

2013 Ga. District Chapter of the Year



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We had a great meeting at Shoney's last month with 16 members attending. Our dinner ride to Saddlers Cheek Bar B.Q was also good it was a nice ride to get there and the food was great. If you missed it you missed a good time

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The Ga Rally in Dillard Ga was the place to be this past week with a great Bar B.Q. dinner on Thursday night with a lot of things going on Friday & Saturday. Your Ga. District team did a great job as always. If you have not been to a Ga. Rally you really need to plan on going next year.

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During the closing events at the Rally your Chapter Directors were awarded the Senior Director award. We thank you for letting us be a part of this great Chapter, and GWRRR.

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We will let you know where the rally will be as soon as we find out. We know it will be in Ga. and it will be on Father's Day Weekend, June 18-20, 2015, so mark it down.

**Membership Enhancement
& 2012 GA-I2 C.O.Y.**
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Our next meeting will be at Shoney's July 19.

**Motorist Awareness "MA"
& Hospitality**
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We are planning a Ride to Maggie Valley, NC. July 26, to the Wheels of Time museum and a picnic lunch. We will leave Lavonia Exxon at 8 am on the 26 of July & return late the same day. Hope you can come.

**2014 GA-I2 Couple
of the Year**
Linda & Larry Watkins

Till next time !!

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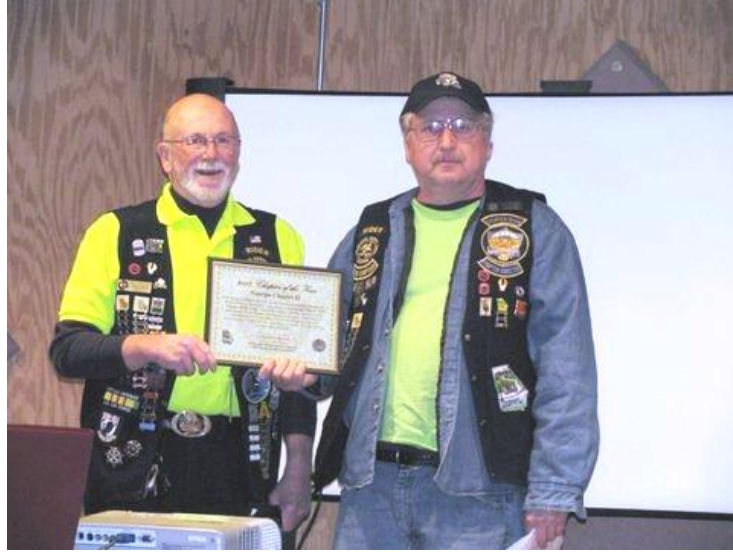


Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge



Gold Wing Road Rider Association, Georgia District, Chapter I-2, selected as Chapter of the Year 2013.

Chapter Director, Frank Brothers (right) accepts the honors for Chapter I-2, based in Lavonia Ga, for all their participation , and efforts that earned the recognition of Chapter of the Year. Our organization's motto is *Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge*. This being said, our primary goals are to promote motorcycle safety by education of our riders, and encourage Motorist Awareness of motorcycles to all drivers, bikers, and non-bikers.



Frank expresses our appreciation to our area Law Enforcement agencies for their support in our endeavors to help educate the public in the safe motorcycle riding, and being aware of the motorcyclist sharing the road. "Look Twice, and Save a Life"



From Left to right

Randy Shirley, Stephens Co. Sheriff, Steve Thomas, Franklin Co. Sheriff, Frank Brothers, Director, GA-I2, Bruce Carlisle, Lavonia Chief of Police, Donnie Bolemon, Royston Chief of Police.



Larry Crouse Chapter Rider Educator



[http://re2.gwrroa.org/
login_mem.php](http://re2.gwrroa.org/login_mem.php)

Melanoma Awareness Education and Early Prevention

Americans have a 1 in 74 lifetime risk of melanoma, which kills almost 7,800 people each year. Melanoma is often curable if detected and treated early.

Can it happen to me? Prolonged exposure to sun, no daily sunscreen used, fair complexion, red hair, and increased age. Do you fit one of these criteria then yes it can happen to you!

Melanoma is most often found in men on the area between the shoulders and hips or on the head and neck. It is found often on the of women. Folks with an increased risk for melanoma also include those with a personal or family history of pigmented skin blemishes or melanoma, a fair complexion, red hair, or a severe childhood sunburn.

