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# July Gathering Cancelled!

Enjoy Wing Ding and  
your Independence Day Celebrations

Join us the **First Tuesday**  
each month at  
**Shoney's Restaurant**  
2405 Andersonville Hwy  
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Ph. 865-494-7295  
(Rt. 61 Museum exit)  
Exit 122 off I-75  
just north of Knoxville  
Eat at 6:30 PM  
and our social starts  
promptly at 7:30 PM  
Hope to see Y'all there!!!

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# From Your Sr. Chapter Directors, Tom and Kathy Peck



Hi Everyone,

Here we are and it is June already and May has already been a busy month. Hope you've been enjoying all the great riding weather we've had here in the east Tennessee area. We have already had several organized rides out in the countryside and a few dinner rides.

There are plenty of planned rides coming up so we hope you stay in touch on our chapter web site as well as our email communication. Make sure we have good information so we can get the word out to everyone. Be sure to encourage your friends to come and ride with us; they are always welcome.

The Steak Out was another success and we had many of our Chapter B members attend. The weather cooperated this year and the riding was fantastic. Always good to hang out with our good friends a Chapter C who have sponsored this event for over 25 years, not to mention those always wonderful steaks! Many always look forward to this fun time each year.

Kathy and I have missed the Steak Out the last couple years since we would always attend the Middle Tennessee *Ride For Kids*. This year we decided to do both events—we rode to Knoxville after the Steak Out and spent the evening so we could get an early start to Franklin and do their *Ride for Kids* once again. This was the 4th year for the Middle Tennessee ride and the first year it didn't pour down rain at their event. Turned out to be a huge success on a beautiful day; a record number of riders turned out for the ride as over \$109K was raised for the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation.

Burt led a ride up into Kentucky one beautiful sunny day and we visited Old Burnside, Lake Cumberland and lots of the Kentucky back roads stopping for lunch at the Forbus Country Store established back in 1892. The store was located just a little north of Pall Mall on Route 127 where Sergeant Alvin C. York grew up. Plans are already in the works to visit his home and museum one day soon—lots of history in that area. Chuck Talley, Burt Wagner, Gary Davis and Tom Peck enjoyed the ride and look forward to the next ride in the future. Make sure to check out the article further on in the newsletter for some pictures.

Have fun browsing the photos from our other rides as well and make plans to join us for our future rides and events.

**Tom**



# Roan Mountain Steak Out



# A Visit with Chapter O, Cleveland, TN



Here we are with Brenda & Randy Perkinson, TN-O ACDs, and Boyd & Dianne Hixson, TN District Couple of the Year

Saturday May 5th was the first time that Chapter O had a Saturday morning gathering. This Cleveland chapter always had their gathering the 1st Tuesday each month, same evening and same time as our Chapter B gathering. We put out the word we were planning to ride down for a visit with our Chapter O friends.

As the early morning approached so did a huge rain storm from the north heading south the same di-

rection we planned to ride. The only ones who were able to make the ride were Gary & Dianah Davis, and Kathy and myself. As the rain was pouring down we made an on-the-spot decision to go in the 4-wheeler and leave the Goldwing's parked in the dry garages. Always fun to visit on the trip.

We got to Cleveland in plenty of time to have breakfast and join the gathering. We decided, since we were so close to Chattanooga, we would drive on down and survey the future site of the 2013 Spring Fling. The grounds at Camp Jordan are really nice with a huge convention building and plenty of paved flat parking. There was an event going on so we didn't go in the building but we did check out the lay of the land.

We stopped in and checked out a couple motels in the area to see where we might want to stay while at the rally. Kathy will have some details in the future so we can book our rooms as a group. Oh, by the way, the rain stopped as soon as we left Emory Road, where we met Gary and Dianah, and the storm broke up and dissipated and it turned out to be a very nice sunny day.

*Submitted by: Tom Peck*



# Natural Tunnel Ride

On Saturday, June 2, Chapter B took a ride to Natural Tunnel State Park in Virginia. Chuck (aka U-Turn) and Pat (dedicated wife) Talley led the ride. Other members who went were; Tom and Kathy Peck, Jerry and Irene Ciesla, Joann Smith, Tom and Debbie Rhoads, Kyle and Bobbie Beeler, Frank and Patty Balzer. Jack and Debbie Burnett, associate members from Blountville met us at the park. There were 6 trikes and 2 two-



Very pleasant and relaxing! Jerry was off to the side, selling Bobbie and Kyle's trike to some admiring tourists.

