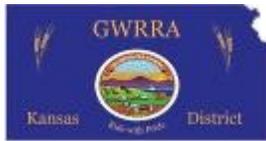


KANSAS DISTRICT NEWS



'The Winger'



Gold Wing Road Riders Association

"Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge"

Bill & Sarah Watts
District Directors



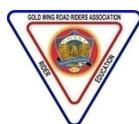
Anita Alkire
President of GWRRA

The Kansas Winger is a monthly publication containing articles submitted by the Chapter Editors and the District Team. These articles are about the activities chapter members participated in and what the coming events are for the chapter.

Because GWRRA members are members of all chapters, they are encouraged to attend any chapter gathering and participate in any chapter event.

The Gold Wing Road Riders Association is all about "FUN, SAFETY, and KNOWLEDGE".

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Ride Safe and Often

Merry Christmas



and a happy new year

From your Kansas



District Team



May your Christmas Holiday be exactly what you want it to be. Ring in the new year safely and enjoy the 2020.



We should remember the families that have lost a loved one this year. Please put them on your prayer list.



Enjoy your journey where ever it takes you.

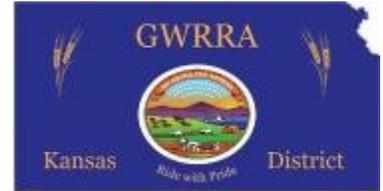
*God Bless You
at Christmas*

A Message from your District Directors



Kansas Monthly Newsletter

Bill & Sarah Watts
Grand Master Riders
Bill #10040 Sarah #10039



Greeting G.W.R.R.A. Family,

We do hope all is well with all of you and yours and that the Thanksgiving Holiday was good. ours was. And we do hope each of you are looking forward to the upcoming Christmas Holiday it will be here before we know it as well as the end of 2019.

Winter will soon be upon us but remember the activities of this organization continue throughout the entire year and there are always Chapter activities to attend even in the winter months. It is as simple as checking the web site and emails sent out by each Chapter to find those things to do and it's a great way to get out of the house and beat the winter time blues. Speaking of things to do and we know we are starting to sound like a broken record but remember that Mid-Winter will be here sooner than we all know it so we encourage all of you to get those registrations in now.

We do look forward to seeing all of you at Mid-Winter but until then Sarah and I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of you and your Families a very Merry Christmas and a great New Years to come.

Bill & Sarah Watts,
Kansas, District Directors,



Kansas Directory for Chapters Directors and Chapter Gathering Time and Place

You are welcome to attend any Chapter Gathering and Introduce yourself!

You will be welcome

Call the Chapter Director if you need information about a Chapter activity.

If you live in an area that does not have a Chapter close by and would be interested in starting one, contact District Directors Bill & Sarah Watts at 620-728-8347

Chapter 'A'

Chris & Michelle Grooms CD
316-788-7842

2nd Thursday, 7pm

Country Café

2904 S Seneca, Wichita
chgrooms@cox.net

Chapter 'B'

Joe & Pan Magnant CD
913-660-5176

3rd Thursday, 7pm

JT's Grill

33255 Lexington Ave, DeSoto
Joe.magnant51@gmail.com
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Chapter 'C'

Don & Brenda Williams CD
785-341-4211

3rd Tuesday, 7pm

Perkins Restaurant

1720 SW Wanamaker Rd, Topeka
dwilliams44@cox.net



Chapter 'F'

Everett & Carol Chastain CD
620-374-7917

4th Tuesday, 7pm

Oil Hill Elementary School

2700 W 6th, El Dorado
Brown Bag-Desserts Provided

Chapter 'H'

Dale & Georgeanna Tritsch CD
620-921-5941

2nd Saturday, 7pm

Gambino's Pizza

Check for Changes

310 S Main, South Hutchinson
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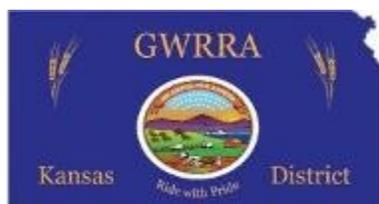
Chapter 'P'

David & Theresa McDonald CD
316-213-5712

2nd Tuesday, 7pm

Derby Church of Christ

225 N. Derby St, Derby
Brown Bag—Dessert Provided
Mcdonald.david46@yahoo.com



Chapter 'Q'

