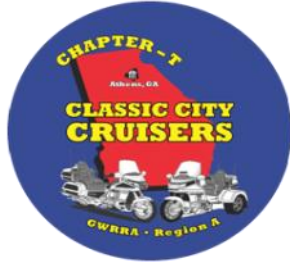


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Wow June is here and we are already planning for a busy month. We had a great turnout for the Ride for Kids, 9 of us went up to Cumming on Saturday and spent the night. Yes, of course there was a couple of meals involved, we do love to eat. We had to be at the fairground by 6AM to park the motorcycles as they arrived, (That liked to have killed me, you know I don't get up that early) and we had 3 more show up from Chapter T. Thank you to all of you that participated.

I hope that you are planning on joining us in Dillard. I have heard from reliable sources that everyone that attends will have the time of your life. It is a rodeo after all and you can't find much more excitement anywhere. So all of you Cowboy up and come have a great time in Dillard with us. If you didn't know it will be at the Dillard House, June 12, 13 and 14. So put on your boots and mosey on up to the Georgia Wing Fling.

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We also have Wing Ding coming up in Madison Wisconsin. We are looking forward to traveling into unknown territory (at least for Ralph and I) and seeing some fantastic sights along the way. As usual please watch your email or listen for a phone call for more information on rides and dinners.

“Come join us for a FUN Time”

**Next Monthly Gathering.....Monday, June 9th at:
Loco's Grill & Pub 1985 Barnett Shoals Road Athens, GA 30605
We eat at 6:00PM and meet at 7:00PM.**



**Ride Safe and Have Fun,
Debbie and Ralph Stewart
Chapter T Directors
2013 Couple of the Year**

Bulldog Brittle

Graham Crackers
1 Cup Chopped Pecans
1 Stick Butter
1 Stick Margarine
½ Cup Sugar

Line cookie sheet with foil and spray lightly with Pam spray. Cover bottom of lined cookie sheet with whole graham crackers. Make sure to cover bottom GOOD with the crackers. Sprinkle the pecans over the crackers. Melt the stick of butter and the stick of margarine in boiler, when melted add the sugar and bring to a boil. Boil for 2 minutes and no longer, then pour over the pecans and crackers. Bake at 325* for 12 – 15 minutes. Let cool and then break into pieces. Enjoy.



To me, this is what GWRRA is all about!

It was a cold, dark, dreary and foggy morning. What was I (just recently retired) doing up at this time and on this type of day?

Well, I had received an email from the lovely Chapter Director of GA-T about a Hairy Leg Ride. Yeah RIGHT. Now, I have not just fallen off of the turnip truck and it did not take me long to figure out what a Hairy Leg Ride was - in case you haven't figured it out - it is a No Girls Allowed Ride!! How was I going to be able to navigate and not have the better half telling me where to go, how fast to not go and that, after all of her directions (along with the GPS) I still missed the turn?

Well I did go on the Hairy Leg Ride; it was led by Carl and Tail gunned by Sid. There were six more of us (Me of course, Gary, Ralph (on the Boss Lady's Trike), RD, Stan and Bill). We met up at that fine purveyor of the grilled hamburger - Burger King in Athens. Now while I did not have any trouble finding the place, even though it was shrouded in a cloud of FOG. I had planned on the leisurely consumption of an extra cup of coffee and a sausage biscuit - that was not to be. I learned when Chapter T says Kickstands up at a certain time, that's what they mean. Well, the eight of us left Burger King headed North up US HWY 129 (yelp the one and the same as The Dragon fame up in TN & NC) We didn't quite make it that far North, but we did ride past Vogel State Park in Blairsville, GA and we rode thru the beautiful little resort town of Helen and I was introduced to the Russell Scenic Highway.

The only thing missing was my co-rider; she likes the same type roads as Carl led us over. I'm hoping he can be convinced to lead more of this type ride, just let's bring the GIRLS next time.

Just a note of thanks to Carl for leading us and Sid for running Tail gunner and watching out for our Safety as well as the other guys on the ride for sharing their experiences and stories.

To me, this is what GWRRA is all about. We had FUN, SAFETY was practiced and I came away with KNOWLEDGE about some folks that I feel Charleen and I would like to be FRIENDS with.

