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GWRRA = Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge...

The Gold Wing Road Riders Association (GWRRA) is the world's largest single-marque social organization for owners and riders of Honda Gold Wing/F6B and other touring motorcycles and some would say, the world's largest family. Dedicated to our motto, Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge, GWRRA members enjoy the freedom of belonging to a not-for-profit, non-religious and non-political organization.

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Well, I'm going to keep wishing ya'll "Happy spring" until it finally happens!! The book says "March comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb." Now, if we can only get Mother Nature to read the book

I think three of our four ROMEO rides were rained-out for March, and April is following right along. However, I have been assured spring is right around the corner.



In the meantime we do what we can: the first triathlon of the season was April 2 nd . I thought it was a little chilly that morning, and watching folks climb out of a pool and start-out on a 6 mile bike ride in swimsuits, dripping wet did NOTHING to make me feel warmer. Everything went well, and it eventually warmed-up. A little.

Our Spring Maintenance Day was a success. Thanks to Eric & Nancy Henry for generously hosting. Eric's garage is like a guy's dream toy chest / playroom! We're hoping to make this our regular location for Spring.

In an effort to increase participation with the Triathlons, and recognize those who do, the Chapter will host a Triathlon Appreciation Event, probably an evening with the Fredericksburg Nationals at Virginia Credit Union Stadium. The only requirement is volunteering for one of the triathlon events listed in the newsletter. These are a big source of our fundraising, and I think it only fair that those who participate, benefit, and vice-versa. My goal is for attendance by all Chapter members.

Sort-of reminds me of being a child and my father explaining the concept of banking.

"The bank will hold the money you are saving, and give you money when you need it."

So I figured "Great! Let's go make a big withdrawal!"

Imagine my disappointment to learn you can't get the money OUT if you never put the money IN.

Same principle here. So please review the Triathlon schedule and notify Butch or Gordon of the date that's right for you. I'd like to see EVERYONE at the FredNats game.

I hope to see you on a ROMEO ride soon. Gordon is working on some weekend rides for those of you not free to ride around the countryside on a Thursday. Yet.

Our next Chapter gathering is Wednesday, April 20 th: 6:00 to eat / 7:00 to greet!!

Ride Safe. Joe Herron

Your thoughts, ideas and suggestions are always welcome.

Chapter Membership Enhancement Coordinator (MEC):

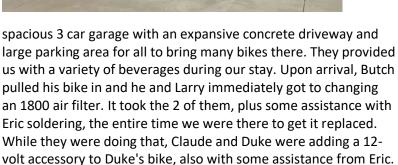
Gordon Combs

2022 Maintenance Day

Another successful maintenance day is in the books. I met Duke, Larry, Butch and Frankie at FMS and led them down to Eric and Nancy Henry's house and Claude caught



up with us there an hour later. I would like to extend a big thank you to Eric and Nancy for opening up their beautiful home with Potomac River Views for us. Eric has a very







Frankie and I were on site supervisors for both of these projects. I also took a moment to tour the Henry's Homestead. They have a beautiful home, and as I stated, they are 1 street over from the houses on the river, and from both of the upper levels you can see the Potomac River all the way over to Maryland. Being a musician, I was very interested in seeing their music studio and I came away very impressed with their set up. After we finished up, Claude and Larry had to leave for home, but Butch, Frankie, Duke and I rode over to King George and had a nice Mexican lunch before our return trip.

I can say without a doubt the Henry's Homestead will be our go to Spring Maintenance Day location. We will continue to enjoy our fall Maintenance Day at Charlie and Ellens as long as we are welcome.

Calendar of Events:

Legend Types:

Birthday	District	Gathering	Holiday	Newsletter	Rally	Tri
Anniversary	FYI	GWRRA	Meeting	Other	Ride	Weekend

May 2022

Month	Day	Туре	Event Information	Location	Time	GWRRA Anniversary
May	1	Rally	Tennessee District	Pigeon Forge TN		
May	1	GWRRA	Mary Messner			1996
May	3	Meeting	Team Leader, Chapter	TBD	TBD	
May	5	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
May	5	Holiday	Cinco de Mayo			
May	7	Weekend				
May	7	Tri	Kinetic	Lake Anna VA		
May	8	Tri	Kinetic	Lake Anna VA		
May	8	Holiday	Mother's Day			
May	10	Newsletter	Inputs for Newsletter Due			
May	12	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
May	13	Birthday	Claude Revely Jr.			
May	14	Weekend				
Mari	10	Catharina	Eat First	Castiglia's Italian	6:00-7:00PM	
May	18	Gathering	Social Time, Chapter	Restaurant & Pizzeria	7:00-8:00PM	
May	18	Birthday	Kathy O'Neal			
May	19	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
May	20	Rally	Pennsylvania District	Pittsburgh PA		
May	20	Anniversary	Tony & Sharon Poulakowski			
May	21	Rally	Pennsylvania District	Pittsburgh PA		
May	21	Weekend				
May	21	Holiday	Armed Forces Day			
May	22	Rally	Pennsylvania District	Pittsburgh PA		
May	24	Birthday	Lexie Hardisty			
May	26	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
May	27	GWRRA	Dennis Nihiser			2003
May	28	Weekend				
May	30	Holiday	Memorial Day	Federal Holday		

June 2022

Month	Day	Туре	Event Information	Location	Time	GWRRA Anniversary
June	1	GWRRA	Lloyd Messner			1982
June	1	GWRRA	Millard Brown Jr.			1986
June	1	GWRRA	Ray Hitt			1988
June	1	GWRRA	Daniel Fritz			1980
June	1	GWRRA	Charlie Smith			2009
June	3	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd,		
Julie			·	Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
June	3	Rally	Missouri District	Branson MO		
June	3	FYI	Free Fishing Weekend in VA			
June	4	Rally	Missouri District	Branson MO		
June	4	Weekend				
June	4	FYI	Free Fishing Weekend in VA			
June	5	Rally	Missouri District	Branson MO		
June	5	FYI	Free Fishing Weekend in VA			
June	7	Meeting	Team Leader, Chapter	TBD WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd,	TBD	
June	10	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
June	10	Newsletter	Inputs for Newsletter Due			
June	11	Weekend				
June	14	Holiday	Flag Day			
June	15	Gathering	Eat First Social Time, Chapter	Castiglia's Italian Restaurant & Pizzeria	6:00-7:00PM 7:00-8:00PM	
June	15	Rally	West Virginia District	Summersville WV		
June	16	Rally	West Virginia District	Summersville WV		
June	17	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
June	17	Rally	West Virginia District	Summersville WV		
June	17	Rally	Ohio District	Wooster OH		
June	18	Weekend				
June	18	Rally	Ohio District	Wooster OH		
June	18	Tri	Jamestown	Jamestown VA		
June	19	Rally	Ohio District	Wooster OH		
June	19	Tri	Jamestown	Jamestown VA		
June	19	Holiday	Father's Day			
June	21	Anniversary	Jim & Trudey Girod			
June	22	GWRRA	Melanie Hardin-Gray			2015
June	23	Anniversary	Butch & Nancy Groves			
June	24	Ride	ROMEO Weekly Ride	WAWA 4625 Harrison Rd, Fredericksburg, VA	10AM	
June	24	Birthday	LeRoy Gross			
June	24	GWRRA	Ellen Smith			2009
June	24	GWRRA	Charlie Smith Jr.			2009
June	25	Weekend				
June	25		Harold & Kathy Pellegreen			
June	26	Birthday	Alec Kestner			
June	29	Rally	Yearly Wing Ding	Springfield MO		
June	30	Rally	Yearly Wing Ding	Springfield MO		

Assist Chapter Director:

Nancy Groves

Hello friends!

