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**Join us the First Tuesday each month at Shoney's Restaurant
2405 Andersonville Hwy, Clinton, TN 37716, Exit 122 off I-75
(Rt. 61 Museum exit) Just north of Knoxville, Ph. 865-494-7295
Eat at 6:00 PM & our social starts promptly at 7:00 PM**

SPRING FLING CABIN UPDATE

Changes to Spring Fling Plans:

After checking out the 15 bedroom cabin, we decided the road up to it wasn't very good for motorcycles.

So.....here's what we have.. Kyle, Bobbie, Merrilee, Emily. Chuck and I made a trip to check out some additional cabins. We all agreed on this one and didn't want to miss the opportunity to reserve it.

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We went ahead and reserved a 12 bedroom, 12 bath cabin at HearthSide Preserve. The resort is 12 miles out Wears Valley Rd., and sits on top of a mountain. Road going up to cabin is curvy but good road. Check out the website and let us know if you're still interested. Hearthside Cabin Rentals/Mountain Breeze Manor.

If you're still in, the deposit per room was \$140 due at Aug.1 Chpt. meeting. Balance of \$180. will be due on Feb. 11.

We debated about travel protection insurance offered and decided to go ahead and purchase it. That's included in the \$320 per room. This covers real emergency, such as sickness or death. A claim would have to be filed to receive your money back. Last year, we had 2 that could have benefited by this.

If everyone is still in, we have all rooms spoken for. Let us know if this works for you and if not, we'll get busy trying to fill rooms.

This is the list we have right now.
Jennings, Seals, Sowders, Wally, Queeners, Beelers, Richard and Denise James, Brian and Loretta Richards, Tom Peck, Merrilee and Emily, Talleys, and Lori and Steve Sombati (our daughter and son-in-law)
Looking forward to a great time!
Pat

<https://www.hearthsidecabinrentals.com/cabins/mountain-breeze-manor/>

Chapter Educator Section



Hey everybody, we're back in the saddle so to say following my recovery from shoulder surgery. So far, a few day rides have been beneficial therapy both physical & mental. In those months being off the bike, I've noticed an ever growing number of distracted drivers. It's nice to see that our state is taking steps through large billboards as well as the electronic message boards on the interstate highways to not only raise motorcycle awareness but to address the distracted driving problem which is reaching epidemic status.

Obviously, the most common distraction is cell phone usage which removes a drivers' eyes from the roadway for periods of time usually causing the vehicle to drift outside of the lane. However, I've observed people doing other non-driving activities behind the wheel that would scare a crash dummy! During daylight hours alone approximately 660,000 drivers are using their cell phones while driving. Teenage drivers are the largest age group represented involving fatal distracted driving crashes. This is not to say that all other drivers have any better advantage at distracted driving. Reports for 2015 alone show that 3,477 people were killed and 391,000 were injured in crashes involving distracted drivers. Now I ask you, is there anything so important on that cell phone that is worth taking your life or the life of someone else? Hey, it can wait! With all the experimental self-driving cars being developed recently, maybe that dumbing-down process will finally allow people to become texting passengers instead of distracted drivers. My hope is that the engineers program motorcycle recognition into these self-driving cars instead of creating another hazard to our riding safety.

Remember, stay cool and hydrated during this warmer weather and to use a phrase from the past, "Watch out for the other guy!".

Until next time, ride safer

Jerry



and Trikes!



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2012 GL1800 16" rear wheel and Avon Cobra AV72 tire (tire has 5,000 miles), asking \$100



J&M PSCR-GL1800 Passenger Audio Controller and CB Push-to-talk, almost new, MSRP \$199.99, asking \$75/obo



Flash2Pass garage door opener set, brand new, MSRP \$140, asking \$50



(1 set) Hyper Lights Brand new, MSRP \$100, asking \$50



Dyna Beads for tire balancing, new, (with TPMS system in our bike, we can't use these), asking \$10



Tour Master Riding Boots size 12 or 46 . Contact Merrilee Deguire to make offer 865-256-1250



