



The Battlefield Buzz



Virginia District Chapter-E Fredericksburg, VA

Region N

Chapter Director Claude Revely

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Greetings VA-E family,

I want to quickly thank the volunteers for their help with the fundraising efforts for our Chapter. So far we have made our commitment to the recruiters and solidified our reliability image.

I would like to talk about recruitment. As some have heard we are in a declining era where membership and chapter participation is down in Virginia. It's to an alarming point that a couple of chapters are on the verge of dissolving or have already dissolved. This is a concern at all levels of GWRRA. There are speculations to the cause but we need to ask what the solution is.

I believe that it is up to the entire membership to get out when you can and ride. Rather individually or group, we all need to become ambassadors. We love motorcycles, we love to ride, why not share that love with others? So talk to that new neighbor that just purchased his motorcycle. I just had the opportunity to talk to a neighbor last week. He is a retired Marine working as a civilian contractor at Quantico. I was changing the oil on my Goldwing when he stopped by to talk telling me he was thinking about getting another motorcycle. He rode while stationed in Japan but had a horrible accident and haven't rode since. But seeing me has him wanting to ride again. So I gave him the recruitment card and told him about our chapter and invited him to come ride with us when he gets his motorcycle. He said he would have to convince his wife but she has already said a cautious yes. Well this morning I was awoken to the sounds of a motorcycle starting. In my neighborhood, I know each motorcycle sound...this was a new one. I made it to the window to see my neighbor on his new cruiser!!! So I will talk to and invite him to ride with us and have him bring his friends (the others that have been urging him to get a bike).

Although there isn't a commitment to join GWRRA, I believe the seed has been planted. And all I did was talk about riding and about the group. No pressure to join. So talk about what you love, give the invitation to ride and let the essence of GWRRA do the rest..."Dedicated to our motto, *Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge*"



**GWRRA, REGION N,
VIRGINIA DISTRICT
CHAPTER VA-E**

OCTOBER 1987



Chapter's Social Gathering every 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 6:30 pm at the Golden Corral, meeting @7:30 p.m.

Address: 10320 Spotsylvania Avenue, Fredericksburg, VA 22408

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Larry Gray Chapter Educator

Sweat the Small Stuff

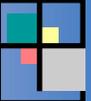
This month I'm giving you a second look at an article that appeared here 8 years ago. If you remember it, let me know.

Back then I read a report, written by a pilot, about a recent plane crash in Kentucky. One of the things the pilot said caught my attention: "Accidents are very crude gauges of the safety of air travel because they are so rare. We should examine instead all of the little untoward events that happen every day in the skies ..." [Air Safety Week, 9/11/06] He was lamenting what he perceived to be a deficiency in the air travel industry and his recommendation was obvious – don't wait until an accident happens to fix something; instead, recognize near misses (and even not so near misses) as indicators of a problem and fix it before an accident has had time to happen.

Makes sense.

And, surely this applies to us as motorcyclists, doesn't it? Unless you have been personally involved in a couple dozen or so motorcycle accidents, you can't learn much about your personal weak points by looking at your accident history. Instead, look at all "the little untoward events" that are trying to tell you something. Each of us should think long and hard each time something unexpected happens during a ride that we should have been able to avert. Almost crossing the centerline in a right turn when the plan was to be 3 feet from it might make a good example here. The rider in this hypothetical example would be well advised to pull over and figure out what just happened while all the facts are fresh in his mind (I'll use masculine gender but I mean gals too). And he shouldn't shrug it off or play games with himself. "Oh, that curve was sharper than I expected; I had to go a little wider than planned" is not the conclusion that is called for. It glosses over the fact that the rider misjudged the curve before entering it or was riding beyond his sight distance. Which was it and what led up to it? The rider should trace the events back to what appears to be the root cause and then decide how to avoid that root cause in the future.

