



KS~H
NEWSLETTER

Join us at our next gathering
on

August 15, 2022

at the
Blue Dragon Room
HCC Student Union
14th and Plum
Hutchinson, Kansas

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Events of the past month are still evolving. We recently received information about another possible start-up organization. Currently proposed are the 'Eagle Wings Motorcycle Association' and the newest is 'Wing'd Rider'. Please read the information sent out on the emails to keep up with what is happening and to decide if we want to become part of either organization. Neither group says what dues may cost, but Wing'd Rider is offering a magazine similar to 'Wing World'.

Ann has agreed to continue the newsletter at this time, and the 50-50 and member newsletter number will continue, although we may need to use birthdays or some other identification. We certainly appreciate Ann taking care of the newsletter as she does a really great job!

I hear rumors that Honda is discontinuing Gold Wing motorcycle production. The Japanese market may be shutting down due to pollution concerns, but from everything I have read and heard, it appears more likely Honda will slim down the models offered but continue production. One comment was that Honda may only offer the DCT, which makes sense as 90% of the 2018 and later models are DCT. Also, they may only offer the Tour model as the bagger model sales are fewer. The push at this time is for EV (electric vehicle) models, including motorcycles. Harley already has an EV model, so Honda may need to join the bandwagon. Time will tell.

Lots of changing going on, but we can still enjoy riding anyway. Thank you all again for your support and encouragement.

Hang in there!
Don & Jan Schroeder
KS-H Chapter Directors



THE PIERSON'S REPORT

July 18, 2022 was a gathering of the minds regarding the demise of GWRRA and what's to become of our Chapter. We had 26 KS-H members present and all had a comment, opinion or a suggestion.

Don Schroeder discussed the 21 GWRRA Transition frequently asked questions; and Daryl Regnier discussed the ins and outs of the financial situation. Ultimately it was decided that we should take time to mull things over and, at this time, no decisions needed immediate attention.

Jan Schroeder then passed around our Lady Liberty book so we could indicate which statues we visited recently. The book will be displayed at the Kansas Rally in September.

Until next month, Stay safe out there!
Dennis Pierson, Asst Chapter Director



Congratulations!



August Birthdays

10 Denise Clayton
13 Don Gray
16 Kelly Bush
23 Edith Pierson

August Anniversaries

25th Steve & Denise Clayton



Upcoming

EVENTS

**AUGUST
SEPTEMBER
2022**

August 5 - 1st Friday. Movie Night with dinner and a tour of the Fox Theater.

5:00 p.m. Dinner at Hickory Stik, 25 N. Main, Hutchinson

6:30 p.m. Tour of the Fox Theater, 18 East 1st Ave, Hutchinson. Starts in the lobby. \$3 each.

7:30 p.m. Movie starts. \$5 each. (Movie title is announced 5-7 days before showing and is a more recent "2nd run" show, not the "Classic" series)

RSVP by August 3rd to kansaschapterh@gmail.com or text to 620-727-7789

August 15 - KS-H gathering, Blue Dragon Room, Student Union on HCC campus, SE corner 14th & Plum. Cafeteria/Buffer across from the Dragon Room from 5:00 p.m. We will share what we know about updates on the status of the Kansas district and motorcycle groups being formed. AND!!! Steve & Denise Clayton will be sharing their adventures on the Cody-Cade ride experience!

September 2 - 1st Friday Ride - TBD

September 3 - Saturday breakfast ride to Stearman's hosted by Chuck & Kathy Schmidt.

8:10 a.m. Helmet time at Pilate (Newel's) Truck Stop in Newton. **BE THERE BY 8:00 A.M.!!**

RSVP by September 1st to Kathy at cdkfschmidt@hotmail.com or text 620-480-9685

Sept 9-10- Kansas District Rally, Independence, KS <https://gwrraks.com/kansas-district-rally>

We are having the Rally! So get signed up and join the fun!!!! Get your registration mailed by July 31st and hotel booked before the good rooms are all taken. Info and registration form at the back of this newsletter or at the link above. **Rooms are blocked at the Appletree Inn (620-331-5500) at a reduced rate until August 27th.** There will be 2 guided rides. Friday dinner ride and Saturday morning ride to Dalton Gang Museum and Statue of Liberty ride. We'll be back in time for lunch which is provided! Plenty of games, a swap meet and line dancing with our own Ann & Jeff Whithorn!

