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Riding with Roy & Kathy

By Roy & Kathy Richard

Kathy and I led the First of Month Dinner Ride on Sunday October 7. However, because of the hot weather (90+ degrees again) the ride portion was cancelled and everyone met at Boston Butz in Ross, OH for dinner. Attending were Kathy and I, Jim & Angie Beeber, Jim & Brenda Pennington, Denise French, Judy Wyckoff, Butch Royse, Randy & Gail Hiser, and Pauline Boderone & Jack Elsen.

The following weekend was the annual Chili Dump extravaganza at the Elsen's farm. It turned out to be a beautiful fall weekend. Friday evening, 16 Chapter L members met at the farm to make quick work of cleaning and setting up the shelter. On Saturday, the 170+ attendees started to arrive around 2:00 PM. They added their chili to a pot to cook. The chili was steaming hot and ready to serve by 4:00 p.m. Rich Elsen welcomed everyone to the farm and he also announced that there would be hayrides later, but unfortunately no bonfire or fireworks would be allowed due to the drought conditions. Dave Taylor offered a blessing, and then the serving line was started.



After the meal, Matt Davis (Rich & Bobbie Harless' grandson) organized the Cornhole game. 10 teams participated in the single elimination tournament which was won by the team of Randy & Gail Hiser. Thank you, Matt, for stepping up to help! Pauline Boderone organized some games for the kids in attendance. Thank you, Pauline, for making it a special day for the kids. Bear & Judy O'Rourke provided kettle corn again this year. There is something about the aroma of corn popping. Thank you, Bear & Judy! Rich Elsen brought a hay wagon this year and had enough riders for 2 hayrides. Thank you, Rich Elsen! Jim Goss donated a remote controlled helicopter for auction. The proceeds went to help offset some of the expenses. Andy Campbell was high bidder for helicopter. Thank you, Jim and Andy, for your donation and contribution! Kathy and I provided bales of straw, pumpkins and mums to decorate the shelter. The 6 pumpkins and 4 mums were given as door prizes and 3 bales of straw were given away at the end of the day.



Oh! I ate too much!!

Sunday morning, 36 members and friends came back to the shelter for a hearty breakfast of scrambled eggs, sausage, geotta, pancakes, milk, orange juice and hot apple cider. A crew of

Chapter L members helped cleanup and put away tables, picnic benches, chairs and tarps for the end of the season. Thank you to all who helped with the chili dump, without your help we could not have been able to put on a successful event. And again another big THANK YOU to Rich & Linda Elsen for allowing us to have the Chili Dump and Breakfast at the farm.

The following week was the monthly Chapter L gathering at the Green Township Senior Center. Each member of the 2007 Chapter Staff was recognized for their help and support during the year. It doesn't seem as though 12 months have gone by, but it has, and time does go by fast when you are having fun. Thank you Chapter L staff, and thank you all Chapter L and GWRRA members that helped and participated in the many chapter activities this year.

October was a busy month for both Chapter A-2 and X-2 who celebrated birthdays. We attended both gatherings to help celebrate and recognize each chapter's accomplishment. Chapter E-2 celebrates a twentieth birthday November 2nd and we also plan on attending their gathering. I would like to once again recognize the 2006 – 2007 Chapter L Staff: Jim Beeber, Diana & Dan Daulton, Bill & Carol Pott, Fred & Lori Manning, Tom & Barb Burns, Pauline Boderone, Rich & Linda Elsen, Bud Smith & Peggy Muchmore, Jim & Brenda Pennington, Judy Wyckoff & Bitch Royse, Tim & Anita Kendrick, Randy & Gail Hiser, Debbie Winkler, Carl & Cris Hauser, Tony, Dave & Jackie Heim and our special Couple of the Year Mike (Bear) & Judy O'Rourke.

The 2008 chapter staff changes are as follows: Jim Beeber stepped up to be Motorist Awareness Coordinator, Judy Wyckoff & Butch Royse stepped up to be Ride Coordinators, Diana & Dan Daulton stepped up to be Ways/Means Coordinators, Denise French stepped up to be Rally/Concierge Coordinator. The positions of Assistant Chapter Director and Rider Educator are open at this time. If you would like to join our staff or help with any of the many Chapter activities, please contact me any time.

A planning meeting for Cabin Fever was held on October 24th at Jack Elsen's garage. Mark your calendars now for Cabin Fever 2008 which will be on February 8th, 9th, and 10th. We'll have more information after the officer's meeting November 17th and 18th. The annual Chapter L Christmas Party will be Wednesday December 19th. The cost is \$25.00 a couple or \$12.50 individual reservation.

Payments should be sent to Debbie Winkler, 3218 Glenmore Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45211. Please get your reservations in as soon as possible.