Jack & Teresa Kistler CD
316-651-7423

1st Thursday 7pm

Boss Hog BBQ, Winfield Ks

314 W 8th Street

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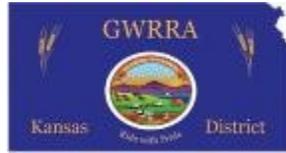


Steve & Terri Bockhaus

FRANK PATTON AWARD 2019

Dale & Georgeanna Tritsch
KSH

GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION KANSAS DISTRICT

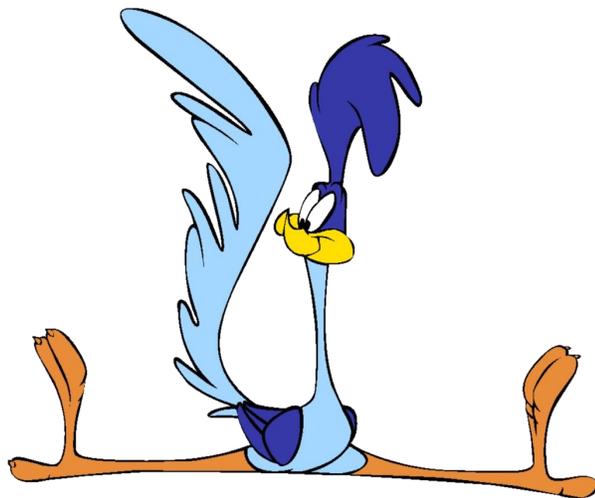


2019 DISTRICTS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

2020

January 17-18: Kansas Mid-Winter Rendezvous

February 8: KSP Sweetheart dinner, 6pm @Derby Church of Christ. RSVP Kathy Chesnut by Jan 24, 2020.





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Senior Master IV #8248



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Bob & Barb Brown

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Master Tour Rider #10240

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Bill Tucker KSQ

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Rick Stevens

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Joe Magnant

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Carolyn Stevens

Barb Brown

Rick Kistler

SECURITY

Rick Kistler

Barb Brown

December 2019 Rider Education Article.

Hello everyone. By the time you read this we will all have been stuffed with turkey and all of the trimmings. I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving and we are on the downhill slide to Christmas. The full Holiday Season will soon be upon us too. Enjoy attending the various parties and gatherings with your families and with your GoldWing family.

On November 9th we held our second Kansas Summit. We had a good crowd in attendance at Greenwich Elementary School for the event. I would like to thank Brenda Kistler from Chapter F for arranging the use of the school for this event. I also would like to thank Doris for assisting in putting on this event. I would also like to thank the members that came out and enjoyed the day learning and refreshing their skills and training.

Jack and Doris Schoeck and Bill Tucker presented a very nice Medic First Aid and CPR Renewal for the members. Remember if you need to renew or get initial certification for Medic First Aid and CPR please contact Steve Bockhaus or myself and we can get a training class scheduled. We do bring that training to the Chapters so gather your members and schedule a class.

We also had seminars on Team Riding presented by Bob Brown. We had a nice group discussion on night riding. A University Module called Zone Out presented by Joe Magnet from Chapter B. Thank you Joe for coming all the way to Wichita to help us out by presenting this module for us. We finished up the afternoon with a seminar on Motorcycle Crash Scene Response.

In carrying on with my explanations about the Levels Program I would like to talk briefly about the Masters Recognition. This information is taken directly from the GWRRA Handbook.

Master's Recognition

Master Tour Riders that have remained current (Riding Course/CO-Rider Seminar/2-up Rider Course and First Aid/CPR recertification requirements) for increments of 5, 10, or 15 years are eligible to be awarded special recognition. This recognition is represented by a Master's Recognition patch. To check if you might be eligible for one of the Recognition Levels, check the "Master Recognition Eligibility" found in the Educators Tool Box of the Officer section on the Rider Ed website.

Senior Master

Those Members meeting a minimum 5 years of active participation and continuous* recertification as a Master Tour Rider may be recognized and receive a Senior Master Rocker upon application to GWRRA.

Grand Master

Those Members meeting a minimum 10 years of active participation and continuous* recertification as a Master Tour Rider may be recognized and receive a Grand Master Rocker upon application to GWRRA.