Stanley Rinehart, asking \$400 Dollars for it. 423-912-0848

Technical Advisor



Roy Jennings

Electrical Ground Issues on my 2005 Goldwing Trike

Several years ago, when I turned into the garage on the trike, I noticed that both turn signal indicator lights on the dash were dim when I turned on the turn signals. Checking further, the brake and turn signals lights on the rear were out. I looked in Hondas service manual and could find nothing in the trouble shooting charts to describe this. I had added some additional lights, but everything was ok there. I had a similar problem like this several years ago and it was attributed to a bad ground. After removing the shelter and rear seat. I began my search using the service manual wiring diagrams. I removed the rear lights and found that the green wire with tracer was the ground for the light. I ran a jumper from the frame to the light and it came on. I traced the wire to a 14-pin connector marked C15 underneath the seat. These wires were fused together in the connector creating high resistance. This made it difficult to separate the connector. I cut the damaged wires out and spliced in a jumper around the connector. This type of repair will work in most instances. If you encounter this problem remove the seat and check the 14-pin connector located at the bottom of the co-riders back rest.

Roy

RIDE FOR KIDS UPDATE

WALLY

I have all the stuff, so next Saturday, August 5th early after noon....I would like to have a hour long meeting, I will get a place nailed down and will send it out too, soonest.....

Jason Passolt , (formerly Task Force Leader from Utica, New York) has taken the 2nd task force leader, and Brian Richards and Emily Lewis, have taken the assistant Task Force Leader position.

We have currently raised \$21,000 dollars so far with more to come.

We will have volunteer training at 6:30 p.m. at the Harley shop on Clinton Hiway on Oct 6th, about a hour and 15 minutes.

I have a few things to talk about and get some input from you all....

Hope to see you there.....Wally

Revised Ride Schedule

**Ride Coordinator : Wally Maliskey
865-617-4151**

Tuesday 8/1 regular club meeting, same time same bat channel.....

Thursday-Sunday 8/3-6—Blue Ridge Parkway Ride (Tom Peck) TBA

Tuesday 8/15—Dinner Ride, Captain's Galley, Dandridge, TN

Friday (pm)-Sunday 8/18-20—Ride to Cave City to Mammoth Cave and KY Rally

Tuesday-Saturday 8/29-9/2—Wing Ding, Grapevine, TX (Note: Tom plan to leave on Saturday 8/26 and return on Tuesday 9/5, with 3 days travel each way)

September

Tuesday 5th regular club meeting at 7 p.m.

Saturday 9/9—Ride to Natural Tunnel and Amis Mill

Restaurant

Tuesday 9/19—Dinner Ride, Hot Rods in Maryville, TN, 6:30 p.m.

2017 Ride for Kids

Date of RFK's is Saturday October 7th, 2017, UT has a by-week...so no game....time not set yet.....mark them calendar's.....

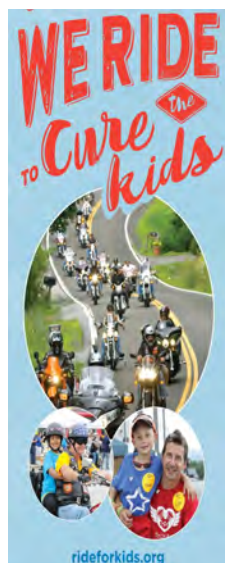
This is the old Knoxville Ride for Kids changed to "Deals Gap Ride for Kids 2017"Deals Gap Resort has graciously taken over the East TN RFK...going to be big....more info to follow as it gets firmed up...

**2017 Deals Gap Ride for Kids
Deals Gap Motorcycle Resort
17548 Tapoco Rd
Robbinsville, NC, 28771**



\$35: Deals Gap/Ride for Kids T-shirt (shipped within 4-6 weeks) Deals Gap Ride for Kids Sticker (limited to the first 500 \$35 donors) Deals Gap / Ride for Kids Commemorative Poker Chip (limited to the first 500 \$35 donor)

The Deals Gap Ride for Kids will be unlike any event you've ever attended. "The Dragon's" 318 turns in eleven miles present a challenge for the most seasoned riders. Instead of organizing an escorted ride, we decided to let everyone enjoy the day at their own pace.



Every Mile Counts

Deal's Gap
 Saturday, October 7, 2017
 Deal's Gap Motorcycle Resort
 Intersection of US 129 & Hwy 28 N | Tapoco, NC 28771

CHECK IN: 11:30-2:00 P.M.
 STAR PROGRAM: 2:30 P.M. Rain or Shine!

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rideforkids.org

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NO BAKE



2 cups white sugar

3 tablespoons unsweetened cocoa powder

1/2 cup margarine

1/2 cup milk

1 pinch salt

3 cups quick cooking oats

1/2 cup peanut butter

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Cook 15 m Ready In 25 m

In a saucepan bring sugar, cocoa, margarine, milk, and salt to a rapid boil for 1 minute.