Chapter L will be having a Dinner and Dance January 26th at the Green Township Senior Center. More information will be available at a later date. This will be an important fund raiser and everyone's support will be greatly appreciated. Plan now to attend.

January 1st is the all Chapters New Years Day get together at Burbank's. It is always fun to get together with our GWRRA friends. Have a Happy Thanksgiving. Until next month ride safe.



Roy & Kathy

Chapter Educator

By Dave Heim

FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS

On Sunday of Labor Day weekend, we received a call from a GW member that was in need of help. At the time of his call, he was in Hillsboro, OH at the tail end of week long trip and he was heading home to Indiana (approximately an hour north of Indianapolis). He and his wife were traveling by themselves and towing a trailer. He had noticed a bubble in his tire and was afraid to go any further. He mentioned that he had read many articles about Gold Book members rescuing other members and was thankful he had his Gold Book along on their trip.

I was the second person that he was able to reach. The first person hung up on him. He made the comment to me "Why do people put their names in the book, when they have no intention of helping?" I really could not answer that question.

With the help of a few local GWRRA members, we found out that he could make it home safely by making a pin hole in the bubble on the side of the tire. The pressure on the tire was set and we advised him to stop frequently to be sure that the air pressure was maintained. We also asked him to be sure to call during his trip home so we knew that they were safe.

The last call we received was to let us know that he and his wife had made it home safely. He said that he never would have dreamed that a pin hole in the side of the tire would allow him to get home without

incident. He also wanted us to know how grateful they were that we were there to help.

I write this story about my experience because of "A Word from Your Executive Director" article in this months Wing World magazine. Members, please review your selections in the Gold Book and update, or remove your name if you are not interested in your name being listed. You can call GWRRA at (800) 843-9460 or update information on the main website at www.gwrra.org/members.

FRIENDS FOR FUN, SAFETY AND KNOWLEDGE

Dave



Chapter "L" Ride and Event Calendar Upcoming Events

By Judy Wyckoff & Butch Royse

Nov 17 – 18 District Officer's Meeting

Nov 18th 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Line Dancing with Debbie Winkler

Nov 21st Chapter L Meeting 7:30 p.m.

Nov 24th Snapp Benefit in Holton Indiana

Nov 24th X-2 Craft & Bake sale. This is a fundraiser so let's show our support.

Nov 27th A-2 meeting K of C Hall 7:30 p.m.

Nov 28th 6:30 p.m. Ham Radio Class @ Mt. Healthy Christian Home

Dec 1st Newsletter articles due. Please send them to newsfroml@yahoo.com

Dec 2nd 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Line Dancing with Debbie Winkler

Dec 5th 6:30 p.m. Ham Radio Class @ Mt. Healthy Christian Home

Dec 6th E-2 Meeting New England Club 7:30 p.m.

Dec 8th A-2 Christmas Breakfast @ Les Flicks, New Baltimore 10:30 a.m.

Dec 11th KY G Meeting Home Suites Hotel in Florence 7:30 p.m.

Dec 16th 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Line Dancing with Debbie Winkler

Dec 19th Chapter L Christmas Party. Social hour starts at 6:00 p.m. dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. make sure that you get those reservations in early!

Jan 1st New Years Day at Burbank's



**Chapter L meets the
3rd Wednesday of the month
Green Township Senior Citizens' Center
3620 Epley Lane Cincinnati, Ohio
At 7:30 p.m.**

Let the fun continue

Pins & Patches

By Tom & Barb Burns

Hi Everyone! I'm finishing up the leftover candy from Halloween and thinking about what to buy Tom for Christmas. He might like another button down long sleeve shirt with a picture of his bike embroidered on the front. Maybe he could use another "L" Yes sweat shirt that will be sure to keep him warm on a cold winter's night. His and my favorite are the fleece lined jackets that are light weight, warm and water repellant. Oh my! Decisions, decisions what's a '01 to do. I guess I will have to ask all the members at November's Chapter L meeting. Hope to see you there.



Tom & Barb

CHAPTER COUPLE 2007

By Mike & Judy O'Rourke

The beautiful collage of our time as Chapter Couple is truly appreciated. As you remember, it was presented at the October meeting. It already has a place of honor on our wall at home. Thanks to all the members who contributed to it! Thanks for the memories!

The ride to Renfro Valley led by Jim Pennington was, as usual, awesome. He never disappoints me with his unique places to visit. We visited a winery and a potter. All of us were at the non-denominational Sunday Gathering and the roof didn't cave in!!! The bluegrass music was especially wonderful to hear. It all reminded me of my favorite movie, Songcatcher. If you haven't seen it, you should.

Make sure that you get your reservations for the Christmas party! I just love to see everyone decked out in red and green and looking good!



