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### Riding with Roy & Kathy

By Roy & Kathy Richard

January was a busy month starting with the multi Chapter luncheon at Burbanks BBQ. 40+ Chapter L members attended. It was cold and snow flurries on New Year's Day. Regardless of the weather outside, everyone had a great time.

The 1st Wednesday of the Month Dessert Ride was led by Jim & Brenda Pennington. There were 16 Chapter L members that went to Riley's in Greenhills for a delicious dessert. Thank you, Jim & Brenda for selecting a great dessert location. Next, Kathy and I led the 1st of the Month Dinner Ride to Skyline Chili on Colerain Avenue. Joining us were Denise French and her mother Shirley,

Dan & Diana Daulton, Dave & Jackie Heim, Judy Hinds (Dave's mom), Chuck Rowe (Jackie's dad), Carl & Cris Hauser, Pauline Boderone & Jack Elsen, Randy & Gail Hiser and Bill & Carol Pott. That Sunday was my birthday and Kathy surprised me with a birthday cake!

The January Chapter L gathering was held on Wednesday, January 16 at the Green Township Senior Center. At the meeting Phil and Lois Hollingsworth were introduced as the 2008 Chapter L Couple of the Year. Kathy and I presented Phil and Lois with their Couple of the Year pins. "Bear" & Judy O'Rourke, the 2007 Couple of the Year, presented Phil & Lois with the Chapter Medallions. Congratulations to Phil & Lois!

The Annual Chapter L Dinner and Slide Show was held at the basement meeting room at the Mt. Healthy Christian Home. Brenda Pennington organized the dinner which consisted of pizza, salad, and dessert. Jim Pennington put together a great slide show of last years Chapter L activities and events. Everyone enjoyed the dinner, show, and fresh popped popcorn. Thank you Jim & Brenda!

Next event on the calendar was the first Chapter L "Puttin' on the Ritz" Dinner Dance. Tim & Anita Kendrick provided the DJ entertainment for the evening. The dinner menu consisted of lasagna, tossed salad, cake and beverages. Over 80 GWRRA members, family, and friends showed their support to Chapter L's first winter dance fundraiser. Thank you Tim & Anita and the Chapter L staff that helped to make it a great evening! And a special thanks to all those that came out to support Chapter L. Check out the pictures on the Chapter L website.

Kathy and I attended Chapter's A-2, E-2 and X-2 Monthly Gatherings. It is always nice to visit with fellow GWRRA members and hear about what is happening at the other chapters, show support, and notify other people about member's health. Please add onto your calendar this year a trip to another Chapter meeting. You'll be glad you did.

The month of February started with the 1st of Month Dinner Ride which was on Saturday, February 2 instead of on Super Bowl Sunday. Carl & Cris Hauser led everyone to the historic White House Restaurant. Thank you Carl & Cris. The next event was the First Wednesday of the Month Dessert Ride led by Elmer Jauch to the Dairy Queen on North Bend Road. Great choice, Elmer.

There were 27 Chapter L members that attended the Ohio District Cabin Fever weekend. L "yes", what a Great Weekend! Chapter L was well represented and participated in many of the weekend activities. Please see Gail Hiser's Cabin Fever article for more details about the weekend. A Special Thank You to Gail & Randy Hiser for organizing Chapter L's participation. And a big Thank You to Jack & Pauline for use of their garage.

The next Chapter L gathering is scheduled for Wednesday, February 20th. Plan on attending. The Fun Coordinator's ("Bear" & Judy) are planning something special. Tony Heim, the Chapter Brat will be conducting a new Membership Draw game for the Chapter. Please mark your calendar for the following GWRRA District events: Chapter X-2 will be hosting a Medic First Aid Class on Saturday, February 23 at the Otterbein Retirement Community Kings Activity Center starting 9:00 AM. A \$20.00 registration fee must be paid 2 weeks in advance, so call Dave Creach at 513-464-6907 or [dcreach@brecnet.com](mailto:dcreach@brecnet.com) or Chuck Geggie at [atcgeggie@juno.com](mailto:atcgeggie@juno.com) for reservations and information now. Chapter E-2 will also be hosting a Medic First Aid Class on Saturday, March 8 at the New England Club Retirement Community. Contact Phil Taub at [philandellen@cinci.rr.com](mailto:philandellen@cinci.rr.com) or Chuck Geggie for reservations and information.