Add quick cooking oats, peanut butter, and vanilla; mix well.

Working quickly, drop by teaspoonfuls onto waxed paper, and let cool.

WING DING 39



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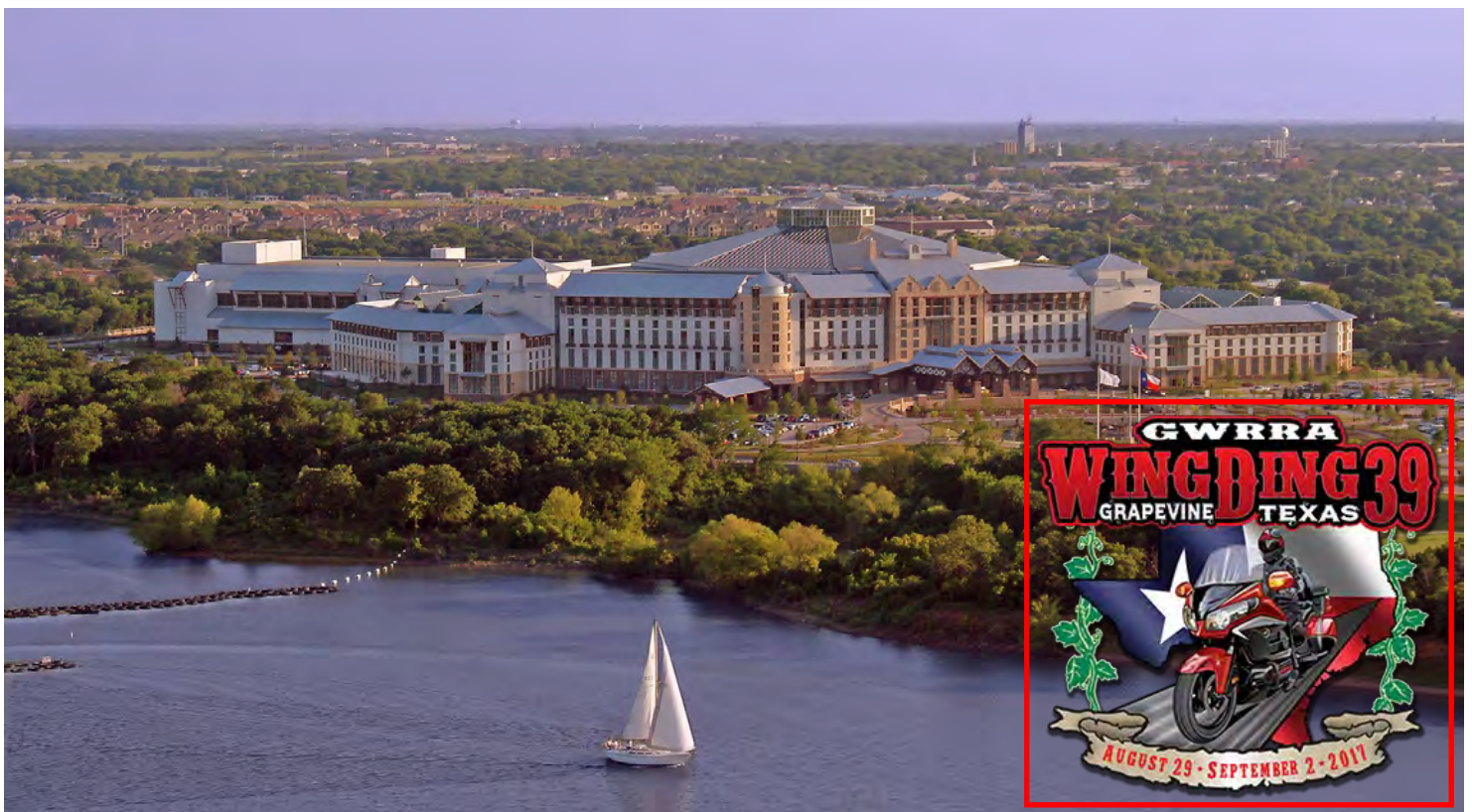
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Greetings to all GWRRA Members! Please read the following information for important details regarding parking and pets at the Gaylord Texan!

