

# KANSAS DISTRICT NEWS



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## Region 'H' The Hospitality Region GWRRA

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Jack & Doris Schoeck  
District Directors

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**Ride safe and ride often**





# A Message from your District Directors

Kansas Monthly Newsletter  
Region 'H'

Jack & Doris Schoeck  
Grand Master Riders  
Jack #1961 Doris #2389



Greetings from your State Team! Everyone from our State Team would like to wish all of you a very Merry Christmas. It is a wonderful time of the year and we hope you all enjoy it with your families.

November has been a wonderful month for getting on your motorcycle and riding if you did it during the day. The last few days have gotten colder and has started freezing at night where we live. The weather has been awesome and it allowed some extra riding time for a lot of people.

We have our Mid-Winter Rendezvous coming January 20-22, 2017 at the Best Western in Park City, Kansas. This is where we have had it the last few years. Just a reminder that we will be having a Snowman Contest this year in keeping with our Theme. The Theme is: Wingin' it With Frosty. Every individual is encouraged to enter a Snowman from your Chapter. The Snowman height limit will be 24<sup>7</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Ft. It has to be dressed up and have something GWRRA on the Snowman. It would be similar to dressing up a Mascot, so you can be inventive with what you put on the Snowman. The Snowmen will be voted on and the only category will be a "People's Choice". Snowman from your chapters needs to be turned in by 9:00 am on Saturday Morning and voting will take place until 3:00 pm on Saturday afternoon.

Another reminder to all Chapter Directors that your 2017 Chapter Couple of the Year information needs to be given to Sheila Tucker so she can order rockers and pins. Sheila needs to have the information by December 5, 2016 in order to get the items in time for Mid-Winter. Also, Brenda Kistler will need to know the names of the new Chapter Couples for 2017, as she will be taking care of the Couple of the Year Selection Process at Mid-Winter this

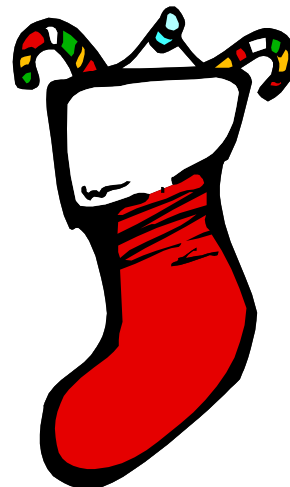
year.

Don't forget to have your Chapter bring Desserts for the Dessert Dance. This is always a fun activity and we have always had great participation from all of you. Also, please remember to bring your door prizes.

There will be seminars, games, Couple of the Year Selection, table games, Bingo, and a lot of activities for everyone to participate in. This is always a fun, relaxed time and we look forward to seeing everyone there.

Until next time, remember to ride as often as the weather permits and always Ride Safe. We will see you down the road!

Jack and Doris Schoeck, Kansas District Directors





*Merry*  
**CHRISTMAS**

From Your District Team



To



you and your family



and friends we send



season greetings your

way and wish all a Very

Merry Christmas.



*God Bless You  
at Christmas*



# KANSAS DISTRICT TEAM



## DISTRICT DIRECTORS



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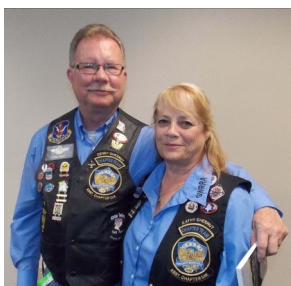
**HISTORIAN**  
**Brenda Kistler**



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**MFA INSTRUCTORS: Bill Tucker, Marv Ayers, Jack & Doris Schoeck, Steve & Terri Bockhaus**

# GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION KANSAS DISTRICT

Region 'H'



December

## 2016 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS Chapter Christmas Parties

## 2017 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

January 20-21:	Mid-Winter Rendezvous
January 22:	Annual Business Meeting
March 25:	Trike Riding Course, Wichita KS
March 30-April 1:	Louisiana District Rally, Lafayette
April 27-29:	Region H Rally, Marshall TX
April: 23:	ERC/BRC2 Riding Course, Wichita KS
May 13:	TC & TTRC combined courses, Wichita KS
May 18-20:	Texas District Rally, Wichita Falls TX
June 10:	Spring Picnic Ride to Lucas Ks
June 22-24:	KS District Rally, Hutchinson KS
September 10:	KS State Fair Ride In
September 16:	Fall Picnic Ride TBD
September 28-30:	Oklahoma Rally, Muskogee OK
Oct 6-8 or 13-15:	Kansas Campout Santa Fe Cove

### CHAPTER MEETING TIMES IN ORDER OF OCCURANCE

KSQ- 1ST THURSDAY (Ark City)  
 KSA 2ND THURSDAY (Wichita)  
 KSP 2ND FRIDAY (Derby)  
 KSC 3RD TUESDAY (Topeka)  
 KSB 3RD THURSDAY (DeSoto)  
 KSF 4TH TUESDAY (El Dorado)  
 KSH 4TH THURSDAY (Hutchinson)

