

DIABLO VALLEY WINGS

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NEXT MEETING

TUESDAY, July 18, 2023

Denny's, 2006 Somersville Rd, Antioch

Lunch 11:30 am

Meeting 12:15 pm

Chapter Director - Harry Davis

Assistant CD – Richard McMillan

Photographer –

Secretary - Elouise Brice

Road Captain – George Brice

Treasurer – Mel Teigen

Special Fundraisers – Mel Teigen

Newsletter - Karen Davis

Safety – Cesar Higuera

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- 2 BBQ in the Park, Boulder CA - Chapter R**
- 4 Fourth of July Parade in Concord - Chapter P participation cancelled**
- 17-20 GOLD RUSH XXXV, Onalaska, Wisconsin**
- 18 General Meeting – Chapter P**

AUGUST 2023

- 1 Lunch Ride - Chapter P**
- 15 General Meeting – Chapter P**

SEPTEMBER 2023

- 5 Lunch Ride - Chapter P**
- 19 General Meeting - Chapter P**
- 29-10/1 Fall Fiesta and Tortilla Toss Championship, Browns Valley**

OCTOBER 2023

- 3 Lunch Ride - Chapter P**
- 17 General Meeting – Chapter P**

NOVEMBER 2023

- 7 Lunch Ride – Chapter P**
- 21 General Meeting – Chapter P**

General Meetings are held on third TUESDAYS

Cell Phone – Harry – 925-768-4903 Available when not driving

UPCOMING RIDES and Events/Campouts

- July 2 - BBQ in the Park, Boulder Creek CA - Chapter R**
- July 4 - July Fourth Parade in Concord - participation cancelled**
- Aug 1 - First Tuesday Ride - Chapter P**
- Sept 29 - Fall Fiesta, Browns Valley CA**

**From Don and Judy -
We will be with you all in spirit at the Chapter meeting.**

**From Jack and Debby -
Yes, we live in Yuma full time! We had bought an RV lot here in the Yuma Foothills and were there for almost 2 years. Then Debby got the "house bug" and we bought a house (see it [HERE](#)) and it came fully furnished! We have no garage, but we're thinking about putting one in. Not sure yet. We still own the RV lot and that is where our 44ft 5th wheel is still parked, along with our side-by-sides, and "extra" stuff. My daughter from Texas and her husband have moved here but have no house yet so they are staying in the 5th wheel.**

UPCOMING GWTA EVENTS

July 2, 2023 BBQ in the Park

**Chapter R - Pot luck and Barbecue (We'll provide the meat) 11:00 - 3:00 pm
\$5.00 per person and something good to eat. Ride the Santa Cruz mountain roads. 211 Double Bogey Dr, Boulder Creek CA**

September 29-Oct 1, 2023 Fall Fiesta

State staff meeting 10:00 am, Pot luck dinner and camp fire. Location Sycamore Ranch Park & Campground, 5320 Hwy 20, Browns Valley. Tortilla Toss Championship.

June 20, 2023 - MEETING REPORT

- * There were 6 members (Harry, Karen, Richard, George, Elouise, and Dan) at Denny’s in Antioch.
- * Chapter P’s next meeting will be July 18 at Denny’s in Antioch.
- * Chapter R will have a July 2 Pot Luck and BBQ in Boulder Creek. Richard and Joan plan to attend.
- * Chapter P is registered to participate in Concord's Fourth of July Parade. However, with members unable to participate, everyone agreed that Chapter P's participation needs to be cancelled. Karen will notify City of Concord.
- * The flyer for Gold Rush July 17-20, 2023 in Onalaska, Wisconsin is available at Chapter P meetings or at GWTA website www.gwta.org. Michael and Mary Lindberg plan to attend. Chapter members hope to see photos.
- * The first Tuesday ride will next be August 1, destination to be decided.
- * Fall Fiesta State Campout and Fall State Staff Meeting (and the Torilla Toss championship) will be Sept 29-Oct 1, 2023 at Sycamore Ranch Campground, Browns Valley CA.
- * Report from Richard, ACD – Richard is replacing the trike battery. Richard notes that Cycle Gear has gel batteries on the shelf.
- * Secretary - Ella is taking notes at this meeting.
- * A written Treasurer’s report was prepared by Mel for May. The bank balance as of 4/30/2023 was \$1,667.29. After income (donations) and \$25 reimbursement expense to Mel for the Spring Fling Door Prize in May, the balance is \$1657.29 as of 5/31/23.
- * Newsletter - Karen will highlight Leonard in the next newsletter.
- * Road captain - George stressed that everyone needs to carry water now that the weather is hotter. Keep water with you at all time!
- * Old Business - None.
- * New Business - Denny's has a program supporting Childhood Cancer Research. Karen made a motion that Chapter P donate \$100 to that program; seconded by George. Approved. Harry had the cash and Chapter P will reimburse that amount to Harry. Denny's staff was very excited and photos were taken! Look for more information in the next newsletter.
- * Raffle donation winner – Richard McMillan