As usual, I speak to myself in these articles. Back when I first wrote this article I had a recent experience where I was riding on a two-lane road behind a pokey driver. I decided to pass and I waited for a safe opportunity to do so. That took awhile. When I had a long stretch of straightaway with no yellow line on my side and no oncoming traffic, I pulled into the other lane, tapped my horn before accelerating to let the driver know I was coming around, and quickly and safely passed and returned to the proper lane. Then it occurred to me that I didn't remember doing a head check to make sure no one was trying to pass both of us at the moment I changed lanes. When I couldn't remember doing a head check, I checked my mirrors and there was nobody in sight except Mr. Pokey so I could have rationalized that I did a good job of checking my mirrors before changing lanes and didn't need to do a head check, or that I surely would have heard another vehicle if one had been right behind us, or maybe even that I had done a head check and just didn't remember it. Of course, shrugging this off would not change my behavior in the future.



Consciously pondering it and reflecting on the possible consequences if the situation had been a little different has, I hope, made me a safer rider today than I was back then.

Now you might be saying "OK, Larry ought to think 'head check, head check' each time he thinks about changing lanes. Sure. But, you may have missed my point about tracing back to the root cause. I did think about and perform a head check in most situations. The reason I was a little rattled when I couldn't remember if I'd done a head check is that I didn't remember making such a mistake very recently before that incident. What was different here? I concluded that I had been following Mr. Pokey for a long time and as I kept track of the fact that there was no one behind me, I allowed myself (subconsciously) to take a shortcut. But why assume even a tiny risk? I wanted to reinforce my head check habit no matter what. I think pondering all the facts here helped me and will continue to help me each time I encounter a new Mr. Pokey on a nearly deserted road.

I don't suppose you suffer from the same riding deficiencies I suffer from and maybe I spent too many words telling you mine. But, maybe you can identify some small things you should be paying more attention to. If you are not yet a perfect rider, look for the little things that might become your undoing if not taken seriously right away. In other words, sweat the small stuff.

Larry

Motorcycle Training

I sometimes read articles on competitive shooting training, and I am coming to realize a complete parallel to motorcycle training.

I think this parallel exists due to the fact that both activities require a small, basic amount of posture discipline (read repetitive muscle memory control). The 10% to 15% physical part.

The rest is all mental. Fear, doubt, and anticipation are deterrents to following and/or repeating the simplest of instructions and techniques.

A large part of this includes keeping the body relaxed but still, while concentrating on precise movement of only a few parts.

What 'Instigated' me to see shooting and riding as similar disciplines is this shooting statement... Or 'quote' if you will...

"An amateur practices just enough to do it right...

A professional practices enough not to do it wrong..."

The 'Old Wise One' is going to love this one...and I need to go practice some more...a lot more...

The 'Instigator'





Member Enhancement

This morning, drinking my coffee while sitting on the 20th floor balcony overlooking the ocean in Myrtle Beach, I read an article in the Free Lance Star online edition that made me think long and hard about GWRRA and particular your chapter, Battlefield Wings. The article was about how the city of Fredericksburg was taking over the annual Christmas Parade in downtown after numerous decades of the Jaycees running it. The spokesperson for the Jaycees stated that over the years they have experienced declining membership and they can no longer muster the required volunteers to organize and run the parade. Well, the same is happening in a lot of organizations and GWRRA is not immune to it. We have seen numerous chapters close because they can not get people to be officers or coordinators for the chapter. Just last month, Chapter Y Leesburg, which was a vibrant and active chapter just a few years ago, folded because no one stepped up to fill the positions need to keep the chapter charter active. Our District Director stated that two more Virginia Chapters may fold soon for the same reasons. And I'm here to tell you that I think our chapter might be on the same path if we can not fill some positions. With few exceptions, the same people have been in officer or coordinator positions in our chapter for a very long time.

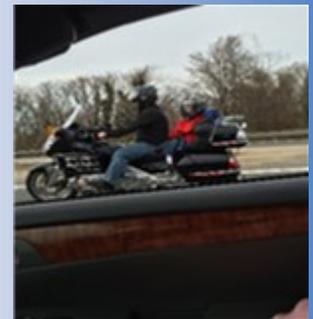
So here is my plea...what do we need to do to get more of you active, what do you want to see that would make you want to volunteer to be a team leader. What changes can we make to get more people involved in riding activities and other fun things. I am asking for your input, please send me your suggestions and my guarantee to you is I will discuss them with our team leaders. As we wind down the riding season, I would like to get all of this on the table, sorted, organized into a vibrant concept, then roll with it next year. You see, I love this chapter and it's people and I do not want to see it go away, so please help me keep it going. Please email your suggestions to gorcom@msn.com