# Kansas Couple of The Year 2016



**Bill & Sarah Watts**

**KS-H**



# Kansas Chapter Couples 2016

## CHAPTER 'A'



**Marty & Ruth Danner**

## CHAPTER 'B'

## CHAPTER 'C'



**Gary & Susan Drake**

## CHAPTER 'F'



**John & Karen Glaves**

# Kansas Chapter Couples 2016

## CHAPTER 'H'



**Marv & Toni Ayers**

## CHAPTER 'P'

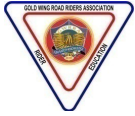


**Rick & Carolyn Stevens**

## CHAPTER 'Q'



**Bill & Sheila Tucker**



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Jack & Doris Schoech  
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### RIDER COACHES

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Rick Stevens  
Bob Brown

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Doris Schoeck

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### MOTOR AWARENESS COORDINATOR

Steve & Terri Bockhaus

WOW, the last article for 2016. Where did the year go?

A few months ago, Rick Stevens, Marv Ayers and yours truly traveled to Hutchinson to attend the CMA (Christian Motorcycle Association) state rally. We were invited by Mike Bright, CMA State Director to give a couple of our safety seminars. Mike wanted 'Team Riding' and one other one, and we selected our new seminar, 'Distracted Drivers'. Both were well received and generated many questions after our presentations. It was rainy that morning but we still had around 100 in attendance.

My message for this month is about why people don't see us on our motorcycles and driver distractions. A topic that is being addressed over and over and it needs to be because we need to be reminded of the risks we face when riding our motorcycles, two or three wheels. I realize this is old stuff for many of you but hang in there. Being reminded isn't all that bad.

We have always been concerned with why drivers don't see us and the causes are even more prevalent than before with the electronics that are now in the hands of drivers or fixed in the car somewhere where they can reach them.

Here are a few distractions I came up with from research and personal observation during my 34 years as a law enforcement officer.

Putting on makeup or shaving and combing hair;  
Reading books, maps and other documents;  
Cell Phones used to call or text;  
Car Stereos so loud it is a distraction;

Your passenger(s), including your children and animals (usually a dog or two);  
GPS in car OR on your motorcycle;

Not paying attention to their driving, Possibly Day Dreaming about a DR. Appointment etc.

I bet we all are guilty of this one. Eating and/or drinking while in motion;  
Not mentally with it. Had an argument with spouse before leaving house;

Family health concerns or physically impaired;  
Driving after taking medication that affects your judgment;

Driver reaching to back seat to correct a child or pick something up off the floor, front or back;

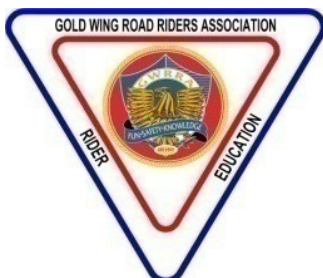
Things hanging from the inside center mirror.

I bet you can add some distractions to this list. Why are we not seen by other drivers?

Maybe we blend in with the scenery behind us OR

We might be wearing dark clothing at night or anytime OR

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We might be hidden by any number of things such as another vehicle, advertizing signs, yes even a utility pole or stop sign could block their view.

Maybe they did see us but they misjudged our speed because the bike is much smaller than the four wheeler.

Again, add your observations or maybe something you did that caused you not to see the motorcycle coming toward you.

I encourage you to attend the "Distracted Drivers" seminar that is scheduled at Mid-Winter Rendezvous next year (January 20-21) in Park City, KS.

As we journey into the Christmas month and the wintery months ahead, we need to keep all the above distractions and actions in mind to help reduce the risk in doing what we enjoy doing, 'Riding our favorite ride', however; don't become distracted by thinking about all the above, just follow the motto of the Boy Scouts and "Be Prepared" and remember this, When you must handle a situation, 'Predict the worst to obtain the best results'.

We hope you had a safe, non- fattening Thanksgiving. According to my blood sugar readings I had a great feast. Shame on me.

Your Kansas Rider Education team of seminar presenters, Rider Coaches, Medic First Aid Instructors, Motorist Awareness Team all wish you and yours a

**MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ONE AND ALL!**

***REMEMBER***

**"PRACTICE MAKES PERMANENT! YOU ARE WHAT YOU PRACTICE!"**

**TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES IN 2017**

January 20 & 21 at Mid-Winter Rendezvous Two Seminars  
 March 25 Trike Riding Course in Wichita  
 April 23 BRC2 Riding Course in Wichita  
 May 13 Trailering Courses in Wichita  
 June 22-24 at the Kansas Rally Rider Ed Seminars

Ride to Arrive Alive!

**Bill & Sheila Tucker  
 Sr. District Educators**



# Kansas Chapters, Chapter Directors and Meeting Time & Place

You are welcome to attend any Chapter meeting and introduce yourself.  
You will be welcome

Call the Chapter Director if you need more information about a Chapter activity. If you are interested in organizing a Chapter in your area, please contact JACK & DORIS SCHOECK, District Directors at 620-341-0426.

