2015 Ga. District "Chapter of the Year"



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GA CHAPTER I-2



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I-2 Team

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CHAPTER I-2 LAVONIA, GA

Director's Notes

FRIENDS FOR FUN, SAFETY AND KNOWLEDGE

The Georgia District will have an Education Day April 7th 2018 at the Franklin County Recreation Department, 557 Rocky Ford Road, Carnesville, Ga. 30521.

Two on bike courses will be offered on this day.

ARC Renewal Class: This is a 4-5 hour class on the track only; no class room.

Your ARC certification will need to be current to take this class. The class will start at 7:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Please be on the track by 7:30 AM ready to start.

Full TRC class starts at 7:30 AM and runs until 5 PM. Please be in the classroom by 7:30 am.

We will require a 20 dollar deposit for the ARC and TRC Classes. We will refund the 20 dollars if you take the class; therefore all classes at the education days will be **FREE**.

Remember that you must pre-register for the ARC and TRC classes.

A Road Captain seminar will be conducted starting at 2:00 pm. Please be in the classroom by 1:45 PM.

If you have questions about any of these classes, contact Frank Brothers at <u>706-491-5205</u>.

As always Ride safe.

Frank & Melinda Brothers Georgia District Educators, MEDIC Coordinators, Certified University Instructor





FRIENDS FOR FUN

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Chapter I-2 Mascots
Bucky & Cupcake Blacksheep

Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge



Doris & Rob Dougher Chapter Ride Coordinators





Ride/Activity Survey

GWRRA has decided some of the problems that Chapters are having is the lack of activity. This includes rides and other out of meeting activities. Since we have had a hard time getting people out for rides and suggestions for activities are not always flowing that a Survey might be helpful to put some dates on our to-do list. Please fill out the questions and bring them to the meeting or email me your answers and requests.

PLEASE CIRCLE as many that apply and if you can indicate preferred that would Help.

Questions

Do you want to ride anymore? Yes or No

Do you realize that when we do an activity/ride you can come on 2-3-4 wheels: - Yes or No

What Day of the week is better for you: **Sun – Mon – Tues – Wed – Thurs – Fri – Sat** (please note as many as possible but let me know the best)

Do you like: **4 hour rides – Day rides – Overnite Rides –how about 3-4 day rides.** (please note as many as possible but let me know the best)

Do you prefer Breakfast Rides - Lunch Rides - Dinner Rides

Type of rides Scenic - Parks (local – State – National) – Museums - Fairs (example Apple – Onion – Corn)
Please list all the activities you would like to do with your Chapter and other members of GWRRA
Examples- Wing Ding, Georgia District Rally, Other state Rallies, other Chapter gatherings, 4 to 7 day trip like

My Example - One activity I would like to see our Chapter do is a <u>Progressive Dinner</u>. 3 families would host this with one serving Appetizers, then drive to another home for Main Course and a 3 home for Desserts. Everyone coming would be asked to bring one item.

PLEASE LET US KNOW WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO

We are going to try and do something so it might be something you would like to participate in. You can email Rob Dougher at rddougher@juno.com or Frank Brothers or bring your input to the meeting.

This means we would also like input from the ones that have gone away for the winter.

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to the coast.

Survey Results

We had a nice group at our gathering on Saturday including 4 visitors from Chapter E – SC that filled out the survey that I sent out in our newsletter. We had including 18 surveys with answers. I won't go over the questions but I am posting the answers. If you didn't make our gathering and would like to send in suggestions you can find the survey in January Newsletter on our website or text me at rddougher@juno.com and I will send you the questionnaire.

What day is preferred to Ride?

Sunday-7, Monday-5, Tuesday-5, Wednesday-7, Thursday-4, Firday-11, Saturday-14

Our 4 guest from SC, Sunday-4, Wednesday-1, Thursday-2, Saturday-4.

Preferred length of Ride.

4 hours-13, Day Ride-10, Over Nite-8, 3-4 days-4

4 hours-2, Day Ride-4, Over Nite-2, 3-4 days-2 (visitors SC)

Dedicated rides for Food

Bkft-5, Lunch-14, Dinner-5

Bkft-2, Lunch-4, Dinner-2 (visitors SC)

Interested in these type of rides.