Prevention and risk reduction includes protecting yourself from prolonged exposure to sunlight or ultraviolet radiation [tanning booth], always wear sunscreen SPF 15+ outdoors, and have an annual full-body screen by a dermatologist.

The sudden appearance of a new mole in or near an existing mole or a that has changed shape or color should be considered suspicious.

Cancerous and malignant lesions are typically irregular in shape with uneven borders with many shades of brown + black and larger than 6mm [the size of a pencil eraser] and grow quickly. Benign or non-malignant moles are typically round or symmetrical with smooth, even borders, a single shade of brown, smaller than 6mm and grow slowly.

Treatment includes excision, lymph node dissection and then possibly injection treatments of Interferon after surgery. Riding your bike during all this treatment may not be an option! Awareness is your key to another wonderful year of bike riding, so pay as dose attention to your body as you do to caring/polishing your GoldWing. Go to www.melanoma.com for more information and pictures.



Rider Education



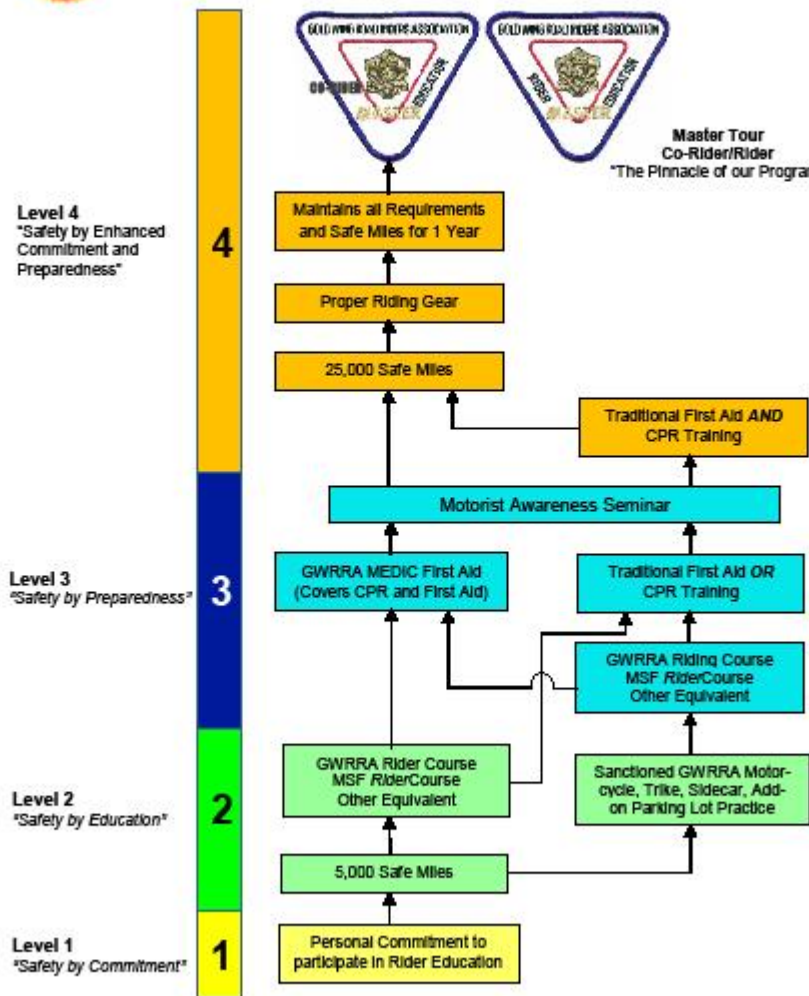
Seminars, and classes that are available at the Chapter Level.

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| 1. "Level Up" PPT Presentation | 9. "Dealing With Different Elements" |
| 2. Co-Rider Seminar | 10. Riding in the Heat |
| 3. Co-Rider-Two Seminar | 11. Night Riding ... |
| 4. Riding With New and/or Inexperienced Riders | 12. Motorcycle Crash Scene Response |
| 5. Motorcycling for Mature Riders | 13. High Side Scenarios |
| 6. Seasoned (Mature) Rider Supplement | 14. "Going, Going, Gone" |
| 7. Road Captain Course | 15. Trailering Seminar |
| 8. Team Riding Seminar | 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 Rider Education Levels Program "The Building Blocks of Rider Education"



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



Jeanna Phillips Motorist Awareness Coordinator



THINK MOTORCYCLES

Of the total traffic mix motorcycles and their riders are a small component; therefore, their visual recognition is reduced. Their size can also cause other drivers to misjudge their speed and distance.

