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in worthwhile 4-wheel drive
activities while preserving and
protecting the land for all
generations to enjoy.*

JEEPERS IN THE NEWS

July 2017

Commander's Corner, Where did they go?, Club Happenings, & more!

Commander's Corner

Greetings fellow members,

Mid summer is upon us. Days are getting shorter and nights are getting longer. All 4 Fun is just around the corner now.

For those that are attending, I am looking forward to seeing you. If you are on one of the Committees, I would like to personally thank you for volunteering your time to help out with this great event.

This kind of brings up a subject about our organization. We are all "Shareholders" in this organization , and all are valued. Though we all have our own opinions, even different, they are all important. Sometimes we forget, we are all volunteers, and without the volunteers, the club could not function.

I would like personally to say thanks to all of you that give up your time to help out with all the different functions that make it all work. My hat is off to all of you.

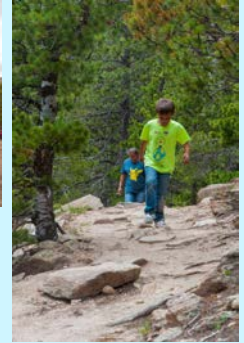
"Just keeping it plain and simple"

Mike Bowden

Mile Hi Jeep Club Commander

Where Did They Go?

On June 18th, Patrol 4 running T-33 and Iron Clads. We brought along several club members not in a patrol. Everyone had a great time.



Check out that
poser rock!

On June 20th, Patrol 1 runs Chinaman's Gulch with 2 non-members, 2 successful rescues, no injuries and minimal damage. We enjoyed a Father's Day breakfast in Buena Vista at Jan's Restaurant followed by a great run on the trail. Everyone drove off the trail and had a great time.



On June 24th-26th, members of MHJC camped near Montezuma and spent the weekend opening several Summit County Trails, including Red Cone and Webster Pass.



Thank you to everyone who showed up for your hard work on these trails!

On July 15th, Patrol 1 hosted the 19th Annual Hobo Run. A great time was had by all! There were 13 "Hobos for a Day", and 3 Patrol 1 Hobos as well. Laura F share her photos with mine, thanks. Thanks to Hobos Lee and Maria, and Shawn and his kids for working the checkpoints. Also, thanks to Todd and Tanner keeping the Hobos together and safe. You see, Hobos need collect survival items as they travel in their rail car at 5 checkpoints along the trail. These items vary from a fresh egg, matchstick, gum, qTip, or 1 square of TP. All items then were to be stored in a souvenir bandana donated by Choice Image on a stick. Each item has a point value, and a card is also collected at each checkpoint to make a poker hand.

At the lunch stop, all points are tallied and awards are given out. The largest nut worn on the trail was Todd F., best Poker hand to Doug F (QQ1010), and different colored bandanas all for extra points. The lowest total score still wins, with 160 points Michel B won a shovel. All prizes, gift cards, dash plaques, and trophies were donated by 4 Wheel Parts of Denver (Thanks Jeremy!). There was a tie for 2nd place with 360 points. They had an egg toss runoff and Smitty took 3rd, and Benny took 2nd. The "Top Hobo" with an 80 win was Doug F with 440 points! Congrats to all! Now for the Annual Timberline Egg Toss,

9 teams competed with 2 eggs, but only Brian R and partner survived to win the tow strap! With the Forest Service keeping the gate closed on the Kingston Peak trail due to a snow drift on the switchback, Plan B was in effect. Those who wanted to, I believe 9 of us headed down to the trail head of Miner's Gulch and proceeded up with anticipation. Thanks to Tanner R for spotting the Hobos thru some rocky spots, and others with tow strapping. We all made it thru with smiles and high fives. On to finish with airing up in Alice, and the end to a great day!

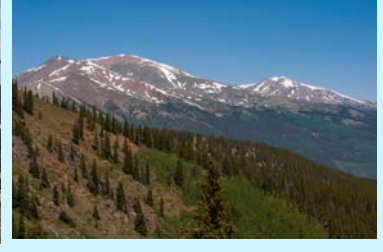
Next you ask? Well, the 20th Annual Hobo Run of course----- in mid July 2018!!