Remember your special person for Valentine's Day! See you at the next Chapter L or GWRRA activity.

**Roy & Kathy**

### **ACD's Wing Words**

By Jim & Brenda Pennington

Ahh, February, a time to sit back and ponder what will be happening this month. February has always been a great month for snow, ice, rain and other things too! Some of those other things are Cabin Fever, Valentine's Day and the Daytona NASCAR 500 Race. Talk about romance! We will get to see what Jimmie Johnson, Jeff Gordon, Mark Martin and especially Dale Earnhart, Jr. will be doing and the changes in some of the driver's rides. One thing will not change is the fact that these drivers always wear protective gear. There is an acronym for that. ATGATT. *All The Gear All The Time*. When you ride, do like the professional drivers do - ATGATT.

OK, now that you are stuck with the recycled ACD's for awhile, we will see how this works and get on with other Chapter things. I hope you went to Cabin

Fever and if you did, I hope you had as much fun as we did 21 years ago at the very first one --- because it was a really great time. I have a VHS video tape of Chapter L at the first Cabin Fever that shows firsts of being measured and under the blanket, I will be loaning it to Roy & Kathy to let them see what the very first Cabin Fever was like. If you would like to borrow it just ask Roy but be sure to return it to him. Some of the people you may recognize in the video are Tom & Kathy Peck, Rick & Bobbie Harless, Clyde & Joyce Jones, Ed & Diana Packard, Charlie & Ruby Trew, Brenda and (gee how did I get in there, I was using the video camera!!) many others.

By the time that you read this Cabin Fever will be over and I trust your experience is as great as ours was. Why am I saying this in this manner, you ask? Well we are not going to be there this year. Why? We are looking forward to riding in the Florida summer type weather that we were promised by Snowbirds Ron, Karen, Joe, Stormee, Sammy, Jerry & Bev who are already down there. In case you don't know, we will be doing a "first" -- that is putting the old "Road Runner" in a trailer and hauling it to Florida to ride where it will be a little warmer than it is up here in the frozen north. We will be stopping in Tennessee, Alabama and at Billy and Anna Mason's place up in Crestview, Florida on the way down to the Lakeland area. I know the riding is going to be a little more often than what we have been able to do here since mid-December.

It does seem that when the end of each year rolls around, and the December Christmas party is history, that the annual Dinner and Movie is being put together for showing in January. The project was finished for 2 half hour shows. The attendance was good and everyone helped in a disappearing act that made 14 large pizzas from LaRosa's vanish, not into thin air but you know where! Thanks to all who attended.

That is all I have to say for now Gold Wing friends, except we hope you had a Happy Valentine's Day, great Cabin Fever weekend and we look forward to seeing you when we return at the Chapter "L" Tech Day or at least at our gathering in April.

**Jim & Brenda**

**Chapter Educator**

By Dave Heim

We have secured May 10<sup>th</sup> as an ERC class at Scarlet Oaks. Anyone interested please contact

me. It's a good way to refresh your skills going into the '08 riding season. Also, I would like to keep your Levels Program updated.

### **Winter Riding for Those Lucky enough to Ride – Part I**

Plummeting mercury doesn't have to confine you to four wheels. When we ride we're exposed to the elements. When it's colder or rain threatens, we can't switch on the heater or turn on the windshield wipers. Jumping into the car or truck is an easy solution, but there goes our chance to ride some of the best rides when there is less traffic on the road, the air is crisp and clean and there are fewer bugs.

Riding in cooler weather means recognizing first and foremost it is the wind that causes your body to become chilled. It is the flow of wind or "wind chill factor" that removes the heat from the body, so a rider's first line of defense is a layer of warm clothing underneath an outer layer that does a good job at blocking the wind. Keep in mind that our bodies are all different, so what works for one person may not work the same for you. Holding onto your body heat is difficult if you can't block the wind. A windshield greatly reduces the airflow to your torso, so you stay warmer longer. The next essential is proper-fitting riding gear, protective garments that are neither too tight nor too loose. Leather is one of the better choices, but not just any leather will do. True riding garments are tightly stitched for riding, unlike fashion leather which may allow heat loss through stitching holes. Along with your leather riding boots and jacket, consider leather chaps or pants to keep cold away from your legs. Always dress in layers so as the day warms up you don't overheat.