Bear & Judy

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- | | |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| 3 Ed Ely | 5 Ruth Schneider |
| 9 Lori Manning | 11 Randy Campbell |
| 13 Butch Boeing | 16 Jim Brown |
| 16 Nathan Marcum | 21 Linda Halm |
| 23 Brenda Hardebeck | 25 Anita Kendrick |
| 27 Mike O'Rourke | 28 Butch Royse |

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARYS

- 1 Richard & Linda Elsen
- 9 Tom & Kathy Peck
- 19 Carl & Cris Hauser
- 24 Gary & Donna Kuchera
- 25 Roger & Penny Hurley
- 26 Bob & Tril Childers

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- | | |
|------------------|-------------------|
| 2 John Pearson | 3 Donna Peterson |
| 5 Barbara Burns | 6 Arlene Gadd |
| 7 Gail Hiser | 9 Durrell Monroe |
| 11 Barb Kennedy | 17 Andy Andrea |
| 21 Judy O'Rourke | 22 Karen Tomlin |
| 24 Carol Colgate | 29 Judy DeFossett |
| 30 Art Levine | 31 Jim Pennington |

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARYS

- 2 Bill & Carol Pott
- 4 David & Karen Taylor
- 5 Bill & Yvonne Tieke
- 15 Wallt & Dianne Hart
- 19 James & Betty Bohanan
- 21 Jim & Norma Brown
- 27 Sam & Donna Peterson

Renfro Valley Trip Report

By Jim & Brenda Pennington

Great country music and comedy entertainment at the Old Barn at Renfro Valley KY was enjoyed by the 12 of us. The weather was to be rainy, cooler, and overcast for the weekend and so we all went on four wheels instead of two and only for a short period of sunshine on Saturday did we question our decision. Traveling together for a fun weekend were Butch Boeing & Joyce Verkamp, Butch Royse & Judy Wyckoff, Mike & Judy O'Rourke, Bill & Carol Pott, Elmer Jauch & Debbie Winkler and of course us, Jim & Brenda Pennington.

Friday evening began with a great dinner at the Renfro Valley Lodge followed by the Kentucky Barn Dance Show in the Old Barn. We were surprised

and thrilled to have Tom & Kathy Peck drive up from Lafollette TN to join us for dinner and the show.

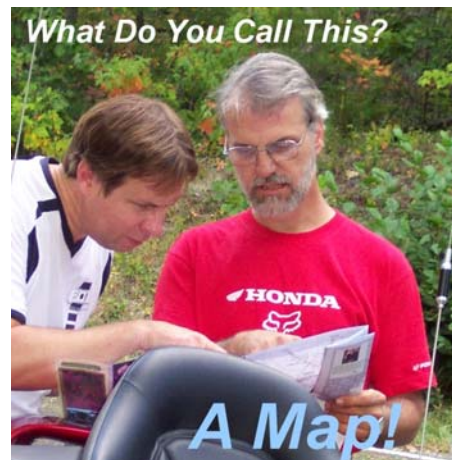
Saturday we toured the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame & Museum, visited the Tater Knob Pottery & Farm and watched as the potter, Sarah Culbreth, made a couple pieces on the wheel and she went through the entire process—from the hunk of clay to the finished product. This was very interesting and we all spent money for some beautiful pieces of usable pottery. Then into Berea KY to Papa leno's Restaurant for lunch. After lunch we visited the Sinking Valley Vineyard & Winery in Plato KY and did a bit of tasting and purchasing—more fun for a great group. By now a nap was needed before dinner again at the Lodge. We then went across the street to our next show, the Renfro Valley Jamboree—great show!

Sunday we were all up early for the Renfro Valley Gatherin' which was some really good seasonal (autumn) country music followed by the church service. We then all had breakfast together, said our good-byes and each headed back toward Cincinnati. We took back roads and enjoyed a leisurely and beautiful ride home reflecting on our super weekend with GWRRA friends – L yes! We had fun, always do!



By Joe Rosemeyer
GWRRA Chapter L "Harley division".

Greetings from Chapter L, Harley division. The Stag Ride this year was great and a lot of fun. Tom McKiernan had a lot of fun showing off his 2D Maps. It seems that the electronic maps were a problem. Directions were coming from our drag, Tom, also Bud who didn't have the route and at one point a female voice over the CB telling us to turn right in 500 ft. (Chris Hauck had some CB problems). Clyde would be proud we only had to make a few U turns. On that note Clyde I'm glad to hear your back on the road.



Our first day started off great. We found rain in Lexington, and some of our guys found out that the best way to stay dry is to get their rain gear on fast. I hate to say it, but one of the 1800 Wings had parts falling off of it, of course in all fairness it was add on parts.