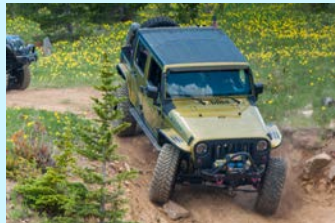
On July 13th, Patrol 4 ran Bill Moore Lake and Red Elephant. They had a fun day and everyone worked together to get through some rough spots.



They also got out on July 3rd...



And again on June 25th to Pckle Gulch!



On July 15th, Jeff & Sam ran Wheeler Lake. Always take a buddy!



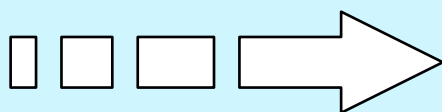
The Rats, Patrol 2, got out on July 16th to do some maintenance on their Adopt a Trail. thanks to all who helped, the Forest Service was very impressed.



Where will you and your Patrol go next?

From the Trip Planner....

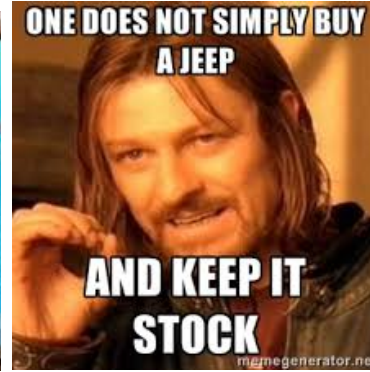
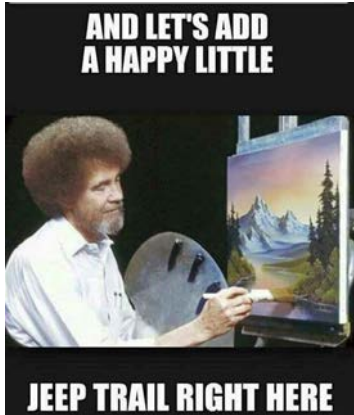
There are fire restrictions and bans everywhere!!! #KnowBeforeYouGo



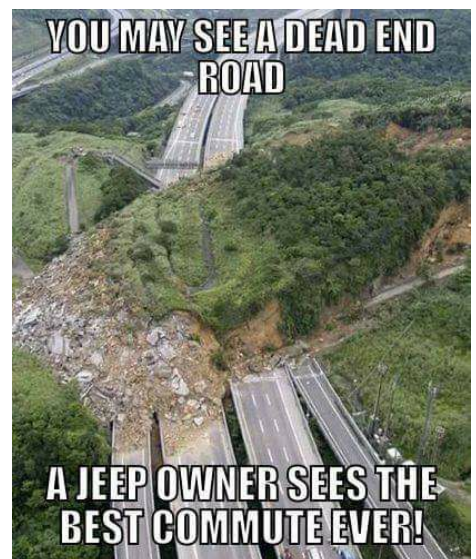
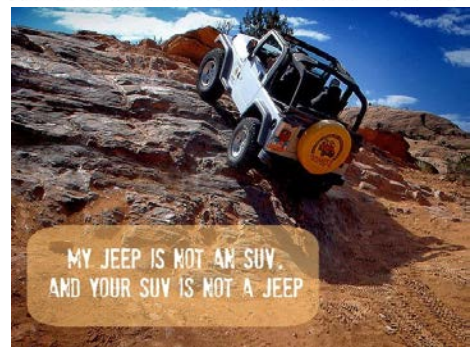
We still need volunteers for:

- The Creepy Crawl
- Historian Chairperson
- Entertainment Chairperson

The Joys of Jeeping



THAT MOMENT YOU WALK AWAY FROM
THE CAR WORLD NEVER TO RETURN



Are you ready for All4Fun?!

Hello Everyone,

As you are aware, the 51st annual All-4-Fun event is coming up July 29-August 5 and will be held in Leadville this year. People from all over the country come to our event to experience the 4wheeling you can't experience anywhere else. The trails are what this entire event was built around and we want to ensure that our attendees have the best possible experience they can have while out on the trails. This year we are running some trails we have never before run at an All-4-Fun event. However, we are currently severely short of the number of trip leaders we require to put this event on.