Next, keeping the hands warm can be challenging. When we ride we place our hands in the full force of the wind and keeping them warm is not easy. There are excellent riding gloves and gauntleted models which keep wind out of the sleeves and are recommended for cooler and winter riding. Another solution to keeping hands warm during winter rides is installing heated grips. There's no doubt that correct gear can enjoyably extend your riding season. Riding in colder temperatures means being constantly aware of how your body is handling changing temperatures. Let the cold weather get the better of you, and your ability to handle your motorcycle can be seriously impaired. When out on a late season group ride, it's a good idea to keep in mind how much protective winter gear your fellow riders have. When cold becomes intolerable due to lack of proper protection, reaction times will be

seriously compromised. Talk to members of your group about cold weather riding gear that will enhance their experiences as well. To be continued...Remember, Friends for Fun, Safety and Knowledge

## Dave



## Pins & Patches

By Tom & Barb Burns

Hi Everyone! I heard that Punxsutawney Phil wasn't happy about being pulled out of his nice warm bed again this year. Phil saw his shadow causing the rodent to predict six more weeks of winter. So, you may want to purchase a Chapter L jacket or sweat shirt to help brace yourself against more of this wintry weather. Just stop by our table at the next Chapter L meeting and place your order. We are looking forward to seeing everyone in February.

## Tom & Barb

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

**Let the fun continue**

## NEWS FROM THE FUN RAISERS

By Judy & Mike O'Rourke

All ladies just love the month of romance, February. Such great candy, great music, sweet nothings said in our ears.....oh, well, back to reality. For an example at our house, Bear bought me a beautiful necklace, instead of the usual technology, for Christmas, SO, his daughters have surmised that he is either terminally ill or has a guilty conscience. Maybe he is just becoming a

romantic in his old age....not!!!! Anyway, here are a few quotes to get you in the mood, fellows!

Love doesn't make the world go round. Love is what makes the ride worthwhile. (That's appropriate.)  
*Franklin P. Jones*

True love comes quietly, without banners or flashing lights. If you hear bells, get your ears checked.  
*Erich Segal*

They do not love that do not show their love. The course of true love never did run smooth. Love is a familiar. Love is a devil. There is no evil angel but Love.  
*William Shakespeare*

Love is an irresistible desire to be irresistibly desired.  
*Robert Frost*

By the way, there will be **SPECIAL GUEST** traveling from Tennessee at the meeting, February 20, to celebrate this month of romance. We can't tell, but you won't want to miss this special event!

## Judy & Bear



## Chapter "L" Ride & Event Calendar

By Judy Wyckoff & Butch Royce

As I am writing this it is 12 degrees outside with a wind-chill factor of zero. I'm ready for riding season, to feel that warm air blowing through my hair as I work on my counter-steering riding through those twisties..... Oh, it's been so long since I have ridden, I forgot that I wear a helmet. Well, anyway, I can't wait until warmer weather and riding season. It really won't be too long.

But, in the meantime, we have lots of exciting things coming up. Not the least of which is Cabin Fever! Chapter L will be well represented. We have 27 member registered!

By the time you read this, Cabin Fever will be in the history books, and I'm sure there will be some great stories to tell, like the Old Comic Book Characters of Chapter L and the Scheet Family.

Other items on the horizon are: the Monthly Dessert Ride that takes place the first Wednesday of each month. It leaves from Biggs at 8340 Colerain Ave. just south of Cross County Highway. The ride will go rain or shine, 2, 3, or 4 wheels, and will leave Biggs at 7:00 PM. The February 6<sup>th</sup> ride will be led by Elmer and Debbie. And, the March 5<sup>th</sup> ride will be led by Gail Hiser. Destinations will be determined by your leaders.

The first of the month dinner ride, March 1<sup>st</sup> will be led by Denise French to Mr. Jim's Steak House @ 4:30 p.m.

Then don't forget our very own Chapter L's Bake Sale that will be held in place of our monthly gathering on March 19 at 7:30 P.M. at the Green Township Senior Center. I certainly hope that our GWRRA members come through for us this year like they did last year with incredible baked goods and various other items. And, oh yes, don't forget your wallets or checkbooks.