Butch and I are registered for Rally in the Valley 2022. How about you? It would be great to have more VA-E members in attendance. There may not be as many vendors as in years past, but there is still plenty of "Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge"! I'm looking forward to attending the "Monthly Gathering."

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See you there.

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VA-E members

We all have settled into a routine when we are about to go on a ride. We check our machines to insure we are diligent in our effort to have a fun and safe ride where we can return families whole.

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After you have "kicked the tires", do you perform a safety check on yourself? Starting with your protective gear (boots, gloves, armored jackets and pants and helmet) to your readiness to mentally mount your mighty steed and travel the unpredictable realm of cagers? A number of motorcyclists ride just to enjoy the open road. So, to prepare ourselves as we do with our motorcycles, I have a couple of techniques that I do as the last step to my safety check I would like to share.

First, clear your head. Push all of the distraction of home and/or work aside. You are about to embark on a journey on your iron horse and even with your gear, those wild cagers can be an unpredictable challenge. They can be like a deer in your headlight or a squirrel trying to cross the road.

Secondly, take 30 second to a minute to take some slow and deep breaths. Inhale in the mouth and slowly exhale through your nose. You will feel your body and mind give way to a calmer attitude. Sling your leg over your steed, check the mirrors, tighten your helmet and gloves... now, start your engine and go out and catch yourself a beautiful and peaceful ride.

Ride Safe,

Safety & Knowledge Coordinator:

Lyle Schrumpf

Four this month's safety discussion, I found

several articles that I have put together to talk about the top nine common motorcycle accidents and how to avoid them. Speaking from my own issue with loose gravel in a turn several years ago I can tell you that it is good to remind ourselves of situations and how we can avoid them or at least have thought through them and actions that we should take.



So here we go:

1. The most common motorcycle accident. A car fails to see you or judges your speed incorrectly, turning in front of you at an intersection. Blame inattention, distraction, blind spots and even psychology; a driver looking for cars perceives merely an absence of cars, not the presence of a motorcycle.

How to avoid It: Simple, you just need to see it coming. Part of your job as a motorcyclist is to develop a precognitive sixth sense. Look for signs that could indicate someone may turn in front of you: a car is at an intersection waiting to turn, there's a gap in traffic near an intersection, driveway, or parking lot. In either situation, slow down, cover your brakes and get ready to take evasive action. Yes, you do need to take something as innocuous as a car waiting in a turn lane as a major and immediate threat to your life. You also need to account for objects outside of your vision. Gaps in traffic indicate the possibility of someone coming through that gap, even if you can't see them. Again, MAJOR THREAT, PREPARE FOR EVASIVE ACTION.

And once you've identified said threat, you can work it through levels of severity. Is the driver clearly able to see you, without obstruction from their window pillars, trees, or signs? Is that person actually looking? Are they looking at you? How are they situated in the road? What is their speed? Where are their wheels pointing?

Look at their wheels, not the car – they'll give you the first clue of movement. During all this, also be aware of what's behind and to your side. Should you need to take evasive action, you'll need to know your routes of escape. It's no good braking in time to avoid a turning car, only to be swatted from behind by a tailgating SUV. What's the road surface like? Is it going to be able to handle the full force of your brakes or are you going to lock them? You do know how to use the full ability of your brakes, right?

Under no circumstances should you "lay the bike down." Your best chance of survival comes from shedding as much speed as possible pre-collision, and you're going to be able to do that best with the bike completely upright, using both brakes. Even if you only have time to lose 10 or 20 mph, that could be the difference between going home with bruises and going home at all.

2. You hit gravel in a blind corner: You're out riding the twisties when, seemingly without warning, you round a corner to find a patch of sand/gravel/leaves/horse dung/whatever in your path. You put your front tire in it and wipe out.

How to avoid it: Don't hit it in the first place. Ride at a pace where your reaction time and ability to take action fit within your range of vision. On the road, "Slow In, Fast Out" is an effective rule of thumb. Enter a corner wide, to increase your vision and at an easy pace. You can pick up the speed on the way out, once you can see.

Trail braking is a slightly more advanced skill that you'll need to learn and practice on a track before applying on the road. Using it, you brake all the way to the apex using the front brake before swapping brake for throttle. Since you're already on the brakes and the bike's weight is distributed forward, compressing the front suspension and increasing the size of the front tire's contact patch, you can easily tighten your line by applying a little more brake or widen it by letting off. Doing so should help you avoid obstacles such as gravel.

Another advanced skill, which is oddly controversial in rule-loving America, but which is taught by advanced police riders abroad, is to maximize vision by using the full width of the road, regardless of lanes. Vision equals safety equals speed. Again, learn this from a trained professional before trying it yourself.

3. You entered a corner too fast: And now it's unexpectedly tightening and you're just not going to make it around. Oh no.

How to avoid It: Don't be a dummy. Only ride as fast as you can see and use visual clues like telephone poles and signs to judge a road's direction, even if that road is disappearing over a blind crest.

If you do find yourself going too fast in a corner, the best approach is to trust the bike and try to ride it out. The bike is likely more capable than you are, so it's really you that's not capable of making it around. Take as much lean out of the bike as possible by hanging off, look where you want to go and be as smooth as possible on the controls. Do not whack on the brakes, chop the throttle, or do anything else that may upset the bike and cause a loss of traction. Don't panic if a peg or knee or something else touches down, just try to hold that lean angle, look for the corner exit and ride it out.

This is another situation in which trail braking can be a real help, allowing you to safely shed speed while already in the corner.

4: A car changes lane into you: You're riding in traffic when a car in another lane suddenly veers into the space you're occupying. Remember, our tiny motorcycles can easily fit into blind spots and drivers looking for cars aren't psychologically programmed to see motorcycles.

How to Avoid It: Be aware of where blind spots lie and spend as little time in them as possible. If you can see a driver's eyes in their mirrors, then they have the ability to see you, too (*But remember that still doesn't always mean they're looking – Ed.*).

Beware of situations where lane changes become more possible. Is highway traffic slowing, with one lane moving faster than others? People are going to want to be in that lane. Don't be where they want to be.

Look for signs of a car changing lanes: turn signals, wheels turning, the car wandering around its own lane while the driver checks his/her mirrors and, of course, the driver's head moving. Be aware of all that, in all the cars around you, at all times, and you'll be good.

5. A car hits you from behind: You come to a halt a stop sign/cross walk/intersection/to avoid a family of baby ducks when, the driver behind you doesn't see you or isn't trying to and plows into you at high speed. The most common car accident is a "fender bender." A fender bender can kill a motorcyclist.

How to Avoid It: Use cars as your very own crumple zone. A single car stopped at a multi-lane stoplight, with more cars coming from behind? Pull in front of it (wave nicely) and you're cushioned from any subsequent impacts. Between a line of cars works just as well.

No free crumple zones available? Stop to the side rather than the center of a lane, rapidly flash your brake light by tapping a brake lever, keep the bike in gear and your right hand on the throttle. Pay attention to what's coming up behind you and be prepared to scoot away should it appear someone's about to come plowing into you.

Be particularly aware in situations where there's bad visibility, at times when drunk driving is prevalent and when stops are unexpected, such as at pedestrian crosswalks on very busy streets and stuff like those cute baby ducks crossing the road.

6. Your riding buddies are idiots: You've seen it happen. A group is out for a ride when one of them stops suddenly or something similar. His friend is too busy daydreaming to realize and hits him from behind. This has happened to us; it can happen to anyone.