Gordon Combs - Membership Enhancement Coordinator

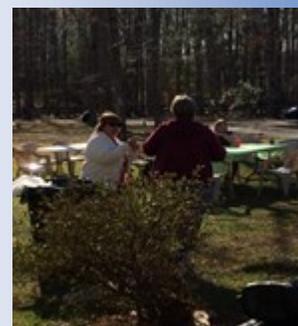
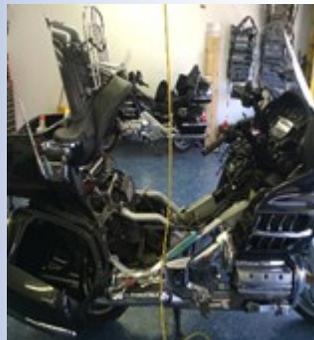


Hello fellow GWRRA riders,

I hope this newsletter finds you well and starting to ride a lot. Well we finally did it, we took the grand-kids to Power Sports and had them fitted for a helmet to be able to ride with grandpa. Needless to say, they can't get enough of the Goldwing. They want to ride all the time and really don't want to share with each other or me. I think if they are around they will be on the bike and I'll have to ride in the car with the other one and our daughter. Here's some pics from their first ride. Charlie had them secured on with tie downs attached to the luggage rack and handles next to the seat.



We had our annual maintenance day at our house on Sunday March 30th. We had one person who replaced the spring on his bike. They really had that bike torn apart, but got all the parts put back together with none left over. They also worked on a bike's radio/XM radio and got that working too. It was a very productive day for them and the weather was great. We had a fire in the fire pit after eating some good food from the potluck.





We took a road trip, in the new 4Runner, to KS with our daughter and the grandchildren. Took us a little over 19 hours and we crossed 6 states and stayed in the 7th state. Charlie got to spend some quality time with his mom, which was needed. I think the grandchildren had a good time visiting too. While there we helped celebrate my sister-in-law and brother-in-laws 40th anniversary. Samantha and Benny got up on the stage with their second cousin to sing the song from Frozen, Let it Go. We took the kids fishing and stopped at the local train that they have parked at a park.



Ellen and Charlie Smith

This is proof that Greg Kestner has a softer side.



Birthdays & Anniversaries

August Birthdays



- 06 Carol Lucas
- 09 Martha Jo Fritz
- 10 Charlie Smith III
- 12 Butch Groves
- 19 J. D. Harrington
- 22 Terry Murphy
- 23 Delores Brown
- 23 Rosa Seale
- 25 Chel Ocasio
- 29 Larry White
- 31 Ron Hardisty

August Anniversaries

- 08 Alvin "Tim" & Eva Hayes
- 28 Greg & Karen Kestner



| Position | Name | Phone | To send E-mail |
|---|--|------------------------------|--|
| District Director | Dennis & Kristen Weston (8/12) | 757-463-4429 | Dennis - dweston6@verizon.net Kristen - talk2k@verizon.net |
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| Asst. District Director (East) - VA-B, C, D, L, O, U, and W | Rich & Debbie Bonham (1/13) | 804-536-9025 | richardbb@verizon.net |
| Asst. District Director (West) - VA-H, J, K, V, and X | Wayne & Kathy Whitworth (05/10) | 540-586-0984 | Wayne - wayne69997@yahoo.com Kathy - kwhitworth56@verizon.net |
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| Asst. District Educator (West) | Med Miller (11/10) | 540-588-9556 | thermalchaser@yahoo.com |
| Asst. District Educator (North) | | | |
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| District Chapter of the Year Coordinator | Gayle Wilson | 540-238-3263 | ghwilson208@gmail.com |
| District Couple of the Year | Glenn & Nanette Mizner (10/13) | 757-270-6451 | glennmizner@cox.net nannmizner@cox.net |
| District Special Events Coord. | Bobbie Jo Harrison | 540-890-2890 | threewheelcruzin@verizon.net |
| District WebMaster | Dennis & Kristen Weston | 757-463-4429 | dweston6@verizon.net |
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| District Newsletter Editor | Kathy Skinner (02/12) | -- | katherineskinner@cox.net |
| Rally Camping Coordinators | Keith & Carol Lindgren (11/10) | -- | klindgren22@cox.net |