Debbie will continue to teach her line dance classes on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month, 1 – 3 PM at Marston's.

## Other Upcoming Events:

### February:

15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, & 17<sup>th</sup> Michigan's Wingless Weekend  
 20<sup>th</sup> Chapter L Meeting Green Township Senior Center 7:30 PM. Please bring Cereal or Hot Chocolate for the One Way Farm.  
 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, & 24<sup>th</sup> Indiana's Winter Rendezvous  
 23<sup>rd</sup> F Craft & Bake Sale  
 23<sup>rd</sup> X~2 Medic First Aid

### March:

2<sup>nd</sup> Dinner Ride – Mr. Jim's Steakhouse 4:30 p.m. located at 4628 Covered Bridge Lane West Harrison, Indiana. Led by Denise French  
 5<sup>th</sup> Monthly Dessert Ride – Red Squirrel on Colerain. Meet at restaurant and not at Bigg's at 7 p.m. for dessert. If you want dinner meet at 6 p.m. led by Gail Hiser. Coupon in Reach Magazine  
 6<sup>th</sup> E~2 Gathering New England Club 7:30  
 8<sup>th</sup> E~2 Medic First Aid Class  
 11<sup>th</sup> KY G~2 Gathering  
 13<sup>th</sup> IN G~2 Gathering  
 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> Florida Rally  
 15<sup>th</sup> X~2 Gathering Otterbein's Kings Activity Center 9:30 A.M.  
 19<sup>th</sup> Chapter L Bake Sale Green Township Senior Center 7:30 PM  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Safety Saturday – Otterbein multi-purpose room  
 25<sup>th</sup> A~2 Gathering K of C Hall 7:30

29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Sprit Ride 9:00 PM Waverly Hills Sanitarium, Cris & Carl Hauser. See article for more info.

### April:

2<sup>nd</sup> Monthly Dessert Ride Cheesecake Factory - Daulton  
 6<sup>th</sup> First of Month Dinner Ride – Pennington's – Quaker Steak & Lube  
 8<sup>th</sup> KY G Gathering Home Suites Hotel in Florence 7:30  
 10<sup>th</sup> IN G~2 Gathering

Be sure to check the Chapter "L" website <http://www.qcwr.org/> for the full 2008 Calendar and other items of interest. Stay warm. Winter will be over soon.

## Judy & Butch



### February Birthdays

2 Martha Kennedy	2 Dave Taylor
7 Dick Haehnle	8 Mike Tankersley
10 Ruby Campbell	10 Jeffrey Eller
11 Fred Manning	12 Cookie Salamon
15 Dale McNamara	17 Judy Wyckoff
19 Tom Taggart	20 Donna Levine
23 Sandy Bell	23 Jim Mueller
25 Lois Hollingsworth	25 Bill Wellman
27 Penny Hurley	27 Roger Hurley
27 Jim Goss	28 Cathy Duerler

### February Anniversaries

12 Fred & Lori Hicks  
 22 Chuck & Melanie Geggie  
 22 Jeff & Maureen Eller  
 24 Joe & Sandy Schmidt  
 28 Jim & Vickie Mortimore

### March Birthdays

2 Dave Heim	3 Gary Kuchera
5 Bob Strout	6 Ron Walters
12 Elmer Jauch	12 Ken Jauch
13 Neil Hardebeck	14 Dale Bosse
14 Ed Snapp	15 Marilyn Bosse
17 Fred Meyers	18 Sheli Williams
19 Cheryle Pearson	19 Debbi Bridges
20 Roberta Vandal	23 Sonny Campbell

23 Tom Burns  
28 Diane Packard

26 Tom Peck  
30 Tanya Chinn Alberts

### March Anniversaries

16 Joe & Storme Lupo

### Chapter Treasurer

By Debbie Winkler

Hi Everyone, Once again I'm running behind. There is not enough time in the day. I can't blame it on Elmer this time, so I guess I'll take the blame.

What a great turn out we had last month to honor Joe Rosemeyer for his braveness. If you talk to him, he says "It's was nothing - just doing my job". We are proud of you, JOE!! Once again, another job well done by our sunshine gal, Pauline. Can't wait till next month to see what she comes up with.