Life Grand Master

Those Members meeting a minimum 15 years of active participation and continuous* recertification as a Master Tour Rider may be recognized and receive a Life Grand Master Rocker upon application to GWRRA.

Application

Application for the recognition program patch is made using the Master tour Rider/ Co-Rider Application Form (N.9). The cost of the **optional** patch is \$2.00 USD. The form is sent to the District Educator for Verification.

**SIMPLY FULFILLING LONGEVITY REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS PROGRAM. THE APPLICANT MUST REMAIN CERTIFIED/ RECERTIFIED FOR THE TIME REQUIREMENT. HAVING A MASTER NUMBER ON THE ELIGIBILITY LIST DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY QUALIFY SOMEONE FOR THE MASTER'S RECOGNITION PROGRAM.*

IF THERE IS A TIME WHEN COURSES ARE NOT CURRENT, OR MEMBERSHIP EXPIRES, THE MEMBER NEED ONLY REJOIN GWRRA, RECERTIFY AND REMAIN CURRENT FOR THE ADDITIONAL TIME REQUIRED TO MAKE UP THE NON-CURRENT TIME. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MASTER TOUR RIDER/CO-RIDER TO ENSURE THERE IS NOT LAPSE IN THE TIME THAT THEIR MEMBERSHIP OR COURSES ARE CURRENT. THE RIDER EDUCATION PROGRAM LEVELS DATABASE AND DISTRICT EDUCATOR CAN BE USEFUL IN ASSISTING THE PARTICIPANT IN MEETING THE RIDER EDUCATION PORTION OF THESE GOALS.

The last thing I would like to cover is Updating your Levels Information. Something that has not been discussed recently is high or safe miles. I know that as GoldWing riders we are always talking about how many miles we have on our bikes and are very proud of the miles we have ridden. Below is how to update your Levels information and your high miles.

Updating Levels Information

When a member already in the Levels program completes a Rider Course, First Aid, CPR, Co-Rider Seminar or wishes to update their high or safe miles he/she should use the N.10 Levels Data Update Form. This form may be found on the Rider Education Webpage in the Officer Tab.

When a member wishes to progress to a higher level in the Levels Program they should use the N.7 for Levels I, II and III and the N.9 for Level IV.

The N.7, N.9 and N.10 forms are forwarded to the District Educator for input into the Member's information in the Rider Education Database.

I know this has been a bit long winded but lots of information to get out to the members. If you have any questions feel free to contact your Chapter Director or myself and we will get the information you are seeking.

In the immortal works of my mentor...**PRACTICE MAKES PERMANENT.**

Kansas Couple of The Year 2019



David & Theresa McDonald

KS-P

Kansas Chapter Couples and Individuals of The Year 2019

CHAPTER 'A'



Joe & Debbie Gattenby

CHAPTER 'B'

Bill & Margaret Hanson

CHAPTER 'C'



Sandy Davis

CHAPTER 'F'



Robert & Joan Warne

CHAPTER 'H'



Jeff & Ann Whithorn

CHAPTER 'P'



Joe & Janet Gonsalves





Chapter A – Wichita

Meet 2nd Thursday in Wichita at Country Café 7:00pm– Eat 6:00pm



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Barb Brown

Chapter Ride Coordinator

Larry Mazur

Newsletter Editor

Mary Mazur

Chapter Couple

Joe & Debbie Gattenby

Chapter MEC

Tim & Cindy Howard

Hello everyone.

Let me just say that this newsletter is going to be short and sweet as nothing much happened in November that I know anything about so I'll just say that our monthly meeting was held on the 14th and we had a good crowd...not as big as some months but everyone that showed up had a great time visiting and talking about some of the things that we did in October. And I don't have a single picture to show you.

I do hope that everyone had a great Thanksgiving, visiting with family & friends and that you didn't eat any more than you needed or wanted...and now I want to welcome you to December...

Every year on the 1st Thursday of December the city of Newton has their Christmas parade and Steve Bockhaus enters GWRRA into the parade for any of us who would care to ride. All they ask is that you decorate your bike with lights and other stuff to delight the crowd. Steve also makes a big pot of chili & invites any and all who would like to come on up for a bowl...even if you do not want to ride in the parade. I'm not sure about the time...it might be 5:00 or sooner. You might ask Steve or Terri to get more information. Since I won't be able to join them I'm hoping someone will send me some information & pictures that I can include here in next month's newsletter

Next up is on the 7th @ Noon when Chapter F & P will be doing their Christmas party. We are all invited just remember to bring a side dish and if you want to join in on the gift exchange please remember to bring 1/man & 1/lady. It's in Cassoday @ the Community Bldg.