| Chapter | Area / Location | Chapter Director * Senior CD | Phone Number & Email | Monthly Meetings |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| VA-A Chapter A WebSite | Northern Virginia | Mary O'Connor (11/09) | 703-378-3873 eMail: maryoc4429@aim.com | 2nd Wed. - 7:30 pm - Commons Community Center, 5701 Roberts Parkway, Burke, VA 22015 |
| VA-B Chapter B Website | Virginia Beach | Bob & Ann Lutton (8/11) | 757-641-5510 eMail: b.lutton@verizon.net | 2nd Wed. - 7 pm -BUFFET CITY, 3877 Holland Rd, #416, Va. Beach, Va. 23462 |
| VA-C Chapter C Website Chapter C Facebook | Hampton/ Newport News | John Newbauer | 757-827-0834 e-Mail grdnman1@verizon.net | 2nd Sun. - 7 pm - Angelo's Steak & Pancake House, 755 J. Clyde Morris Blvd, Newport News |
| VA-D Chapter D WebSite | Richmond | Allen & Debbie Dowe- ell (01/13) | 04-222-1303 eMail: dowellmickey@comcast . | 4th Wed. - 7 pm - Candelas Pizzeria & Ristorante Italiano 14235 Midlthoian Turnpike 804-379-0910 |
| VA-E Chapter E WebSite | Fredericks- burg | Claude Revely (01/14) | 540-207-7646 e-Mail: seadogw@att.net | 3rd Wed. - 7:30 pm - Golden Corral, 10320 Spotsylvania Ave, Fredericksburg, VA |
| VA-F Chapter F WebSite | Winchester | George & Brenda Tincher (01/09) | 571-934-7067 eMail: tincher@comcast.net | 4th Sun. - 9am - Golden Corral, 120 Costello Dr., Winchester (phone: 540-667-6329) |
| VA-H | Abingdon | Paul & Dorothy Baker (11/1- | 276-628-6047 | 2nd Tue. - 7 pm - Abingdon Moose Lodge, US19, |
| VA-I Chapter I Website | Manassas | Tom & Kathy DeWispelaere (2/11) | 703-361-3373 eMail: tjdewisp@yahoo.com | 2nd Sun. - 10:00am - Great American Buffet, 8365 Sudley Rd., Manassas |
| VA-J Chapter J Website | South Boston | Doug Poole (01/13) | 434-572-2084 e-Mail: wingz57@gmail.com | 2nd Mon. - 7:30 pm - Roma's Italian Restaurant and Grill, 3403 Old Halifax Rd., South Boston |
| VA-K Chapter K Website | Roanoke | Bob Karnes (09/13) | 540-947-0261 e-Mail: | 2nd Mon. - 7 pm - Great 611 Steak Co., 3830 Franklin Rd., Roanoke |
| VA-L Chapter L Website | Chesapeake | Jeff & Carm Stobie (01/14) | e-Mail: carmjas03@verizon.net | 4th Tues. - 7:00 pm -Pops Diner Co., 1432 Greenbrier Parkway, Chesapeake, VA |
| VA-O Chapter O Website | Williams- burg | Joe Dickson & Karrin Frankie (01/05) | 757-872-0690 eMail: widetrack48@cox.net | 4th Sun. - 5 pm - Belgian Waffle & Steakhouse, 14700 Warwick Blvd., Newport News |
| VA-R Chapter R WebSite | Harrison- burg | Tim & Pam Hoysradt (01/14) | 540-471-0098 e-Mail: timhoysradt@comcast.net | 1st Sun - 3 pm - Golden Corral exit 247A, Rt. 33 E. 2 miles off I-81, Harrisonburg |
| VA-U Chapter U WebSite | Hanover | Rob & Cheryl Ramsey (01/13) | 276-806-8290 eMail: gwrva.vau@gmail.com | 3rd Sun. - 3 pm - Anna's Italian Restaurant, 7009 Mechanicsville Tnpke, Hanover Village Shopping |
| VA-V Chapter V WebSite | Bedford | Alice Miller (01/13) | 540-580-0257 eMail: OtterRidevaV@gmail.com | 3rd Sun. - 3 pm - Fellowship Hall of St. John's Episcopal Church, 314 N Bridge St, Bedford |
| VA-W Chapter W Web- | Chester | Bill Martyn | 804-241-6910 eMail: wmartyn@aol.com | 2nd Tue. - 7 pm - Pietro Pizza - Italian Rest., 2601 Osborne Rd, Chester |
| VA-X Chapter X WebSite | Salem | Tony & Vickie Ayers (1/10) | 540-293-4982 eMail: goldwingpa@gmail.com | 1st Sat. - 3 pm - EVANGELICAL METHODIST CHURCH, 1920 LUCAS ST. SALEM, VA |
| VA-Y Chapter Y WebSite | Leesburg | Wil Bell (06/13) | 703-929-8329 e-Mail: gwravaycd@gmail.com | 3rd Sun. - 5 pm - Betucci's in Ashburn, VA, 44042 Pipeline Plaza |