## Chapter Meeting Information

### Chapter 'A'

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**JTs Grill**  
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### Chapter 'C'

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 Dwilliams44@cox.net

### Chapter "F"

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 4th Tuesday, 7:00pm  
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 Brown Bag- Desserts provided  
 ectrike@me.com

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### Chapter 'P'

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Marty & Ruth Danner



Hello everyone...

It's December and the holiday season is upon us so this month's newsletter will be short & sweet.

So what happened in November...well the Twisters had their last performance for the year with their appearance in El Dorado at their Veteran's Day parade on the 5<sup>th</sup>. This is I believe their 4<sup>th</sup> time to perform and all though they had to amend their program a little bit (street is too small for some of that maneuvers) it was a great way to end the season.

Our monthly meeting was held on the 10<sup>th</sup> and although the crowd wasn't our largest it was still a good meeting. Our Riders Educator Bob Brown gave a great lesson on 10 ways to keep riding in the winter

**Get Layered.** Layering will keep you insulated & warm. Start with a light base layer which should trap warm air next to your skin and wick away sweat. Make sure the top layer is tough & wind-proof. Please be sure the layers don't restrict movement.

**Trap body heat.** Most body heat escapes from the hands & head area so keep these warm. Seal/close the gap between your sleeves & gloves so you could look into some gauntlet style gloves. Also a neck warmer or balaclava can help to prevent cold air from entering your helmet.

**Don't get foggy.** Visor fogging can cause hazardous visibility problems during cold weather. There are some substances that you can put on your visor to help keep it from fogging over so talk to Bob (or do a Google search) to discover what they are.

**Get electric gear.** If you are going to ride a lot in the cold weather you might invest in some heated gear to help keep you warm. Remember a warm torso prevents frostbite by allowing the heart to focus on pumping blood to the hands & feet. You can also invest in putting heated grips on your bike

**Watch the voltage.** If you invest in the heating equipment be sure your alternator can handle the additions. Check your owner's manual to find out how much wattage your alternator generates how much wattage is used to run the bike. Make sure there's enough for what you are going to use.

**Get streamlined.** One of the ways you can keep warm is to keep the cold air from blowing on you so invest in a fairing. You can also put baker wings on your handle bars and around other places on your bike to help deflect the wind off of you.

**Don't be fooled.** Hypothermia is insidious so don't ignore early symptoms, uncontrolled shivering, numb fingers or toes, slow reaction times, or fuzzy thinking. The wind chill adds to the danger so make sure you stop frequently & have a hot beverage and allow your body to warm up.

**Practice tire smarts.** If you put race type tires on in the summer be sure to switch back to ordinary street tires during the cold months they develop grip at lower temperatures & reach effective operating temperature quicker

**Put your oil on a diet.** Using thinner oil during the cold months will improve your bike's performance...especially during start-up. Check your owner's manual for recommendations.

**Rev up your insurance I.Q.** Make sure your insurance police allows for year-round riding. May insurance premiums are based on an annual term that takes into consideration the variances in throughout the year. A discount for limited use during "off season" may already be reflected in your cost. However if your policy requires your bike be laid up during certain months, you may not be as protected as you think.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving. Now let's talk a little bit about what's coming up in December

3<sup>rd</sup> – Chapter Christmas Bowling party. Sorry I don't have any details but by the time this is put "on line" the information will have been given to all

8<sup>th</sup> – Chapter meeting @ the Country Café on South Seneca. Meeting starts @ 7:00 but come early to enjoy a meal and visit the other members

9<sup>th</sup> – Dana Baranek's Birthday

21<sup>st</sup> – Bob Vickers Birthday

25<sup>th</sup> – Christmas  
Bob Browns Birthday

31<sup>st</sup> – New Year's Eve (everyone please be careful)

Dates in the future to look forward to...

January 1<sup>st</sup> – New Year's ride to be led by Joe Gattenby followed by a meal @ 4:00pm at Joe & Debbie's

January 20 & 21 – Mid Winter Rendezvous. At the Park City Best Western

March 25<sup>th</sup> Trike riding course

June 23 & 24 – Kansas District Rally @ Atrium Hotel in Hutchinson.

That's all for now so until then...ride safe

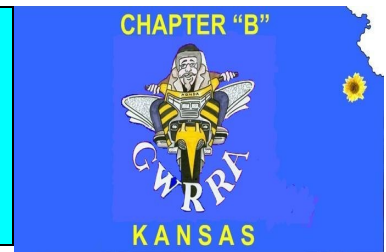
Mary Mazur, Chapter A Newsletter editor





## Chapter B – DeSoto

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<b>Chapter MEC</b>	<b>Chapter Editor</b> Paula Aiken	<b>Chapter Treasurer</b> Ed James 816-225-2679	



"Lions, and tigers, and bears, oh my!" Actually we were hoping for deer, coyotes, and maybe wild turkeys. But no wild life was found, except for those on the hay wagon, during the annual Halloween party at the Aiken home. Thirty plus Chapter B members and friends gathered to roast hot-dogs and enjoy a meal on October 29. The food was plentiful and the conversations were great. It was an evening of fun and fellowship.