Did you know committee members get to attend the event FOR FREE?!?!?

We understand how busy your summer schedule can be, but if it is possible for you to include a few days to help out the trips committee, we would greatly appreciate it.

Below is a list of the trails we plan to run this year. Take a peek and see for yourself just how exciting this year's event is going to be!

Again, if you can devote even a little bit of your time to helping out, we would appreciate it. You can register for committees at mhjc.org.

Thanks for your time we hope to see you on the trails!

Sincerely,

2017 All-4-Fun Trips Committee

Trip Number	Trail Name	County	Difficulty
1	Bald Mountain Gulch	Chaffee	2
1	Aspen Ridge	Chaffee	3
1	Bald Mountain Loop	Chaffee	3
2	Benson Cabin	Eagle	4
2	Lime Creek	Eagle	4
3	South London Mine /Mosquito	Park	3
4	Boulder Mountain	Chaffee	3
4	Baldwin Lake	Chaffee	4
5	Mount Antero	Chaffee	4
6	McAllister Gulch	Eagle	5
7	Ptarmigan Pass	Eagle	6
8	Sevenmile Creek	Chaffee	2
8	Lenhardy Cutoff	Chaffee	3
9	No Name Gulch	Eagle	3
9	Slide Lake	Lake	3
9	Wurts Ditch	Eagle	3
10	Chalk Mountain	Lake	2
11	Lily Lake	Lake	2
12	Hagerman Pass	Lake	3
13	Lost Canyon	Chaffee	3
14	Red And White Mountain	Eagle	3
15	Mount Princeton	Chaffee	3
16	Mount Zion	Lake	4
17	Birdseye Gulch	Lake	4
18	Clohesy Lake	Chaffee	4
19	Halfmoon Creek	Lake	5
20	Chinaman Gulch	Chaffee	7
21	Holy Cross	Eagle	8
22	Tierod Bender / Middle Middle	Eagle	8
23	Carnage Canyon	Chaffee	10
24	Middle Middle /Upper Middle	Eagle	10



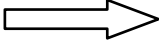
TEN QUALITIES OF A GREAT TRAIL LEADER

from TheAdventurePortal

1. You must have good 4WD skills.
2. Know the trail.
3. Keep the gang together, especially at difficult obstacles.
4. Start on time, and keep the team on time.
5. Develop a good communications plan.
6. Know how to sequence the vehicles.
7. Be a people person. Any number of issues can crop up during a ride.
8. Handle pressure well.
9. Be considerate of others you encounter, and encourage the same in your group.
10. Treat your position as Trail Leader with respect.

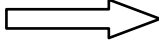
Club Happenings

7/20-23/17
Rally Colorado



Congratulations
F Troop,
sweep leaders
of Rally
Colorado
2017!

7/22/17
P-20 T=33 &/or MSV Coney
Greenhorn Run



7/23/17
Loading All4Fun Trailer, help needed

7/29/17
Jeeps 'N Java Pancake Meetup

7/29-8/5/17
51st Annual All4Fun Event

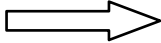
8/7/17
MHJC Board of Director's Meeting

8/17/17
MHJC Land Conservation Meeting
MHJC Parent Club Meeting

8/19/17
Patrol 4 Webster Pass, Red Cone
Patrol 6 Red Cone Night Run

8/25-28/17
Patrol 6 Ouray

8/26/17
Daisy Mae



9/1-4/17
Patrol 6 Saran Wrap

9/4/17
MHJC Board of Directors Meeting

9/11-15/17
Unlimited LJ Adventure

9/21/17
MHJC Land Conservation Meeting
MHJC Parent Club

9/22-25/17
Patrol 6 Moab

10/5-8/17
Trail Hero Event



NEW MEMBERS, PLEASE JOIN US!

Every month, MHJC hosts one run that offers beginning 4-wheelers, and new to the club folks, the opportunity to get out on an easy run and share some trail time with our veteran members.

Any member of the club
is welcome to attend any
MHJC Meetings, we
would be happy to see you!