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| August 8 - 10 | Ride to JAARS JAARS Day ~ JAARS Center 7405 Jaars Road Waxhaw, NC 28173. Spend a day at our headquarters! Ride in a five-seat plane. See how people get Internet in the rainforest. Record your voice into the <i>JESUS</i> film. You'll get an up-close look at Bible translation, and why it relies on practical support like boats, 4WDs, and software. The day is totally flexible—so come and go as you like. Event Details - Sat, 06/14/2014 - 9:00am to 4:00pm. COST Admission Free Plane Ride \$20 Helicopter Ride \$22 Four-Wheel-Drive Ride \$5 Lunch \$6 | Waxhaw, NC |
| August 10 | All Chapter Picnic Count | Colonial Heights, VA |
| August 11 | VA-F Camp Fantastic | Winchester, VA |
| August 14-16 | Kentucky District Convention | Frankford, KY. |
| August 16 | VA-H Chapter Fund Raiser | Abingdon, VA |
| August 16 | Saturday August 16, 2014:6:30–10:30AM (4 Motorcycles Needed)* General Smallwood International General Smallwood State Park 2750 Sweden Point Road Marbury, MD 20658 Race Starts at 7AM – 24 Mile Bike | Marbury, MD |
| August 17 | Sunday August 17, 2014: 6:30– 9:30AM (4 Motorcycles Needed)* General Smallwood Sprint General Smallwood State Park 2750 Sweden Point Road Marbury, MD 20658 Race Starts at 7AM – 16 Mile Bike | Marbury, MD |
| August 23 10AM to 3PM | All Chapter's Picnic at White Bank Park, 5501 Conduit Road | Colonial Heights, VA |
| August 23 | Davey's Battle Brothers Ride Sponsored by Davey's Ride The ride starts at Garfield Senior High School, 14000 Smoketown Road in Woodbridge. The event begins at 11:00 am. The ride fee for the rider is \$20.00 if pre-registered or \$25.00 on the day of the ride. The passenger fee is \$5.00. The ride is in honor of those who were killed by a suicide bomber in Mosul Iraq. Proceeds will be donated to Will-ing Warriors . For more information go to http://hardtimes.com . | Woodbridge, VA |
| August 23 | Sandy's Cruisers 3rd Annual Poker Run to Fight ALS Sponsored by Quaker Steak & Lube, Jeremy Sheets, and Gwen Gatlin The poker run, with 5 stops, starts at Quaker Steak & Lube, 2832 Jefferson Ave. in Newport News. Registration begins at 9:00 am and the first motorcycle goes out at 10:30 am. The ride ends in Gloucester with awards for the best hand, 2nd best hand, live entertainment, games, best bike contest, voted on by participants, and raffle prizes. This is a rain or shine event. For more information go to http://facebook.com/sandyscruisers12 . | Newport News, VA |
| August 29-31 | GWRRRA WEEKEND AT THE OPRY | Nashville, TN |



BEST DARN HAM SANDWISHES YOU'LL EVER HAVE!!!