Thanks to all who donated door prizes. They were: Roy & Kathy Richard, Gail Hiser, Jim & Brenda Pennington, Bear & Judy, Jim & Angie Beeber, Joe Schmidt, George & Roberta Vandal, Ed Ely, and Elmer & Debbie.

Our winners were: Rick Harless, Steve Albert, Roy Richard, and Bear O'Rourke. Brenda Pennington, Donna Riley, Lois Hollingsworth, Gail Hiser, Joe Rosemeyer, Connie Walters, Roberta Vandal, Joe Schmidt. Congratulations to ALL!

Roberta Vandal from E-2 brought back the Traveling Door Prize and our brave firefighter won it. Inside it was a pencil sharpener; Nerds candy; French bread; cotton candy, and a bunch of other sweets for a sweet guy.



We had a great time at the Pizza & Picture show. Lots of folks showed up. Thanks to Jim for another great show!

Membership was won by Barb Burns. She walked away with a \$10.00 gas card. Way to go Barb! Tony Heim (our chapter brat) has something in store for us for the membership draw next



month -- can't wait to see what he has up his sleeve!

Have a safe trip Jim & Brenda! We will miss ya! We had a total of 84 at our dinner/dance (Puttin on the Ritz). They dined, danced and had a grand ole time. Thanks to all the chapters who supported our January fund raiser. Let us know what we can do to make it better! Happy Valentine's Day Everyone! Remember to tell that someone special how you feel. Hug & Kiss to all!

**Debbie**

### Cabin Fever 2008 Highlights

By Gail & Randy Hiser

Friday, at high Noon, Jack Elsen & Pauline Boderone, Elmer Jauch & Debbie Winkler, Denise French, Roy & Kathy Richard and Randy & Gail Hiser left for Cabin Fever 2008. Carl & Cris Hauser passed us at mile marker 41. We caught up with them at Bob Evan's Restaurant for lunch. Also joining us were Butch Royse & Judy Wyckoff, Bear & Judy O'Rourke and Tom & Barb Burns. With one meal down and our bellies full, on towards Columbus we proceeded. Some passed up the Ramada because they were still looking for the Midwest Conference Center. Not remembering that it changed names in January.

After checking in and taking our things to our rooms, 10 pizzas were ordered. We assemble in the party/eating rooms of the O'Rourke's & Hiser's connecting rooms. Thanks for letting us trash your rooms. Also joining us were Fred & Lori Manning, Tim & Anita Kendrick and Steve & Kristen Albert. With our second meal down and mostly gone (cold pizza for later) it was time to get ready for the Grand Parade. Bud & Peggy Smith arrived in time to watch the parade.

Chapter 'L' welcomed everyone to the

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We walked in with our own pre-recorded version of the song 'The Old Gray Mare'. (Thanks to Brenda Pennington and Dan Daulton who helped us get our voices together. They were there singing with us on the CD. And a BIG THANKS goes to Tim for recording us singing. He can do anything with that

computer!!) Keep an eye & ear on the web site to see what you missed.

After the parade, we all gathered in the party/eating rooms. We had some of E-2 and Tim & Linda Fleming joined us to surprise Judy Wyckoff for her big 6 - 0 Birthday and well wishes for her and Butch's upcoming wedding. There were many funny gifts (Breath mint anyone?) and of course cake, not just one but two sheet cakes. At 10 o'clock we went down to get ice cream sundaes and do some dancing to top off our evening. Did I just say we ate again!?!

Saturday morning, Phil & Lois Hollingsworth joined us. At opening ceremonies, Tom Taggart announced that he would be stepping down. He thanked everyone for their support. He said "It is time". Tim Fleming said if anyone needed a breath mint, to see Judy Wyckoff. Roger didn't know what he was talking about. So that was Judy's clue, being the generous person that she is, to get up and give Roger a breath mint. He nicely declines but Penny took one to save for later. She said "This is an all day-er". Both the Hurley's turned bright red.

