



Chapter I-2



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LAVONIA, GA**

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Director's Notes

Hope that all of you have had a great Holiday vacation from GWRRA, although your chapter team has been at work planning for 2012. We have a lot of things for you to participate in this year.

- On January 28th, Officers meeting in Forsyth, GA. Anyone can attend, you do not have to be an officer to go.
- On February 4th, CPR, First Aid renewal class, and also motorcycle crash scene response class. We will start at 9:30 a.m.
- On February 18th, our next regular gathering.
- February 24 & 25th, Horizons Class will start at 6:30 p.m. on Friday night and finish on Saturday.
- March 3rd, Dinner Ride to Down Home Cooking in Danielsville. Will leave Lavonia at 4 p.m. or meet at the restaurant at 5 p.m.
- March 17th regular gathering.
- March 24th, bowling at Clarksville, 3 p.m. Eat at Hog Wild at 5 p.m.
- April 21st, regular gathering.
- April 28th, Dinner Ride to be announced .
- May 5th, Advance Riders Course, details to be announced later.
- May 19th, regular gathering.
- May 26th, Motorcycle Awareness Coffee Break at the Georgia Welcome Center from 8:30 a.m. till 2 p.m. We will need a lot of help for this, working in teams, so no one will have to stay all the time.
- June 14, 15 & 16th, Rumble in the Jungle at Dillard , GA.

We are working on some over night rides, these will be announced as they come available.

Hope you can participate in as many of these as possible. Your team has worked hard in planning these events.

I would like to thank all of our team for their help in planning these events, and thanks to all the members support in the past.

Ride Safe and have Fun!!!!
Frank



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How About Some R & R...

Larry Crouse Chapter Educator

Our **GWRRA** organization has built itself on **RETENTION** of its members. The organization offers plenty of learning activities that can be used to help **RECRUIT** new members to our family and opportunities to enhance your personal skills. Although we hope this skill is one we will never need, many of us can take a Medic First Aid (**MFA**) course that can be beneficial when out riding with others. These skills may also become important to know if we are required to help a loved one, a friend or a perfect stranger. Don't wish you had the skill after an event happens. As the Scout book states, Be Prepared!

Riding skill enhancement is important, whether for refreshing our riding habits we once had but became lax on using or just plain forgot, **OR** how to ride with a group. We sometime take these skills for granted but if we are recruiting new members to the GWRRA family we need to realize they may not have the skills that we developed. At the earliest date possible, take a Riding Course (**ERC, TRC or TC**) and a Road Captain Course (**RCC**). An **RCC** will be helpful to have when riding with a group, even if you do not want to lead.

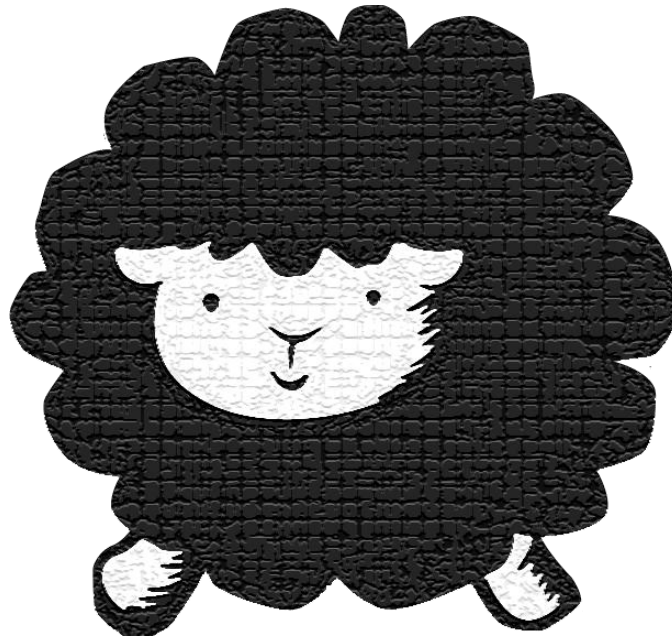
Life itself is a learning experience. There are many times while interacting with that special loved one, a family member, our fellow worker, or a perfect stranger when special interpersonal skills are needed. Get yourself to a **LIFE** Learning class and pick up skills that you will use in every aspect of life. There are many **LIFE (leadership) Training Division (LTD)** classes that will enhance your interpersonal skills to help you through life's journey. Take advantage of each **LTD** opportunity when it comes your way. These skills can be used every day.

If you want to make the road safer for all road users, then get involved with the **GWRRA** Awareness Division (**MAD**). Involvement will not only help your fellow riders but also let others know that **WE** are out there sharing the road. The month of May of each year is recognized nationally as "**Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month**". To help promote this, volunteer as a Parade Coordinator and ride in as many parades as you can. This is a great time to show off the bikes, help with the **RECRUITMENT** of new members and also help others realize we too are on the roads.

NEW members are the life line of the **GWRRA** family. Without the newbees we will soon be riding into the sunset. Don't miss the opportunity to offer all these skills to other riders.

