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From Your Director

We started off this month getting ready to come home from a fantastic weekend up at The Wings Over the Smokies Rally. We went on several fantastic rides up through and around the mountains, ate some great meals together starting off on Thursday night with a meal prepared by Sylvia and Jim, we also grilled steaks, and prepared some awesome breakfasts, yes we all ate way too much. There were ballgames, campfires, and lots of laughter. It was a great weekend.

On October 7th we had a ride up to Ellijay to go pick apples and eat lunch. There were 10 members of Chapter T on this ride which was led by Sid Harris. I did not get to go but was told that Sid did a fantastic job planning and leading this ride.

Tommy has a CPR/First Aid course scheduled for us. It will be on Sunday, November 12th. Please make plans to take this class. We all need to keep up our levels. Speaking of levels, do you know what level you are on? If not or if you are curious please see Tommy to find out your status.

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**Monthly Gathering - Second Thursday of each Month at:
Loco's 1985 Barnett Shoals Road., Athens, GA 30606
We join to eat at 6:00 PM and the meeting starts at 7:00PM.
(where we share GWRRA information & fun activities)**

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We are looking forward to the Final Region A rally. It is being held October 26th-28th at Eufaula Alabama. I hope you will come show your support to our friends on the Region Staff. It will be a week-end filled with many fun activities and lots of memories to be made.

We are looking forward to many new adventures, rides places to eat and things to do. We hope that you all will join us for the adventures of Chapter T.



PARTICIPATION IS THE KEY TO HAVE FUN WITH CHAPTER T



**Debbie and Ralph Stewart
Chapter T Directors
2013 Couple of the Year
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Hello Chapter T Friends

We finished up September with a ride to Wings Over the Smokies. We went on several fantastic rides while we were at the rally. We started off October with a ride to Ellijay which was led by Sid Harris. He did a fantastic job planning the route and leading the ride.



There are many more rides and adventures planned for the rest of the year and I hope to see all of you riding with us. Please check out our schedule of events and makes plans to join in on the fun.

Let's Hit the Road

Ralph
Ride Coordinator

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Having Fun with Friends!

2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TENTATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>STANDS UP</u>
Oct. 7 th	Chapter Ride	Apple Orchards	Ellijay, GA	8:00AM
Oct. 12 th	Chapter Meeting	Locos	Athens, GA	6:00PM
Oct. 12 th -14 th	Mississippi Rally		Gulf Port, MS	
Oct. 26 th -28 th	Region "A" Rally		Eufala, AL	
Nov. 4 th	Wind Down	McDonald Rd Baptist Church	Fayetteville, GA	10 AM
Nov. 9 th	Chapter Meeting	Locos	Athens, GA	6:00 PM
Nov. 12 th	Medic First/CPR Class		Winder, GA	9:00 AM
Nov. 18 th	Chapter Ride & Lunch	Pop's Café	Carnesville, GA	
Nov. 23 rd	Thanksgiving			
Dec. 2 nd	Salvation Army Toy Ride	Cycle World	Athens, GA	
Dec. 9 th	Chapter Christmas Party	Masonic Lodge	Athens, GA	
Dec. 14 th	Chapter Meeting	Locos	Athens, GA	6:00PM

As usual please watch your or listen for a for more information on rides and dinners.
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Don't forget to mark you calendar!

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Jim & Silvia Stogden

10/7



Garland Dennis

10/3

Donna Cohen

10/10

IN MEMORY OF



Our Sick

Betty Andrade (Former Member)
Allen Hardigree

GEORGIA DISTRICT TEAM

Larry & Pam Clemmer - Directors

Vance & Fern Oakes - Assistant Directors

Barry & Barbara Owens - Assistant Directors

Dick & Gail Cross - Assistant Directors

Lawana Burrell - Treasurer

Frank & Melinda Brothers - District Educators

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Norman & Wendy Morton - Membership Enhancement Coordinators