The monthly breakfast ride to the Egg and I in Overland Park was led by Chapter Director, Joe Magnant. Eleven people had a wonderful breakfast and good time. The dinner ride to Johnny's Tavern turned into a dinner get-together as only three bikes, led by Dave Aiken, ventured down K-10 in the cold temperatures to Olathe. Ten others were waiting at the restaurant. The food and comradery were great which helped make up for the fact that the ride home was even colder!

It was time to honor our veterans. November 5 found eighteen members eating breakfast at the Old 56 Diner in Ottawa and then bundling up to prepare to ride in the parade. The streets were lined with people as we rode through downtown with American flags waving. With the crowd cheering and clapping we promoted GWRRR and saluted our veterans.



November 11 was very cold, but that didn't stop Chapter B members from heading to participate in the largest Veterans Day Parade west of the Mississippi. Again motorcycles shone and flags waved as thirteen bikes and fifteen people rode through the streets of Leavenworth. Lunch followed at the Depot Diner. We were glad to honor and celebrate all the men and women who have served or are serving in the armed forces of the United States of America.

A small group of Chapter B members journeyed off for a fall color ride on November 12. Joe Magnant and Eric Wadman led the group on a fun ride through the Ozarks. With a round trip of approximately 400 miles, it was a great day of riding. Some interesting back roads were explored in Ha Ha Tonka State Park and the fall foliage and company made for a fun day.

Chapter B events for December:

December 11 - Christmas Party

December 15 - Chapter Meeting

December 31 - Breakfast Get-Together

Happy Holidays,

Paula Aiken



## Chapter C - Topeka

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**Chapter MEC**

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We started our month out on the 1<sup>st</sup> with our last supper ride of the year. Rod Williams led 7 of us to Green Acres in Vassar for an excellent and also inexpensive meal. We couldn't have had a better evening for a ride. There was very little wind and the temperature was perfect even on the ride home after dark. With it being so late in the year it was almost dark when we got to the restaurant. While we were on the road to Vassar Bill Hanson came over the radio and announced that his 2016 bike was going to go to Arkansas around the 10<sup>th</sup> in order to gain a third wheel and also a custom seat. We are looking forward to seeing how that turns out. To the best of my knowledge he will be having a Roadsmith kit installed by Horizon Trikes so let's all wish for a high quality install in a short period of time along with good weather for him to get it down and back.

After eating and watching a bit of the World Series we mounted up and headed back toward our homes. About ½ way between the US 56 & 75 split Rod hit his brakes and at the same time I saw a deer that was getting up close and personal beside his trike. We were way too close to it as far as I'm concerned and Rod was much closer. He said it looked like a six point buck to him. Fortunately it turned around and took off. John Gull was riding behind me and never even saw it even though I had radioed that it was there. That just goes to let you know that there is no way to tell how close those critters are at night and to always keep your eyes moving to at least reduce the risk. After that little thrill the rest of the trip was thankfully uneventful with the whole gang getting home in one piece.

Our planning meeting went well especially with the good food. I won't even attempt to say who brought what that way I won't leave anybody out, but I will say that everything I tasted was excellent. After we got finished feeding our faces we got down to the actual important stuff and hashed out what we planned to do over the course of 2017. John Gull will be posting it on the chapter website <http://www.kschapterc.org/> and there is also a link to the website from the district website.

We normally keep pretty close to what is posted so to those of you from other chapters that see something we are doing that you might be interested in joining us feel free to attend. Just show up where it says we will be departing from or meeting. If you want to give us a heads up then feel free to either call or e-mail. Bill Tucker publishes plenty of phone numbers in each edition of the Winger for everybody's convenience.

We ended our “official” riding season with back to back rides. On the 11<sup>th</sup> seven of us joined the fine folks from Chapter B in Leavenworth for the Veterans Day parade. Those people know how to run a parade. It starts on time, they have rules (not many) and expect them to be followed and the parade moves right along with very little stop and go. The crowd was large and friendly and appeared to have a good time. The best part of the parade is they let the motorcycles go in front of the horses to the joy of all riders. After the parade our fearless leader Rick Thompson led us to Weston, MO for lunch which was outstanding. The whole day was ridden in just about perfect conditions.

The following day was the ride to Paradise. With little things like surgery, a mother’s birthday celebration, sick wife, bike turning into a trike and the temperature being 29 when it was time to leave home we only had 4 people but we still has an enjoyable ride and even better food. John & Teresa were considering turning back to Topeka when they got to Junction City, however after a cup of coffee and a bit of thawing out they decided to tough it out. The weather rapidly warmed up and was comfortable for the rest of the day with very little wind. We took the big road to Paradise stopping at the Kansas Collections at the Wilson exit for a break. That was a great stop as talented people with a lot of imagination crafted some fantastic stuff out of wood and just plain junk. Two examples were a tractor made from an old sewing machine with valve knobs and smooth pulleys for wheels. You actually had to look twice to realize the sewing machine was there. The other thing was an M-1 tank made completely from wood. The tracks on the tank even turned. I’m not sure who made the tractor but the tank was made by prisoners from, I’m pretty sure Ellsworth.

When we went thru the line to pay for our meals one of the ladies mentioned we were the motorcycle group that always came. We were surprised she recognized us since Al Davis wasn’t with us. We told her why Al & Sandy weren’t there and she said Al always gave her a hug.