2017 Daisy Mae

Join the ladies of Patrol 14
on
Saturday, August 26th
for a day of fun

Two Trails
one for newbies and one for the more daring

Choose your trail on the day of the event

Register on the MHJC Calendar

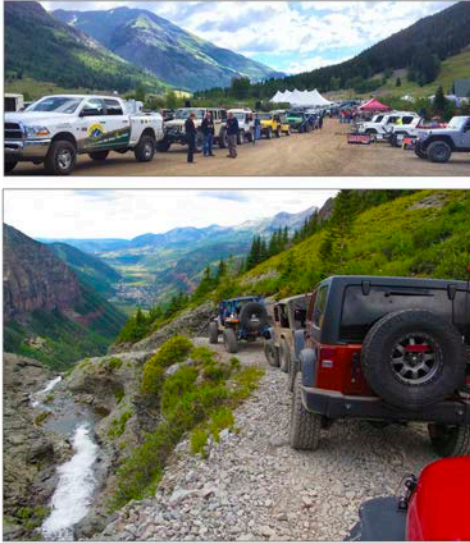
Mile-Hi Jeep Club's 52nd Annual ALL-4-FUN Event



will be held in
Silverton, CO
July 28th - Aug 4th, 2018

The All-4-Fun event is a week long 4-wheeling adventure in the Colorado Rockies. It has been called one of the best 4-wheeling experiences in the country. Participants have daily opportunities to enjoy the surrounding mountains and 4x4 roads and trails. Wednesday is set aside for a day of relaxation and a time to visit with exhibiting vendors. Friday evening is door prize night where each paid registered driver has an opportunity to win a door prize. The proceeds from the All-4-Fun event allow MHJC to continue to make annual contributions to Children's Hospital Burn Camp, Stay the Trail and other land use projects. Primitive camping spaces are available for your tent or RV. There are no electric, water or sewer hookups. However, we will provide access to potable water and portable latrines.

You must be self-sufficient.



Electronic Registration will open on Jan 1st, 2018

If you would like to be added to our mailing list for the event, go to the following link:
https://mhjc.clubexpress.com/content.aspx?page_id=203&club_id=241053&sl=689926786

www.MHJC.org
or www.a4fun.org
or email a4funinfo@mhjc.org
for more information

Mile-Hi Jeep Club
of Colorado



www.facebook.com/A4Fun

AMERICAN HEROES IN ACTION

The mission of American Heroes in Action is to provide therapeutic outdoor adventures to American Heroes, including combat wounded veterans, injured firefighters, and injured members of law enforcement. If you would like to get involved in the adventuring with veterans, give last month's guest speaker a call. Dave Proffit can be reached directly at 303-931-3639 or at maildave@americanheroesinaction.org. He will help with the coordination of veterans if we have a run planned.



COLORADO 4x4 Rescue & Recovery

Colorado 4x4 Rescue and Recovery is a 501(c)(3) Non Profit Organization created to provide vehicle and person recovery services on Colorado service roads, and 4x4 trails. This service involves the use of a trained team of members, 4x4 and other off highway vehicles, as well as recovery equipment and gear.

The specific objectives and purpose of this organization shall be:

- To provide vehicle and person recovery services on Colorado service roads, and 4x4 trails.
- To provide education to the public regarding preparedness and safe off-roading practices.
- To support other organizations in advocating proper trail use and etiquette.
- To provide opportunities for members of the 4x4 community to engage in recovery operations, and learn safe recovery practices.
- To support local government and volunteer organizations in search and rescue operations, as well as when high clearance vehicles are needed for them to access an area.
- To sponsor, host and/or participate in events and activities that promote the 4x4 hobby.

To check them out, go to Co4x4RnR.org. They will be hosting three training classes over the summer, and will be a great opportunity to learn more about recovery and the safety of your rig.

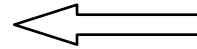
Membership Updates

There are a total of 127 Expired memberships that will be removed from the club as of August 31 if they do not renew before that date.

44 are members who are in a patrol, 38 voting members in Colorado and 6 non-voting members who reside outside Colorado.

83 are members who are not in a patrol, all non-voting members in Colorado.

We also have a new membership application process.