We gathered in the party/eating rooms again for lunch meat sandwiches and side dishes to eat our fourth meal together. The afternoon was spent competing in various activities. Steve and Randy entered the Shirt contest. Steve, Judy O and Pauline entered the Hat contest. Judy O, Gail, Jack, Pauline, Elmer and Debbie entered the Best Theme Dress contest. Others tried the Drag Tricycles Races, Frog Bean Bag Toss, Green Hat Pick, and Hit the Slots Golf, Darts, Puzzle, Silent Auction and Debbie taught line dancing.

Chicken was picked up from a Kroger's near by. Yes, if you are still counting this is our fifth meal together. So back to the party/eating rooms for fried chicken dinner with all the fixings. Dave & Marva Pettit came to the hotel to have dinner with us. Nice to see them again! With bellies full, it was time to get ready for the Talent Show. By the luck of the draw, we were last. We presented the 'Jack Scheet Family'. Hopefully this too will be on the web site for your enjoyment. Next there was the Live Auction. A few of us got some very neat things. Those that were not interested in the Auction stayed in the party/eating rooms to watch the race on TV. Denise was the only new person to Cabin Fever from Chapter 'L' this year. So you know what that means. She went 'In the Barn', 'Got Measured' and was 'Oogie Boogied'. Of course she had many watchers. Tim did a wonderful job of supplying

music and videos for everyone's enjoyment as the evening went on. Sad to say, he was shut down by the hotel staff at 11 PM so they could setup for the morning.

Sunday, at closing ceremony, the awards were handed out. Attendance was 415 for this year.

<b>Parade</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place Chapter L</b>
<b>Crazy Shirt Contest</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place Steve Albert</b>
<b>Best Theme Dress</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place Chapter L</b>
<b>Drag Race – Women</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place Christina Albert</b>
<b>Puzzle</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> place Randy &amp; Gail Hiser</b>
<b>Puzzle</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place Steve &amp; Christina Albert</b>
<b>Talent Show</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place Chapter L</b>
<b>Line Dancing Appreciation</b>	<b>Debbie Winkler</b>
<b>Music &amp; Video Appreciation</b>	<b>Tim &amp; Anita Kendrick</b>



Count them – that makes nine plaques that we brought home. Do we know how to have fun or what? 'L' YES we do!! Next years theme is going to be "Favorite Holidays". Get your thinking caps on and think, think, think. What better way to end the weekend than to eat again! Our sixth and final meal for the weekend was at Ruby Tuesday's in Grove City.

## **Gail & Randy**

### **"Chapter "L" Annual Baked Goods Auction"**

By Dan Daulton

Hi everybody. By now most of you already know what a great time was had by all at the "Puttin' On The Ritz" annual chapter "L" dance on Saturday, January 26th. We had a great time and if you weren't there, you truly missed a fantastic evening of fun, food and **exercise**. I would like to thank all of you who attended from chapter "L" and a BIG THANKS to those who supported us from other chapters.

Just a friendly reminder that chapter "L" is having its baked goods auction again this year and that it is a major fundraiser for us. This year's auction will take place on March 19th at our regular meeting spot in the Green Township Senior Citizens' Center at 3620 Epley Road. Please tell everyone you know that we need their "goodies" to sell and we need them here to buy all the stuff we are auctioning off. This year's auctioneers will be Roy and myself and we will have a take no prisoner's attitude for the bidding wars that night. I will remind you that last year I lost out on the German Chocolate cake and I'm ready for a rematch.

**Dan**

### **Memorial Day Ride**

With Jim & Brenda Pennington

It is not too early to make plans for the Three Day Three State Memorial Day Ride. Plans now are tentative but here they are:

- ✚ Saturday May 24<sup>th</sup> leave 9 A.M. for a ride in Kentucky – return home.
- ✚ Sunday May 25<sup>th</sup> leave 11 A.M. for a ride in Ohio– return home.
- ✚ Monday May 26<sup>th</sup> leave 9 A.M. for a ride in Indiana– return home.

This will be a Shamrock Tour – (3 leaves) so each day we will depart from Miamitown Wendy's each day and return home in the evening. No motels to worry about. Leave for the ride and we will have lunch and dinner before you go home. Stay at your own home every evening. This will be a new approach for Chapter L and will eliminate expensive motels over the holiday weekend.