How to Avoid It: Make sure everyone is aware of proper group riding etiquette and knows to ride in a staggered formation. You'd be amazed how many people are unaware of this simple technique. Doing so increases vision and moves bikes out of line with each other, meaning a temporary lapse in attention wont' result in a collision. Pick smarter riding friends.

7: <u>You locked the front brake:</u> Oh no, a deer/cute girl/cop/stopped traffic. You grab a fistful of front brake and, next thing you know, you're lying on the ground, watching your bike cartwheel down the street.

How to avoid It: Learn to use your front brake. It might seem counterintuitive, but that front brake is the most powerful and difficult-to-master component on your motorcycle; it can alter your speed much more quickly than your engine.

If you're just learning to ride, have simply never mastered this skill or bought a new bike and need to learn it, find a big, empty parking lot and start practicing. From a set speed (say, 30 mph), start braking at a certain mark, then repeat ad infinitum until you've reduced your braking distance as

much as possible. You should be able to feel the tire on the very edge of locking up and the rear wheel lifting off the ground. Then go and practice at higher and higher speeds until you can employ the maximum braking ability of your motorcycle reliably and safely. Or just buy a bike with ABS, remember you have it, and squeeze the lever as hard as you can when you need to make an emergency stop.

8. A car opened its door: The biggest gap in traffic was between a line of parked cars and a stationary line of active traffic. So, you go scooting through it when, suddenly, Nathan-no-look swings his door wide open right in front of you.

How to avoid it: Never, ever, ever, ever ride between an active traffic lane and parked cars. Not just because of the opening doors thing, but because pedestrians step out, cars pull out, so they can see, and for a million other reasons. Just don't do it. If you do, somehow, find yourself in a door-opening situation though, follow all the advice above and brake as hard as possible. Even if a collision is inevitable, shedding even a small fraction of your speed can really help. Cyclists call the area next to parked cars, within a door's width "The Death Zone" for a reason.

9. It's slippery!

Stuff is coming out of the sky! That stuff is cold, wet and, surprise, slippery. Listen don't panic.

How to avoid It: Does your bike have decent tires on it or were you silly and decided that running track rubber on the road was a good idea? Hint: it's not. So long as you're running reasonable tires and those tires aren't worn out, you'll be surprised at how well a motorcycle does in wet or even snowy conditions. Just slow down and be as smooth as possible on the controls.

In the wet, stuff like utility access hole covers become super, extra slippery and you'll need to watch out for oil and diesel on the road as well. Look for patches of rainbow and avoid those. If it hasn't rained for a while, the first hour or so of rainfall is the most treacherous; it lifts all the oils and whatnot out of the pavement, floating it on top. Treat yourself to a hot cup of coffee and wait for a solid downpour to wash all that junk away.

Also, beware of the limited visibility rain creates for other drivers and their general ineptitude; car drivers don't seem to understand that slippery conditions necessitate longer following distances and earlier braking. Keep revs up in the wet. The thinking is that, should your rear spin up, you'll be using a smaller amount of throttle opening, allowing you to regain traction much easier than if you're riding at 30mph in 6th, at wide open throttle.

Till next month ride safe and keep your head on a swivel.

Chapter Ride Coordinator Corner:

Gordon Combs & LeRoy Gross

Spring is Here!!!





Hello everyone,

Spring is finally here. For many that means getting the bike out of winter storage or for some of us that ride in the winter it means that we get to ride more often. Regardless of whether we rode our motorcycles a little or not at all during the winter the undisputed fact is that our skills get rusty and we need to get our riding skills back into peak condition. So, the topic of this months safety is PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE.

Let's use the GWRRA Rider Courses as a model for practicing our skills. Remember that we divide our skills into "mental" proactive skills and "physical" proactive skills. We want to be proactive and not reactive. Being reactive often results in bad outcomes. Also remember that about 80% of riding involves "mental" skills and if we apply them correctly, we avoid the need to use some "physical" skills to avoid an accident.

Mental Skills

Practice using your senses, especially your eyes to gather information to predict what may happen.

- Use the Seek, Anticipate, Act model to avoid potential issues.
 - Seek by scanning aggressively, especially at intersections.
 - Anticipate what other drivers may do.
 - Act to avoid issues by adjusting speed, direction or by communicating to other drivers.
- Use the 12-4-2-rule
 - Scan 12 seconds ahead to identify potential problems.
 - If an issue is only 4 seconds ahead it may require immediate action, BE READY!
 - 2 second is about all the time you will have to execute any evasive action to avoid an accident.
 Are you ready for that?

Physical Skills

Practice Braking, Cornering and Swerving. These are the skills we lack or lose due to not practicing. DON'T WAIT until the accident is about to happen to find out whether you still have the needed skills to avoid the crash.

- Go to a parking lot and practice controlled and sudden braking. Remember Straighten, Square and Squeeze from your rider course?
- Practice Cornering, both slow maneuvers in a parking lot and fast corners out on the road. Remember Slow, Look, Press and Roll?
- Do you remember how to swerve quickly to avoid an obstacle? Do you remember "push" steering or "counter" steering?

If you have forgotten any of the terms used above or you have never heard them before maybe you should consider taking a rider course. Just because the Levels Program only requires you to take a course every three years is that enough to keep your skills in peak condition? Only you can answer that question.

LeRoy Gross

Assistant Ride Coordinator

Chapter Web Master:

Rob Hardisty

TECH TIPS from the Webdude



The most recent known data breach came to light on April 4, when the company Block acknowledged that Cash App had been breached by an insider threat. It is not yet clear how many customers have been affected, but Block is reaching out to over 8 million customers to inform them of the incident. Well, the experts are saying that the breach could be worse than forecasted. You may just be impacted. Don't wait until your identity has been compromised or accounts have been hacked to take action but if there's reason to believe any of your passwords might have been compromised, change them immediately. One of the best things you can do is to make sure your passwords are strong. Here are a few ways to fortify them:

- 1. Make your password long. The recommended minimum in most algorithms is eight characters, but 16 (US Government minimum) is better and 25 is even better than that.
- 2. Use combinations of letters and numbers, upper and lower case and symbols such as the exclamation mark. Some services won't let you do all of that, but try to vary it as much as you can. "PaSsWoRd!43" is far better than "password43." Federal government requires 14 character minimum combo.
- 3. Avoid words that are in dictionaries, even if you add numbers and symbols. There are programs that can crack passwords by going through databases of known words. One trick is to add numbers in the middle of a word as in "pas123swor456d" instead of "password123456." Another is to think of a sentence and use just the first letter of each word as in "tqbfjotld" for "the quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." NOTE: It just so happens that this sentence uses all of the letters of the English alphabet.
- 4. Substitute characters. For instance, use the number zero instead of the letter O, or replace the S with a dollar sign.
- 5. Avoid easy-to-guess words, even if they aren't in the dictionary. You shouldn't use your name, company name or hometown, for instance. Avoid pets and relatives' names, too. Likewise, avoid things that can be looked up, such as your birthday or ZIP code. But you might use that as part of a complex password. Try reversing your ZIP code or phone number and insert that into a string of letters. As a reminder, you should also avoid "password" as the password, or consecutive keys on the keyboard, such as "1234" or "qwerty."
- 6. Never reuse passwords on other accounts with two exceptions. Over the years, I've managed to create hundreds of accounts. Many are for one-time use, such as when a newspaper website requires

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- me to register to read the full story. It's OK to use simple passwords and repeat them in those types of situations, as long as the password isn't unlocking features that involve credit cards or posting on a message board. That will let you focus on keeping passwords to the more essential accounts strong.
- 7. Use a combination of all the above. Use a phrase instead of a single word. Swap out numerals for characters. Harder to guess phrases. Be creative.