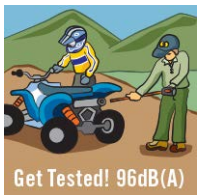
As a club, we now are requiring all new members to have an Active Member sponsor who is a member of a patrol.

When a prospective member fills out their application, they are required to include the name of their sponsoring member in the Sponsor field.

That sponsor's Patrol Leader will then be contacted for verification that a new member will be joining their patrol.

If an application doesn't include the name of a valid sponsor, or the Patrol Leader doesn't approve the new member joining their patrol, the application will be declined.

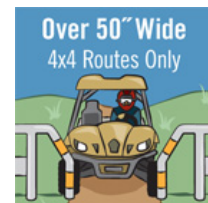
Trail Tips and Etiquette:



Louder doesn't mean faster.



Ride only on routes open to your vehicle.



Know your width.



Ride only on routes wider than your vehicle.



Don't block access to the trail while staging.



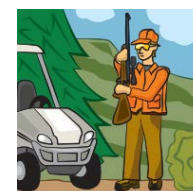
Ride over obstacles, not around them.



Slow down for your fellow riders.



Be an ambassador to non-motorized trail users.



Hunting with OHV's requires extra precautions.

Land Conservation Updates

Our Land Conservation Committee is made up of volunteer members from each of our Patrols. Our chairman will spend significant time mentoring committee members on what is happening and how each member of Mile-Hi Jeep Club can personally help in the fight to keep public land open for motorized recreation. All of our members are encouraged to reach out to the committee with any questions, concerns, or ideas regarding Land Conservation. We work toward a collaborative team effort within our club and encourage everyone to work together with local and national organizations, and other members of the off-road community. The main requirement for adopting a 4WD road is a core group within the Patrol that is willing to do the volunteer work involved. Most Patrols schedule *at least* one "work event" each year per adopted road to maintain their adopted road(s).

If you have any questions, please email the Land Advocacy chairman at landuse@mhjc.org.

Several Patrols have roads that they maintain or have adopted across Colorado:

Patrols 1&5:

Mill Creek

Patrol 2:

Breakneck Pass
Browns Pass

Patrol 6:

Saints John

Patrol 8:

Rock Creek

Patrol 10 & 12

Sluaghterhouse Gulch Bird's Eye Gulch

Patrol 11

Bird's Eye Gulch

Patrol 14

Webster Pass
Bill Moore Lake
Red Cone

Patrol 16

Sidewinder
Spring Creek



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Please do not hesitate to contact us!

Meet the Patrols

Patrol 2 - Rat Patrol

Patrol Leader - Joe McDonough patrol2@mhjc.org

Our patrol is dedicated to having a blast doing the Jeep thing. We welcome all those that come along on our trail rides. We like to do all types of trails, from very difficult to moderate. We hold monthly patrol meetings on the 2nd Sunday of each month at patrol members' homes to plan next month's trail rides. We do, at a minimum, one trail a month. We make it a point that every vehicle that goes out, comes back. Our patrol is not just limited to Jeeps, if it's ready, let's GO.



Patrol 4 - Lost Patrol

Patrol Leader - Kevin Durham patrol4@mhjc.org

Our focus is to support the members of Patrol 4 to get out and enjoy the "JeepLife" safely. We run trails all year rating from 1 to 8, have Patrol meetings, support off-road agencies, All-4-Fun and Christmas Caravan up to having overnight camping excursions. A key commitment to our Patrol members is no one gets left behind! We have members of all ages who live all over the Denver Metro area; families welcome. Patrol and vehicle requirements are minimal and dictated by trail ratings.



Patrol 6 - F Troop

Patrol Leader - Mark Woodworth patrol6@mhjc.org

Patrol 6, "F Troop" to our friends, was founded under the concept that we all can work together to achieve, that "serious" needs to be left behind, winching is fun, and snow makes the trails interesting. We are diverse, CJ 3, CJ5, CJ6, 715, CJ7, XJ, YJ, ZJ, TJ, LJ, Samurai, Rock Buggy, even a JKR and JKU is in the mix. We bring the right rig to the trail of the day, many of us have several different types to maximize the occasion.