We started going towards Rogersville to eat at the Amis Eatery (recommended by Burt). We rode through the Virginia countryside on 2 lane county roads. We rode TN 66. Some say it makes the Dragon look like a super slab highway. (Pat wanted a T-shirt at the bottom of it). It was very curvy with numerous switchbacks.

What also made the ride fun was the numerous U-turns we had to do. Chuck came up with some convincing reasons on why so many. His faithful and loyal wife explained for every 2 U-turns, it cancels 1 out. So Chuck was perfect for the day! Members, please remember, the leader does not plan U-turns, they come naturally. But if you have to tease about it, remember next time you may be the leader and we'll see how you do!

We arrived in Rogersville and ate dinner at Amis Mill. A very nice restaurant with outside dining, gorgeous view and a small waterfall. (Chuck had it built specifically for us). Kudos to Burt for the recommendation! After dinner we cycled home with different routes.



wheelers. The weather was perfect, a little cool and partly cloudy. We started out at Shoney's in Caryville. We rode up the valley towards the tunnel. We got on US 58 and rode it into Virginia. We took our time enjoying the beautiful scenery.



This of course was the time Chuck and Tom gave their running commentary about the illegal round bales of hay. (If you don't know

what we are talking about you have to go on a ride)

Break time brought out Kathy's famous oatmeal cookies. We then rode on to the Natural Tunnel State Park where we had lunch (some brown bagged, others stopped before going into the park for their lunch to take into the picnic area).



After lunch we rode the chair lift down to the tunnel. We leisurely walked around, reading placards, viewing the scenery, the tunnel and Virginia's oldest home, a cabin. Jerry spotted a bird flying around the tunnel. It had a white ring around its neck. He figured out it was a pigeon because it walked pigeon toed! Naturally, there were several photo ops!

We had some time on our hands, so we stayed in the shade, gabbing and having fun.



*Article By: Tom Rhoads*



# KENTUCKY HORSE COUNTRY RIDE

On Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, we all met at Shoney's at the Caryville exit. Those attending were Tom & Kathy Peck, Chuck & Pat Talley, Bill & Merrilee De-Guire, Tom & Debbie Rhoads, Roy (or was it Joyce?) Jennings, Marvin Owens, Bob McIntyre, Jerry & Irene Ciesla, David Underwood, Kyle & Bobbie Beeler, Robert & Kimberly Burselson, Roy & Billie Hall, Brian & Loretta Richards, Sam & Lynell McQueener, and Burt Wagner.



The weather was cool in the morning, a little overcast. Great riding weather! We started off going north on I-75. We passed the south bound lanes that had caved in, causing much grief for all that have to detour. We continued on toward Lexington.

We got off the super slab and motored towards the different farms. We took a short break at the Thoroughbred Center. This was a driving tour of the different, beautiful farms, and homes of some great race horses. We also drove by Keeneland Race Track.



Kathy Peck narrated as we went by the farms, giving interesting facts about each one. Each farm had miles of white fences and scenic pastures. Burt wanted to know who cut the grass and where the Kentucky blue grass grew.



Some ate breakfast and others met outside. Tom Peck started out with pre-ride details and instructions. We then had a moment of silence for Emily's granddaughter Evie, who died in a car accident.



After our lunch stop, we made our way south. The sky kept getting dark but we stayed ahead of the rain. Tom Peck is good at finding windows of opportunity. Naturally, we made a stop in Somerset, KY at the Dairy Queen for

ice cream. I think it is a Chapter B by-law that forbids passing a Dairy Queen on a warm spring afternoon.

The ride was very relaxing (about 350 miles), entertaining, scenic and very enjoyable. Everyone had a good time, good ride, good company and good companionship. Thank you Chapter B for another great ride!

*Editor's Note: And thank you, **Tom Rhoads**, for submitting this great article!*



We broke into 2 groups due to the large turnout! Tom Peck and Jerry Ciesla were our group leaders, with Burt Wagner and Joyce (Roy) Jennings being the tails.