EVERYTHING I NEED TO KNOW, I LEARNED FROM NOAH'S ARK

- 1. Don't miss the boat.
- 2. Remember that we are all in the same boat.
- 3. Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark.
- 4. Stay fit. When you're 60 years old, someone may ask you to do something really big.
- 5. Don't listen to critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.
- 6. Build your future on high ground.
- 7. For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
- 8. Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.
- 9. When you're stressed, float awhile.
- 10. Remember, the ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.
- 11. No matter the storm, when you are with God there's always a rainbow waiting.

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95th SHENANDOAH APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL WINCHESTER, VA SATURDAY April 30th

GWRRA IS AGAIN PARTICIPATING
IN THE GRAND FEATURE PRE-PARADE

PRE-PARADE STARTS AT 1 PM

WE WILL STAGE AT DICKS SPORTING GOODS

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VALLEY DRIVE AT 11:30 AM

WEAR YOUR CHAPTER COLORS, PULL TRAILERS

AND DISPLAY YOUR CHAPTER FLAGS IF POSSIBLE

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*CPR/MFA Coordinator	Vacant	703-819-6766	2012 pearlwhiterider@comcast.net
Membership Enhancement	Randi Green	757-870-7282	davenrand@cox.net
Coordinator(s)	Dave Green	757-846-8388	duffer4fun@yahoo.com
Asst MEC	Ann Peterson	703-583-1655	nativepeterson12@gmail.com
District Web Master	Fritz Sassine	804-938-9183	fritz.sassine@gmail.com
District Event Photographer	Jim Peterson	703-583-1655	nativepeterson12@gmail.com
District COY Coordinators	Dennis & Phyliss Easton	757-636-1023	eastonm@cox.net
		757-618-4963	
District Special Events	David & Robin Hotaling	646-406-1200	Davidsgoldwing02@gmail.com
Coordinators			rah889195@yahoo.com
District Rally Vendor Coord	Linda Carlyle-Harris	804-652-9520	<u>Lindaredwing05@verison.net</u>
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Directors of GWRRA	Jere and Sherry Goodman	540-623-0447	JereGood@aol.com
Director's Assistant	Bob and Nan Shrader	352-424-0686	floridadd@msn.com
Director's Assistant	Tom and Renee Wasluck	570-239-2353	tom.renee11@gmail.com
Director's Assistant	John & Shawn Irons	405-747-4618	ironsline3414@gmail.com
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Director of the University	Lorrie Thomas and Dan Clark	954-599-5178	lorriemthomas@aol.com
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Enhancement Program			
Director of Motorist	James & Freida Clayson		james.clayson@gmail.com
Awareness			
Director of Finance	Randall and Janet Drake	720-480-2800	financedirector@gwrra.org
Directors of Rider Ed	Susan and St. George Huttman	828-368-2249	director-re@gwrra.org
Director Overseas	Allesandro Boveri & Mariarosa	93-33-537-0468	alboveri@gmail.com
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VA Chapters: 2022 Location List (Info as of Apr 2022 per VA District NL)

Chapter	Area / Location	Chapter Director	Phone Number & Email	Monthly Gathering
VA-A	Burke American Legion 3939 Oak St, Fairfax VA	Steve Hartsock (01/22)	703-6380-6086 shartsock9@gmail.com	4 th Sunday 10am Gathering Eat After?
VA-C	Newport News IHOP 15447 Warwick Blvd 23608	John & Lynn Floyd (01/21)	757-838-0607 crayonjohnfloyd@gmail.com	2nd Sunday 4pm Social/Eating 5pm Gathering
VA-D	Richmond Candelas Pizzeria & Ristorante Italiano 14235 Midlothian Turnpike, Midlothian	Fritz Sassine & Iris Guillet (01/18)	804-938-9183 fritz.sassine@gmail.com	4th Wednesday 6pm Social/Eating 7pm Gathering
VA-E	Fredericksburg Castiglia's Italian Restaurant & Pizzeria, 10705 Courthouse Rd, Fredericksburg	Joseph & Peggy Herron (01/22)	540-424-5852 jdherron6919@yahoo.com www.battlefieldwings.com	3rd Wednesday 6pm Social/Eating 7pm Gathering
VA-F	Winchester Stephens City Diner 5460 Main Street, Stephens City	Stephanie Davis (08/14)	540-664-6430 davis.stephanie80@yahoo.com	4th Sunday 8am Social/Eating 9am Gathering
VA-H	Abingdon Moose Lodge 15605 Porterfield Hwy, Abingdon	Paul & Dorothy Baker (11/01)	276-628-6047 09nellie@comcast.net	2nd Tuesday 6pm Social/Eat 7pm Gathering
VA- I	Manassas Great American Buffet 8365 Sudley Rd. Manassas	David & Robin Hotaling (1/20)	646-406-1200 Rah889195@yahoo.com davidsgoldwing02@gmail.com	2nd Sunday 11am Gathering Social/Eat After
VA-K	Roanoke Great 611 Steak Company 3830 Franklin Rd.	Jim Dailey & Susan Stuppiello (6/19)	540-230-0511 DaileyENT@yahoo.com susanstuppiello@gmail.com	2nd Monday 6pm Social/Eating 7pm Gathering
VA-I.	Chesapeake Golden Corral 101 Volvo Pkwy, Chesapeake	Dan Clark & Lorrie Thomas (1/20)	757-343-1783 (D) 954-599-5178 (L) Wingernut93@aol.com lorriemthomas@aol.com	4th Tuesday 6pm Social/Eating 7pm Gathering
VA-R	Harrisonburg Location to be Announced (Varies)	Gary Hoover (01/18)	540-975-0223 hoov@shentel.net	1st Sunday Time TBD
VA-V	Bedford NO FOOD Bedford Church of God 1212 E Main St, Bedford	Jonathan Whitworth (04/17)	540-425-0028 OtterRideVAV@gmail.com	3rd Sunday 2pm Gathering Eat Before/After
VA-X	Salem Riverside Evangelical Methodist Church 1920 Lucas Street, Salem	Larry Stanton (01/15)	304-922-1401 Larry25022@gmail.com	1st Saturday 3pm Gathering Eat Before/After

State Rally Information/Links:

District Link	Dates	Information link
Alabama	Sep 29 –	https://gwrraalabama.org/al-rally-2022
Alaska	Oct 1, 2022 July 21-24,	https://wingsinthecariboo.com
North West	2022	ittps://wingsintnecamboo.com
Coast District		
Arizona	Aug 26-28, 2022	https://www.gwrraaz.org/district/rallys/2022-4-corners-multi-district-rally/
<u>Arkansas</u>	May 19-21, 2022	https://www.argwrra.org/Flyers/2022_District_Rally%20Flyer_1.pdf
<u>California</u>	May 26-30, 2022	https://gwrra-ca.com/district-events-2/
<u>Colorado</u>	Aug 26-28, 2022	https://www.gwrraaz.org/district/rallys/2022-4-corners-multi-district-rally/
Connecticut		
<u>Delaware</u>	Jan 13-16, 2022	https://gwrra-md-de.org/flyer/WT22.pdf
<u>Florida</u>	Mar 17-19, 2022	http://www.gwrraflorida.com/rally.html
<u>Georgia</u>	TBD	
Hawaii		
<u>Idaho</u>	TBD	
<u>Illinois</u>	Jan 21-22, 2022	Flyer: https://gwrra-ildistrict.com/uploads/3/5/1/3/35139771/wwu_2022_updated_11-3.jpg
		Registration: https://gwrra-ildistrict.com/uploads/3/5/1/3/35139771/www_registration_updated.jpg
<u>Indiana</u>	Feb 25-26, 2022	http://www.indianaonwings.org/events.phtml
<u>lowa</u>	TBD	
<u>Kansas</u>	TBD	https://gwrraks.com/kansas-district-rally
<u>Kentucky</u>	Aug 26-28, 2022	Kentucky District Blast
<u>Louisiana</u>	Apr 7-9, 2022	http://www.gwrra-la.net/rally-page.html
Maine		
Maryland	Jan 13-16, 2022	https://gwrra-md-de.org/flyer/WT22.pdf
Massachusetts		
Michigan	Aug 19 – 20, 2021	
<u>Minnesota</u>	Jul 22-23, 2022	http://mngwrra.us/Rally/Default
Mississippi		
<u>Missouri</u>	Jun 2-4, 2022	https://missourigwrra669588579.files.wordpress.com/2021/11/2022-gwrra-missouri-wingin-the-ozarks-registration-f illable-21.11.01.pdf
Montana	TBD	http://www.gwrra-mtdistrict.org/page8
Nebraska		ittp.// www.gwita-intuistrict.org/pageo
Nevada		
New	TBD	https://nerally.weebly.com/
Hampshire		inceptify incomprised by the control of the control
New Jersey		
New Mexico	Aug 26-28, 2022	https://www.gwrraaz.org/district/rallys/2022-4-corners-multi-district-rally/
New York	TBD	
North Carolina	TBD	