So in order to keep up tradition after John paid he gave her a big hug. After eating too much we headed back east with us dropping out at the Ogden exit and John & Teresa going on back to Topeka.

Birthday 27<sup>th</sup> Rita Thompson Anniversary 7<sup>th</sup> Ken & Arlene Felch

***Don & Brenda Williams***  
***CD/Newsletter Editors***



## Chapter F - El Dorado



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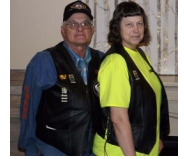
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Rick & Brenda Kistler



Greetings from Chapter F!

Merry Christmas to all of our friends across the state. We hope you have a wonderful holiday with family and/or friends. Christmas is a special time to spend with our family and loved ones.

We had our regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 22, 2016. We had a guest speaker, which was Dr. Patrick Washington, from Hear USA Audiology Clinic in Emporia. He lives in Wichita and commutes each day. He diagnosis hearing problems and he gave a great speech on hearing devices and Ear Plugs. He explained the difference between an audiologist and a person who just sells the hearing devices as a career. He explained that Hear USA is the only clinic in Emporia that works with the Veterans Choice Program, and each individual needs to check with the VA to see if they are eligible for the program. He advised the number to contact for information is 866-606-8198. He gave a great presentation and there were many questions after he was through. We all appreciated him coming to our meeting.

We had visitors from other chapters and we were glad for all who came and shared our meal and out meeting. We are always glad to have everyone come who can and it is great seeing our friends!!

Our Supper Ride for November was sponsored by Jack and Doris Schoeck. We went to the Chinese "Golden Asian Buffet" Restaurant at 2350 West Central Avenue, El Dorado. There were 7 members from Chapter F and Jack and Teresa Kistler joined us from Chapter Q. Thanks for joining us Jack and Teresa. A good time was had by all!

Jack and Doris Schoeck were responsible for bringing the dessert and brought brownies, chocolate cookies, and Pumpkin Cream Cheese Bars. Everyone enjoyed the snacks.

Chapter F will be having their Christmas Party on Saturday, December 3, 2016 at the Community Center Building in Cassoday, KS. The turkey, ham, drinks, and plates, and silverware will be provided by the Chapter. We would invite all who can to attend. We are asking all who attend to bring a covered dish of food to share. If you want to participate in the gift exchange, you need to bring a man and a woman's gift. The price limit for each gift is \$10.00. We are meeting at the Community Center at 12:00 pm.

There are no Birthdays or Anniversaries in December.

Until next time, ride when you can during the next few weeks when it is warm during the day and always Ride Safe. We will see you down the road!

Submitted By,

Doris Schoeck, Newsletter Editor



### KS-H Newsletter

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Our Chapter has had a good riding month. We started the month with our annual trip to the Yoder Mennonite church for an early Thanksgiving meal, had a great turnout from our Chapter. The following Saturday we made a dinner ride to Cy's Hoof N Horn in Sedgwick, great place to eat and another good turnout.

On Thursday Nov. 17 we'll have an early Chapter H meeting due to Thanksgiving hitting on our normal meeting date.

On Sunday Nov. 20, we will participate in the annual Reno County toy run parade, always several hundred bikes will parade down main street and then take a toy to the Moose Lodge to donate to needy children in the area. We'll finish up with chili and fellowship at Wendy's.

We'll finish the month with Thanksgiving and to all a Happy and Healthy time with your families.

Terry and Judy Mann  
 Chapter H Senior Directors



Another year is almost over and we as a chapter have had a very good year. Although some of us have had to replace parts on our Goldwings and also ourselves, we are ready for a new and fun year. It is time for changing into a new year and new things.

Dale & Georgeanna Tritsch  
 Assistant Chapter Directors

## Rider Ed. Bits

Wow! December already, where has the year gone? Our thoughts now seem to go more toward inside based activities. It has been a great riding season. So now, instead of Gear Up, it's time to check your gear. Instead of Throw Your Leg Over, it's time to check your ride. Instead of Enjoy The Ride, it's time to plan next season's rides. Speaking of next riding season, it's time to make that commitment to take that Rider Course you have been meaning to take. Time to step up to move up in the Levels program. Taking the steps to make yourself a better rider not only benefits you but everybody you ride with.

One more thing I am very thankful for every member of Chapter H, you make my job as your Chapter Educator so much easier.

Marv & Toni, Chapter Educators



One of the benefits of being a member of GWRRA. The GOLD BOOK! This is the book that comes with your yearly subscription. You're never alone when you are traveling when you have this with you. Participating members are listed by state to assist you with lodging, tools, directions, or just fellowship. It's nice to know that you have help, if needed, when you are in an unfamiliar place.