25 people, 5 Two Wheelers, 10 Trikes, 350 Miles Round Trip From Shoney's, 10 Hours of Fun!



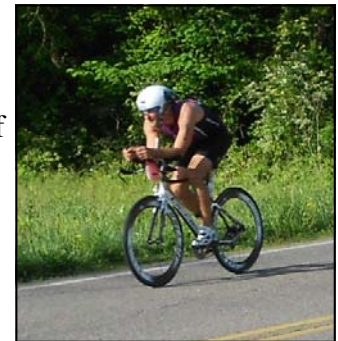
# Knoxville 2012 Triathlon

May 6th Knoxville hosted a very large event here in the area and the request went out for help with the escort services needed to assure the program went off safely. Several area riding groups were contacted to provide the 2-wheelers they would use to carry the race officials, press and cameramen needed along the race course. Local riders Tom Peck, Burt Wagner, Scott Seal and his brother from Clarksville, Dave Roberts, a couple riders from Chapter T, and some from the BMW club were on-hand to help out.



back to the parking garage and they parked the bikes and took off running for the final stage of the event, we were dismissed. Down at the Worlds Fair Park it was a big party with numerous event vendors set up where the runners crossed the finish line. We were treated to a lunch in the VIP tent

as we watched much of the final where the race ended. We were compensated with \$\$\$\$ for helping with the huge event and were asked if we would be interested in doing the escort duties for future events.



It was a beautiful morning as the more than 1500 athletes hit the river for their first leg of the event. They jumped in the river and swam up around a designated



pylon and back, and then got out of the water to head back to the parking garage and get on their bicycles. And I'm talking about real bicycles—some of these bikes cost upwards to \$12K, and they don't even have a motor!



The event was orchestrated by a professional group who travel around the country putting on these types of events—big doings! We all had a great time and it sure was an eye-opening experience to see such a large event and to watch the amazing number of athletes who participate in these events. Amazing!

*Article By: Tom Peck*

As the pro's headed out into the countryside the officials, cameramen and press folks hopped on our bikes (the ones with motors!) and off we went. I happened to be carrying the head official and he kept an eagle eye on those pro riders who he says take every advantage they can when no one is looking. The officials on the course record these infractions and deduct points at the end of the event. You can imagine how one could slight the rules when there is over \$50K in prizes available for a few of the class winners.

As soon as most of the of the riders were





# Kentucky Back-roads Ride

May 11th 2012

Burt sent out the word that it would be a shame to have such a nice day here in the middle of the week and not be on out motorcycles. The note went out through the email and as Chuck Talley and Tom Peck pulled into the Shoney's on Emory Road, Gary Davis and Burt Wagner were just fin-



Lake Cumberland on Rt 90 towards Monticello. At that point we turned back south on some really twisty roads working our way to the Jamestown area.

One of the highlights of the ride was a short lunch stop at an old country store. This store was built in 1892 and is still in its original condition: not much change at

this place and you can enjoy your lunch around a card game or just sit out on the front porch and whittle on a piece of cedar where the wood chips are still piled up on the floor.

Good ride with good friends in some of the best motorcycle riding roads in America. Don't get much better than that!



ishing breakfast.

As it turned out we back-tracked back north on 25W where we would work our way over to Rt 63 and up into Oneida. Then on Rt 27 to Burnside, Kentucky, where we crossed



# July Gathering Cancelled!

# Chapter B Progressive Dinner Ride

- **When:** Saturday, June 30, 10 :00 a.m.
- **What:** Ride to 4 different homes for lots of Food, Fellowship, and a Dip in the Pool! We'll spend about an hour and a half at each home with a leisurely ride in between stops.
- **Where:** Leave Weigel's on Emory Road at 10:00 a.m. and ride to:
  - First Stop:** Mike and Linda Bridges, 7505 Inverrary Circle, Knoxville, for Appetizers (maybe breakfast type appetizers this early in the day).
  - Second Stop:** Chuck and Pat Talley, 188 Hiwassee Point, Jacksboro, for the Salad Course.
  - Third Stop:** Bill and Merrilee DeGuire, 107 Hope Lane, LaFollette, for the Main course (catfish or hamburgers).
  - Fourth Stop:** JoAnn Smith's, 710 Carr Wynn Road, LaFollette, for Dessert and a Swim in the Pool for those who are interested.
- **Cost:** \$10 per person. We'll be collecting money at our June gathering so we can get an idea of how many to prepare for.
- We expect to arrive at JoAnn's at about 5 PM so we'll have 3-4 hours of daylight for eating and swimming before time to head for home.