North Dakota	Jul 22-23, 2022	http://mngwrra.us/Rally/Default
<u>Ohio</u>	Jun 16-18, 2022	https://ohiogwrra.org/rides-rides/
<u>Oklahoma</u>	TBD	
<u>Oregon</u>		
Pennsylvania District	Sep 8-10, 2022	http://www.gwrrapadist.org/PADist/2022%20Time%20to%20Ride%20Save%20the%20Date.pdf
Rhoda Island		
South Carolina	Jun 2-4, 2022	Https://drive.google.com/file/d/1qjDt5uOiYJ3CUZRwIJxZ0Ep6 Nx3kIJL/view
South Dakota		
<u>Tennessee</u> <u>District</u>	April 28-30, 2022	https://storage.googleapis.com/wzukusers/user- 34843439/documents/ef81367b0fc6421e9ec8748241768161/Registration%20Form%202022%20Ramsey.pdf
<u>Texas</u>	Apr 28-30, 2022	http://www.gwrra-txw.org/
<u>Utah</u>	Aug 26-28, 2022	https://www.gwrraaz.org/district/rallys/2022-4-corners-multi-district-rally/
<u>Vermont</u>	TBD	https://nerally.weebly.com/
Virginia	TBD	
<u>Washington</u>		
West Virginia	TBD	
Wisconsin	TBD	
Wyoming	Jun 16-18, 2022	http://www.gwrra-mtdistrict.org/page18
<u>Canadian</u> <u>Atlantic</u>	Jul 28-30, 2022	https://www.canadianatlanticregion.org/i/Rally%20Bulletin%202022.pdf
<u>Americade</u>	Jun 7-11, 2022	







Arkansas District Rally May 19-21, 2022

Harrison Arkansas!
The "HEART" of Arkansas Motorcycling Country!



Grand Prize

\$500 prize

Early Registration must be POSTMARKED by April 16, 2022

See hotel information on the reverse of this page

	Rider:	itate:ZIP:	GWRRA#Phone:	Chap: Age: Chap: Age: Chap: Age: Direct Miles to this Rally:
Registration Fee	COMP REGISTE	RATION for DD's & DCOY's	Available Training (Good f	or levels program)
GWRRA Mbr Pos Non-Member DAY PASS (Which	ted after 04/16/22	\$25 X =\$ 0 \$30 X =\$ \$35 X =\$) \$20 X =\$	Registration co NOTE: Masks MAY b	\$25.00 X = \$ onfirmed on a first come basis. be required during classroom time.
Friday Night Dinner \$20 X =\$ Saturday Level 4 Breakfast \$6 X =\$ (Meal Reservations are by Apr 16 postmarked registration only)		Advanced Rider Course One Up Two Up	\$40.00 per Bike = \$	
Friday 50/25/15	/10 (30 tickets) ally, 20 tickets for \$10	\$10 X=\$	Trike Rider Course One Up Two Up	\$40.00 per Trike = \$
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		\$20 X =\$at Closing-Must be present)	Record the Total T	raining Fee to the left!
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Send Form with payment to:	Randall Drake, Treas. 3710 Rear Tooth St Bentonville, AR 72712	OR SCAN & EMAIL TO: HookelOnDix@gmail.com 479-224-6240	Exp Date (MM/YY):/_	CVV#: Billing ZIP e back, or 4 digit # on the front for AMEX)

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Rider:

property which I/we damage. (Please sign below in the appropriate space)

Aug 11:2011

Agreement: The undersigned agrees to comply with the ideals and rules governing this event and to hold harmless the GWRRA, its officers,

representatives, co-sponsoring organizations, and property owners for any loss or injury to self or property, and agrees to assume responsibility for any

Date:

THE ASSUMER USE CHUY. Protect to Lot

2022 Arkansas District Rally host hotels are:

Quality Inn Hotel and Conference Center

1210 US 62/65, Harrison, AR | Phone: 870-741-7676

Room Rate = \$92 (plus taxes)

Hampton Inn

121 AR-43 East, Harrison, AR | Phone 870-365-0505 Room Rate = \$110 (plus taxes)

Holiday Inn

117 AR-43 East, Harrison, AR | Phone 870-741-3636

Room Rate = \$107 (plus taxes)

Contact hotels directly and request the "GWRRA Rally" rate! (Please note, this rate is not available with online booking or 800 number.)

Rooms are limited, so book early to reserve your room choice.



Arkansas District Rally

May 19 – 21, 2022 Harrison, Arkansas Tentative Schedule

Revised 1/14/2022



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8:00 am - 11:00 am - Guided Ride(s) (with photographer set up on route?)
  9:00 am - 10:00 am - Rider Ed Class: "Motorcycle Crash Scene Response"
  10:00 am - 11:00 am - Training: "Checks & Balances" - Chapter Finances
  12:00 pm - 4:00 pm - TRC Classroom Session (4 hrs)
   1:00 pm - 4:30 pm - Registration Open
  1:00 pm - 4:30 pm - Vendors Open
   4:30 pm - 5:30 pm - Opening Ceremony (Flag Presentation by Jack Williams Veterans Resource Center)
  6:30 pm - 8:00 pm - Welcome Party @ City Park (Hot Dogs/Hamburgers, Music & TCBY Ice Cream ?)
          Welcome Party is currently in discussion with Chamber of Commerce, and not yet confirmed.
Friday, May 20
  8:00 am - 4:30 pm Registration Open
  8:00 am - 1:00 pm Medic First Aid for Levels Program (5 hours)
8:00 am - 1:00 pm - TRC Range Course (5 hours)
  8:00 am - 11:00 am - Guided Ride(s) (with Photographer set up on route)
  9:00 am - 4:30 pm Vendors Open
  9:00 am - 12:00 pm Games (TBD) (Beanbag Baseball? Ring Toss? Corn Hole? Washer Toss? Other?)