Sincerely,  
from your MEC  
Kit and Donna Sand



We think of November as a quiet month to reflect on our blessings and to speak of our veterans and Armed Forces with heartfelt gratitude; however, Chapter H had a busy month. Congratulations to Terry Mann on his retirement. Some of our chapter also had an early Thanksgiving in Yoder. Now we're looking ahead to the Mid-Winter Rally and Chapter H events for 2017. Don't forget the COY basket theme is "Let's Eat". Please donate your favorite food related product so that our basket at Mid-Winter will reflect a real "Bon Appetit"! Please bring your donation to our December gathering. Until then we're wishing everyone a blessed Thanksgiving.

Toni and Marv, Chapter Couple



There were quite a few from chapter H along with many others attending Terry Mann's retirement party on Nov 29. I guess they wanted to see if he was really retiring this time.

There were 5 Goldwings, 1 van and 1 car that went to the Lumberyard in Zenda, KS on Oct 29. It was a good day for a ride and our spooky server was appearing frequently.



Dale & Georgeanna Tritsch



On Sat, Nov 5, there were 6 bikes, 3 cars, and 21 people total who went to the Journey Mennonite Thanksgiving Dinner just north of Yoder, KS. It was a very good meal. I think everyone had enough to last a few hours.



Quite a few of us went to Cy's Hoof & Horn in Sedgwick, KS on Nov 12.



Dec 10 we leave for Ft Larned for the Old Time Christmas at noon. There will be folks in period dress, old time goodies, and dancing the way they did it during the time the fort was active.

Dec 11 we leave for the Prairie Rose Dinner & Show at noon. There will be plenty of good food and a fantastic show.

Our regularly scheduled meeting has been moved up one week in December to the 15<sup>th</sup>. It will be at the Delos V Smith Senior Center at W 1<sup>st</sup> & Washington. We will start with a potluck meal at 5:30pm and a very short meeting followed by games, and a gift exchange. Bring a \$10 limit gift -- boys for boys and girls for girls. This year's rule is only boys will be able to take from boys and only girls will be able to take from girls. Also bring a side dish filled with good eatin' or a dessert. Sedena will again host the Right/Left game. The event starts at 5:30pm and we need to be out by 9:00 (that means doors locked).

In 2017 there will be a change of format for our newsletter. We will not be having each chapter officer provide an article unless they so desire. Also, the Member Rides and Buy, Sell, Trade section will be gone. If any member wants to provide something about a ride they took or has something wanted to buy, sell, or trade; then we will be happy to put that in the newsletter. We always value input from our members, so do not hesitate to contact the newsletter editor if you would like to contribute something.



# Bugsy

I went along to the Lumberyard for a fun night with friends. I rode in the van so I wouldn't get cold.

Bugsy is ready to ride along.



Bugsy is ready to order.



## Afterthoughts

### Someone Else

We were saddened to learn this week of the death of one of our most valued members, Someone Else. Someone's passing creates a vacancy that will be difficult to fill.

Someone Else has been with us for many years and for every one of those years, Someone did far more than a normal person's share of the work.

Whenever there was a job to do, a class to teach, or a meeting to attend, one name was on everyone's list, "Let Someone Else do it." Whenever leadership was mentioned, this wonderful person was looked to for inspiration as well as results; "Someone Else can work with that group."

It was common knowledge that Someone Else was among the most liberal givers in our group. Whenever there was a financial need, everyone just assumed Someone Else would make up the difference.

Someone Else was a wonderful person; sometimes appearing superhuman. Were the truth known, everybody expected too much of Someone Else. Now Someone Else is gone! We wonder what we are going to do.

Someone Else left a wonderful example to follow, but who is going to follow it? Who is going to do the things Someone Else did?

When you are asked to help in your local group this year, remember -- they can't depend on Someone Else anymore. Many hands make little work!

## Upcoming Events

*(see all our upcoming events on the KS-H webpage on the Kansas District website [www.gwrraks.com](http://www.gwrraks.com))*

**Remember the Reno County Toy Run on Sunday, Nov 20**

### December

- |    |  |
|----|--|
| 10 | Fort Larned Old Time Christmas noon – 4pm                            |
| 11 | Prairie Rose Dinner & Show noon – 4pm                                |
| 15 | Short Meeting and Christmas Party Delos V Smith Senior Center 5:30pm |



# Sunshine Events

## Birthdays

### December

2 Carma Gray  
 4 Douglas K Freeman  
 5 Randy Flickinger  
 5 Brad Thompson  
 7 Curtis Thompson  
 7 Nita Regier  
 8 Jim Shaw  
 16 Charles Miller  
 16 Jan Regehr  
 23 Norm Frederick  
 30 Donna Sand

### January

3 Les Lahman  
 8 Julie Flickinger  
 10 Bob Good  
 11 Regina Marcotte  
 20 Sarah Watts  
 23 Mark Goering  
 25 Debra Miller  
 25 Dale Tritsch  
 26 Jan Schroeder  
 27 Steve T Seitz  
 30 Judy Mann

## Anniversaries

10 Ken & Nancy Hazen  
 23 Don & Carma Gray  
 28 Bruce & Pat Malecki  
     28 Don & Jan Schroeder  
 28 Chuck & Kathy Schmidt

22 Bob & Twila Good

## RALLYS

Mark your Calendars!

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Best Western Park City/North Wichita

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We draw one membership number which is placed somewhere in the newsletter.