Say Happy Birthday to Dana Beranek on the 9th

December 13th @ 7:00pm our chapter is planning on attending the Cow town Victorian Christmas, where they show case the holiday traditions & customs from the Victorian era. (I understand there might even be hot chocolate & cookies) there is a price for this. Adults up to age 61 will be \$9; seniors age 62+ will be \$8, youth ages 12-17 \$7, children ages 5-11 \$6, and children age 4 and under is free. If you are members of Cow town, your cost is free.

The 22nd is Carla Butterfield's birthday so please remember to wish her a Happy Birthday

Christmas of course is on the 25th, please remember the reason for the season...and enjoy the time you spend with your friends & families.

And for those of you that will be around him on the 25...don't forget to say Happy Birthday to Bob Brown

I don't know anything else about what's going on in December so here's a little information about January.

On the 1st our chapter always does a ride & beer feed (although we eat other things too) I don't have all the details right now but the plan is to meet at some time that morning. For those who show up on their bike the rule is to ride at least as many miles for whatever the high temperature is for the day. And for some of those who show up they may end up traveling more miles to the meeting spot than they will travel on the ride. But who knows in Kansas...maybe it will be a warm day. After the ride is over we will do what Gold Wingers are good at...meet to eat. I'm sure that Chris & Michelle will have more details in the near future.

Don't forget the 12th is our monthly chapter meeting @ the Country Café @ 2804 South Seneca. The meeting starts @ 7:00 but please come early for a meal and/or to visit with the other members

The big event of the month will be on the 17th & 18th & it's the Mid-Winter Rally which will be at the Quality Inn in Arkansas City. Please see the newsletter for more information.

That's all I know for now so until the next time, remember to ride them not hide them (weather permitting)

Thank you
Mary Mazur,
Your Chapter A Newsletter editor





Chapter B – DeSoto



Meet 3rd Thursday every month in DeSoto at JT's Grill 7:00pm– Eat 6:00pm

Chapter Directors	Asst Chapter Director	Chapter Ride Coordinator	Chapter Treasurer	Chapter Editor
Joe & Pam Magnant 913-660-5176	Paula Aiken 785-842-8503	Gary Ohler 913-845-3946	Ed James 816-225-2679	Paula Aikens 785-842-8503

Chapter B is proud to have many members who have served in the military and provided help when called upon to protect our country and the freedoms we enjoy. November is the month when we choose to show our pride and express our thanks by participating in Veterans Day activities.



It was a smaller group of six bikes and eight members this year who ventured through the main streets of Ottawa, KS on November 9. The temperature was in the 30's when we started out and the wind was blowing, but that didn't stop the smiles and good times. Breakfast was enjoyed at the Old 56 Restaurant with a few extra non-parade riders and then it was off to get into line and wait for the pa-



rade to start. While we waited and visited with other parade participants, the temperature began to rise with the beautiful sunshine and by parade time, we were shredding a few layers. We compared our "goodies" trying to determine who had gotten the best bargains and whose bag was the heaviest while getting ready to share with the children along the route.

Fortunately, the Shriners' spitting camel was in front of us. Gary Ohler offered to go see if they would let me ride on it, and even though I was tempted, I passed on the opportunity. The parade route was filled with people cheering and clapping and with our flags waving, we celebrated our military and country.

Allen Robertson planned to continue the celebration of our veterans by leading the group again on November 11 in the Leavenworth Veterans Day parade. However, snow falling from the sky put a damper on participating this year. We'll hope for better weather next year and try again.