    1:00 pm - 4:30 pm - ARC Classroom Session (3.5 hrs)

   2:00 pm - 3:00 pm - Rider Ed Class: "Co-Rider" (Dorrie Werner & Sherry Smith/- for Levels Program)
   3:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Rider Ed Class: (TBD 1hr)
  5:00 pm - 6:45 pm - Evening Dinner (Western Siz buffet @ Hotel Conference Ctr)
  6:45 pm - 7:00 pm - FRIDAY 50/50 Drawing (@ Hotel Conference Ctr)
  8:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Light Parade from Quality Inn Hotel to Fairgrounds (escorted)
  8:30 pm - 8:45 pm - Light Show Judging @ Fairgrounds
   7:30 am - 9:30 am - Level IV Breakfast (2 hrs) (Sponsored by __ ?)
  8:00 am - 1:00 pm Registration Open
  8:00 am - 11:00 am Guided Ride
  9:00 am - 3:00 pm Vendors Open

    10:00 am - 3:30 pm ARC Range Course (5 hours with break for lunch)

   10:00 am - 12:00 pm - Pinewood Derby Race (Cub Scouts vs Gold Wingers)
   1:00 pm - 3:00 pm - Games (Beanbag Baseball? Ring Toss? Corn Hole? Washer Toss? Other?)
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4:30 pm - 5:30 pm - Closing Ceremony (Retire flags, 50/50 Drawing & Grand Prize Drawing)

Rally Site & Host Hotel

Hilton Garden Inn

115 Destination Blvd, Anderson SC 29621



All Hotel Reservations can be made through the following website:

https://group.hiltongardeninn.com/pd72qw

General Phone # 864-964-0300

Rates starting at: \$99 plus tax per night *

*(does not include breakfast)

Enjoy the Electric City and Scenic Upstate South Carolina

For Rally Information Contact:

John & Karen Higgins, SC District Directors 98 Humers Lune, Anderson SC 29625 864-356-7809 jwhigg@charter.net

For Vendor Information Contact:

Rhonda Weed, SC Rally Vendor Coordinator 864-304-1292, gwrra.sc.vendors@gmail.com

For More Details, Check us out at:

http://www.gwrrasc.com

36th Annual

South Carolina District Rally

"Wingin' on the Red Carpet"

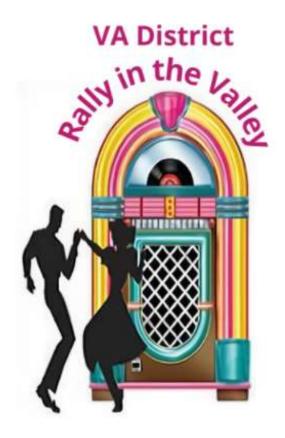


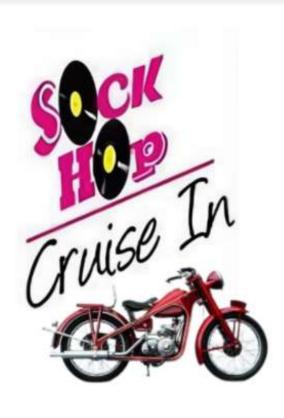
June 2, 3 & 4, 2022 Anderson, South Carolina "The Electric City" Lights, Camera, Action!

Grand Prize: \$1000

Need not be present to win







Join All The Cool Cats and Make The Scene! We've Got All the Goods:

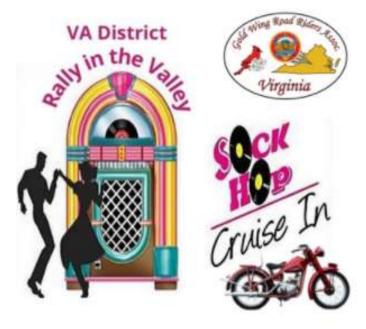
- Games
- · Thursday Night Pizza Party
- Ice Cream Social
- ARC/TRC On Bike Courses*
- MFA/CPR Course*
- Modules/Seminars

- Hospitality Room
- Guided & Self-Guided Rides
- Costume Contest (Group & Individual)
- · Friday night dance
- Trivia & WINGO
- Vendors

Costume Categories: Best Group; Best Danny; Best Sandy

October 6-8, 2022

Lynchburg Grand Hotel Lynchburg, VA



Lynchburg Grand Hotel

601 Main Street, Lynchburg Virginia 24504

Join all of the **Cool Cats** and **Make The Scene!**We have Got All The Goods and traditions that you have come to expect in the Rally but have we got some new stuff for you!

Get your Bobby Socks and Chinos ready for the Costume Contest (Best Group—Best Danny—Best Sandy)

"Rally is the time, is the place,

> is the motion! Rally is the way we are feeling!"

Reserve Hotel Rooms by August 15, 2022. After that date, reservations will be taken on a space available basis. Price is \$110.00 per night.

Call hotel reservations at 434-528-2500 and ask for the special "GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS" rate.

Let's Go To The Hop! for your 34th Annual Rally in the Valley!

- Fun & Games
- Pizza Party & Ice-Cream Social
- . "Drive-In" Movie Night
- ARC / TRC
 On-Bike Courses*
- MFA/CPR Course *
- Master's Breakfast *
- Saturday Banquet *
- Vendors
- · Hospitality Room

- Trivia & WINGO!!
- On-Bike Games
- Guided Rides
- Self-Guided Rides
- Daily 50 / 50
- Friday Night Dance
- Modules & Seminars
- Additional charges apply. MUST be preregistered.

ARC (Advanced Rider Course) and TRC (Trike Rider Course)

(Must be pre-registered & pre-paid)

Classroom portion will be THURSDAY, October 6 at 12:00—4:00.

Range portion will be FRIDAY, October 7 at 8:00-12:00.

Cost for either course is \$50 (Co-Riders are free). Full riding gear, CURRENT Motorcycle license, proof of Insurance & Registration are required to take either class.

CPR/MFA Class (Must be pre-registered & pre-paid)

The CPR/Medic First-Aid class will be on **Saturday**, **October 8 at 8:30-12:30**.

The cost for the course is \$30 per person.

MAXIMUM OF TWELVE (12) PER ARC/TRC/MFA CLASS

NO REFUNDS UNLESS CLASS IS CANCELED BY INSTRUCTOR

Master's Breakfast (Must be pre-registered & pre-paid)

Be recognized for your achievements at the Master's Breakfast on Saturday morning, October 8 at 7:00—8:30. \$15 per person. There will be a guest speaker, gifts and door prizes.

Sit-Down Banquet Dinner (Must be pre-registered & pre-paid)

Saturday, October 8 at 5:45—7:00. The cost of the dinner is \$20 per person.

PRINT	Rider	Co-Rider
Name		
Mobile #		
GWRRA#		
Chapter		
Position		
Address		
Arrival Day		
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First RITV		

RELEASE FORM	(Must be signed by	all registrants and	returned
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I/We agree to hold harmless GWRRA, The Virginia District, the Lynchburg Grand Hotel and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property by reason of participating in this event.

Rider Signature:	Date:
Co-Rider Signature:	Date:

Summary	Tally
Registration	
Banquet	
Master's B'fast	
Sat 50/50	
ARC	
TRC	
MFA	
Shirts	
Total	

Mail registration with check payable to:

GWRRA Virginia District

Roman Paryz 331 Paine St.

Newport News, VA 23608

OR

Preferred Easy Pay Option Secure Online Credit Card https://gwrrava.square.site



Registration Prices	Mailed Before	Member	Non- Member
Early	Aug 1	\$50	\$60
Regular /On Site	*	\$60	\$70
Day Passes		\$25	\$30
Master's Breakfast	- 1	\$15	-
Banquet Dinner		\$20	-

Registration	Price	Qty	Total
Member			
Non-Member	Ĩ		
Child Under 12	\$10		
TOTAL			

Refunds incur \$10 fee. No refunds after 1 Aug.