***Be sure to put this on your calendar!***

***It will be a great day for fellowship and fun!***

## New Chapter Shirts

We've had a number of requests for a Chapter B Golf Shirt. Mike Bridges shared with us a shirt that he had embroidered with our "Bee". Many liked the look, and he indicated his embroiderer would do them for us, including the first name on the other side of the chest, for just \$10.

Mark Kohlman can get shirts for us through his company if we can decide on a color and style we would like. The advantage of having Mark get the shirts is that he will choose a company and a color that is likely to be available in the future for subsequent orders.

Our plan is to take a survey at the gathering to see which color is preferred by most of our participants—that will be our official color. The colors that have been suggested are black, white, red and royal blue—those are the colors we will be selecting from.

In addition to the color selected, the design can be placed on any color shirt you choose. Be at our gathering Tuesday night to make sure you get a voice in our chapter shirt color.

*Note: We are not doing away with our gold T-shirts and they will still be available for order. This will simply give us another option.*



# Surprise! Some GOOD News for a Change!

Dunkin' Donuts gives free coffee to people over 55. If you're paying for a cup every day, you might want to start getting it for free.

## Restaurants

Applebee's: 15% off with Golden Apple Card (60+) Arby's: 10% off (55+) Ben & Jerry's: 10% off (60+)  
Bennigan's: discount varies by location Bob's Big Boy: discount varies by location (60+) Boston Market: 10% off (65+)  
Burger King: 10% off (60+) Captain D's Seafood: discount varies on location (62+) Chick-Fil-A: 10% off or free  
small drink or coffee (55+) Chili's: 10% off (55+) CiCi's Pizza: 10% off (60+) Culver's: 10% off (60+)  
Denny's: 10% off, 20% off for AARP members (55+) Dunkin' Donuts: 10% off or free coffee (55+)  
Einstein's Bagels: 10% off baker's dozen of bagels (60+) Fuddrucker's: 10% off any senior platter (55+)  
Gatti's Pizza: 10% off (60+) Golden Corral: 10% off (60+) Hardee's: \$0.33 beverages everyday (65+)  
IHOP: 10% off (55+) Jack in the Box: up to 20% off (55+) KFC: free small drink with any meal (55+) Krispy  
Kreme: 10% off (50+) Long John Silver's: various discounts at participating locations (55+) McDonald's: discounts  
on coffee everyday (55+) Mrs. Fields: 10% off at participating locations (60+) Shoney's: 10% off  
Sonic: 10% off or free beverage (60+) Steak 'n Shake: 10% off every Monday & Tuesday (50+) Subway:  
10% off (60+) Sweet Tomatoes: 10% off (62+) Taco Bell: 5% off, free beverages for seniors (65+)  
TCBY: 10% off (55+) Tea Room Cafe: 10% off (50+) Village Inn: 10% off (60+) Waffle House: 10% off  
every Monday (60+) Wendy's: 10% off (55+) White Castle: 10% off (62+)

## Retail And Apparel

Banana Republic: 10% off (50+) Bealls: 20% off first Tuesday of each month (50+) Belk's: 15% off first  
Tuesday of every month (55+) Big Lots: 10% off Bon-Ton Department Stores: 15% off on senior discount  
days (55+) C.J. Banks: 10% off every Wednesday (60+) Clarks: 10% off (62+) Dress Barn: 10% off (55+)  
Goodwill: 10% off one day a week (date varies by location) Hallmark: 10% off one day a week (date varies  
by location) Kmart: 20% off (50+) Kohl's: 15% off (60+)  
Modell's Sporting Goods: 10% off Rite Aid: 10% off on Tuesdays & 10% off prescriptions  
Ross Stores: 10% off every Tuesday (55+) The Salvation Army Thrift Stores: up to 50% off (55+)  
Stein Mart: 20% off red dot/clearance items first Monday of every month (55+)