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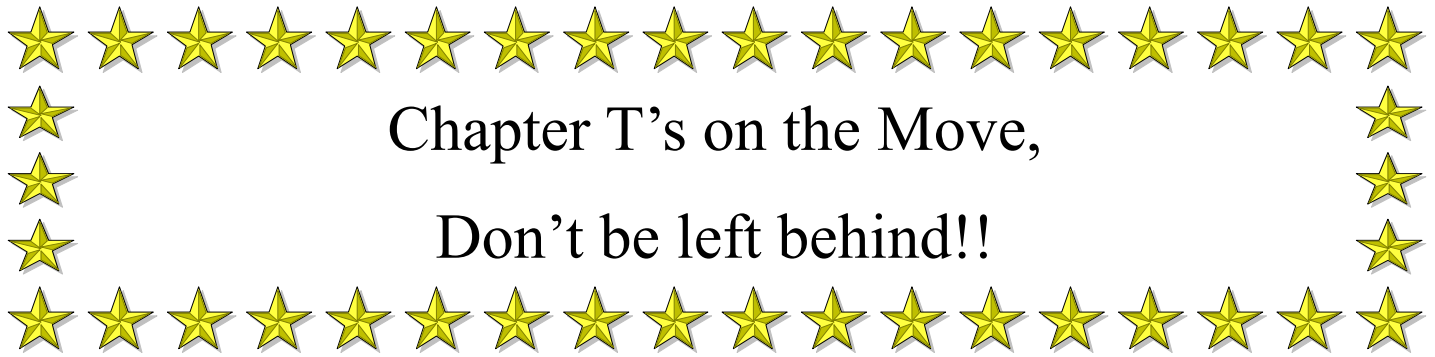


Region "A" Directors

Jim & Sue Jackson

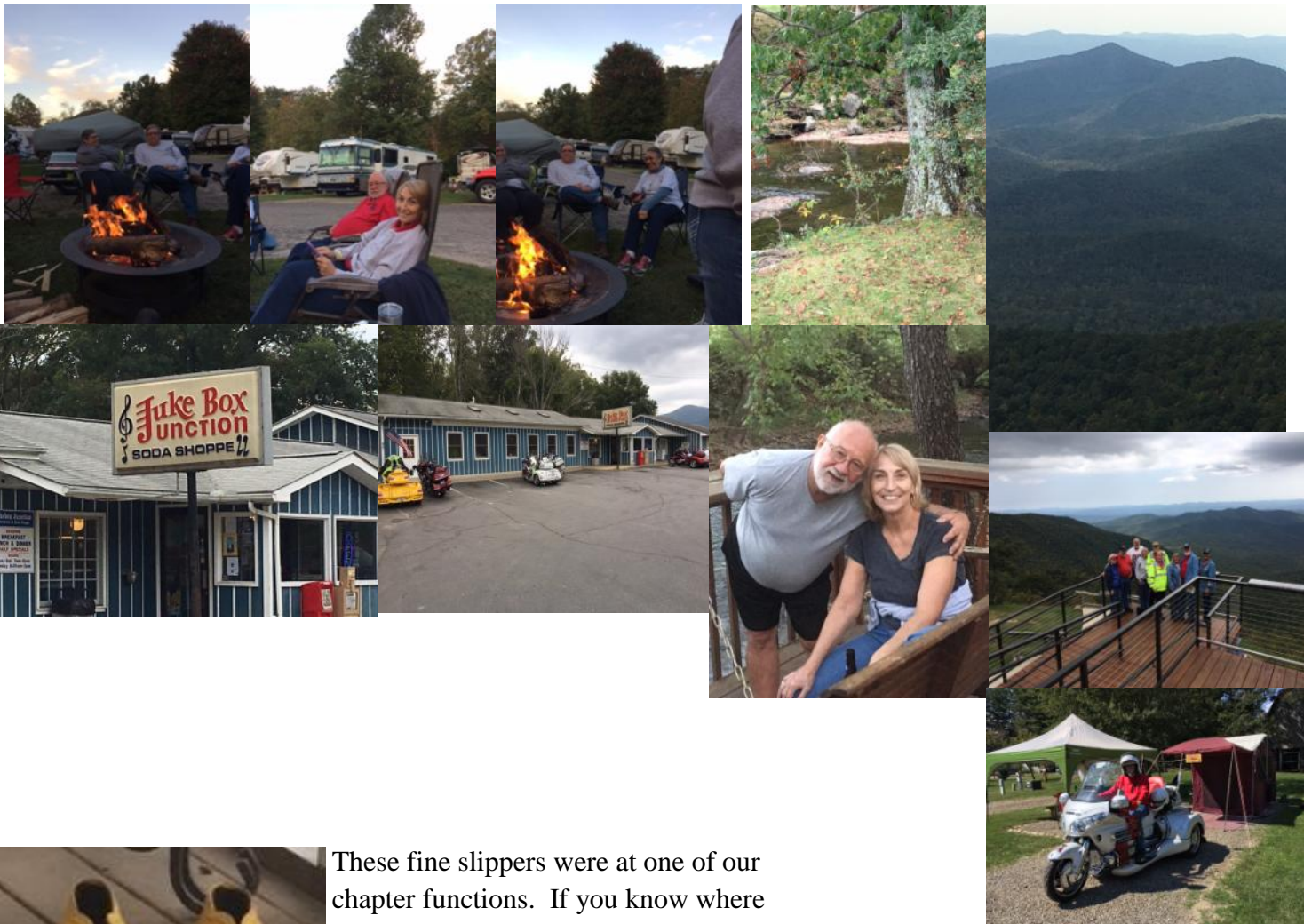
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Chapter T's on the Move, Don't be left behind!!