- 3	Saturday	50/50 T	ickets
M	UST BE P	RESENT	TO WIN
Tx	Price	Qty	Total
25	\$10		
60	\$20		
100	\$30		

Rider Education				
Course	Price	Qty	Total	
ARC	\$50	- 275		
TRC	\$50			
MFA	\$30			

	Rally	Shirts-Pre	Order Only	
_	Size	Price	Qty	Total
	5	\$15		
	M	\$15		
Short	L	\$15		
Sleeve	XL	\$15		
	ZX	\$18		
T-Shirt	3X	\$18		
	4X	\$20		
	5X	\$20		
	5	517		
	M	\$17		
Long	L	\$17		
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Sleeve	2X	\$20		
T-Shirt	3X	520		
	4X	\$22		
	SX	\$22		
	5	521		
	M	\$21		
Short	1	521		
1	XL	521		
Sleeve	2K	\$24		
Polo	3 X	524		
	4X	526		
	SX	526		
	Shi	t Total		1

(RITV 2022 Reg v3)

Recalls:

NHTSA Recall ID Number: 22V217

Manufacturer :Piaggio Group Americas, Inc. Subject :Decreased Brake Performance

MakeModelModel YearsPIAGGIOMP3 5002020-2021

NHTSA Recall ID Number: 22V207

Manufacturer : Triumph Motorcycles America, Ltd. **Subject :** Rear Brake Disc Bolts May Loosen

Make	Model	Model Years
TRIUMPH	SPEED TRIPLE RR	2022
TRIUMPH	SPEED TRIPLE RS	2022

NHTSA Recall ID Number : 22V175

Manufacturer: Arcimoto Inc

Subject: Brake Pressure Switch May Fail

Make	Model	Model Years
ARCIMOTO	DELIVERATOR	2020-2022
ARCIMOTO	FUV	2019-2022
ARCIMOTO	RAPID RESPONDER	2021-2022
ARCIMOTO	ROADSTER	2020-2022

NHTSA Recall ID Number: 22V132

Manufacturer: Ubco Bikes US LLC

Subject: Loose Gear May Contact Hub Motor

Make	Model	Model Years				
UBCO	2X2 ADV	2021-2022				

NHTSA Recall ID Number: 22V160

Manufacturer: Harley-Davidson Motor Company

Subject: Brake Fluid Warning Labels May Detach/FMVSS 122

Make	Model	Model Years
HARLEY-DAVIDSON	XL1200NS	2021
HARLEY-DAVIDSON	XL1200X	2021-2022
HARLEY-DAVIDSON	XL883N	2021-2022



Chapter Tri Schedule: 2022

Event Name / Location	Date/	MC	Volunteers	Volunteers	Meeting Location /		
Event Hame / Location	Start Time	Required	First Name	First Name	Time / Notes		
Smithfield Sprint	Saturday	печиней	st .tailic	THIS I VAINE	Time / Notes		
Smithfield, VA	4/2/22	3			In The Books		
Jillianicia, VA	10am	3			III THE BOOKS		
Rumpus in Bumpass	Saturday						
Sprint and Olympic	4/23/22	4					
Lake Anna, VA	9am	7					
Kinetic	Saturday						
Lake Anna, VA	5/7/22	6					
Eake Airia, VA	7am	J					
Kinetic	Sunday						
Lake Anna, VA	5/8/22	4					
Lake Ailia, VA	7am	7					
General Smallwood	Saturday						
Olympic/Sprint	5/21/22	4					
Indian Head, MD	7am	4					
Jamestown Triathlon	Saturday						
Olympic/Sprint	6/18/22	4					
Jamestown, VA	7am	4					
Jamestown, VA Jamestown Triathlon	Saturday						
Olympic/Sprint	6/19/22	4					
Jamestown, VA	7am	4					
Colonial Beach Triathlon,	Saturday						
Sprint/Olympic	7/16/22	3					
Colonial Beach, VA	6:50am	3					
Colonial Beach Triathlon,	Sunday						
Sprint/Olympic	7/17/22	3					
Colonial Beach, VA	6:50am	5					
Culpeper Triathlon	Saturday	1					
Sprint/Olymic	7/30/22	4					
Culpeper, VA	7:30am						
Patriots Triathlon	Saturday	6					
Festival	9/10/22	6					
Williamsburg, VA	7am Sunday						
Patriots Triathlon	Sunday	4					
Festival	9/11/22	4					
Williamsburg, VA	7am						
Giant Acorn Triathlon	Saturday						
Festival	9/24/22	4					
Lake Anna, VA	8am						
Giant Acorn Triathlon	Sunday						
Festival	9/25/22	4					
Lake Anna, VA	8am						

Pleasants Landing	Saturday			
	10/8/22	4		
Lake Anna, VA	9am			
Kinetic Collegiate Cup	Saturday			
	10/15/22	3		
Smith Mountain Lake, VA	8am			

^(*) Different events on the same day.

^() Volunteers still needed for the event.



The Kinetic series (marked in light blue above) has said that they will allow the use of trikes this year as the drag bike for their events. This will allow our trike members to join us in our support adventures. The trike will follow the last bicycle out of the pen and stay with that bike unless it passes another bike, then the trike would stay behind the passed bicycle. Claude asked for this change to allow more of our members to participate with us at the triathlons.



Recipe of the Month:



From Our Members:

MOTORIST AWARENESS INSIGHT article for APRIL 2022

by Gary Ballou, Assistant Director, GWRRA Motorist Awareness Programs

These early days of Spring can be especially hazardous for motorcyclists. We need to refresh our own riding skills, while at the same time dodging sections of roads filled with rough patches, potholes, and the road crews that are out trying to fix them.

While you're out there dodging obstacles, be mindful that the motoring public is dodging the same hazards at the same time. As if they weren't distracted enough, in much of the country they have also had several months to forget that they are sharing the roads with motorcycles.

Never forget that part of making yourselves more obvious to other vehicles is up to you! Please don't cover yourselves in Black from head to toe! If Orange is not your preference, how about Hi-Viz Green, Red, Yellow, Silver or White? My jackets are bright Red and Hi-Viz Green. My helmets are Silver & Silver

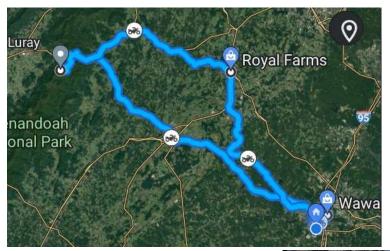
In the month of May, the US Department of Transportation, as well as most state & Departments, promote some type of "Motorcycle Awareness" program. With that in mind, I (again) remind you that the second Saturday of May (this year on May 14, 2022) is GWRRA National Motorcycle/Motorist Awareness Day. Every Chapter & District is encouraged to have something planned for that day, or at least some Motorist Awareness activity in May. There are lots of ideas & tools on the GWRRA Motorist Awareness website at https://www.map-gwrra.org/ While you're at it, you may still have time to contact your local governments about declaring an "official" day of observance. There are also sample "proclamations" on that website. Try to get yourselves on the agenda at an April or May meeting of your local state, city, township or other local government bodies. Make it a photo-op! Post your photos and a short story about Motorcycle Awareness in your Chapter and District newsletters and on social media.

Whatever activity you choose; the most important thing is to HAVE FUN WITH IT!