**Jim & Brenda**

### **Ghost Hunting Chapter L Way**

By Carl & Cris Hauser

If you have ever watched the series Ghost Hunters you might have seen our Spirit ride location. It was featured in 2006 and 2007. On March 29<sup>th</sup> we will be heading for the Waverly Hills Sanatorium in Louisville, KY for a paranormal Tour. We will leave around 1 p.m. and hopefully arrive at the hotel around 4:30 p.m. Once we will get settled in we will then depart for dinner. We will eat dinner around 6 p.m. and shortly after dinner we head to Waverly Hills Sanatorium to begin our 2 hour paranormal

tour which will start at 9 p.m. Currently, the paranormal two hour guided tour will be paid by cash (\$20.00 per person), when you arrive at the tour center(laundry room building). Also please note: the video you watch first is the first 30 minutes of your tour. So, the rest of your tour is actually only one and a half hours to see the building and death tunnel. You will need to bring a flashlight. Cameras and tape recorders are allowed if you hope to catch some ghostly souls or voices.

If you would like to research Waverly Hills Sanatorium they have a website that will explain the history behind this site. It is <http://www.waverlyhillstbsanatorium.com/>. Two movies were made based on Waverly Hills haunting. They are 2006 Booth Brothers Documentary "Spooked" and the movie 2005 "Death Tunnel".

If interested please make sure to sign-up at our February meeting or contact us at [hauseriii@fuse.net](mailto:hauseriii@fuse.net) or [hausercr@fuse.net](mailto:hausercr@fuse.net) so that we know how many rooms to put on reserve. Once this has been done, we will then give you the necessary info so that you can have the room assigned to your name and credit card.

**Carl & Cris**

### **Bristol Motor Speedway Ride "World's Fastest Half-Mile"**

By Judy Wyckoff

Here's your chance to ride your Wing (or anything else you choose to ride or drive) around the Bristol Motor Speedway! GWRRA Chapter TN – C has contracted with the facility to open it for rides around the track. This is their fundraiser for St. Jude's Research Hospital. Randy & Gail Hiser and Butch and I did this last year. It was an awesome experience! Just ask the guys.

This will be a three day weekend – May 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> & June 1<sup>st</sup>. We will be leaving from Wendy's in Miamitown at 8:00 Friday morning. The ride is a little over 300 miles, so it will take us around 8 hours to get to Bristol.

I have placed a hold on 7 single rooms at the Budget Host Inn in Bristol. The cost is \$42.00 + tax per night. You will need to call to reserve your room. Call 276-669-5187 and ask for my block of rooms. There will be a sign-up sheet at the gathering and a preview video at the April meeting.

If you have any questions call 894-4446 or email me at [jaws48@fuse.net](mailto:jaws48@fuse.net).

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Don't forget to register early for the Ohio Rally in June. We will be doing more Ghost Hunting.

Also National has a promotion going on for those who register early for Wing Ding. Check out the info in Wing World.



Chapter	Meeting Location	Day/Time of Meeting	Chapter Directors	Telephone
A-2 Hamilton	K of C Hall 930 Hamilton-Cleves Rd.	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM meeting, early to eat	Bob & Deb Meumeister	513-887-1309
E-2 Eastside	New England Club 8100 block Beechmont Ave (Rt. 125)	1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month 7:30 PM meeting	Bill & Kathy Martin	513-732-9528
F Fairborn	Rousch's Restaurant Main Street, Fairborn	4 <sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month 7:00 PM	Mike & Pam Chellis	937-678-9862
J Dayton	Fuddruckers 8850 Kingridge Dr., Dayton	4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month 7:30 PM	Ron & Peg Pester	937-434-3035
N-2 Sabina	Frostie Drive-Inn 424 W. Washington St., Sabina	4 <sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>nd</sup> 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 <sup>rd</sup> 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 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM	Cliff & Char Simpson	937-832-2197
X-2 Middletown	Kings Activity Center-Otterbein off SR 741, north of SR 63	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month 9:30 AM	Dave & Karen Taylor	513-863-6850
G Kentucky	Acapulco Restaurant off Rt. 42 inside HomeSuites Hotel	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM	Bob & Irene Thola	859-384-7721
G2 Indiana	The Reservation Restaurant US 350 & 101 Milan, IN	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month 7:00 PM	Taylor Wise	812-623-4199

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*Don't forget our Chapter Meeting on  
February 20, 2008 - details inside!*

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