Serious trails are the normal outing, we seldom take the gravel roads. Performance upgrades are built, not just bought, and our vehicles are custom. A core of experienced wheelers and some unique outliers make us

eclectic and sometimes hard to bear. We are always there for club outings, events and whenever a volunteer is needed. Trail maintenance, being prepared, safe and capable, land access and



Patrol 8 - Rock Pirates

Patrol Leader - Will Carter patrol8@mhjc.org

Founded in 1999, our patrol enjoys all 4x4s, short and long wheelbase. We welcome families and singles who are ready to help us achieve our simple goals: have fun, attend our functions and those planned by other patrols and clubs, and work hard to see that our sport of 4-wheeling, and the land we enjoy, is available for generations to come.



Patrol 10 - High Caliber Jeepers

Patrol Leader - Patty Grosnick patrol10@mhjc.org

We like to do all kinds of trails, mostly moderate to scenic. We have highly modified to near stock rigs. We consist of family with kids, couples, and singles. We enjoy weekend and day trips and all club-related activities. We are BIG supporters of All-4-Fun. We are very informal and friendly - meet as often as possible - no pressure to participate - with no limit to patrol members.



Patrol 1 - HoboJeepers

Patrol Leader - Robert Stubbs patrol1@mhjc.org

The spirit of a "Hobo" and the fun of Jeeping are the ideals of our name. As Hobos ride the rails, we instead drive the trails in that same traveling spirit. We like to run from the scenic Jeeping routes to the rugged adventure trips. The Hobos of Patrol 1 have mainly modified Jeeps, as lifts and lockers are recommended for most trips. The Hobos also enjoy all the MHJC has to offer, hold our Annual Hobo Run, and "Tread Lightly". We get together every month at various members houses around Denver.



Patrol 3 - Rock Jox

Patrol Leader - Chad Wilson patrol3@mhjc.org

Rock Jocks is Patrol 3 of the Mile High Jeep Club (MHJC). The Patrol is a fun loving adventurous group that enjoys easy to hard core trails. Members have to have a minimum of 33" tires, and lockers or limited slip. Expect to have fun, no bull, no politics. We enjoy the trails, help keep them open, and teach others how to do the same.



Patrol 5 - The Low Rangers

Patrol Leader - Gail Moul patrol5@mhjc.org

Members include singles, couples, families with kiddos & our 4 legged families. We live all around the surrounding Denver area. Patrol 5 is active in All-4-Fun, Christmas Caravan, Stay the Trail, and we support all MHJC functions. We occasionally plan other events and activities that are not 4-wheeling related, BBQ's, vehicle rallies, parades, dinner, etc. We enjoy camping and scenic to moderate jeeping. Trips include day trips, weekends and week-long excursions. Most of our vehicles are equipped to handle most any kind of Jeeping.



Patrol 7 - Rainbow Chasers

Patrol Leader - Jerry Cronk patrol7@mhjc.org

We continually participate in and actively support the leadership of MHJC and the annual All-4-Fun. We are a fun group of couples who enjoy each other and a variety of social activities, 4-wheeling, and camping. Vehicles vary in make, model, and year, as do our members! Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of each month at different members' homes. Guests are always welcome at our meetings and outings.



Patrol 9 - Trail Dawgs

Patrol Leader - Dave Grey patrol9@mhjc.org

We are or have been members of the US Uniformed Services and First Responder organizations. We drive lightly to heavily modified vehicles and enjoy easy to difficult runs. Most runs are day trips on the weekends with kids and dogs. We enjoy night runs, weekend trips, and camping. Safety is primary in everything we do. We practice courtesy toward other trail users, and we guide and assist each other so no one is left behind. We participate in trail maintenance, reforestation, and the Four Wheel Emergency Assistance Team.



Patrol 11 - Cliffhangers

Patrol Leader - Todd Frick patrol11@mhjc.org

Our patrol is active in the pursuit of adventurous, safe and fun 4-wheeling. Our members live all over the metro area and are of all ages. We participate in All-4-Fun, Toys for Tots and other MHJC activities. We meet for our patrol meetings, when needed, as it fits our members' schedules. We enjoy moderate to sometimes difficult 4-wheeling. We are firm believers in "Stay The Trail" and we practice safe and responsible 4-wheeling. We believe in educating future generations about preservation of trails and safe 4 wheeling. Visitors are always welcome.