Some helpful additional web resources are at:

https://www.nhtsa.gov/road-safety/motorcycles#the-topic-motorist-awareness https://crashstats.nhtsa.dot.gov/Api/Public/ViewPublication/812936 https://www.nsc.org/road-safety/safety-topics/motorcycle-safety

Meeting Friends For A Cause



On Saturday the 16th, Eric & Nancy, Butch,
Frankie, Claude, Nolan, Lloyd and I met up at 9 am
and headed to Skyline Drive for Picnic in the Park.
This is a Chapter A - Burke event that engages
different chapters for a fun social lunch to collect
can goods for the Rappahannock County Food
Pantry. We met up with the Burke and the
Manassas Chapters where I counted at least 25
people in attendance. We had a very nice ride up

to the Pinnacles Picnic grounds and took a different route back home. The weather was fantastic for a great ride and event. Claude and I pulled our



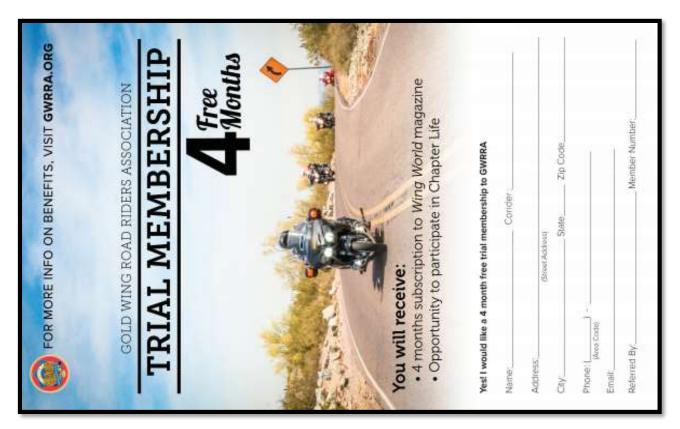
Visiting with friends "Priceless"

trailers and we provided seating and camp tables for all of us while the others





had to use those hard bench picnic tables. I hope you can join us next year.



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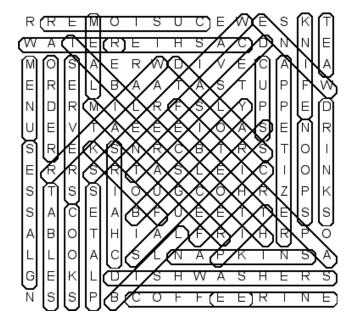
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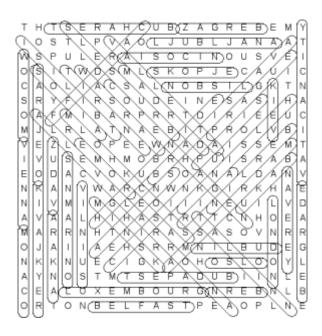
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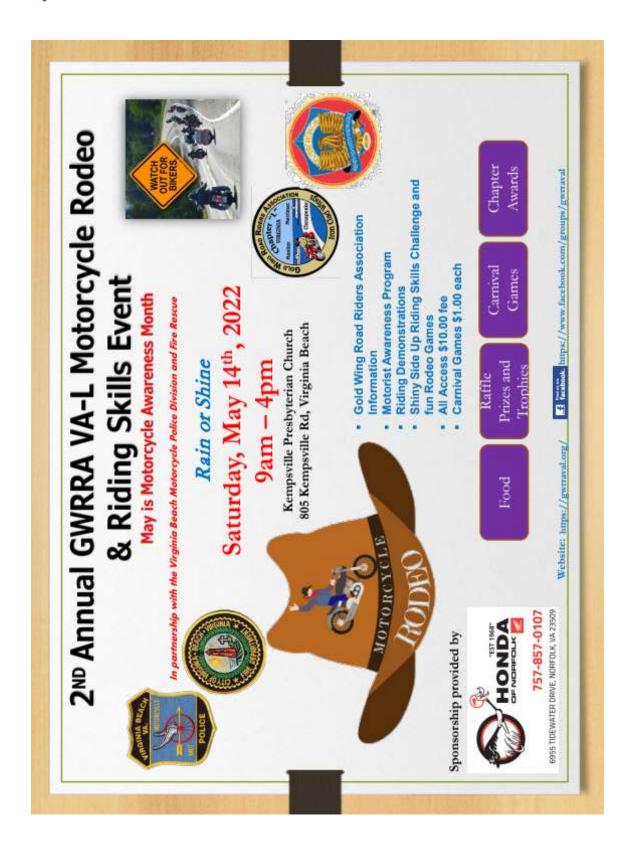




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https://wing-ding.org

Event Flyers:



Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity®

Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity's RIDE VIRGINIA 2022 Poker Run

Hello Bikers and Habitat for Humanity Supporters:

WE HAVE A DATE – May 21 – for the Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity's 15th annual RIDE VIRGINIA 2022 Poker Run. This is a "rain or shine" event. However, if you don't like the weather or can't make the Ride, you can draw and play your hand at the Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity ReStore in the morning or at Strangeways Brewery by 1:30 pm.

The registration fee is still \$25 for the rider and \$20 for a playing passenger. Each <u>pre-registered</u> participant is guaranteed a poker hand, Ride T-shirt, Ride patch and/or bar and a door prize ticket to be drawn at Strangeways Brewery. Since the kitchen facilities at Strangeways is limited, there will be food trucks on site for food purchases. You can pre-register for the Poker Run online at our website using the following link www.RideVirginia.com or you can register at the event on the day of the Ride and still receive the items listed above.

If you need a T-shirt size larger than 2X, you should pre-register online so we can order the T-shirt and have it for you on the day of the Ride at the Habitat ReStore.

Ride Day will start at 9:00 am on May 21 at the Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity ReStore, 2378 Plank Road, Fredericksburg, VA 22401, next to Gold's Gym and will end at Strangeways Brewery, 350 Landsdowne Rd, Fredericksburg, VA 22401. You need to have your poker hand back to Strangeways Brewery by 1:30 pm for it to be counted. The prize for the best hand AND the worst hand is still \$250 EACH. We will be selling 50/50 raffle tickets for \$5.00 each.

We will have one group led ride departing at 10:00 in the morning. If you prefer, we will have maps so you can still ride by yourself or with a group of your friends.

Thanks for your support in the past! We hope to see you again on May 21, 2022!

The Habitat Poker Run Committee Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity



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SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

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Location X

Twin Lakes State Park is near Farmville, about an hour southwest of Richmond.

To get there, take U.S. 360 West of Burkeville to Route 613 (Indian Springs Rd.). Then go east on Route 629 (Twin Lakes Rd.). Its address is 788 Twin Lakes Rd., Green Bay, VA 23942-2525. Latitude, 37.174829, Longitude, -78.273242.

https://www.dcr.virginia.gov/state-parks/twin-lakes

In the heart of central Virginia, this 548-acre, historic park offers many cultural, environmental and recreational activities. Overnight accommodations include a 33-site campground and 11 climate-controlled cabins. Visitors enjoy swimming, fishing, hiking, boating and lakeside picnicking.

RV—Tent—Cabins for Rent—Those that can, bring chairs—Pavion has seating for 65

Chapter Directors:

Please put this on your Chapter calendar and pass on the information at your Gatherings.

We will need a head count by September 7, 2022

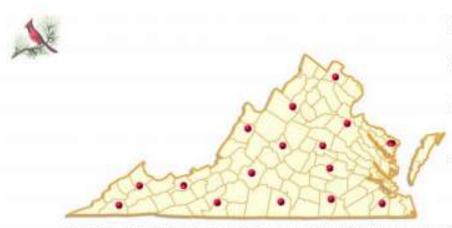
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We've taken 15 great ride destinations, along with maps, nearby attractions and put them into booklet form (similar to a passport).

Here's how it works: When you visit one of the destinations in the "Passport" between February 1st and October 31st, answer the question and write the answer in your passport. Visit at least 12 of the 15 locations to qualify as a "finisher", and get a "Virginia Grand Tour" ride pin and/or year bar.



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