Chapter B events for December:

December 6 - Christmas Party

December 19 - Chapter Meeting

Merry Christmas,

Paula Aiken

Chapter C - Topeka

Meet 3rd Tuesday every month in Topeka at Perkins Restaurant 7:00pm– Eat at 6:00pm

Chapter Director	Asst Chapter Director	Chapter Ride Coordinator	Chapter Treasurer	Chapter Editor
Don & Brenda Williams 785-341-4211	John & Teresa Gull 785-266-6735	Bill Hanson 620-342-4388	Sandy Davis 785-691-7000	Don Williams 785-341-4211
Chapter Web Master John Gull		Chapter Individual of The Year Sandy Davis		

Well, here it is December. Almost time to get ready for Christmas. Where did the year go? This year just wasn't a good year for riding. We got very little riding in. The summer was just too hot. Not looking forward to the bad winter that has been rumored but we will deal with whatever comes along.

We held our planning meeting on November 3 at our house. We had good attendance and several new ideas for places to ride. Thanks to everyone that participated in that. Sandy brought her chili which was very good. Ken did his usual and brought cookies. That's everyone's favorite. Suzie brought cinnamon rolls. They were awesome. Funny story about that. At the monthly meeting where we talked about the planning meeting, I had said that everyone brings whatever they want. Suzie immediately rolled her eyes. I had to correct myself because I always sort of insist that she bring cinnamon rolls. We all laughed.

On the 5th, we had our monthly supper ride to Viking's in North Topeka. We always meet at 6:00. However, John called to tell them we were coming. They said they don't reserve tables and we might get there early since there was a game and they would be very busy. With that in mind, we got there at 5:00. We reserved what we thought was plenty room for everyone. Rick and Rita showed up shortly after so thanks guys. It was nice to have someone to visit with while we waited. We ended up added another table to our group so we had a great turnout. We had one motorcycle which came from Manhattan. We were glad to have Terry join us. The food was good and we had a great time. My entree was coconut shrimp and it was mighty tasty. It was actually an appetizer but that was enough for me.

We had the Veteran's Day parade in Leavenworth on our schedule but due to the bad weather, we decided to cancel that. Staying inside where it was warm was a lot better option. As it turned out, we absolutely could not have ridden.

Our monthly chapter meeting was held on November 19. We had 21 in attendance. As far as the safety topic for the meeting, Bill brought up the fact they E15 gas is being sold now and it cannot be used in our bikes/trikes and other things. So be careful and pay close attention when you are buying gas.

Don and Jan Schroeder from Chapter H were our guests. They came all the way from Philadelphia just to attend our meeting. Ok, so that is a little far-fetched. They were on their way home from a vacation and decided they could join us. We were very glad to have them. We discussed mid-winter with them and got their input on the information they had. We also discussed for a bit the state rally.

Dan and Jan won the large 50/50 and Ken and Arlene won the small one.

Birthdays

Anniversaries

December 27 - Rita Thompson

December 7 - Ken & Arlene Felch

December 14 - Jess & Louise Ellett

Ride safe,

John & Teresa Gull

Assistant Chapter Directors



Chapter F - El Dorado



Meet 4th Tuesday every month at Oil Hill Elementary School Brown bag at 6:00pm, meet 7:00pm

Chapter Directors	Chapter Treasurer	Chapter Ride Coordinator	Chapter MEC	Chapter Editor
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Chapter Couple				
Bob & Joan Warne				

Greetings from Kansas Chapter F!

Hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. We had company for the weekend and it was wonderful to get to visit. May you also have a very Merry Christmas!

Our meeting was on Tuesday, November 26, 2019. We had 13 members and 8 visitors from Chapters A, H, and P. We were glad to have our visitors and thank all of them for coming to our meeting!!

The meeting was called to order by Everett Chastain and Jack Schoeck led everyone in the Flag Salute.

Everett introduced Joe Gattenby, Assistant District Director. Joe advised that Mid-Winter Rendezvous would be January 16 through the 18th and this year the event will be held in Arkansas City. All the information is on the Website per Dale Tritsch. The cost of rooms is very reasonable this time around so be sure and get yourself registered! Joe also advised that each Chapter needs to bring door prizes to be given away. Contact Joe for the exact information on this subject.

Joe also advised that for Chapter A, there will be a New Year's Day ride. They will be meeting at 47th and Broadway at noon (12:00 pm). If you have additional questions, please contact Chapter A directly and they can help you out. There will be a meal at Joe and Debbie Gattenby's and they will serve White and Pinto Beans and Ham and also Chicken Noodle Soup.