PARKING: If you are staying at the Gaylord Texan, there is a \$10 parking fee in addition to your room cost. That parking fee has been negotiated down from \$18.50/day to \$10.00/day. This is a great deal! As you likely know, this caliber of a resort is usually well over \$300/day plus resort fee plus parking fee, etc., but your Wing Ding rate is just \$159 plus the discounted \$10 parking rate. You will simply use your room key to gain access to the parking areas! For those who are not staying on the property (perhaps staying at another hotel or camping nearby), the current Gaylord Texan parking fee structure states that you would pay \$10.00 each time you entered the lot. According to this structure, you would be charged \$10.00 every time you returned to the lot from a ride, re-entered the lot after taking your bike into the building for service, etc.

We, GWRRA, felt this was unfair to those choosing to stay at another location, and negotiated an **option** for you to purchase a parking pass for \$50.00, good for the duration of the event. This parking pass will allow you to enter and exit the lot as many times as you'd like throughout the event, August 29 - September 2. This parking pass, and price, was negotiated with our Members' best interest in mind, giving you the best possible option under the circumstances. These parking passes (\$50.00) can be purchased at the Valet Desk inside the Lobby of the Gaylord Texan.

All parking fees are imposed by the Hotel Parking Management, not GWRRA.

PET POLICY We love our fur babies as much as anyone, however, the Gaylord Texan also has a strict "No Pets" policy. Service animals will be permitted, but proper documentation will be required. Please plan for this accordingly.

To get a complete schedule of events etc at
Wing Ding you can visit this web site:

<http://wing-ding.org/>

You can scroll down and find the schedule and other things that you may be interested in. As for now the group will be arriving in time to be at the Couple of the Year selection Tuesday August 29th at 1 pm till 5 pm in the Texas Ball room, Convention Center 3rd floor. Following the Couples selection there will be a Grapevine welcome party from 6 pm to 9 pm location to be



"Chapter Visitation"



Chapter **B** meets the **1st Tuesday** each month at **Shoney's** Clinton Exit 122 off I-75 North
Eat at 6:00 pm meeting at 7:00 pm.
Call Tom & Kathy Peck 423-907-9712

Chapter **A2** meets the **3rd Monday** each month at Shoney's 1021 Lamar Alexander Pkwy Maryville, Eat at 6pm Meeting at 7pm. CD Jim & Joyce Hunsley 217-412-9986

Chapter **M** meets the **2nd Tuesday** each month. Eat at 6:00 pm meeting at 7:00 pm..
Chapter M meets at 550 Fort Loudon Medical Center Dr in Lenoir City. CD Brian & Loretta Richards 865-249-6173

Chapter **T** meets the **4th Tuesday** Each month at the Shoney's 315 Emory Rd, Powell
Eat at 6:00 pm/Meet at 7:00 pm CD: Bobby Cash 865-705-7657

Chapter **F** meets the **3rd Thursday** Golden Corral, 2905 West Andrew Johnson Highway, Morristown, TN 37814. Eat 6:30 pm/Meet 7:30 pm CD Elizabeth & Earl Smith 585-737-9823

Lets go Visit!

Chapter **C** meets the **3rd Tuesday** each month at MaMa's House Buffet 2608 N John B Dennis Hwy. Kingsport, Eat at 6:00pm and start the Gathering at 7:00pm. TN Call Richard & Connie Pendleton, 423-245-8484

Chapter **C2** meets the 3rd **Saturday** at Shoney's, 4148 US 127, S Crossville, Eat at 9:00 am Meeting at 10:00 am CD Buddy & Brenda Turner, 931-484-7337



New Chapter Golf Shirts see Pat
Chapter "Bee" Embroidered Hats: \$12
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- Region N 4" Patch . 6.00
- Red/ White 4" GWRRA Patch 6.00
- Black/Gold 4" GWRRA Patch..... 6.00
- Black/Gold 10" GWRRA Patch..... 14.00
- Red/White 10" GWRRA Patch..... 14.00
- Blue & Red District Patch 5.00
- TN District Pin..... 4.00

Chapter B 25 Year Patch.....Free to Chapter B members



We can order so many more goodies - such as - a GWRRA Mouse Pad for your computer, GWRRA Ball Caps in various colors, Coasters, Earrings, Logo Vest Clip Chains, License Plates, Bolo Ties, Happy Face Antenna Ball - and so much more (just too much to list here).

LET'S GO SHOPPING!