2 -12 packages of sweet hawaiian rolls (the small dinner roll looking ones)

1 1/2 lbs of virginia ham (NOT honey ham)

12 slices swiss cheese

1 stick of real butter

2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce

1 teaspoon Garlic Powder

1 teaspoon Onion Powder

1 teaspoon poppy seeds

Directions:

You will need two 9 x 13 pans. Place the bottoms of 12 rolls in each pan. Place ham (about 2 shaved slices or so) on the rolls. Cut the cheese slices into 4 parts and place 2 small pieces on each sandwich. Put the dinner roll tops on. In a sauce pan, mix butter, worcestershire sauce, onion powder, garlic powder and poppy seeds. Wait until all butter is melted and then brush the melted mixture over the ham sandwiches. Cover with foil and let sit in fridge for 1 hour or over night. (If you want to bake them right away, you can also.) Preheat oven to 375 and bake for 15 minutes or until cheese is melted.



Virginia District All Chapter's Picnic

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23RD AT WHITE BANK PARK

10 AM – 3 PM

ALL GWRRA FAMILY & FRIENDS INVITED

Fun & Games

Horseshoes
Disc Golf Course
Corn hole
Volleyball
Fishing (your own gear)



Food

Hamburgers
Hot Dogs
Drinks

Attendees are asked to bring sides and desserts

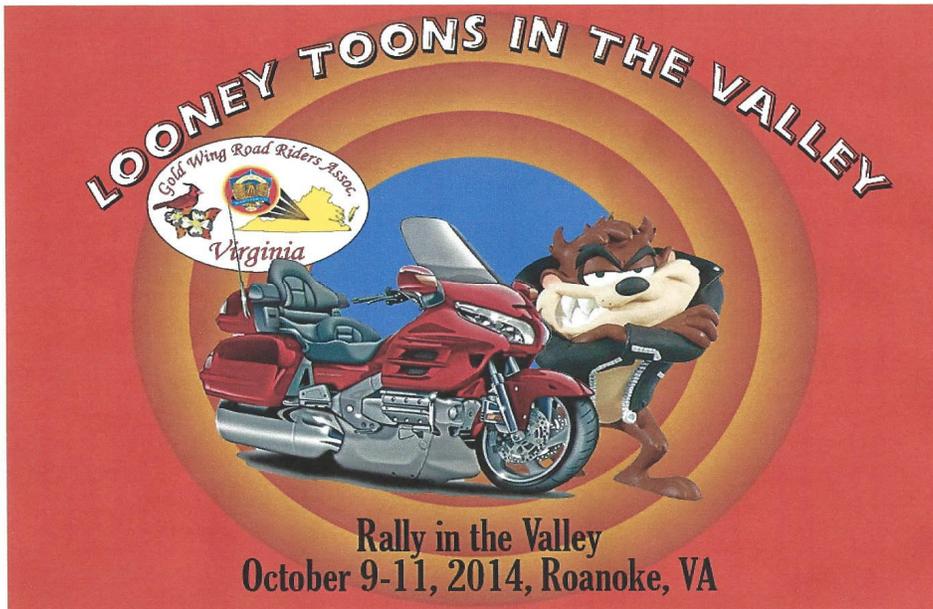


*Couples Dessert
auction to benefit the
Couples Program and
drawing for Afghan
raffle*



Address:

5501 Conduit Road
Colonial Heights, Va.



RITV Address:

Holiday Inn Tanglewood - Roanoke
 4468 Starkey Rd
 Roanoke, VA 24018
 # (540) 774-4400

Rooms: \$79.00 w/out breakfast
 \$95.00 with breakfast

RELEASE FORM
 (Must be signed by all registrants and returned)

I/We agree to hold harmless GWRRA, the co-sponsoring organization and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property by reason of participating in this rally.