Our second day was awesome. You know it's great when the day is over and your arms and shoulders are aching from all the twisty's. It's true about US129 being cop heaven. Fortunately or unfortunately we had to take the dragon at 20 mph. Thanks to a truck in front of us we believe was a

Jim & Brenda



rolling roadblock to see if we would cross the double yellow to pass.

On our way home on Sunday the weather was beautiful and even though we made many more sweepers it was a welcome sight to be home with 1050 miles under our belts. The best part of the trip was to have a Gold Wing family on a trip and so many different bikes we had 2 - BMW's, 3 - 1800's, 2 - 1500's, 2 Harleys, and a Yamaha. Thanks for a great time Greg and will see you next year.

Joe



Pumpkin Cookies with Cream Cheese Frosting

COOKIES:

- 1 c. shortening
- 1 c. sugar
- 1 c. pumpkin
- 1 egg
- 2 c. flour
- 1 tsp. soda
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. salt

FROSTING:

- 1 tbsp. vanilla
- 1 lb. powdered sugar
- 1 stick butter
- 8 oz. cream cheese

Cream shortening, sugar, and pumpkin. Add egg and mix well. Add sifted dry ingredients. Drop from spoon onto cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 10-12 minutes.

Beat frosting ingredients until smooth. Frost cookies after they have cooled.
Makes 48 cookies.

Judy O'Rourke



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Chapter L's Christmas Meeting

Wednesday, December 19th, 2007 @ 6:00 p.m. (Dinner @ 7:30p.m.)

Name: _____

Number attending: _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Check _____ Cash _____



(Check Box for payment Type)

Payments should be sent to
Debbie Winkler
3218 Glenmore Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45211.

**\$12.50 per person, \$25.00 per couples
Don't miss out. Seating is limited make you reservations early.**

Cut this form out below to purchase your Winter Dinner & Dance Tickets in Advance

Chapter L's Puttin' on the Ritz

Saturday, January 26th, 2008 @ 6:00 p.m. to Midnight

Name: _____

Number attending: _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Check _____ Cash _____



(Check Box for payment Type)

**A Lasagna Dinner, Salad, Dessert & Drinks will be provided
\$12.50 per person, \$25.00 per couples, children 12 & under \$6.00
Don't miss out. Seating is limited make you reservations early.**

Chapter	Meeting Location	Day/Time of Meeting	Chapter Directors	Telephone
A-2 Hamilton	K of C Hall 930 Hamilton-Cleves Rd.	4 th Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM meeting, early to eat	Bill & Sandy Halm	812-926-2741
E-2 Eastside	New England Club 8100 block Beechmont Ave (Rt. 125)	1 st Thursday of each month 7:30 PM meeting	Tom & Cookie Salamon	513-871-9072
F Fairborn	Rousch's Restaurant Main Street, Fairborn	4 th Saturday of each month 9:30 AM	Lloyd & Becky Glydewell	937-322-7156
G-3 Eaton	Eaton Fire Dept Station #2 Lexington Road, Eaton	3 rd Saturday of each month 7:00 PM	Mike & Pam Chellis	937-678-9862
J Dayton	Fuddrucker's 8850 Kingridge Dr., Dayton	4 th Thursday of each month 7:30 PM	Ron & Peg Pester	937-434-3035
K Troy	Troy Church of the Nazarene 1200 Barnhart Rd (SR 55 & Barnhart)	1 st Saturday of each month 9:00 AM	Gene & Kathy Wallace	937-773-4645
N-2 Sabina	Frostie Drive-Inn 424 W. Washington St., Sabina	4 th Saturday of each month 10:00 AM	Jim & Jane Langan	937-376-2289
R Greenville	Paw's Bingo Hall, SR 36, Greenville at 9:00 a.m.	2 nd Sunday of each month 10:30 AM	Dean & Chris Eby	937-548-4305
S-2 Springfield	Rescue 95, Route 68 (1/2 mile from Young's Dairy) Springfield	3 rd Thursday of each month 7:30 PM	Jim & Karla Bevens	740-852-1923
T-2 Trotwood	Trotwood Church of the Brethren 208 East Main Street (Wolf Creek & Main)	1 st Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM	Tim & Linda Fleming	937-454-0206
X-2 Middletown	Kings Activity Center-Otterbein off SR 741, north of SR 63	3 rd Saturday of each month 9:00 AM	Bud & Peggy Rahe	937-361-9599
G Kentucky	Acapulco Restaurant off Rt. 42 inside HomeSuites Hotel	2 nd Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM	Bob & Irene Thola	859-384-7721
G2 Indiana	The Reservation Restaurant US 350 & 101 Milan, IN	2 nd Thursday of each month 7:00 PM	Taylor Wise	812-623-4199

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*Don't forget our Chapter Meeting on
November 21, 2007 - details inside!
Sending this to -*

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