Parks (Local-ST-National) – 15, Fairs-2, Wing Ding-4, other Chapters-6, Rallies-8, Museums-3

Parks (Local-ST-National) – 3, Fairs-2, Wing Ding-1, other Chapters-1, Rallies-1, Museums-3 (SC)

Other Suggested Rides (from everyone)

Barber Motorcycle Museum, Ala-4

Wheels through Time, NC

Mighty 8th AF Museum, Poole, GA

Ft Benning Museum, NC

Stone Mountain-2

New Found Gap, NC

Blue Ridge Railroad

Red Top Mountain

Cleveland Canyon

Chattanooga Coo Choo

Southern Bell Boat

Water Fall Rides

Pigeon Falls (over nite)

Lake Lure, NC

House of Flags, Columbus, SC

Ninety Six Nat'l Battlefields

Three Corner Ride

Fla Trip using rte A1A

Americade, NY

Memorial Day Ride, Washington DC

Warner Robbins Museum

Any Air Shows

Go to a Drive-In on the motorcycle.

Andersonville & Plains, GA

This is not bad for a start now get you bikes warmed up and lets RIDE.

Please send more ideas.

Rob Dougher Chapter I-2 Ride Coordinator

See Attached on next Page.

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Lets Take A Ride

Fill in any information

Places to go:

Day for a Ride:

Time for a ride:

Call 708-481-6866 or Text rddougher@juno.com



Rider Education

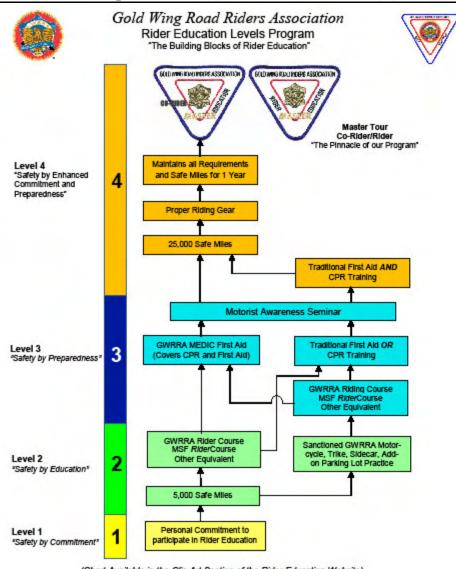


Seminars, and classes that are available at the Chapter Level.

- 1. 1. "Level Up" PPT Presentation
- 2. 2. Co-Rider Seminar
- 3. 3. Co-Rider-Two Seminar
- 4. 4. Riding With New and/or Inexperienced Riders
- 5. 5. Motorcycling for Mature Riders
- 6. 6. Seasoned (Mature) Rider Supplement
- 7. Road Captain Course
- 8. 8. Team Riding Seminar

- 9. "Dealing With Different Elements"
- 10. 10. Riding in the Heat
- 11. 11. Night Riding ...
- 12. 12. Motorcycle Crash Scene Response
- 13. 13. High Side Scenarios
- 14. 'Going, Going, Gone"
- 15. 15. Trailering Seminar
- 16. 16. Why_Motorist_Awareness_1_2013.ppt
- 17. "Think Motorcycles" ppt presentation

View your Rider Ed Level accomplishments: http://re2.gwrra.org/login_mem.php



(Chart Available in the Clip Art Section of the Rider Education Website)

Gold Wing Road Riders Association

February Birthdays

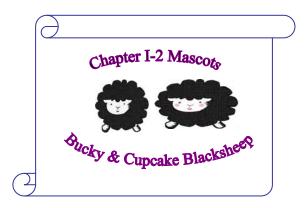
18th Ronnie Vaughn28th Phil Palmer



Congratulations Couple of the Year (COY) 2016



Congratulations to Doris & Rob Dougher for being selected as Chapter I-2's Couple of the Year 2016 (COY).



February Anniversaries

NA



Concerns

Debbie Vaughn is undergoing a 6 wk therapy of daily Antibiotic Infusions. Thanks everyone for your concerns and prayers. *Better Soon!!*



Frank talked with Chuck Reed this recently and he said that Anne was improving each day. All the broken bones were healed and she is doing Physical Therapy.

Condolences

Merrie Colvard wife and Life partner of Joe Colvard passed on Jan. 23rd at Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta, GA due to Liver failure. Merrie and Joe were Friends, former members and Team participants with GA I-2.





Up Coming Events



GA District, 2018 Chilly Willy & Officer's Conference, Toccoa, GA	January, 27
GA Chapter S's 2018 Sweetheart Fun Day, Winder, GA	February 10
Florida District 2018 Rally, 350 Northlake Blvd. ,Altamonte Springs, FL	March 22-24
The Georgia District will have an Education Day April 7th 2018 at the Franklin County Recreation Department, 557 Rocky Ford Road, Carnesville, GA. This is a chance to get the ride courses FREE.	April 7
Tennessee District 2018 Rally, Pigeon Forge, TN	April 12-14
South Carolina District 2018 Rally, Newberry, SC	May 3-5
Alabama District 2018 Rally , Mobile, AL	May 17-19
Georgia District 2018 Rally, Toccoa, GA	August 2-4
GWRRA "WING DING 40", Knoxville, TN	Aug.28- Sept.1
North Carolina District Rally" Wings Over the Smokies", Waynesville, NC	Sept. 27-29
Mississippi District 2018 Rally, Gulfport MS	October 11-13
Georgia District 2018 Wind Down.	?????

