 people showed up to join our ranks and claim a pin to prove that they had rode their motorcycles on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the New Year.



Riders began arriving 9:00 A.M. to find Pam had hot coffee, donuts, home made cookies for all to enjoy. We had one person fly in the day before from Albany, New York. Three people rode their bikes from Indianapolis, Indiana. A large group rode from Anniston Army Depot, a group from the Sand Mountain Southern Cruisers, along with riders from Georgia and Tennessee. JR 's Marina and Motel provided rooms for those who stayed overnight.



The ride left Biker Shack 411 at 10:30 a.m. with temperatures in the low 50's. The riders where treated to some beautiful scenery and winding back country roads which covered 134 miles thru northeast Alabama and northwest Georgia. The only problem on the way was the line for the bathrooms at the gas stops. (Boy those women have to take off a lot of clothes when is cold to use the little girls room).



Upon returning to Centre, Pam warmed everybody up with a big bowl of black-eyed peas, greens and cornbread! Everyone had plenty to bring good luck and lots of money for the New Year.



If you want to have a good time on New Years Day make plans to join us on Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008.

*See you on the road!*  
George, Brenda, Gizmo