Leonard Nerenberg of Chapter P passed from this earth on Friday, June 9, at the age of 94. He was a long-time member of GWTA and enjoyed day trips, road trips, his trike, and Tammy. Leonard was a great travel partner and loved his GWTA friendships. Leonard is a Marine, once a Marine, always a Marine, and shouted God Bless America after every flag salute. Leonard is in the Sacramento Valley National Cemetery in Dixon, CA and with all of us in spirit.





This Spring Fling event was held from May 25th through the 29th at the Plymouth Fairgrounds. There

were somewhere between 45 and 50 members in attendance.

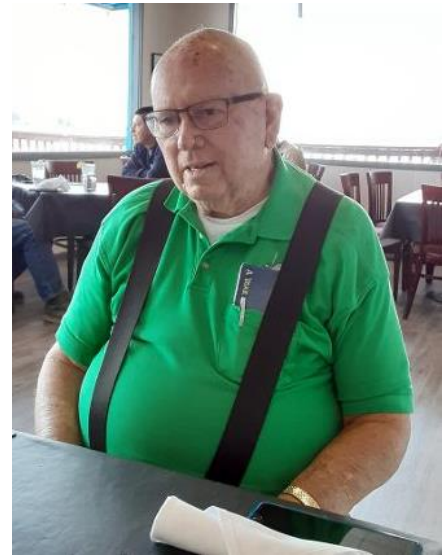
Two more photos are shown below, courtesy of Mel Teigen.

We all need to know more about The Dead Fly Café.



Mel and Dan enjoyed lunch one day at the Dead Fly Café in Plymouth. Participants enjoyed the entire area of Plymouth.

Chapter P First Tuesday Lunch June 7, 2023



Chapter P members planned to meet at the Boardwalk Grill in Discovery Bay, but found that the Boardwalk Grill was permanently closed! Many thanks to Dan who wanted to check on restaurant hours and discovered the closed notice. Everyone loves The Point in Rio Vista so the group met there instead and found the parking lot packed full of cars without any empty spaces! Ella took things into her hands and walked in and asked for a table for 8. That did the trick and Chapter P had a party along with several other parties being held at The Point. It was a beautiful day and the food was excellent as usual. Harry ordered chips and salsa and refused to share. No one had to share their meals! Dan was the only one on his motorcycle since the day in some areas started out with rain.



Gold Rush XXXV July 17-20, 2023 in Onalaska, Wisconsin

Host Hotel - Stoney Creek Hotel La Crosse - Onalaska

3060 S. Kinney Coulee Rd, Onalaska, WI 54650 (608) 781-3060

Room Rates - \$110 for Single, King, and Double Queen

Group Code: 2307GWTA - **Reservation Deadline for Rally Rate June 16, 2023**

Cut-Off Date:

The Hotel will hold the above block of rooms until Friday, June 16, 2023. This date will be known as your “Cut-Off Date.” After the Cut-Off Date, the Hotel will continue to hold any rooms in your Room Block not assigned to a specific attendee for your Group if you guarantee payment of such rooms to the Master Account.

Check-In/Out Time:

Our check-in time is 3:00 PM, check-out time is 11:00 AM. All guests arriving before 3:00 PM will be accommodated as rooms become available. Front Desk Staff can arrange to check baggage for those arriving early when rooms are unavailable and for guests attending functions on departure day.

Reservations will be made by using the following method:

Online Reservations:

1. Go to <https://reservations.travelclick.com/109238#/guestsandrooms>
2. Ensure that the top of the website says “La Crosse”
3. Select “Add Code” and from the drop down, select “Group Attendee”
4. Enter the correlating block code: 2307GWTA

Guests who would like to book before the contract date outside of the board members will be honored the block rate of \$110 for single kings and double queen bedrooms

Individual Call-ins: Reservations will be made by calling the Hotel at 608-781-3060 and pressing 3 to reach our front desk. Attendees can notify us of the block name or block code in order to make a reservation. Your unique group code: 2307GWTA

Guest Payment Arrangements: All individuals who attend your Event will be responsible for their own room, tax, and incidental charges upon checkout.

Local Camping - Bluebird Campgrounds, Full hook ups, water & electric sites, tent sites, swimming area, playground, and a full bar and grill on site. Free WiFi. bluebirdcampground.com (608) 781-2267



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!!!!

July 30 - Robert Taylor

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO YOU!!!!

July 4 - Michael & Mary Lindberg

July 25 - Harry & Karen Davis



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