If the member to whom the number belongs sees it  
 and is present at the next gathering after the number is published,  
 that member wins \$5.

(it pays to be a member and attend gatherings)

Did you find your membership number? Better read me again.

Hey, get in on a good thing. 50/50 is 10 for \$5.

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Be sure to read the **Kansas Winger** on the Kansas District web site each month  
See what all our Kansas chapters are doing

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# Merry Christmas

## To one and all



## KANSAS MID-WINTER RENDEZVOUS



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**Chapter Couple**


Rick & Carolyn Stevens



**Meeting Night** - 2nd Friday , Brown Bag at 6:30PM  
Derby Church of Christ 225 N. Derby St,  
Derby Ks. 67037 in the fellowship hall at the south  
end of the building



What's happening? The Goose (turkey) has been cooked, and stuffed, along with many other wonderful taste treats, and Black Friday was a great success at my house. In the stores at 6AM, enjoying the throngs of value conscious shoppers whose only purpose is to buy stuff, and finally back home to rest my aching feet. Shopping like that gives me a new appreciation of just how interesting we as a people have become. Read into that what you wish. Almost better than going to people watch at the State Fair.

Chapter P members have not been very active this past month, there are just so many things to get done before winter. Maybe if the weather holds a couple more days a ride on the Wing, and maybe my VTX, and all will be good.

The Twisters demonstration at the Freedom parade in El Dorado for Veterans Day went well, and is always a pleasure to do that demonstration as the weather is always just perfect. Chapter activities for December are not planned, and will be short notice get together

Again - Mark on your calendar for December 9th as that will be Chapter P's monthly get together. Derby Church of Christ, 225 N Derby St, in Derby.

Denny and Katherine Chesnut, Twister 8, Assistant Directors

# Chapter Q – Wellington


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Bill & Sheila Tucker

**Chapter MEC**

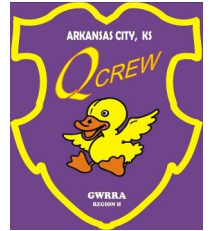
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**Chapter Educator**

Open



## Kansas Chapter "Q" December Newsletter

Nothing much to write about for November, we hope all of you had a great Thanksgiving. As we write this we are thankful that all of our members are all doing better, it's been a rough time for our bunch.

The staff of Chapter Q would like to wish all of you a Very Merry Christmas. May you have a blessed time with family and friends as you celebrate this wondrous time of the year.

We have one birthday for this month and two anniversaries:

Jack Kistler 7<sup>th</sup>

Tom & Karen Sweet 23<sup>rd</sup>

Bill & Sheila Tucker 27<sup>th</sup>

Our next meeting will be December 1<sup>st</sup>, please join us, Bill Tucker has something up his sleeve?!

***MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!!!***

Until the next time,  
Jack & Teresa Kistler

Message from Bill & Sheila, your 2016 Chapter Couple.

We were able to make a few more activities representing the 'Q Crew.

We attended KSP dinner, KSF meeting and their supper ride, KSQ meeting.

If enough folks are in attendance at our December meeting, we intend to have A fun game with Jack & Teresa.

Come join us for a good meal and a 'FUN' time with our directors.



## BY THE BOOK

By: Jack Wagner  
Deputy Director  
Region H Trainer



“By the Book” articles are intended to help familiarize GWRRA Volunteer Leaders and Members with the policies, procedures, and information contained in the GWRRA Officer’s Handbook (OHB). A copy of the Officer’s Handbook can be found at the following Internet website: [www.gwrro.org/oconnect/officerhandbook.html](http://www.gwrro.org/oconnect/officerhandbook.html)

Please feel free to reprint these articles in Region, District, or Chapter newsletters.

December brings us together for many different parties – celebrating the various holidays or watching our favorite teams in their endeavor to be the best. Many of the social events or gift exchanges done at this time of year have the tradition of involving alcohol. While it has been discussed at length many times, I thought it best to remind everyone of the GWRRA policy on alcohol. Page D-15 of the Officer Handbook states:

*“While GWRRA makes no attempt to legislate policy as it relates to an individual’s freedom, we must give strong consideration to potential liability exposure of the Officer group. For this reason, GWRRA CANNOT: 1) sell alcoholic beverages; 2) profit from the sale of alcoholic beverages; 3) distribute as an award or prize any alcoholic beverages at a GWRRA event; 4) encourage its use by advertising its availability or causing it to be available at GWRRA events.”*

The first few words are important to remember – **WE ARE NOT ATTEMPTING TO BE THE ALCOHOL POLICE**. However, that said, the next few words from the Officer Handbook are of utmost importance – **THERE ARE POTENTIAL LIABILITY ISSUES**. What does this mean? Most areas have what are known as social host liability laws which impart liability to those responsible for serving alcohol. Those held liable, in either criminal or civil actions, provided alcohol to someone who is subsequently involved in a vehicle crash or other activity which caused death, injury or even property damage. Businesses that serve alcohol go to great extent to train their personnel in preventing patrons from being over served. Most often the social host involved in legal actions is a private individual who served alcohol in their home, where they are considered to be the host. However, when the event is a company or organization affair, the company or organization can be held liable – meaning GWRRA and its officers could be held responsible. Think about that. If you’re the Chapter Director, you could be held liable even though the event wasn’t in *your* home. Yes, GWRRA has liability insurance which covers the Association and its officers. But would it cover you if you are violating written Association policy?