## Grocery

Albertson's: 10% off first Wednesday of each month (55+) American Discount Stores: 10% off every Monday  
(50+) Compare Foods Supermarket: 10% off every Wednesday (60+) DeCicco Family Markets: 5% off every  
Wednesday (60+) Food Lion: 6% off every Monday (60+) Fry's Supermarket: free Fry's VIP Club Membership &  
10% off every Monday (55+) Great Valu Food Store: 5% off every Tuesday (60+) Gristedes Supermarket: 10%  
off every Tuesday (60+) Harris Teeter: 5% off every Tuesday (60+) Hy-Vee: 5% off one day a week (date  
varies by location) Kroger: 10% off (date varies by location) Morton Williams Supermarket: 5% off every  
Tuesday (60+) The Plant Shed: 10% off every Tuesday (50+) Publix: 5% off every Wednesday (55+)  
Rogers Marketplace: 5% off every Thursday (60+) Uncle Giuseppe's Marketplace: 5% off (62+)

## Travel

Alaska Airlines: 10% off (65+) Alamo: up to 25% off for AARP members American Airlines: various discounts  
for 65 and up (call before booking for discount) Amtrak: 15% off (62+) Avis: up to 25% off for AARP members  
Best Western: 10% off (55+) Budget Rental Cars: 10% off, up to 20% off for AARP members (50+) Cambria  
Suites: 20%-30% off (60+) Clarion: 20%-30% off (60+) Comfort Inn: 20%-30% off (60+) Comfort  
Suites: 20%-30% off (60+) Continental Airlines: no initiation fee for Continental Presidents Club &  
special fares for select destinations Dollar Rent-A-Car: 10% off (50+) Econo Lodge: 20%-30% off (60+)  
Enterprise Rent-A-Car: 5% off for AARP members Greyhound: 5% off (62+) Hampton Inns & Suites:  
10% off when booked 72 hours in advance Hertz: up to 25% off for AARP members Holiday Inn: 10%-30%  
off depending on location (62+) Hyatt Hotels: 25%-50% off (62+) InterContinental Hotels Group: various dis-  
counts at all hotels (65+) Mainstay Suites: 10% off with Mature Traveler's Discount (50+); 20%-30%  
off (60+) Marriott Hotels: 15% off (62+) Motel 6: 10% off (60+)

*A big thanks goes out to Chapter C-2 in Crossville for sharing this information!*

# 2012 GWRRA Find-a-Friend Program

**Program Dates: January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012**

## Program Details

- For every five new memberships you recruit (households), you will receive a gift certificate with the equivalent value of a Family Membership - **\$55**.
- You must recruit new memberships only, not renewals. Each membership (household) counts as "ONE" regardless of the number of family members in the membership. (They will however, count under the Find-A-Friend pin and T-shirt program.)
- Gift certificates are non-transferable and will have a one year expiration date.
- **There is no maximum number of gift certificates that can be earned.**
- Free years are issued and redeemed in the form of a gift certificate that is sent by the Home Office.
- Upon achieving the count of five new memberships (households), Members have the "option" to redeem gift certificate(s) for:
  - GWRRA Membership Renewal
  - GWRRA Official Merchandise
  - Wing Ding Registration
  - Chapter Charter Fees
- Memberships recruited during special events (mall shows, rallies, motorcycle shows, etc.) qualify for this program.
- Life Members may use the gift certificates for GWRRA Official Merchandise, Wing Ding Registration or Charter Fees.
- Free year's membership may be applied toward consecutive years necessary for Life membership.
- Trial membership applications may be used for the recruiting efforts. Membership fees must be paid to qualify for this Find-A-Friend program.



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## "Join Us At Wing Ding 34"



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**Wing Ding 34** in Ft. Wayne will host many new and exciting events such as the Welcome Party in the **Amish Town of Grabill, Indiana** featuring outdoor vendors, antique shops, buggy rides, **homemade ice cream** and much more hosted by Visit Fort Wayne!

We're planning a **Fourth of July Celebration** just for Wing Ding attendees on top of one of the IPFW (Indiana-Purdue Ft. Wayne) Parking Garages for VIP viewing of the cities annual fireworks display. This evening will incorporate the Light Parade and feature **exclusive music, dancing, food vendors and more** just for Wing Ding attendees on the top floor of the garage (and reserved parking in the rest of the garage). Or, you can mingle with the community attendees throughout the campus enjoying their annual celebration in their family-friendly, alcohol-free atmosphere.

