2015 Ga. District "Chapter of the Year"



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GA CHAPTER I-2



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Director's Notes

FRIENDS FOR FUN, SAFETY AND KNOWLEDGE

With the start of the New Year we will be making a lot of changes in the way that GWRRA operates. You will start to see some of the changes in the chapter gathering and on the rides. I hope that everyone will take the changes in a positive way. It will be what we as members do with the changes that make it fun for all of us. When you are asked to participate in activities please do so if you do not then you have missed out on some of the fun. It will take everyone to make all this work.

Rob Dougher will be our new ride Coordinator he will be asking you to help plan rides We need to plan at least 3 months at a time. All rides will be posted on the Chapter's web site and the District's web site, So that you can see what is going on in the District This way you can see if you would like to take a ride with another Chapter. You will always be welcome to ride with any chapter. So take advantage of all the rides that are out there.

As always Ride safe.

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Chapter I-2 Mascots
Bucky & Cupcake Blacksheep





Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge



Doris & Rob Dougher Chapter Ride Coordinators





On a note of interest, anyone who wants to write an article on anything dealing with our Chapter or motorcycling please do so and send it to Frank and if appropriate he will get it in our newsletter. I for one will follow with some articles to find out who wants to ride and where would you like to go. As we get older we seem to think we have seen it all and have done as much as we could but I believe there is still more places to see and even revisit. These are the times that we talk about, and then say in the same breath we are not doing anything, anymore. So like the younger days let us start making more memories and having more fun.

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

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to the coast.

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

Rob Dougher Chapter I-2 Ride Coordinator



Rider Education

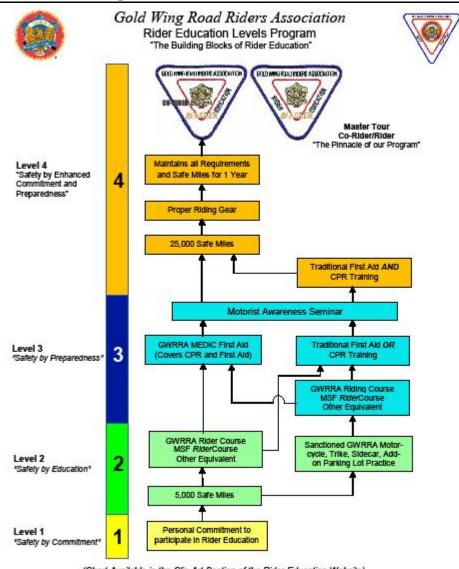


Seminars, and classes that are available at the Chapter Level.

- 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. 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



Gold Wing Road Riders Association

January Birthdays

John Shirley 9th 10th Larry Watkins 13th Gene Callahan

January Anniversaries

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Congratulations Couple of the Year (COY) 2016

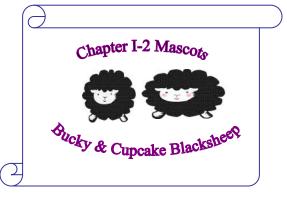


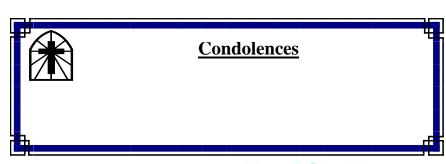
Congratulations to Doris & Rob Dougher for being selected as **Chapter I-2's Couple of the Year** 2016 (COY).



Concerns











Up Coming Events For 2018



| GA District, 2018 Chilly Willy & Officer's Conference, Toccoa, GA | January, 27 |
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| 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 |
| 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 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.

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- 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 "*Georgia Baptist Conference Center*", 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: January 18, 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. 95 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

January 2018



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| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| | Martin Luther King Day ♦ United States | | | | | ◆11:00AM - 1:00PM Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering (Shoney's, Lavonia, Ga.) |
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| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | Chapter I-2's Monthl ◆ Tme & Location to ◆ 9:00AM - 12:30PM "CHILLY WILLY" & GEORGIA OFFICERS CONFERENCE 2018 (Georgia Baptist Conference Center, 462 Sonrise Way, Toccoa, GA 30577, USA) |
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February 2018



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| 11 | 12 | 13 | Valentine's Day ♦ United States | 15 | 16 | ◆11:00AM - 1:00PM Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering (Shoney's, Lavonia, Ga.) |
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