September 17 - Evel Knievel Museum (before it moves to Las Vegas) 9:00 a.m. Helmet time at Love's in McPherson, then head to Highway 15 to meet the Salina folks at the intersection of Highway 15 and Highway 4 (about 45 minutes). We will enjoy Highway 4 until 1-70 for a short distance, then South to 2047 SW Topeka Blvd. \$15 adults, \$12 Seniors and military. Evil Knievel Café is serving BBQ that day at a cost of \$12-\$15. RSVP by August 31 to kansaschapterh@gmail.com or text 620-727-7789.

September 19 - KS-H gathering at the Blue Dragon Room, Student Union on HCC campus, SE corner 14th & Plum. Cafeteria/Buffer across from the Dragon Room from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

**We want to ride more so don't be shy!
Share an idea and date for a future ride or a short notice ride
Text your ideas to 620-727-7789 and include your name!**

**Watch your email for short notice rides, including some to the
Mini Statue of Liberty locations!!!!**





COME RIDE ALONG!
TO CHECK OUT THE EVEL KNIEVEL MUSEUM
(before it moves to Las Vegas!)

WHEN: September 17, 2022

HELMET TIME: 9:00 a.m. at Love's in McPherson, we will head to Highway 15 to meet the Salina folks at the intersection of Highway 15 and Highway 4 (about 45 minutes).

We will enjoy riding up Highway 4 until we reach I-70 for a short distance, then South to 2047 SW Topeka Blvd.

COST: \$15 adults, \$12 Seniors and military.

FOOD: Evel Knievel Café is serving BBQ that day at a cost of \$12-\$15.

RSVP by AUGUST 31 to kansaschapterh@gmail.com or text 620-727-7789





WING DING43

***Kansas was in charge of the spectacular
Light Show presentation at
Wing Ding 43 in Shreveport, Louisiana.***



ALOHA from Kansas !

*2022 Kansas District Rally
September 9 - 10, 2022*



*Join us at the
Independence Civic Center
410 North Penn Ave,
Independence, Kansas*

HOTEL INFORMATION:

APPLETREE INN PHONE: (620) 331-5500

201 N.8TH - INDEPENDENCE, KS 67301

KING BED ROOM \$65 + TAX - 2 QUEEN BED ROOM \$75 +TAX

(HOTEL HAS AN ELEVATOR)

RESERVE NOW ! ROOMS BLOCKED UNTIL AUGUST 27TH

Information may be subject to change and
we will do our best to keep you advised

Gold Wing Road Riders Association

2022 KANSAS DISTRICT RALLY

“Aloha from Kansas”

September 9 - 10, 2022

In dependence, Kansas

Host Motel:

Appletree Inn
201 N. 8th Street
Independence, KS 67301

Rooms blocked until August 27, 2022

Room Rate: King \$65 + tax 2 Queen Beds \$75+ tax

Call for Reservations: (620) 331-5500

Please Print

Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Age _____ (optional)

Co-Rider: _____ GWRRA # _____ Age _____ (optional)

Address: _____ City _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Your Chapter _____ Your District _____ Miles to Rally (if riding) _____

Grand Prize drawings will be Saturday evening during the closing ceremony

50/50 Drawings on Friday and Saturday evening

	QTY	PRICE	TOTAL
GWRRRA Life Member	_____	\$25.00	_____
GWRRRA Member	_____	\$30.00	_____
Non GWRRRA Member	_____	\$35.00	_____
One Day Pass Member	_____	\$15.00	_____
One Day Pass Non Member	_____	\$20.00	_____
District Director	_____	Free	_____
District COY/IOY	_____	\$15.00	_____

Master Level IV # _____ # _____

Are you an Officer in GWRRRA (any level)? Your title _____

Are you a current “Couple of the Year”? Chapter _____ District _____

I/we agree to hold harmless GWRRRA, Kansas District GWRRRA, any co-sponsoring organizations and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property by reason of participation 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 **GWRRRA Kansas** and mail with registration to:
Carolyn Stevens, District Treasurer, 6410 Aberdeen Street, Wichita, KS 67206.

For additional information contact Kathy or Denny Chesnut at culkath@gmail.com or flitcrew@aol.com