



# "The Buzz"



**GWRRRA SunSphere Wings  
Chapter B Knoxville Tennessee  
December 2020 Newsletter**

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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  
**No Dec 1st Meeting***



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From Your Senior Chapter B Directors  
Tom & Merrilee Peck



Hi Everyone,

Hope you all had a happy Thanksgiving and were able to enjoy with family and friends. Due to the spike in the virus concerns we decided to cancel our planning meeting as well as the annual Christmas party. This was quite a disappointment for everyone I'm sure. We will attempt to reschedule our planning meeting for sometime next year and will find a good time to announce our 2021 couple and Individual of the year. This delay will give everyone some extra time to fill out their Ride survey and get it back to Wally so he can compile the results and will get a better feel of the membership as we move into the 2021 riding season. Keep your eye on your email. I'll be sending out an invite to a Zoom meeting the same time as our regular monthly meeting. Just click on the link or copy and paste the link into you browser and it should load you right into the Zoom meeting. Hope you enjoy the abbreviated newsletter this month.



Merrilee and I would like to wish  
all our Gold wing family a  
Merry Christmas and a  
Happy New Year from  
Chapter Tennessee B



# Assistant Chapter Directors



Assistant Chapter Directors

*Stanley & Patty Rinehart*



This is our last newsletter this year in what has been an unusual year. This Pandemic saw us missing out on a lot of our favorite things that we like doing and a lot of the events that we like going to and it's not over yet. Tom has had to make a tuff decision and cancel our Christmas party and Ride Planning meeting. While I know this was not an easy call, it was the right one and I personally want to thank him for putting everyone's safety first and foremost. For me, the Christmas Party has always been my single favorite event that we do each year and we were so fortunate to have very special people like Mike and Linda Bridges offer to open up their home and host this. I really think we will also miss the new ride planning meeting format as I think Wally had a nice set up lined out and I was really looking forward to participating in it. Like you, I know we are all looking forward to 2020 being over with but we are far from being out of the woods with this thing yet. There are a lot of people working diligently to find a cure to help us get past this and I look forward to that day. For now, we need to adhere to the safe practices that are being laid out for us and keep our self safe till we can get back to all the things we enjoy doing. I am praying that you all have a Happy and Safe Thanksgiving and I look forward to seeing everyone again.

Stanley

# Chapter B Couple of the Month

Brought to you by your Chapter B  
Social Coordinator



Doretha Thompson



Wally Maliskey was born in 1956 in Frankfurt Germany as an army brat. In 1959 he moved to Huntsville, Alabama, where his dad was transferred to Redstone Arsenal. This is where he continued to grow up until he left for the Navy in 1974. Now, we know why he is an Alabama fan! During his time in the Navy he was positioned as a Cryptologic Tech Operator and a Damage Control Petty Officer upon the USS Mitscher DDG-35 until 1977 when the ship was decommissioned. In 1978 he was stationed at a little base on the North Carolina/Virginia border. He left the Navy in October 1978.

Wally moved back to Huntsville, Alabama where he attended a local Jr College studying electronics. He also worked 2nd shift at a GTE manufacturing facility making telephones. In the late 1980s he was accepted as an Electrician Apprentice at Redstone Arsenal. After working there 6 months Wally was called by TVA to start in a Nuclear Steam Plant Operator Program. After completing the two-and-a-half-year program he began work at Bellefonte Nuclear Plant. Then in 1985 he accepted a position for 4 months which turned into 4 years at Widow Creek Fossil Plant. He moved to Roane County in 1989 to work at the Kingston Fossil Plant until he retired in October 2013.

Wally was a founding member of Windrock ATV Club from 1998-2008. He served as Vice President and Events Coordinator and guided up at the Coal Creek Mining area. He was an Industrial Firefighter for 30 years and Brigade/Hazmat Leader for 8 years. After retirement he served as a Unit Operator and a switchboard operator for 21 years.

Wally said he joined Chapter B in 2008 when a sweet voice Miss Merrilee called him and asked him to come check out chapter B. He was hooked from then on.

He also helped with Ride for Kids in 2009 along with some of the other Chapter B members. He eventually became the Task Force Leader, following in Tom/Kathy Peck's shoes.



Technical Coordinator: Chris Harden



# Happy Trails



I'm sure that most of you are happy that December is here. Most would like to see 2020 go away. Though many of our social activities have been curtailed, I'm sure most of us would like to sneak a day ride in whenever possible. Our first few days of the month already have the weather guessers calling for some light to moderate snow. Although nobody likes to ride in that stuff, you must remember that many cities and towns like to put salt or brine solutions on the roads to aid in the melting of snow and ice. A motorcycle ride after the melt can kick up that salt onto the underside of your bike. This will start corroding your bike if you do not clean it thoroughly before parking in your garage.

Also, beware of black ice on morning rides or cooler days. And, the deer are still out crossing roads carelessly. I had a close encounter in the early evening one day last week.