Joe also advised the Kansas Chapter A would be attending the Victorian Christmas on December 13, 2019 at 7:00 pm at Cow town. If you need more information regarding this event, please call Michelle Grooms at (316) 993-0458 or text her at megrooms@cox.net.

Dale Tritsch announced that there is a Special Notice Page on the website and you can get information about events from that page.

Rick Stevens reported on the Summit that was held at the Greenwich Elementary School on Saturday, November 9, 2019. There were 21 people attending the events that day. He also advised there will be a Trike Course in the Kansas City area in 2020 and maybe in the Hutchinson area. Both of these events are being worked on at the present time. If you have questions, please call Rick or Carolyn Stevens. If a Medic First Aid course is needed, they can be taught by Steve and Terri Bockhous, Jack and Doris Schoeck or Bill Tucker.

Jack Schoeck, KS F Ride Coordinator, brought a helmet and gave a talk on protecting your head by wearing a helmet. The helmet he had was what he was wearing many years ago and had an accident where he was unconscious for 24-36 hours. The helmet was marked with x's where it broke when he hit the ground from his motorcycle. He gave a very informative talk.

Everett announced that the Birthdays for the following month are: Bob Warne, November 29th and Dennis Kramer on December 3rd. There were no anniversaries.

Dale Tritsch advised that Kansas Chapter H would have their Christmas Party on Sunday, December 15, 2019. It will cost \$14.00 per person and will be catered in for all. Please let them know if you are attending so there will be enough food for all. Also if you want to participate in the gift exchange, please bring a \$5.00 gift for each person attending. All this information is on their website if you need to check for further information.

Kansas Chapter P will be having a Sweetheart Supper in February, 2020. It will be held at their meeting place at the Church in Derby, Kansas. They will start at 6:00 pm. More information will be forthcoming.

Everett announced that the Christmas Party for Chapter F and Chapter P will be on Saturday, December 7, 2019 at 12:00 noon, at the Community Building in Cassoday, Kansas. Meat and Drinks will be provided. Please bring a Covered Dish and if you want to participate in the Christmas gift exchange, bring a Gift for that event.

Everett also announced that he and Carol would be stepping down from being Chapter Directors at the end of 2019. Rick and Brenda Kistler will be taking that position beginning January 1, 2020. We want to thank Everett and Carol for all they have done for our Chapter!!! They have done an excellent job and have held that position for 4 ½ years. From all of us at Chapter F we say a BIG THANK YOU TO THEM!!!

The 50/50 was won by: Bob Warne - \$15.00 and Sharon Webster - \$15.00. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Desserts were provided by Doris and Jack Schoeck,

The meeting was adjourned.

Submitted By,

Doris Schoeck, Newsletter Editor

KS-H Newsletter

Next Chapter gathering is
our Christmas Party!

Sunday

December 15, 2019

2:00 p.m. at

Royals Bar & Banquet

1514 E. 4th
Hutchinson, KS



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*Merry
December*



Due to weather and the holidays there has not been much going on for us in November. We had a good meeting in November and Don Schroeder did a presentation on winterizing our rides.

The weather turned out great for the Reno County Toy Run and seven of our KS-H members rode and then made our way to Wendy's for some grub.

We still may have a good day or two for riding, but 4 wheels work just as well, especially when things are happening and we want to be there regardless of the weather.

Ann Whithorn will be the new District Newsletter Editor of the Kansas Winger beginning in 2020. Be sure to encourage her and give her your support. We thank Bill Tucker for doing this for our District in the past. Be sure to thank Bill for his service and wish him well in his new endeavors.

Going away in January 2020 will be the Chapter H Facebook and I will no longer be an administrator in GroupWorks. I do not know if GroupWorks will go away, but there will not be posts or updates from me. Most members have found that using e-mail as we have in the past works best for reaching everyone. Don Schroeder will have information for you on that.

Georgeanna and I want to thank all of you for staying with us during our time as Chapter Directors. We have enjoyed it and are looking forward to being just another face in the crowd. We have some other commitments coming up and decided it is time to turn over Chapter H leadership to someone else. We are very glad that Don Schroeder has decided to step up and be the Chapter Director beginning in January. We look forward to his success and with all of us helping, he is assured to do well. Please be sure to contact Don with any new information concerning rides, events, birthdays, anniversaries, etc.