Rider Signature _____

Co-Rider Signature _____

Is this your first time attending this Rally? _____

How did you find about the Rally? _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:
GWRRA-VA (DO NOT SEND CASH)
 Mail to:
 Mae Cappis
 8101 Foxdale Dr.
 Norfolk, VA 23518

26th Annual RALLY IN THE VALLEY

- Vendors
- Anything Banana Baking Contest
- Dancing
- CPR
- ERC & Trike Courses
- Door Prizes
- Lighted Bike Show
- Bike Show
- Hospitality Room
- Guided Motorcycle rides
- Self-Guided Motorcycle rides
- 50/50
- Chapter Basket Raffle
- Virginia DARE Boat Cruise
- Costume Contest and Skits at Opening Ceremonies

RITV - REGISTRATION FORM

GWRRA Member \$30 X _____ = _____
 Non-Member \$35 X _____ = _____
 Child under 12 \$10 X _____ = _____
 ** 5 & Under FREE FREE

Masters Breakfast:
 Master \$15 X _____ = _____

Closing Ceremony Banquet \$23 X _____ = _____

Rider Courses
 TRIKE \$40 X _____ = _____
 ERC \$40 X _____ = _____

CPR/First Aid & AED Max of 12 \$30 X _____ = _____

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Rider _____
 Age _____ Chapter _____
 GWRRA # _____ Exp Date _____
 Co-Rider _____
 Age _____ Chapter _____
 GWRRA # _____ Exp Date _____
 Address1 _____

Address2 _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email Address for Confirmation (Print Clearly) _____

Arriving Thursday Friday Saturday

Distance traveled to rally (straight-line mileage, one-way) _____

- ♦ All refunds will include a \$5 cancellation charge;
- ♦ NO REFUNDS AFTER 9/25/2014
- ♦ After 9/25/14 will be higher on site;
- GWRRA Member \$35 X _____ = _____
- Non-Member \$40 X _____ = _____
- ♦ GWRRA cards to be checked on site.

*****DAY PASSES AVAILABLE ON-SITE \$15*****

DARE BOAT CRUISE

Friday, October 11:
 \$25.00 X _____ = _____

The boat cruise will leave around 9:30 am and will be a 1 hour ride to Smith Mountain Lake. The boat will leave around noon and estimated time of return about 2pm with a 1 hour ride back to the civic center.

We must have 50 people sign up with a 100 person maximum for the cruise by 5 September or the cruise will be cancelled. If cancelled all monies will be returned with no cancellation fee.

Lunch will be provided on the cruise, Soup and Sandwiches has been chosen because of the time of year. Turkey/Ham



GWRRA Trike / ERC / CPR/First-Aid

We will be offering a **Trike / ERC** class at RITV on Friday, October 10, 2014. The course will begin PROMPTLY at 7:30am in the upper parking lot and should be finished by 12:30pm. The cost for the course is \$40 (Co-Riders are free). For this advanced class, you will be using your own Motorcycle or Trike.

We will also be offering a **CPR/First-Aid** class at RITV on Friday, October 10, 2014. The course will begin PROMPTLY at 7:30am and should be finished by 1:00pm. The cost for the course is \$30.

T-SHIRT:

S, M, L, XL -- \$13 / 2XL & XXXL -- \$15

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

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LONG SLEEVED T-SHIRT:

S, M, L, XL -- \$15 / 2XL & XXXL -- \$17

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

SWEAT SHIRT:

S, M, L, XL -- \$19 / 2XL & XXXL -- \$21

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

GOLF SHIRT:

S, M, L, XL -- \$21 / 2XL & XXXL -- \$23

(#) _____ (size) _____ (Amount) _____

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Shirts may be purchased on site from the Freedom Enterprises Vendor at a slightly higher price.

Total Registration \$ _____
 Total Shirt Order \$ _____
 TRIKE \$ _____
 ERC \$ _____
 CPR/First Aid & AED \$ _____
 DARE Cruise/Lunch \$ _____
 Masters Breakfast \$ _____
 Banquet \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL \$ _____



FRIDAY

Virginia Dare Boat Cruise:

Climb off your bike and join us for this fun time on the water. Make sure to preregister to guarantee your spot!