R-U-1... an RE Spark Plug working on R and R???

Chapter I-2 Mascot



The Black Sheep

Please Give “The Black Sheep” a Name:

Suggestions so far:

Mud Flap

Diff (Different)

BaaBaa

Safe Rider

Black Sheep



January Birthdays

- 10 Larry Watkins
- 20 Johnny Smith
- 30 Rod Oliver



CONCERNS

Bruce Gregory with his illness

Joe Colvard will be having knee surgery on February 1.



CONDOLENCES

Heartfelt sympathy to Joe and Merrie Colvard. Joe's Mother, Betty Jo Colvard, passed away on January 6, 2012.

Thank You!

The Ralph Jordan family would like to thank you all for the concern and prayers, calls, visits, food, and flowers they received during the illness and passing of their wife and mother, Sharron Jordan.

Chapter I-2 Positions Available

1. Ride Coordinator
2. Ways & Means

If you would like to fill one of these positions, please contact Frank Brothers

OUR TEAM LEADERS

Frank & Melinda Brothers, Ronnie & Karen Lewis, Bruce Gregory, Larry & Delores Crouse, Genie & Joel Deaton, Jeanna & Alan Phillips, Joe & Merrie Colvard, and Ronnie & Margaret Vaughn.

Take the time to thank our team leaders for the excellent job they do for Chapter I-2.



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In Appreciation



In appreciation to Ronnie & Karen Lewis for representing Chapter I-2 as Couple of the Year 2011 (COY).

*Congratulations
Couple of the Year (COY) 2012*



Congratulations to Joel & Genie Deaton for being selected as Chapter I-2's Couple of the Year 2012 (COY).



Up Coming Events



January 27-29
Great American Motorcycle Show North
Atlanta Trade Center

January 28
GWRRA Georgia Officers Conference,
Forsyth, Ga.

February 04
9:30am First Aid, CPR Recertification &
Accident Scene Response Classes hosted
by GA I-2. The classes will be held at "LINE
FIRE DEPT, Martin, Ga.

February 18
I-2 Gathering at Shoney's 11am-1pm

February 24
"Horizons Program" Hosted by
GA I-2. 1st of 2 Sessions Start at 6pm
Lavonia First Baptist Church, 95 Bowman
Street, Lavonia, GA.

February 25
"Horizons Program" 2nd and Final Session,
Start at 9:00am Lavonia First Baptist
Church, 95 Bowman Street, Lavonia, GA.

March 3
Dinner Ride, 5:00pm
'Down Home Cooking', Danielsville, GA

March 21
I-2 Gathering at Shoney's 11am-1pm

March 24
"Bowling & Dinner Ride". Clarksville Fun
Bowl, Dinner at Hog Wild BBQ, Clarksville,
GA. Bowling starting at 3:00pm, dinner at
5:00pm.

March 30-April 1
Officers Certification Program, Rome, GA.

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- 1. New "Kuryakyn" rider backrest for GoldWing 1800.\$125.00, Contact Joe Colvard (706)988-9048.**
- 2. "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.**
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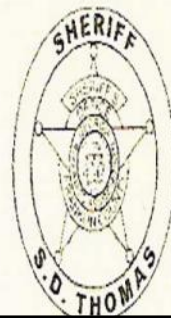
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January 2012



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22	23	24	25	26	"Great American Moto... ♦ North Atlanta Trade Center, 1... 27	GWRRA Georgia Office... ♦ ▶ 4:30PM - 7:30PM Ga I-2 Dinner Ride (TBA) 28
"Great American Moto... ♦ 29	Rod Oliver's Birthday ● 30	31	1	2	3	First Aid, CPR Recer... ♦ "L 4

February 2012



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5	6 Belva Smith's Birthday ●	7	8	9	10	11 Ga Chapter S Fun Day Pete Belk Birthday ●
12	13	14 Valentine's Day ♦ United Sta Smitty Ellis Birthday ●	15	16	17 Joe & Judy Hand Anniv...	18 Ronnie Vaughn's Birthday ▲ ▶ 11:00AM - 1:00PM Chapter I-2 Monthly Gathering ("Shoney's", Lavonia, GA)
19	20	21	22	23	24 ▶ 6:00PM - 4:00PM Horizons Program sponsored by Chapter I-2 (Lavonia First Baptist Church", 95 bowman Street, Lavonia Ga. 30553)	25 ▶ 6:00PM - 4:00PM Horizons Program sponsored by Chapter I-2 (Lavonia First Baptist Church", 95 bowman Street, Lavonia Ga. 30553)
26	27	28 Phil Palmer Birthday ●	29	1 Mike Garrish's Birthday ●	2 Cheryl Adams Birthday ●	3 ▶ 5:00PM - 8:00PM Chapter I-2 Dinner Ride ("Down Home Cooking", 200 General Daniel Ave N Ste 219, Danielsville, GA)