Get all your MHJC Gear at

<http://mhjc.qbstores.com>

Patrol 12 - Fugowies

Patrol Leader - Dave Mozell patrol12@mhjc.org

Patrol 12 is dedicated to enjoying the scenic beauty of Colorado from its backroads. We have younger and older members with vehicles from moderate to major modifications. We run 25 trips each year including two trips to Moab and All-4-Fun. Most trips are moderate in difficulty and located in the front range of Colorado. A few are more challenging. In order to maintain a closely knit membership we have participation requirements and we limit ourselves to 15 active members at any one time. Visitors and new members are welcome to come along with us on



Patrol 14 - Alpine 14ers

Patrol Leader - Bill David patrol14@mhjc.org

We are a large, active patrol that has members of all ages and vehicle ability. We enjoy a variety of moderate degrees, and run both local trails and overnight trips. Our priorities are 4-wheeling, trail maintenance, and helping each other.



Patrol 16 - Sasquatch Jeepers

Patrol Leader - Ryan Boudreau

patrol16@mhjc.org

We are comprised of various aged people who drives various makes and models of vehicles which have moderate to extreme modifications. We try to run at least 2 trails per month (moderate to extremely difficult). Membership into this patrol requires at least 35" tires, duel lockers, front and rear recovery points, and a



Patrol 18 - The Outcast

Patrol Leader - Mike Paris patrol18@mhjc.org

The purpose of this Patrol is to organize members of the Mile-Hi Jeep Club of Colorado (MHJC) and their families into a cohesive, friendly, and supportive group of off-road enthusiasts to enjoy the benefits of our sport, support the MHJC, perform trail maintenance projects, and advocate for land use issues. Members of this Patrol will enjoy the camaraderie of wheeling with other four wheel drive vehicles.



Patrol 20 - Maze Runners

Patrol Leader - Craig Carpenter

patrol20@mhjc.org

Est in 2015, we believe in a cohesive, friendly, respectful, courteous, supportive, cooperative, & safety-minded group, on and off the trails. We strive to create & maintain positive relationships with members of other Patrols, other outdoor enthusiasts, & our community. We support trail maintenance projects and advocate for the responsible use of wilderness areas. This is a diverse group that welcomes individuals, couples and families of all ages.



Patrol 21 - The Outlaws

Patrol Leader - Jordan White patrol21@mhjc.org

In true Outlaw spirit, we are composed of all ages, vehicles and walks of life, 4 legs included you can't forget a Jeepers best friend. The Outlaws is welcome to first time Jeepers and veteran offroaders. We like to tackle the most difficult terrain and also enjoy a Sunday drive or a friendly get together. Runs can be led by any patrol member and



Patrol 13 - Trail Runners

Patrol Leader - John Davenport patrol13@mhjc.org

Established in 1958, The Trail Runners Patrol is one of the oldest continuous Patrols in Mile-Hi Jeep Club (MHJC). We have members of all ages, including several Lifetime MHJC members, one of whom helped found our Patrol and is currently the oldest member of MHJC! We enjoy all kinds of trails including scenic, moderate, and rock crawling. We have no vehicle minimums to join our Patrol, although some trail runs might. In addition to trail runs and MHJC events, we also get together for other outings or activities, and actively participate on the [MHJC Land Conservation](#) committee. We have regular Patrol meetings on the second Saturday of every month, alternating between members' homes, and we welcome new members and visitors. Look for us on the [MHJC Calendar](#) and come visit us anytime!



Patrol 15 - High Altitude 4-Wheelers

Patrol Leader - Jeff Fish patrol15@mhjc.org

Patrol 15 members range from Lifetime Members to Associate Members, to first timers. Our wheeling experience ranges from moderate to experienced with the majority of rigs set up moderate to extreme. Members are spread out across Colorado with our 'adopted Coloradoans' that live out of state. We enjoy trails that range from scenic/ historic to challenging/ extreme. We welcome singles, families and old farts of all kinds, as long as you have a good sense of humor and like to have a good time.



