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From the editorial desk

DEAR FELLOW RIDERS

Welcome to the latest edition of our newsletter!

As we embark on a new journey in 2025, we're thrilled to see our community grow, with members adding exciting new bikes to their collections. What once started as a small, reserved group has now evolved into a team of skilled riders with diverse experiences, making our biking adventures even more enriching.

This quarter was relatively quiet, with only three rides taking place. As the scorching summer approaches, we'll be taking a short break from frequent rides. But rest assured, once the monsoon arrives, we'll be back on the road with renewed energy! Until then, let's cherish quality time with our families—the true pillars of support for our passion.

Thank you for being part of this incredible journey. Together, we cherish our love for motorcycles, explore new horizons, and create unforgettable memories—one ride at a time.

RIDE WITH PRIDE

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Making a difference, Together

OUR PLANET, OUR RESPONSIBILITY

ACHIEVING 250++ TREE PLANTINGS: A GREEN MILESTONE

As we continue riding mile after mile together, our commitment to the environment grows stronger. So far, we have planted over 250 trees, with another 50+ planned for the coming month.

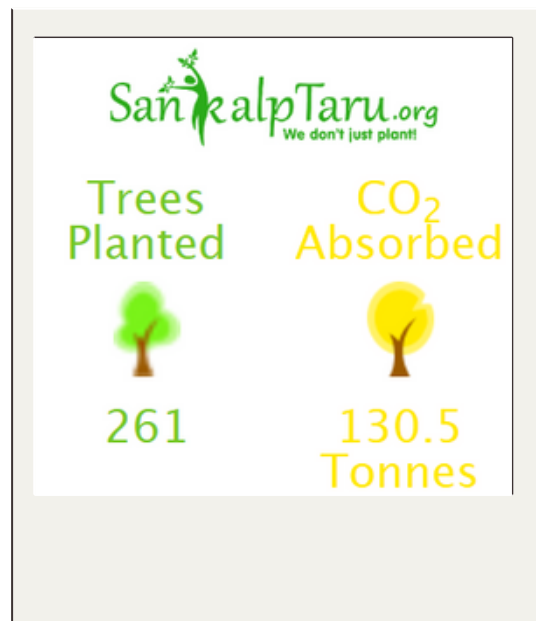
Through our collective efforts, we are making significant progress toward our environmental goals, creating a meaningful impact not only on nature but also on the beneficiaries of this cause. It's also inspiring to see some of our members take up tree plantation as a personal mission, further contributing to Mother Nature.

Since the beginning of 2025, we have also made a conscious effort to reduce plastic waste by minimizing the purchase of bottled water during refreshment breaks and overnight stays. By adopting the BYOB (Bring Your Own Bottle) initiative and refilling our bottles, we have successfully avoided purchasing at least 100 plastic bottles this quarter alone—an encouraging step toward sustainability, even if we can't eliminate them entirely.

Thank you all for your dedication! It's amazing to see how small changes in our habits can lead to a significant positive impact on the environment.



“A single tree makes a difference, but a community of trees changes the world.”



Ride Data

A FEW NUMBERS

A summary of our ride data provide valuable insight in to our collective achievement.

So far, we have completed 22 rides, covering over 14,200 km across four southern states, bringing our total cumulative distance to an impressive 272,000 kms. This reflects our unwavering passion for riding and our commitment to exploration. The day we embark on our 25th ride is just around the corner, bringing us one step closer to new adventures and unforgettable experiences on the road!

Particulars	To-Date	Q1-25
Club members (nos)	43	2
Road Masters members (nos)	32	-3
Rides conducted (nos)	22	3
Distance covered (Kms)	14,282	1,587
Cumulative Distance (Kms)	2,72,743	42,687
Trees planted	261	40

NEW MEMBERS DURING THE PERIOD



GANNA



SATISH

“Every mile tells a story, every statistic marks a milestone—our journey is driven by passion, progress, and the road ahead”




Rider's experiences

In this segment, we showcase articles written by our club members. It's inspiring to see the growing quality of these contributions, providing a wonderful platform for members to share their experiences and insights. We encourage more members to step forward and share their stories.


All articles are available on our website, and we encourage you to explore them, share your thoughts, and engage with the community through your feedback and comments.




First ride of 2025 to the last road of India - Arichal Munai!
It was 25th November 2024, 2 months ahead of the trip date. Our ex chairman Jiju posts a message in...
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First Ride of 2025 - To the last land of India (Danushkodi)
Excellent "detailed" write-up Mani.. so detailed that you even captured the timestamp 🥳 Good Job 🙌
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Why do I do what I do?
Why not? After all, we covered nearly 1,300 kms in 3 days, and summarizing an experience this epic in a single paragraph just wouldn't do it justice.
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Group Riding: The Brotherhood on Two Wheels
Group riding is often described as a gathering of like-minded people, but what does "like-minded"...
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My Honda Hness Experience till Date
Whenever one comes across the name 'Honda', the first thing that comes to the mind is 'reliability'. Th...
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The joy of riding
Embracing the Journey with Fellow Bikers. Riding a bike transcends merely reaching a destination; it embodies the essence of the journey itself.
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The Long Miles
The road stretched ahead, an endless ribbon of asphalt cutting through villages, bustling towns, and open fields. The crisp morning air, the steady...
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“Ride,
explore,
write-because
every
adventure
deserves to
be shared.”



Celebration corner

Five of our club members, Bart, Sendhil, Ramesh, Raj Mano and Satya have added new bikes to their stables! We extend our heartfelt congratulations to them and wish them countless miles of joy, adventure, and unforgettable experiences on their new machines.

Ride safe and ride far!

RAMESH



SATYA



SENDHIL



BART



RAJ MANO