Camping at Creek Wood Campground during the Wings Over Smokies Rally



These fine slippers were at one of our chapter functions. If you know where this picture was taken let me know, the first to give me the correct answer will receive a prize. **P.S the owners cannot participate!**

Tommy

FRIENDS for FUN SAFETY and KNOWLEDGE

Where has this year gone? Seems like a few months ago at Chapter T holiday party we announced Garland and Charlene Dennis as the Couple of the Year for 2016. The couple of the Year is not a position or a job but rather an honor. The Chapter Couple of the of the Year program at the chapter level has an important purpose. It provides an opportunity for the chapter to recognize and honor a couple each year for their dedication, accomplishments and participation within the chapter. Our Chapter Director will be making a selection soon and the announcement will be made at the chapter holiday party in December.

Sid Cohen
Chapter T Membership
Enhancement Coordinator

Food for Thought:

Did you know Hot Peppers taste hot because of a compound called Capsaicin, which tricks your sensory nerves into thinking there is something very hot in your mouth. It's something to think about

Apple Butter Recipe (Simple)

Prep time: 20 minutes

Cook time: 2 hours

Yield: Makes a little more than 3 pint jars.

Ingredients

4 lbs of good cooking apples (I use Macintosh apples)
1 cup apple cider vinegar
2 cups apple cider. (You can use water)
Sugar (about 4 cups, see cooking instructions)
Salt
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
1/2 teaspoon allspice
Grated rind and juice of 1 lemon

Special equipment:

1 wide 8-quart pan (Stainless steel or copper with stainless steel lining)
A food mill
A large (8 cup) measuring cup
6-8 8-ounce canning jars

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Apple Butter Continued

Preparing the Fruit

1 Cut the apples into quarters, **without peeling or coring them** (much of the pectin is in the cores and flavor in the peels), cut out damaged parts.

First Stage of Cooking

2 Put them into large pot, add the vinegar and water, cover, bring to a boil, reduce heat to simmer, cook until apples are soft, about 20 minutes. Remove from heat.

Measure out the purée and add the sugar and spices

3 Ladle apple mixture cooked apples and liquid into the food mill and stir into a large bowl below. Measure resulting puree. Add 1/2 cup of sugar for each cup of apple pulp. Stir to dissolve sugar. Add a dash of salt, and the cinnamon, ground cloves, allspice, lemon rind and juice. Taste and adjust seasonings if necessary.

Second Stage of Cooking

4 Cook uncovered in a large, wide, thick-bottomed pot on medium low heat, stirring constantly to prevent burning. Scrape the bottom of the pot while you stir to make sure a crust is not forming at the bottom. Cook until thick and smooth (about 1 to 2 hours). A small bit spooned onto a chilled (in the freezer) plate will be thick, not runny. You can also cook the purée on low heat, stirring only occasionally, but this will take much longer as stirring encourages evaporation. (Note the wider the pan the better, as there is more surface for evaporation.)

Canning

5 There are several ways to sterilize your jars for canning. You can run them through a short cycle on your dishwasher. You can place them in a large pot (12 quart) of water on top of a steaming rack (so they don't touch the bottom of the pan), and bring the water to a boil for 10 minutes. Or you can rinse out the jars, dry them, and place them, without lids, in a 200°F oven for 10 minutes.