Opening Ceremony

- *Costume Contest: come dressed as your favorite cartoon character. Awards in male/female category
 - *Chapter Skits: Enjoy some entertainment by the Virginia Chapters
 - *Table Decorating Contest is BACK
- Now that we're back indoors begin designing your best table theme now

SATURDAY

Guided lunch ride to Floyd via the Mill Mountain Star on the beautiful Blue Ridge Parkway. Pre-register for our lunch stop meal at the Floyd Rescue Squad and enjoy a cookout out with the trimmings for \$7.00. All proceeds benefit the rescue squad.

Couple of the Year Selection

Join us for both the Virginia District and Region N selection process and we watch the finest Couples compete for this top honor

Anything-Banana Contest

Dust off those Banana recipes and bake a dessert that will knock the socks off our esteem judges.

Vendors

ERC Course

Leadership, Rider Education, MEP Classes

Basket Raffle

Unescorted Rides

Master Breakfast

Bike Show



Join us for Thursday Night Lighted Bike Contest



VA-E

*“End of Summer”
Luncheon*

*Join us for our
annual Chapter
Appreciation
party!*



September 21st at 1pm

THIS IS A FREE CATERED LUNCHEON BY TARHEEL PIG PICKERS.

Please RSVP by *September 5th* to seadoggw@att.net.

Opened to all “Chapter E Participants” in good GWRRA standing

For Sale

2012 Goldwing Level 1, 3685 miles, Many aftermarket accessories including highway pegs, Passenger adjustable pegs, Trunk Rack, Dual Power outlets in left cubby, center drink holder, just serviced and inspection just done in may, 2012. Bike runs and looks perfect, Bike is under factory warranty until May 2018, I am asking \$19300.00 OBO. For more info or pics please call me.

John Shelton 540-847-7451, onebadeagle@comcast.net



2005 Goldwing, GL1800 30th Anniversary for sale. This bike is in excellent condition with only 22,864 miles. The bike is Billet Silver Metallic in color with custom paint on side bags. AM/FM/CD with intercom, auxiliary port and Honda factory CB radio. Bike also has a Garmin Zumo GPS system with antenna. Custom leather seat with diamond pattern for long touring and driver backrest. Bike has a tow hitch with wiring for color matching Escapade SE trailer. Many Kuryakyn chrome upgrades to include driver floor boards with heel toe shifter, highway pegs, hand grips, passenger arm rests, and passenger "Transformer" foot boards.

\$14,000 If interested call Jerry Keys at 703.795.4781



For Sale (cont'd)

Escapade motorcycle trailer for sale. Color matched to 2005 Goldwing Billet Silver Metallic. Trailer has front cooler with leather cover, leather bra for trailer front, chrome wheels with spare tire.

\$1,500



1993 Goldwing, GL1500 SE for sale. This bike is in very good condition with 117,299 miles. The bike is White with custom pinstriping. AM/FM/Cassette with Honda factory CB radio. Add-ons include a custom seat with driver backrest, passenger arm rests, Markland highway boards, chrome front wheel covers with lights and Progressive suspension up-grades.

\$5,500



For Sale (cont'd)

\$13,750 2007 GL1800 Goldwing—Level 3--Premium Radio—ABS Brakes—Navi Package—Heated Seats/Grips (Comfort Package). Burnt Orange. 59,000 miles, Garage Kept, Excellent Condition.

High Beam Path Blazer Modulating Head Light

Rear Pulsing Brake Light

Luggage Rack from Big Bike Parts

Fog Lights

TPMS (Tire Pressure Monitoring System) Inflation Monitor

Battery Monitor

New Driver/Passenger Seat

Motorcycle cover

Travel bag that mounts on luggage Rack

16 DVD Maintenance Guide Set

Shop Manual

Amsoil 10w40 Oil + Honda Oil Filter

Butler Cup Holder

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We would love to see you. We meet to eat at 6:30 p.m., meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. The third Wednesday of each month at Golden Corral, 10320 Spotsylvania Ave., Fredericksburg, Va., 22408.

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Since we are changing
our Chapter Colors to

NAVY BLUE

I thought I would change
the colors of the newsletter
to reflect that change

NEWS

Chapter E will be changing the chapter colors to Navy Blue. You may purchase your own shirt, either polo or tee shirt. If you want your name and chapter embroidered on it, there is a chapter member willing to do this at a nominal cost. You may also get your Goldwing embroidered on it at an additional small charge.