The AMA's Motorcycle Museum Hall of Fame Inductee **Craig Vetter** will be hosting a lecture each day of Wing Ding 34 so don't miss out on this unique insight into motorcycling history.



# Chapter Educator Section

## The Smart Corner

Dave Roberts, Chapter Educator

Last Friday, we rode up to Gray to pay our last respects to our long-time friend, Jerry Childers. Of course we got caught out in the rain, so we got to practice some wet weather technique. As I rode through the liquid sunshine, I thought about what made riding in the rain so different and why we dislike the wet. I kept coming back to the same thing: A perceived lack of control, or how do I stop this thing on slick streets. All of us at one time or another have been concerned about stopping our motorcycles and we have lots of company.

Jerry "The Motorman" Paladino was once asked by a new motorcycle owner " what is the most important safety tip you can give me?" His answer was: "Learn to use your brakes properly in all conditions." The guy looked at Jerry as if he were kidding him. "What's to it", the guy said, "ya just stomp and squeeze just like in your car".

That's the problem. Too many riders believe that, and coincidentally, bikers crash way too often. You've all heard the story about the guy who had to "lay 'er down" because somebody pulled out in front of him. What that actually means is he panicked, locked the rear tire causing the bike to slide on the ground only stopping when it hit the vehicle or just before it hit the vehicle. In either case, the rider crashed in an attempt to AVOID a crash. Ninety percent of the time, if the rider had braked properly in that situation, he would not have struck the vehicle.

So, the question is, how do you minimize your chances of crashing into something? The answer is simple. Practice emergency, maximum braking. Practice. Practice. Practice.

But, first there's a couple of things you need to know. Number 1: The front brake is 70% of your braking



Butch Adkins and Leisa Childers on Jerry's Trike. Jerry was there, too—his last time to ride in the drag position. Tom & Kathy, Dave & Betty, directly in front of them.

force. Due to that fact, you must put more pressure on the front brake than the rear brake. If you happen to lock the front tire, you must release it immediately then reapply it. Squeeze the front brake, don't grab it. If you lock the rear tire, don't release it. If you do, there's a good chance you will high side. With a motorcycle, you can still steer when the rear tire is locked and sliding.

You must also remember that the motorcycle must be straight up when performing maximum braking. This is not to say that you can't brake with the bike leaned over in a turn, you can lightly brake with both brakes in that situation, but maximum braking must be done with the bike straight up. (You can learn all

about these techniques in the ERC or ARC)

The point is, you must learn to modulate your brakes to keep from locking them and the only way to do that is to practice. Keep repeating to yourself, front brake, front brake. That will assist you in putting more pressure on the front brake than the rear brake. I you have trouble with the front brake, do what I did: get a GoldWing with an anti-lock braking system.

Now when you ride in the rain, everything changes; less traction requires less speed, more cushion distance between vehicles; plenty of stopping distance. Once again; Practice, Practice, Practice.

Learning to brake properly in all conditions gives you the confidence that you need to be a safe rider.

Ride Smart

**Dave**



# "Chapter Visitation"



Chapter **B** meets the **1st Tuesday** each month at **Shoney's** Clinton Exit 122 off I-75 North  
Eat at 6:30 pm meeting at 7:30 pm.  
Call Tom & Kathy Peck 423-907-9712

Chapter **F** meets the **2nd Tuesday** each month at new location Jan 2012, Shoney's at 1933 West Andrew Johnson Hwy. Morristown, Eat at 6:30 pm meeting at 7:30 pm.  
Call George & Lanora Baker 865-231-7948

Chapter **M** meets the **2nd Tuesday** each month. Eat at 6:00 pm meeting at 7:00 pm..  
Chapter M meets at the Fort Loudon Medical Center in Lenoir City. (Next to Cracker Barrel, behind Chili's)  
Call Robert & Trudy Ashcraft 865-376-6403

Chapter **A2** meets the **4th Monday** each month at Shoney's Restaurant 2810 Alcoa Hwy Alcoa, Tn 37701  
Dale & Ernest Hall, 423-295-2356