Motorist please be aware of and take special care to identify and acknowledge the presence of motorcycles. Motorist always signal your intentions before changing lanes or merging with traffic. Also check to make sure your signal cancels after each use. This allows motorcyclists to anticipate your movement and find a safe lane position.

Traditional driver distractions such as eating, texting, smoking, reading, applying make up, talking on cell phone, managing audio systems, and passengers continue to be a problem and may be increasing as new distractions emerge. Road users should never drive, bike, or walk while distracted. Doing so can result in tragic consequences for everyone on the road , including motorcyclists.

All driver education and training [mature drivers programs, high schools Drivers-Ed., and DUI schools] should include a component on motorcycle awareness. Expand avenues to promote motorist awareness through media, motor vehicle dept., visitor centers, grocery stores, at gas pumps, bill boarders, even a short message on bill statements, etc. where there is a “Captive Audiences.”

Drivers who also ride motorcycles and those with family members or close friends who ride are more likely to observe motorcyclist. We were thanked numerous times by those drivers at the motorist awareness event last month. The motorcyclist has the same rights, privileges and responsibilities as any other motorist on the roadway. Our efforts were gratefully appreciated by families and friends who had experienced first hand vehicle-motorcycle accidents.

There is a continuing need to help motorists “think motorcycles” and to educate motorcyclist s to be aware of drivers who violate their right of way. Which could result in serious injuries or death.



Dress Loud & Ride Proud

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June Birthdays

- 10th Alan Phillips
- 10th Linda Watkins
- 25th Lucy Seavey



Congratulations
Couple of the Year (COY) 2014



Congratulations to Linda & Larry
Watkins for being selected as
Chapter I-2's Couple of the Year
2014 (COY).

June Anniversaries

None this month!!



CONCERNS

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Chapter I-2 Mascots



Bucky & Cupcake Blacksheep

CONDOLENCES



We were very saddened to hear of the death of Assistant Director, Ronnie Lewis's mother. **Louise Lewis** passed away Friday, May, 16th, 2014. Please keep Ronnie, Karen, and family in your thoughts and prayers. Strickland's Funeral home in Lavonia Ga was in charge of funeral arrangements. Visitation was Sunday the 18th, 12 - 2 pm and 6-8 pm. The funeral was held Monday the 19th at the Funeral Home at 4pm.



Up Coming Events For 2014



- Jan 1 New Years Day Lunch Ride. "Cottage House Restaurant", 5702 Hwy 115 East, Cleveland, Georgia. Come on 2,3 or 4 wheels. We will leave Lavonia Exxon at 10:30 Am.
- Jan 11 Chapter I-2's Gathering for this month only will be the 2nd Saturday vs. the 3rd Sat. at Shoney's. Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm. This change was necessary due to the "Officers Conference".
- Jan 11 Following our January Gathering Chapter I-2 will be having a CPR/First-Aid re-certification class, and will be held at the "Line Fire Dept", Martin, Ga.
- Jan 18 "Chilly Willy" is back in conjunction with the GWRRA Ga. Chapter's "Officers Conference". Being held again this year at "Buckner's Family Restaurant", Jackson, Ga.
- Jan 25 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Time to be decided.
- Feb 15 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- Feb 22 Chapter I-2 Lunch-Ride to "Quincy's of Toccoa", 605 Big A Rd, Toccoa, Ga. Leave Lavonia Exxon at 10:30am.
- March 15 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- March 22 Chapter I-2 Lunch-Ride to "M&J Home Cooking and Country Buffet", Toccoa Ga. Leave Lavonia Exxon at 10:30am.
- April 19 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- April 26 Chapter I-2 early Dinner-ride 4:30-6:30pm, "El Patron Family Mexican Restaurant", Cornelia, GA. Leave Lavonia Exxon at 3:30pm.
- May 17 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- May 24 Memorial Day "Motorist Awareness" campaign at the "Georgia / South Carolina I-85 "Welcome Center".
- May 24 Chapter I-2 Dinner Ride, following the "Motorist Awareness" campaign, Location T.B.A.
- June 12-14 2014 Georgia District Convention "GoldWing Roundup - It's a Rodeo", "Dillard House", Dillard, GA.
- June 21 Chapter I-2 Gathering at "Shoney's". Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- June 28 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- July 2-5 Wing Ding 36 at the "ALLIANT ENERGY CENTER" MADISON, WISCONSIN.
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- July 19 Chapter I-2 Gathering at “Shoney's”. Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- July 26 Chapter I-2 Visit and Picnic at “Wheels Through Time” Museum in Maggie Valley, NC. Leave Lavonia Exxon at 8:00am.
- August 16 Chapter I-2 Gathering at “Shoney's”. Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- August 23 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- Sept. 20 Chapter I-2 Gathering at “Shoney's”. Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- Sept. 25-27 “Wings Over The Smokies” Returns to its' Roots. The rally for 2014 will be held in Cherokee, NC. It will be at the "Acquoni Expo Center", 1501 Acquoni Road, Cherokee, NC.
- Sept. 27 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- October 18 Chapter I-2 Gathering at “Shoney's”. Eat at 11am, Meeting 12-1pm.
- October 25 Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride, Location and Times to be decided.
- November ? GA. District Wind-Down, "Civitan Fairgrounds", Hwy 257, Dublin , GA.