Your humble servants,
Dale & Georgeanna



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



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

**CHAPTER H GATHERINGS
ARE MOVING
TO A NEW LOCATION!**

BEGINNING JANUARY 11, 2020

WE WILL BE GETTING TOGETHER AT

**APPLEWOODS
1515 S. MAIN
HUTCHINSON, KANSAS
(JUST SOUTH OF HWY 50 AT THE
SOUTH HUTCHINSON / K96 EXIT)**

**DINNER AT 6:00 PM
MEETING AT 7:00 PM**



- December 13 KS-A Victorian Christmas 7pm at Old Cowtown, Wichita
- December 15 KS-H Christmas Party at the Royals Bar & Banquet, 1514 E 4th, Hutchinson
- January 11 KS-H birthday party and 2020 kickoff meeting at Applewood Grill in S. Hutchinson
- January 17 - 18 Mid-Winter Rendezvous! "Winter in the Heartland" Quality Inn, 3232 N. Summit, Arkansas City, KS
<https://gwrraks.com/mid-winter-rendezvous>
- February 8 Regular gathering at Applewood Grill with special guest speaker, Dan Erb from Dan's cycle.

Check out all of the happenings in Kansas at <https://gwrraks.com/>

Come join our merry group of GWRRA enthusiasts and find out what we are all about!

We generally meet on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 7:00 PM.

We draw one membership number which is hidden somewhere in the newsletter. If the member it belongs to spots it and is present at the next meeting, he or she wins \$5!! Or another way to win yourself some cold hard cash and help out our Chapter is to participate in the 50/50 drawing! 10 tickets for \$5!

COME ON! JOIN THE FUN!



Jan and Don attended the KS-C meeting and won the 50/50! I guess you could say it *"pays"* to go to Chapter meetings wherever they are!

Congratulations Jan!



Fun at the
Reno County Toy Run
November 24, 2019





CHAPTER P DECEMBER NEWSLETTER



Meeting Night - No meeting this month.

Everyone enjoy the holiday with your family

Some of the gang at Wizard Oz Museum in Liberal Kan



November 12th... Chapter P had our monthly meeting; we provided Fried Chicken and everyone who attended brought side dishes.. Around 20 were in attendance.

Chapter P had breakfast ride on November 23rd to Auntie Cs in Park City



Chapter F and P Christmas Party
Cassoday Community Building
133 S Washington
Cassoday, Kansas
Saturday December 7th
12:00 Noon



Turkey and Ham Provided along with coffee, tea, and water.

Everyone bring a side dish.

Bring a gift to exchange, Man for man and Lady for lady

Come Join the party and let's have some fun

December Birthdays-None

December Anniversaries-David & Theresa McDonald

December 10th 2 year Anniversary

David & Theresa McDonald
Chapter P Directors



GWRRA - CHAPTER P SWEETHEART DINNER

DATE: FEBRUARY 8, 2020

**PLACE: DERBY CHURCH OF CHRIST
225 N DERBY ST.**

TIME: 6:00 PM

**COST : \$25.00 PER COUPLE
\$12.50 SINGLE**

MENU:

HAM, BRISKE, BAKED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS
SALAD W/DRESSINGS, ROLLS, DESSERTS, DRINKS - WA-
TER, LEMONADE, ICE TEA



PLEASE RSVP TO: Kathy Chesnut @ 316-214-1994 or
Kathy@berexco.com or
culkath@aol.com By January 24th, 2020



Chapter Q – Winfield



Meet the 1st Thursday every month Bose Hog BBQ, 314 W 8th, Eat 6:30pm– Meet 7pm

Senior Chapter Directors	Asst Chapter Directors	Chapter Ride Coordinators	Chapter MEC	Chapter Treasurer
Jack & Teresa Kistler 620-782-3700	Duane & Vicki Kalous 316-633-0982	Bill & Sheila Tucker 316-777-1052	Judy Eggleston 620-705-1953	Sheila Tucker 316-777-1052

Kansas Chapter “Q” December Newsletter

We hope that everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving.

As we move on this holiday season, please take the time to remember those who serve our country that won't be home with their families. It's because of them, that all of us are free to spend time with our families.

FROM OUR FAMILY TO YOURS WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS.