Chapter **G2** meets the **1st Monday** each month at IHOP 1802 Parkway Sevierville, TN 37862  
Eat at 6:30, Gathering at 7:30  
Roland & Peggy Groleau, 865-313-0425

Chapter **T** meets the **4th Tuesday** Each month at QQ's Pizza, 7002 Maynardville Hwy, Halls Center Shopping Plaza.  
Eat at 6:00 pm/Meet at 7:00 pm  
Call Brian & Loretta Richards 865-332-3966

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 Ryan's, 2854 North Main, Crossville Eat at 8:00 am Gathering at 9:00 am Call Alex & Diane Alenitsch 239-542-0452



**New Chapter T-Shirts \$20**  
Chapter "Bee" Embroidered Hats: \$12  
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 Pins (Shape of State).....\$4.00 ea.
- TN-B Hanger Bars..... 2.00
- Black/Gold 4" GWRRA Patch..... 5.00
- Black/Gold 10" GWRRA Patch..... 12.00
- Red/Blue/Yellow 10" GWRRA Patch..... 12.00
- New Chapter B 25 Year Patch.....Free to Chapter B members**
- Chapter B Ball Caps...Now Available..... 12.00

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, Region N 4" Patch, 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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**GWRRA Anniversary-35 Years!**  
6/8 Betty Roberts  
6/13 Scott Seal



happy anniversary

6/5 Charles & Becky Dodson  
6/6 Burt & Helga Wagner  
6/9 Glenn & Susan Riedel  
6/15 Kyle & Bobbie Beeler



# TN-B 2012 Ride and Event Schedule



## JUNE

- 6/2: Natural Tunnel, Duffield, VA, Amis Eatery Restaurant, Rogersville, TN
- 6/8 Friday: Dinner Ride—Smokies Baseball
- 6/14-16: GA Rally, Dillard House, Dillard, GA
- 6/16– 23: Charleston, NC & Savannah, GA
- 6/30: TN-B Progressive Dinner Ride—Bridges, Talley, DeGuire, Smith; *See Page 8 for details.*

## JULY

**July Gathering Cancelled!**

- 7/4-7: Wing Ding, Fort Wayne, IN
- 7/21: Cherohala and the Dragon
- 7/26, Thursday: RFK Volunteer Training, Comfort Inn Oak Ridge, 7:00 PM
- 7/28, Saturday: Alternate RFK Volunteer Training, Time TBA
- 7/29: Knoxville Ride for Kids, Pellissippi State Community College
- 7/30 –8/4: Blue Ridge Parkway

## AUGUST

- 8/18: Pool Party, Burt and Helga's
- 8/21 Tuesday: Dinner Ride—TBA
- 8/25: Wheels Through Time Museum, Maggie Valley, NC

## SEPTEMBER

- 9/8: Pall Mall & Muddy Pond, TN, Forbes General Store for lunch
- 9/18 Tuesday: Dinner Ride—TBA
- 9/21-23: Wings Across Tennessee, Bristol to Memphis, TN-B will host the Friday lunch at Concord Park
- 9/21-29: Panama City, FL; Biloxi, MS; New Orleans, LA; Natchez Trace

## OCTOBER

- 10/23 Tuesday: Dinner Ride—TBA

## NOVEMBER

- 11/3: 2013 Ride Planning Meeting
- 11/17: Tennessee District Ops Meeting, Murfreesboro; Note: this is for all officers—CDs, ACDs, Chapter Educators, Membership Enhancement Coordinators, and Treasurers

## DECEMBER

- 12/8: Christmas Party, Mike and Linda Bridges' Home

*Note: Most of our Dinner Rides are planned for either Tuesday or Thursday, during the weeks in between our chapter gatherings. The following restaurants will be plugged into our schedule:*

- The Grease Rack, Newport, TN
- Allison's Catfish Cabin, Greenback, TN
- Dinner Bell, Sweetwater, TN
- Pine Mountain State Park, Pineville, KY
- Whitestone's, Kingston, TN
- Rickard's Ridge, Cove Lake State Park, Caryville, TN



# Come Ride With Us!

**Wally Maliskey, Ride  
Coordinator**

**Chuck Talley, Assistant  
Ride Coordinator**