**Florida District Convention,
Kissimmee**

March 20-22

Alabama District Convention, Mobile

April 3-5

**South Carolina District Convention,
Florence**

May 1-3

Georgia District Convention, Dillard

June 12-14

Region "A" Convention, Eufaula, AL

September 11-13

**Mississippi District Convention,
Gulfport**

October 16-18

- November 15 No Chapter I-2 Gathering at “Shoney's” for November and December.
- November 15 Chapter I-2 "End of Year 2014 Celebration". New Franklin Christian Church, 4244 New Franklin Church Rd, (Hwy.327), Canon, GA. Same location as last year. Hope you can make-it !!
6:00 pm until.....



Chapter Classifieds

Bike & Non-Bike Items

1. Ladies small HJC helmet (See picture below). Purchased at Harley Davidson of Athens. Meets highest safety regulations. Paid \$100. Will take \$50 cash. Worn 5 times. Contact Mary Cobb: (706) 206-6974
2. 2010 "Thoroughbred Motorsports®" Stallion -Trike, and trailer, 22000 miles, great shape, \$26,500 for both. Call John Chevalier (706) 795-3067.
3. Vertical (hidden) hitch for '01-'10 Goldwings (probably '11, too). It was on my '05 and worked beautifully, but I'm converting to a trike, so it's coming off. Currently on sale for \$160 at "WingStuff" (search for item 45-1806) but you can have this one for \$100. Call Cal Kreffft, 706-839-7655.
4. New "Kuryakyn" rider backrest for GoldWing 1800. \$125.00. Contact Joe Colvard 706-988-9048.
5. "Pace" Trailer 16' x 8' 6", Rivetless sides, 2 vents in roof, E-Track down both sides and down the middle (recessed in floor), 5500 lb. rated axles, tread-plate covering lower front panel, ramp rear door (heavy duty); \$6,900.00 Like New! Contact Joe Colvard 706-988-9048, pictures available upon request.
6. Assorted Bits and pieces leftover from '02 1800 GoldWing (Illusion Blue), and '08 1800 GoldWing (Dark Red Metallic) TRIKE CONVERSIONS. These parts include, complete rear-end assemblies, brake-discs, rear-wheels, side-bags, etc. IF You need parts for repairs or just to have extra on-hand contact me. Ronnie at 706-340-7320 or EMAIL ronniev@bellsouth.net





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June 2014



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	Janelle Ellis Birthday
8	9	Linda Watkins Birthday Alan Phillips' Birthday	11	2014 Georgia "Wing Fling" District Convention ♦ "Dillard House", Dillard, GA		Smitty & Janelle Ellis A...
15	16	17	18	19	20	▶ 11:00AM - 1:00PM Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering ("Shoney's", Lavonia, GA)
22	23	24	Lucy Seavey's Birthday	26	27	▶ 10:30AM - 1:00PM Chapter I-2 Lunch or Dinner Ride (Time and Location to be decided.)
29	30	1	2	GWRRA WING DING 36 ♦ ALLIANT ENERGY CENTER, Madison, Wisconsin		5
				Delores Crouse's Birthday	Independence Day	Joel & Genie Deaton An...

July 2014



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						▶ 8:00AM - 6:00PM Chapter I-2's Lunch Ride to Maggie Valley, NC ("Wheels Through Time" Museum, Maggie Valley, NC.)
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Georgia District

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June 2014



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Are You Ready to Rodeo?

2014. I know that everyone is looking forward to the fantastic skits and performances that our GW Members will bring to the stage.