One more thing, with ARC and Trike courses in short supply, I found that the Motorcycle Safety Foundation is offering an online eCourse that may help keep some of us from getting too rusty in the winter months. The course is about 90 minutes long and covers seven topics for experienced riders. It's called MSF Street Strategies and costs \$19.99. You can also get a certificate of completion when done. You can take the course anytime and enroll at [msf-usa.org](http://msf-usa.org).

Until next  
time, ride safer

Jerry



## Items For Sale



Show Chrome hitch for GL1800 2001-2017 (2 photos)  
- includes all fasteners and directions - \$150.00

Honda factory Service and ETM manual for GL1800/A 2001-2003 but good up to 2007  
\$50.00



Kuryakyn Transformer floorboards Fit all GL1500 and GL1800 to 2017 - Complete with all rubber inserts - \$150.00 pair

Top bridge for GL1800 complete with handlebar setbacks. Just bolt on - \$20.00



Auxiliary fuel tank. Use for extended riding or maintenance. 3.25 gallon spun aluminum - \$100.00

Aluma MCT trailer (3 photos) - LED lights, TN license plate, custom paint with Wing Bling accents - \$700/offer

All items contact Mark Kohman  
865-3797229 or email him at  
[mkohlman@stepshirts.com](mailto:mkohlman@stepshirts.com)



**2021 Ride Form**

**Daily**                      **Weekend**  
**Week or longer**

**(circle one)**

**Destination** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date/s:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Area Attraction's :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Suggested by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Road Capt:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Depart Time and Location** \_\_\_\_\_

**Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# RECIPES



## Crack Chicken Noodle Soup

### Ingredients

- 3 cups cooked shredded or chopped chicken breast (You can also use rotisserie chicken)
- 1 (10.5 oz.) can condensed chicken soup
- 6 cups low-sodium chicken stock
- 1 cup whole milk
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- 2 medium carrots, sliced
- 1 (1 oz.) packet Ranch dressing mix
- 1 cup crumbled bacon
- 1 1/2 cups shredded mild cheddar cheese
- 1/2 cup cream cheese, softened
- 8 oz. Thin Spaghetti or Angel Hair - uncooked

### Instructions

Combine chicken, condensed soup, chicken stock, milk, cream cheese, carrots, celery, ranch dressing mix, and crumbled bacon in a large Dutch oven over medium-high heat and bring to a boil. Turn down heat to medium-low and simmer for 20 - 25 minutes.

add noodles and cheese and simmer until noodles are fully cooked.  
Top with extra crumbled crisp bacon if desired

**2020 Ride Schedule**  
**Wally Maliskey Ride Coordinator**

**Nov**

**Dec**

**1<sup>st</sup>.... Regular meeting at Shoney's (I-75 & 61) Meeting starts 7pm....**

**Canceled**

**5<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm Christmas Party....Mike & Linda's place off Emory Rd just East of Broadway. Follow Emory Rd east off I-75 exit 112 follow Emory into Halls 5 miles, cross Broadway and continue on Emory for 3 more miles, turn right on Foxglen Blvd next street Trinity turn Right then immediately left onto Inverrary Dr, 7505 will be on the left. Linda's phone 865-607-1353** **Canceled**

**Make sure to fill out Wally's survey and send it to him**

# "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 & Merrilee Peck  
423-907-9712 / 423-494-9818

Chapter **A2** meets the **3rd Monday** each month at Shoney's 1021 Lamar Alexander Pkwy Maryville, Eat at 6pm Meeting at 7pm. Chapter Directors Bob Mack Jr. and Margie Pagano 865-376-5090.

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 Saturday** Each month at the Golden Corral 6621 Clinton Hwy 37921 Eat at 9:00 am/Meet at 10:00 am CD: Lee Ann & Wilburn Hayes 423-497-2945

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 Gene & Donna Dunn 631-848-9435

Chapter **C2** meets the **3rd Thursday** at Eat at 6:30 pm The new place is Ruby Tuesdays, 2316 N Main St, Crossville, TN. Meeting at 7:00 pm Chapter Director is Randy Ryan. 985-201-3791

Chapter **C** meets the **3rd Tuesday** each month at Bob Evans, I-26 Boone's Creek Exit, Kingsport, TN Tom & Carolyn Jarrell  
423-383-0339



*Happy Birthday*

**We have several Chapter Shirts, you can choose the one you like. Pat can order or you can purchase on your own and we can get the embroidering done for you.**



Place your Order with Pat Talley

Give me a call, email me or see you at the next meeting  
**INVENTORY CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:**

- Tennessee visitation pins (Shape of State).....\$4.00 ea.
- TN-B Hanger Bars ..... 2.00
- 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"  
Pat Talley

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*Lynell Queener Dec 7th*  
*Sonya Ridinger Dec 13th*  
*Irene Ciesla Dec 21st*  
*Chuck Tally Dec 26th*  
*Julie Harden Dec 31st*



*Jerry & Sonya Ridinger*  
*Dec 19th*