See the "Quarter Master"

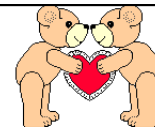
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Happy Birthday

- 8/1 Roy Burleson
- 8/5 Barbara Chandler
- 8/12 Wilburn Hayes
- 8/20 Merrilee DeGuire
- 8/24 Donna Hemphill
- 8/26 Jack Burnett
- 8/26 Peanut Davis



Happy Anniversary

- 8/2 Roy & Joyce Jennings
- 8/21 Jack & Debbie Burnett



1 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 cup butter, softened
1/2 cup white sugar
1/2 cup peanut butter
1/2 cup packed brown sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 tablespoons milk
40 miniature chocolate covered peanut butter cups,
unwrapped

Prep 25 m Cook 10 m Ready In 1 h 35 m

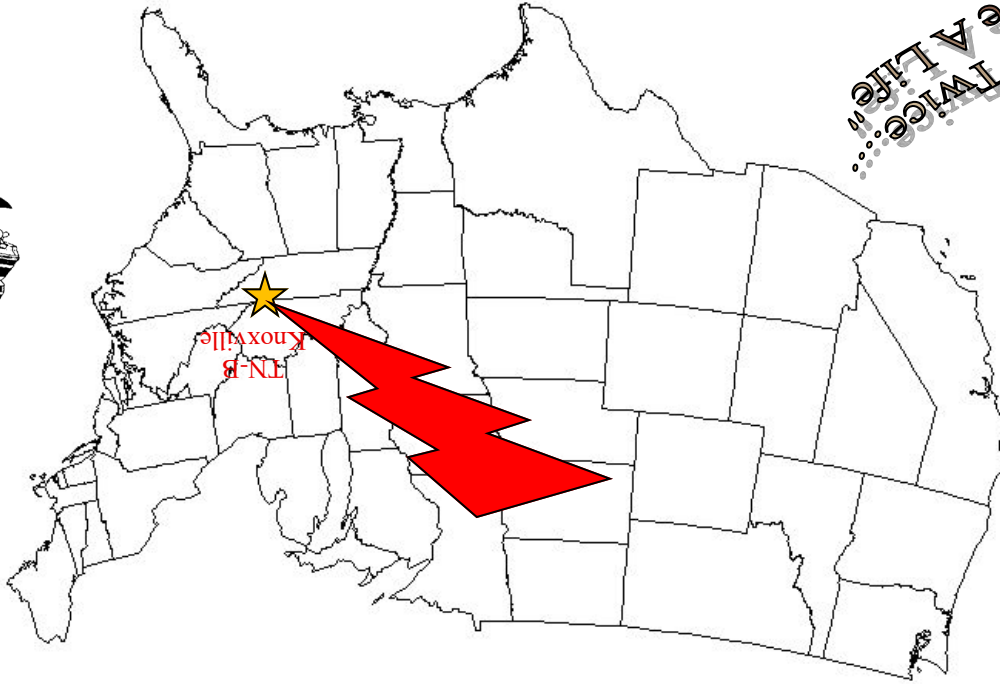
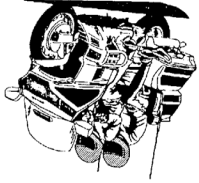
Preheat oven to 375 degrees F (190 degrees C). Sift together the flour, salt and baking soda; set aside.

Cream together the butter, sugar, peanut butter and brown sugar until fluffy. Beat in the egg, vanilla and milk. Add the flour mixture; mix well. Shape into 40 balls and place each into an ungreased mini muffin pan.

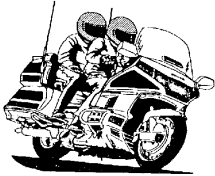
Bake at 375 degrees for about 8 minutes. Remove from oven and immediately press a mini peanut butter cup into each ball. Cool and carefully remove from pan.

Enjoying the Mountains of East Tennessee!

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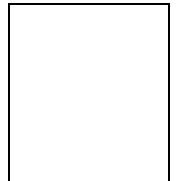


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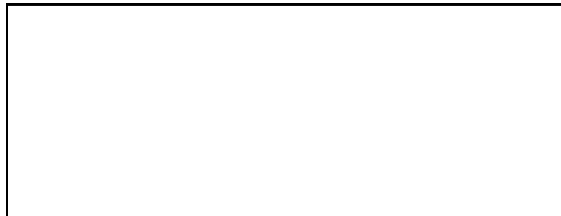
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