6 Pour into hot, *sterilized* jars and seal. If you plan to store the apple butter un-refrigerated, make sure to follow proper canning procedures. Before applying the lids, sterilize the lids by placing them in a bowl and pouring boiling water over them. Wipe the rims of the jars clean before applying the lids. I use a hot water bath for 10 minutes to ensure a good seal.

Recipe from Catering by Cohen



Apple Pie Time

A group of 10 members headed out for an apple run to Ellijay. Sid Harris led the ride through the mountains of North Georgia and it was a little cloudy but not so cold. We had an interesting ride with Sid sharing some general information about the towns we traveled through. The apple house at Reese's was beginning to fill up with lots of apple pickers coming to get their bags. Reese has many different kinds of apples and pies which were delicious!! The group then went into Ellijay for some lunch and then headed back. I believe it was a great ride enjoyed by many.

Hope to see each of you soon on another ride.

Vicky



Ride Education

Fall is here and as we ride into October the temperatures are really feeling great. It won't be long until the leaves will be turning colors and then turning loose as well. The roads will be packed with traffic with people looking at the leaves and stopping at shops and such, so as you ride through the mountains please be mindful of the slow moving vehicles and be very cautious of them stopping frequently.

We have a Medic First Class scheduled on the 12th of November at Garland and Charleen's house in Winder. This will be a complete class so if you have never taken First Aid /CPR this would be a great opportunity for you. However, if you have been certified in First Aid/CPR and need a refresher course you can still attend and be recertified. We are taking registration for the class now. Registration is \$25.00 each, all registrations must be received by the MFA Coordinators (Tommy & Vicky Martin) no later than October 22nd . Please make checks payable to GA Rider Education and mail them to Tommy Martin, 2520 Parks Mill Rd., Buckhead, GA 30625. Please let us know as soon as possible if you want to be in the class.

Please see the attached article from Frank & Melinda Brothers on the next page in regards to the New GWRRA Structure and the Members levels.

Thanks and Ride Safe

Tommy

Chapter T Educator

FUN AND GAMES

There was a great time had at Ralph and Debbie's house for game night, we had Sloppy Joe's and hotdogs with all the side dishes you could imagine. One thing is for sure you will not go hungry around this crowd. We played several games, had dessert and coffee. Shared several stories, it was a great night of fun and fellowship.

Tommy & Vicky

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Frank & Melinda Brothers
District Rider Educators,
MEDIC Coordinators



Rider Education Changes Coming Soon

As you know the Chapter Rider Educator will be gone at the end of the year. This is the time to start making plans for what is to come. With the educator gone, it will be the responsibility of the members to keep up with what is needed to keep their levels up to date. Each member can check their levels in the rider ed. data base. Below are the instructions.

First go to http://re2.gwrra.org/login_mem.php. You must be a current GWRRA member to login.

Username= Membership Number. i.e. 123456 or 123456-01

Password= Numbers In Your Address + Membership Expiration Date (MMYY)

i.e. 12 W. 6th St. only 12 would be used followed by your membership expiration date.

i.e. If your membership expiration date is 01/15 then your password would be 120115

Check the front of your Wing World or Membership card for your membership number and expiration date.

After you log on you can check your levels and see what you need to stay current. This will be the only way you will know. No one at the chapter level will have access to the database to tell you what you will need. It is up to each member to keep up with this. If you find you need something, please tell your chapter director and he or she should know when or if that class is offered.

After the first of the year, I will send out a list of what classes will be offered in the first Quarter of the year. We will offer one (1) day every 3 months, so you may have to travel to take the classes. We will try to move them around the state so it will be as fair for everyone as possible. We only have a few places that we can have Ride courses. This will be one of our biggest challenges. I need your help in finding places to have Rides courses. We will be asking chapters to host these events since each chapter knows what is available in their area. I will have more next month.

As always Ride safe.

Frank & Melinda Brothers

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October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7 Chapter Ride
8	9	10	11	12 Mississippi Chapter Gathering	13 District	14 Rally
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Region	27 "A"	28 Rally
29	30	31				

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November 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 Wind Down
5	6	7	8	9 Chapter Gathering	10	11
12 Medic First Aid Class	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Thanksgiv- ing Day 	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		