CAUTION: This event requires a **Positive Attitude** and involves **LAUGHTER, FUN and ENJOYMENT**. It is not recommended for those that may be afraid to **LAUGH**, have **FUN** and **ENJOY the fellowship with fellow GW Members**. If you have such a fear, it is recommended that you first attend a Chapter Gathering, several Chapter Rides, and other GWRRA activities. In most cases these must be taken with **FOOD!!** If you follow these recommendations it will surely pre-prepare you for such an event as The Georgia "Wing Fling" District Rally.

We hope that you have made plans to join us for a fantastic weekend in Dillard Georgia for the Georgia District Rally. Don't be the one that later ask what happened at WING FLING? Be one that can share the wonderful memories and experiences of being there.

Chapter T had their "Pioneer Days" Fun Day on May 10th and everyone seemed to have a good time. There were some fine looking homemade cakes taken away from the cake walk. There were some strong competitors in the Chapter and

WOW, at the writing of this article we are only 18 days from "Wing Fling 2014" where we will meet again in Dillard for the Georgia District Rally—it's a "Gold Wing Rodeo". We are looking forward to a great reunion of GWRRA Friends and Family. You don't want to miss the lineup of activities scheduled this year. Just to mention a few: the awesome Thursday night Chuck Wagon buffet dinner provided by the Dillard House, followed by a Rodeo Party with Line Dancing and Costume Contest. It is always interesting to see all the unique and creative costumes.

The vendors will be ready for you to visit them at their booths and check out the items they have brought for you. There will be Educational Seminars, Chapter Challenges and Games, Chapter Shirt Contest, and everyone always looks forward to the very popular Georgia Wing Fling Talent Show on Friday evening. Over the years the members have brought some very entertaining acts to the stage of the Georgia Wing Fling Talent Show and we expect nothing less for Wing Fling

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TIME TO SADDLE UP!

Howdy Partners! It's time to saddle up those trusty steeds and set out on the dusty trail to Dillard, GA. That's where your Georgia District Team has been working hard and rounding up a posse of talent, treats and adventure in the Georgia Mountain's to entertain all you whipper-snappers! Yep, its Rodeo time GWRRA style and all that is missing is you!

This is a Rodeo unlike any you have every crossed paths

with before! (Trust us on that one!) We would be much obliged to entertain you and yore'n at your District Convention. (Try saying that one three times fast!)

So T-CLOC those wagons and make sure your trusty steeds are well prepared for the rigors of the trail ride. As you set out upon your cross state trail to Dillard, be mindful of the unexpected "thangs" that might appear in your path

at any time!

Remember; Safety never takes a holiday. We need your trail dust covered, shiny happy faces to help us put on the best darn, rootin' – tootin' Rodeo east of the mighty Mississippi! (No offense to those other Region A outlaw Districts intended!)

We cannot wait to see you there!

Until next time: *Be Safe—We'll See You On The Road!*

Roy & Julie



**Julie & Roy
Degler
Ride Educator**

“So T-CLOC those wagons and make sure your trusty steeds are well prepared for the rigors of the trail ride.”

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

We are looking forward to Wing Fling, June 12, 13 and 14, in Dillard, Ga. We are busy getting the final touches done. The District Team is looking forward to making your stay as enjoyable as possible. We have some new contests, team competitions, games and door prizes along with some fine food

and an ice cream social. If you haven't made your reservations yet that's okay, because you can still come up for a day or the weekend. Meet old friends and make some new ones! Your participation is greatly appreciated and if there is anything we can do for you, please let us know.

After our Rally, the next thing is Wing Ding in Madison, Wisconsin. I know this is quite a distance away, but if you can make it I am sure that you will not be disappointed.

Ride safe and most of all have fun.

Jim & Kay



**Jim & Kay Elrod
Assistant
District Director
Vendor
Coordinator**

JUNE 2014

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 GA-S	4	5	6	7 GA-E, F2 Traveler
8	9 GA-Q, T	10	11	12 GA-K, M	13	14 GA-B, D
				Wing Fling Georgia's District Convention/Rally		
15	16 GA-O	17	18	19 GA-D2	20	21 GA-A, C2, I2, J Wanderer
22	23	24 GA-R	25	26 GA-H, L	27	28 GA-B2, E2 Chapter Life
29	30					

See website for time and location of Chapter Gatherings. Please call before you visit to confirm date, time and location.

Georgia Traveler's Plaque: Chapter GA-F2 captured the plaque from GA-T. It will be given away on June 7th at Ryan's, 3034 Peach Orchard Road, Augusta, GA 30906. Eat at 12 Noon and Meet at 1 PM. Sign in for the plaque from 12-1 PM.