So what are some things to avoid when planning your event? For openers, if the party is at an individual’s home, do not serve alcohol, period. If the event is being conducted at a facility that serves alcohol, do not set up a cash bar in the room your event is being held in, or in the ‘pre-function’ gathering area, as that could place GWRRA in a position of liability. And do not advertise that a cash bar is being made available on any of your flyers or party announcements regardless of where the cash bar may be – even if it is the normal location of the bar in the facility. Lastly, do not allow the facility to make any mention of alcohol availability in their contract for the event, as that too, could place GWRRA and its officers in a position of liability.

Liability issues aside – the main reason for the policy, as I see it, is we don’t want to be the cause of losing any of our GWRRA family as a result of providing alcohol. So let me leave you with this. If you’re having a Chapter event at your home or other location that doesn’t commercially serve alcohol, follow the policy and don’t make it available. If you’re having your event at a location that does serve alcohol as part of their normal business, and choose to consume, please do it responsibly. I want to see all of our family together in the coming year!

The more you know, the better it gets!

Jack



# Kansas



Region 'H' GWRRA

Mid-Winter Rendezvous

January 20-22, 2017

Theme "Wingin' it With Frosty"

AT

Best Western North

915 E 53rd St North

Wichita, KS 1-866-503-5700

Here is a glimpse of the Rendezvous 2017 activities. Some Old, Some New, All Fun



Banquet  
Chapter Theme Table  
COY Baskets  
Medallion Hunt



Rider Education, Leadership Training, Membership Enhancement Seminars

Black Jack Play Off

Dessert Dances (Two) Yum! Yum!

Crafts (Free snowballs) Make it! Paint It! Take it!

Swap Meet

Snacks (popcorn free)

District Couple Selection

Dressed Up Snowman Contest

(Make a snowman and dress him up)

Name The Snowman Contest

Games: Two Headliners- 'A Minute to Win It' and the 'Hungry Hippo'

Many more games available on the tables

Fifty-Fifty





# KANSAS

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 915 E 53<sup>rd</sup> St North  
 1-866-503-5700 \$74.99 + tax  
 316-832-9387

Breakfast included for up to 4 People  
 Pets \$10.00 per day (1/2 fee to KS  
 Humane Society)  
 Rooms blocked until December 30th

Ask for "GWRRA Mid-Winter" rooms

**Theme: "Winging With Frosty in Park City"**  
 'Couple of the Year Selection' 'Musical Dessert Dance' 'Many Games'  
 'Rider Ed Seminars' '50/50 Drawings' 'Medallion Hunt'  
 'Banquet' 'Black Jack' 'Bingo' 'Table Games'

#### REGISTRATION FORM

Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRA # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Co-Rider \_\_\_\_\_ GWRRA \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Your Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ Your District \_\_\_\_\_ Your Region \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee: \$25.00 per person \$30.00 per person after January 6th  
 Non-Members: \$30.00 per person \$35.00 per person after January 6th

My Choice of entrée at Banquet is: Chicken \_\_\_\_\_ Beef \_\_\_\_\_

I/We agree to hold harmless GWRRA, Kansas District, any Co-sponsoring organizations, and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or personal property when participating in this event. I/We agree to assume responsibility for any property that I/We damage.

Riders Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Co-Riders Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: **Kansas District GWRRA**. Mail to: Judy Eggleston, 3307 Osage Crt, Winfield KS 67156

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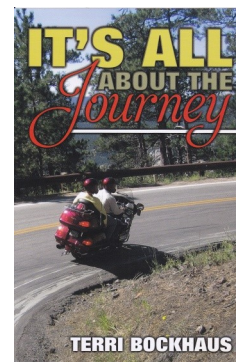
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Faith and Life Bookstore in Newton Kansas is pleased to introduce new local author, Terri Bockhaus. Her debuted book is titled, "It's all about the Journey." The book is a collection of short stories detailing her journey from riding on the back of her husband motorcycle to being one of a handful of female riders nationwide to perform on a motorcycle drill team.

The book chronicles her mishaps as she learns to ride her own motorcycle, and many of the funny (and sometimes scary) things that have happened on some of their trips. You don't have to be a biker to enjoy this book.

Terri and her husband Steve were involved in a serious motorcycle wreck in 2004. During their recovery, they were introduced to the Goldwing Road Riders Association (GWRRA), an organization that promotes safe motorcycling. Terri reports that she has always enjoyed riding on motorcycles, but never thought of owning one, let alone riding on a motorcycle drill team. She has always dreamed of having her original writing published. She hopes that through her love of writing and riding, that she has brought a glimpse of her passion of both to you, the reader. Terri and her husband live in Newton Ks..

The book is available for purchase at Dan's Cycle in Hesston Ks or by contacting Terry directly at [tmbockhaus@cox.net](mailto:tmbockhaus@cox.net).



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