Patrol 17 - The Colorado Pack

Patrol Leader - Robby Paterson patrol17@mhjc.org

Patrol 17 was formed in 2015, seeking to bring families, couples and singles who enjoy all aspects of the outdoors together. We live all over the metro area and Front Range and rotate between members homes each month to plan future events. We are environmentally friendly and safety minded at all times. We try to hold at one event each month (scenic to difficult). We are active in various MHJC events and inter-patrol activities. There is a limit of 20 vehicles to the Patrol. All types of vehicles are allowed in our patrol but we do have entry and participation requirements.



Patrol 19- The Jeep Hikers

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The purpose of Patrol 19 "The Jeep Hikers" is to organize members of the Mile-Hi Jeep Club of Colorado (MHJC) and their families into a cohesive, friendly, social and supportive group of off-road enthusiasts to enjoy the benefits of our sport, support the parent organization and help educate others. The majority of our trips are during the day and on weekends. We also do night runs, over landing and camping trips.

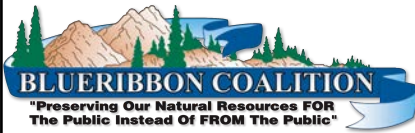
We Stay the Trail® and Tread Lightly® at all times! We pack out (plus) what we pack in on the trail and at camp. Safety is the number one factor in all that we do on the trail, on the road, or in camp. We practice courtesy toward other trail users at all times and we leave no one behind. Please contact us for more



As a new or unaffiliated member, please take the time to read the Patrol descriptions to find out which one might suit you best!

Affiliate & Partnership Clubs

The purposes of the Mile-Hi Jeep Club are: to unite adventure loving people in worthwhile four-wheel drive activities; to educate its members in the proper manner of all road driving; to protect and preserve the natural beauty and terrain; to participate, on a voluntary basis, in search and rescue and other humanitarian missions as the community needs; to share good fellowship while operating our vehicles in a manner so as to preserve and protect our land for all generations; and to extend the courtesy of the open road to all. Membership is open to those individuals owning any four-wheel drive vehicle, and is the duty of each member to abide by all the laws, rules, and regulations. www.mhjc.org



The Blue Ribbon Coalition champions responsible use of public lands for the benefit of all recreationists by educating and imploring its members to: secure, protect, and expand shared outdoor recreations, access, and use; work collaboratively with land managers and other recreationists; educate the general public, media, elected officials, and other decision-makers on recreation and access issues; promote equitable and responsible land management; affect the political and administrative process; support recreation on, and promote respect for, private property; and encourage appropriate enforcement of the law. The Blue Ribbon Coalition is a well-organized, financially sound, and steadily growing national coalition of organizations, businesses, and individuals. www.sharetrails.org

The mission of the Colorado Off-Highway Vehicle Coalition (COHVCO) is to represent, educate, assist, and empower OHV recreationists via the protection and promotion of off-highway motorized recreation throughout Colorado. COHVCO is an environmental organization that advocates and promotes the responsible use and conservation of our public lands and natural resources to preserve their aesthetic and recreational qualities for future generations. www.cohvco.org



Our mission is to reinforce and highlight responsible off-highway vehicle (OHV) use, and to modify and mitigate irresponsible use in an effort to minimize resource damage on public lands. Our goal is to create a statewide culture of responsible OHV use which will continue beyond the life of the project, effectively creating a stewardship ethic among all Colorado OHV recreationists. www.staythetrail.org

Tread Lightly Inc. is a national non-profit organization with a mission to proactively protect recreation access and opportunities in the outdoors through education and stewardship initiatives. Not only is Tread Lightly Inc. the nation's signature ethics message for outdoor enthusiasts that use motorized and mechanized vehicles, but also Tread Lightly Inc. offers unique training and restoration programs strategically designed to instill an ethic of responsibility in a wide variety of outdoor enthusiasts and the industries that serve them. The organization's goal is to balance the needs of people who enjoy outdoor recreation with society's need to maintain a healthy environment, and we are leading the way to help remedy current recreation issues. Tread Lightly Inc. is funded by donations from individual members, corporations, dealerships, clubs, retailers, and other organizations interested in spreading the message of responsible and ethical use of the outdoors. www.treadlightly.org