Region A Wanderer: The Wanderer is in the possession of **Chapter FL1-G**. The plaque will be given away on June 21st at Patio Grill, 2900 Orlando Drive, Sanford, FL. 9:00 AM to eat, the 10:00 AM to meet.

Schedule of Events

- June 12-14—Wing Fling, Georgia Convention/Rally, Dillard
- June 28—Chapter Life Program, Forsyth
- July 2-5—Wing Ding, Madison, WI
- July 26—Intermediate Leadership Program, Fayetteville
- August 16—GA-D Fun Day, Buford
- August 29 & 31—Weekend at the Opry, Nashville, TN
- September 11-13—Region A Convention/Rally, Eufaula, AL
- September 28—Advanced Leadership Program, Fayetteville
- October 4—GA-Q Dessert Auction & BBQ, Warner Robins
- October 16-18—Mississippi Convention/Rally, Gulfport
- October 25—GA-A's Fun Day, Forsyth

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Directors challenges. Russell and Carol from Chapter R were victorious in both events. There were several door Prizes taken away as well. A Fun filled day with GW Friends.

Chapter D held their annual Motorist Awareness Day on May 17th and the local Sheriff Motorcycle

Officers were holding riding demonstrations and some of the Chapter D Riders were also riding the courses as well. And I must say they were doing very well. They had a really neat OLD ladder truck displayed. These attractions began to draw the attention of the shoppers and other folks passing by. This gave the Chapter D folks the opportuni-

ty to share information about "Sharing the Road" with motorcycles and also about GWRRA. There was one couple in particular that stopped by and talked to the Chapter D Members, they were very interested and could very well be potential New GWRRA Members. Thanks Chapter D for a job well done!

Chapter R's Annual picnic was held on May 17th

also, There were 5 visiting Chapters that attended Chapter R's Picnic. They had Hotdogs & Hamburgers and all the fixing's to go with them, including desert. There was a lot of fun and fellowship had by all. I think just about everyone won a door prize! Thanks Chapter R for a Fun Time!

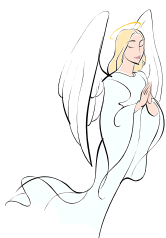
Tommy & Vickie





Sid and Donna Cohen
**Assistant District Director/
 Couple of the Year Coordinator**

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IT’S TIME!

The time is here! It’s June and so it is time for the Georgia Rally/Convention in wonderful Dillard, Georgia. Your Georgia Team has worked hard to make this rally a memorable event. We all certainly hope you are registered for the rally and will be able to attend; day passes are always available on site. Rally shirts are now available; they do look and feel great. If you are donating goodies for the Hospitality room please make sure they are individually

wrapped. Also don’t forget the Goodie contest on Saturday morning. The Hospitality room does have a refrigerator available to store your competition goodies. If your Chapter is donating a Couple of the Year basket you can drop them off at the registration table. Thanks in advance for the baskets. Money generated from the baskets help your District Couple of the Year to offset some of their expenses. September is just around the corner. All the District cou-

ples in Region A are making plans for the Region Rally/Convention in Eufaula Alabama. You’re District Couple Vance and Fern Oakes have been getting ready for the selection process and are sure to do well as they represent Georgia in the Couple of the Year selection. Please help support them by being there cheering them on. For most chapters it is only a day ride.

See you in Dillard,
Sid & Donna

**Congratulations to our 2014
 Couples of the Year!**

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| International—Tommy & Gayle Wilson | GA-A—Don & Sharon Jenkins | GA-H—Jeff & Maud Verner |
| Region A—Buddy & Kim Summer | GA-B2—Walter & Linda Wiggs | GA-I2—Larry & Linda Watkins |
| Georgia District—Vance and Fern Oates | GA-D—Mike & Nancy Lynbery | GA-J—Mike & Peg Jones |
| | | GA-S—Glenn & Sherry Wisdom |

Among our sick

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| Peg Hopkins, GA Team/ GA-A | Donald Taylor, GA-D |
| Trish, Daughter of Bob & Bonnie McCroskey, GA-A | Krysta Tuatara, GA-D |
| | Dawn Cail, GA-L |
| | Laura Sue Fleming |

In Memory

- Wilelmenia Nesbit, Mother of Ian Nesbit, GA-D
 Mother & Father of John Keeley, GA-F2
 Louise Lewis, Mother of Ronnie Lewis, GA-I2