The Newbie

Garland Dennis



Rider Education

Hello Everyone,

I hope all is well with you. I wanted to tell you about a activity that I have seen several times on the highway while in my car and riding my Goldwing. It's called lane splitting or lane sharing, this is the practice of riding along side cars in the same traffic lane or moving through traffic between cars. Very few states allow this and in Georgia it is illegal. This puts the motorcycle rider and the auto in danger off a collision. If you look on You Tube you can find example after example of the damage resulting from lane sharing. Don't be temped to get to the head of the line at a stop light you don't know if someone will open their door to throw out coffee, make a sudden change into the next lane leaving you no where to go but into the side of their car. Just to make it clear here is the law that covers lane sharing in Georgia. **Lane Splitting: The operator of a motorcycle shall not overtake and pass in the same lane occupied by the vehicle being overtaken. (c) No person shall operate a motorcycle between lanes of traffic or between adjacent lines or rows of vehicles.**

Ride safe ride smart!

Gary



CHAPTER T'S PIONEER DAY!

Thumbs up to all our members who helped make a successful Pioneer Day. Everything from Vicky's outstanding stew and corn bread (of which I ate to many) to the games.

Looks like everyone was having a great time.

Ride Safe,

Carol Swanson



FRIENDS for FUN SAFETY and KNOWLEDGE

Something to Ponder!

Have you ever wondered; How do new and visiting members see you as a Chapter/Chapter Participant? Wouldn't you think that in order for a Chapter to grow and be successful, they would need to be INVITING, FRIENDLY, ACTIVELY RIDING, PROVIDE RIDER SAFETY EDUCATION and display a POSITIVE ATTITUDE, WITH EVERYONE WORKING TOGETHER AS A TEAM. These things are **not only** accomplished by the Chapter Officers. You as a Chapter Participants are key players in making YOUR CHAPTER THE BEST IT CAN BE.

Does your Chapter display these qualities and are you an Active Team Player in your Chapter? The Welcoming Invitation, Attitude and Team Support that you display may be the deciding factor for these potential new Chapter Members. Will they find your Chapter to be that Friendly, Positive, Fun and Active Chapter that they just have to be apart of ? I sure hope so, we all should be proud of the Chapter/s that we participate with and do our best to make sure it is the best that it can be. Because, the Chapters success or failure is a reflection of all the Chapter Participants as a whole.

A friend once told me, **"It's not about what the Chapter can do for me, but what can I do to help my Chapter."**

**Have Fun and Ride Safe,
Tommy Martin**

Classifieds

All ads must be submitted by a current GWRRA Member. Ads will run in the Newsletter for three months unless notified of the sale of the item/s listed. It is the responsibility of the owner to notify the Newsletter Editor when an item sales.

To place your add here contact your Newsletter Editor

Upcoming Events

- June 9th **Chapter T Monthly Gathering**
- June 12th-14th **Georgia District Wing Fling.** Dil-
lard, GA
- June 18th **Hairy Leg Ride** (Location TBA)
- June 19th **Dinner Ride** (Location TBA)
- June 21st **North Georgia Chapter Ride**
- July 2nd-5th **Wing Ding** Madison , WI
- Aug 29th-30th **Weekend At The Opry** Labor
Day Weekend 2014 Nashville, TN
- September 11th-13th **Region "A" Rally.** Eufaula,
AL.
- October 16th - 18th **Mississippi District Rally**
Gulfport, MS

Jeanne Dawley 6/26
 Alan Phillips 6/10
 Mike Strickland 6/15
 Jackie Clark 6/26
 Jeanne Dawley 6/26



Happy Anniversary



Jay & Dee Strickland 6/5
 Dave & Betty Andrade 6/16
 Bill & Gayle smith 6/18
 Tommy & Vicky Martin 6/19
 Mike & Elaine Strickland 6/28



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Region "A" Directors
 Jim & Sue Jackson





FRIENDS for FUN SAFETY and KNOWLEDGE



June 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Ride for Kids	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Chapter Gathering	10 Alan Phillips 	11	12 Georgia	13 Wing	14 Fling
15	16 Bill & Gayle 	17	18 Hairy Leg Ride Dave & Betty 	19 Dinner Ride Tommy & Vicky 	20	21 North Georgia Ride
22	23	24	25	26 Jeanne Dawley 	27	28
29	30					

July 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Wing	2 _____	3 _____	4 	5 Ding
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 Willie & Phyllis 
13	14 Chapter T Gathering	15 Ralph & Debbie 	16	17 Robin James 	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		