- Jan 20 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm
- Jan27 **2018 District "Chilly-Willy", and Officer's Conference**. To be held at "Georgia Baptist Conference Center", 462 SOMRISE WAY, Toccoa, GA. Conference starts at 9:00am.
- Jan 27 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- Feb 10 GA Chapter S "Sweetheart Fun Day". 10am-2pm Midway Christian Church, 1406 Hog-Mountain Road, Winder, GA.
- Feb 17 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "**Shoney's**". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm
- Feb 24 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- March 17 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- March 22-24 Florida District 2018 Rally, Hilton Orlando/Altamonte, 350 Northlake Blvd.,
 Altamonte Springs, FL.
- March 24 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- April 7 The Georgia District will have an Education Day at the Franklin County Recreation
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- April 12-14 Tennessee District 2018 Rally, "COUNTRY CASCADES", 204 Sharon Drive, Pigeon Forge, TN.
- April 21 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- April 28 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- May 3-5 South Carolina District Rally 2018, Newberry Firehouse Conference Center,
 1227 McKibben Street, Newberry, SC 29108.
- May 17-19 Alabama District 2018 Rally, Mobile Marriott 3101 Airport Boulevard, Mobile, AL.
- May 19 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "**Shoney's**". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- May 26 Memorial Day Weekend 2018, "Motorist Awareness Campaign" 8:30am-2:30pm at the "Georgia Welcome Center & Tourist Information", Lavonia, GA, approximately 2.5mi. I-85S From South Carolina/Georgia State-Line.
- May 26 Chapter I-2 Dinner Ride, following the "Motorist Awareness" campaign, Location T.B.A.
- June 16 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- June 23 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- July21 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm
- July 28 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- August 2-4Georgia District Wing-Fling 2018, Georgia Baptist Conference Center", 462 SOMRISE WAY, Toccoa, GA
- August 18 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- August 25 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- Sept. 15 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "**Shoney's**". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- Sept 22 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- Sept 27-29 **North Carolina District "Wings Over The Smokies 2018"**., Haywood County Fairgrounds, 758 Crabtree Rd, Waynesville, NC.
- Oct 20 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "**Shoney's**". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- Oct 27 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- November Georgia District 2018 Wind Down, date and time TBA ????
- No Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's" for November and December.
- November 17 The Ga Chapter I-2 end of Year 2018 Celebration, and Dinner this year we will be at the "<u>Georgia Baptist Conference Center</u>", 462 SOMRISE WAY, Toccoa, GA. Hope to see everyone there. We will start the activities at 4:30 pm. We will meet and mingle and eat at 6:00 PM.



Chapter Classifieds Bike & Non-Bike Items

Updated: February 16, 2018

1. NOLAN N-100 E & N-102 Modular full-shield Flip-up style helmets for sale. I have 1 Sm and 1 Med 2 N-100 E's with headsets. I only have 1 N-102, Small, and it doesn't have a headset. These helmets were used very little, and they're in perfect condition. All accessories, and manuals are with the helmets. I would like to have &99. ea., and this is less than 1/3 what I purchased them for. If you're interested, contact me. If you've got a deal I can't refuse, let's talk. Ronnie at Email: ronniev@bellsouth.net. (SEE PICTURES BELOW)



NOLAN-N100E_Sm.&Md. With Headsets



NOLAN-N102_Sm.
No Headset

February 2018



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Jan 28 - Feb 3						Groundhog Day (Unit	
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Feb 4 - 10							10:00am GA Chapter S's 2018 Sweetheart Fun Day (Midway Christian Church, 1406 Hog Mountai
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Feb 11 - 17				Valentine's Day (Unite			11:00am Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering (Shoney's, Lavonia, Ga.)
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Ronnie Vaughn's Birth	Presidents' Day (Unite					Chapter I-2's Monthly
Feb 18 - 24							
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Feb 25 - Mar 3				Phil Palmer Birthday			

March 2018



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Mar 4 - 10							
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Mar 11 - 17	Daylight Savings Time Begins			Frank Crane's Birthda			11:00am Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering (Shoney's, Lavonia, Ga.)
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Mar 18 - 24					Florida District 2018 Ra	lly (Hilton Orlando/Altamo Terry Swain's Birthda)	nte Springs, 350 Northlak Chapter I-2's Monthly
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Mar 25 - 31	Sally & Shane Funder						Shane Funderburke's