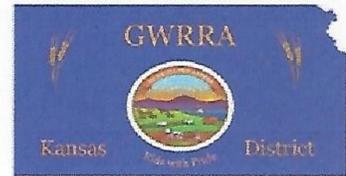
Our December birthday is Jack Kistler on the 7th and our anniversaries are Tom & Karen Sweet on the 23rd and Bill & Sheila Tucker on the 27th. Congrats!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

Until the next time,
Teresa Kistler



Kansas



Mid-Winter Rendezvous

January 17-18, 2020

Theme "Winter in the Heartland"

Quality Inn

3232 North Summit Arkansas City, Kansas

Call 1-620-442-7700 for Room Reservations NLT January

3rd. \$49.00 +tax King Bed + tax or

\$59.00 2 Queen Beds + tax

Ask for "KS Gold Wing Road Riders" Rooms

Rendezvous Activities

Some Old, Some New, All FUN

Medallion Hunt - District Couple Selection - Black Jack -
Bingo - Dessert Dance - Free Popcorn - Swap Meet
Fifty/Fifty (Friday & Saturday) - Baseball Game - A Minute
to Win it Games!

Visit www.gwrraks.org for Registration
Form

Have FUN! Participate!



**KANSAS
MID-WINTER RENDEZVOUS XXIX
January 17-18, 2020
Arkansas City Kansas**

Winter In The Heartland

Quality Inn,
3232 North Summit
Arkansas City, Kansas
620-442-7700

Rooms blocked until January 3rd, 2020

(\$49.00 King Bed) + tax (\$59.00 2 Queen Beds) + Tax

Ask for "KS Gold Wing Road Rider" rooms

'Couple of the Year Selection' 'Musical Dessert Dance' 'Crafts' 'Baseball Game' '50/50 Drawing
Friday & Saturday' 'Medallion Hunt' 'Puzzles' 'Seminars'
'Black Jack' 'Bingo' "Table Games" 'Free Popcorn' 'Swap Meet'
'Minute Too Win It' 'Snowman' is available for Picture.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION (Please Print)

Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Email _____

Co-Rider _____ GWRRA# _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Arrival Day Friday ___ Saturday ___ Your Chapter _____ Your District _____

Registration Fee: \$30.00 per person

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.

Rider Signature _____ Date _____

Co-Rider Signature _____ Date _____

Make checks payable to: **Kansas District GWRRA**. Mail to: Judy Eggleston, District Treasurer, 520 Emery, Mulvane KS 67110

Need More Information? Contact Joe or Debbie Gattenby, KS District Directors at (Joe) 316-644-3066 or Debbie 316-648-5172.

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From the Kansas Winger Editor and Publishers, Bill & Sheila Tucker.

Sheila & I would like to take this time to thank all that made the Kansas Winger what it is. Those that took time to send pictures and articles to us through their Chapter Editor. And of course the Chapter Editors. It was fun working with you these seven years. Without you there would not be a Kansas Winger. We thank you and wish you a very merry Christmas and a safe & prosperous 20/20 and beyond.

This is the last Kansas Winger we will be putting together and it is my (Bill) last staff or officers position I have left.

We have enjoyed our volunteer time we have given to GWRRA since 1991, but it is time to move on.

As most of you know we accepted the position of Kansas State Director of the "Good Sam RV Club". We signed up for a two year term. There will be a lot of travel in our RV so we won't be attending very many GWRRA events in 20/20 & 2021. But we will be thinking about you.

We still have two position in our chapter Q, not sure how long?

Keep your riding skills honed after the winter months pass on. How? Enroll in a MSF/TRC/TC course that Rider Education will be providing next year. I plan on keeping my teaching certifications up so I can help Bob Brown and Rick Stevens. Also, PLEASE keep your skills up to date by taking the life saving class Medic First Aid. It is for everyone, not just for the one's that have chosen to be in the levels program.

There I am, on my soap box again. Sorry. Rider Ed has been my life in GWRRA since 1991 and I cannot break my habits.

Closing as always. "PRACTICE MAKES PERMENANT! YOU ARE WHAT YOU PRACTICE". So do it right. Get the correct training from you Rider Education Team.

One more thought. I say this in every class I present. "Predict the worse to get the best results". I got this from my very good friend and MSF Instructor Terry Welden. Think about it. It could safe you from serious injury or death.

Thanks again for your support during our 20 plus years of serving you.

Bill & Sheila Tucker