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February 2020

Our next Gathering for Chapter NC-M2 is Saturday, February 15th, 2020

#### 2530 Chimney Rock Road Hendersonville GOLDEN CORRAL

We have breakfast at 9 am and meet at 9:30 am. Don't forget to wear some red!!! Hope to see you there!





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#### **Chapter Director's Greetings**



Chapter M2

February 2020

**By Dale Yager** 



At our last gathering, Bob Topper was sworn in as our new MEC and Ken Weglarz agreed to be in charge of our Cooks Night Out. We gave out the Chapter clothing to almost everyone that had ordered it and we have a few spares for sale as well.

Last weekend, Bob Topper, Rusti Boykin, Frank Pizzardi and I went to the District Ops meeting in Greensboro to help us all understand our jobs. This was a first for both Bob and Frank. We did a lot of brainstorming on the trip out, after dinner Friday night and on the trip back home. We are looking to grow and have talked about several ways to do it as well as making sure the members we do have renew and stay with us. As with any ideas, we need help to take them from an idea to actually happening.

For those that participate in the levels program, your First Aid/CPR classes are about to expire from 2 years ago. Frank is currently working with District to set up a class this year. Whether you participate in the levels program or not this is still great knowledge to have.

We had our first tour meeting last month which produced a lot of good ideas. On February 8<sup>th</sup> we will be meeting again at Frank's house so we can set dates for rides. If you did not make the first meeting you are still welcome to the second.

Like last year we will be giving out a free NC motorcycle inspection at Schroader's Honda when you attend 3 meetings. We started counting meetings in November and will be giving some out at the February gathering.

Last month I asked to have pictures for a picture board. Please plan to bring what you have to the February gathering.

Our mission for next year is still to bring in new members and to have more fun. It is up to each of you to continue to promote who we are and what we do. As we talk it up, maybe we'll get a new member or two. We gave out packets last year to keep in your bike and car to promote us. If you need more or did not get one, please ask for them.

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## M2 Happenings in January











Well first I would like to say once more, thank you for the support you all have shown me during my time of loss of Dianne, it helped me through some of the rough times that I was going through.

On January 25, I was at an Officer's Meeting for GWRRA, in Greensboro with Dale, Rusty and Bob Topper, we had fun driving up and driving back, especially at everyone's expense, all in fun. The conference was interesting and informative, I know that Bob and I got some new information and ideas out of it. In the Riders Meeting, I was informed that they were going to consider more safety classes, talked about having a weekend retreat for Riders Coordinators, the purpose to discuss new safety tips and brainstorming ideas to better each chapter. As that comes to light I will pass on the information.

Talking about safety classes, I am looking into having a CPR/First Aid class. We are now in the process of putting it together, if anyone has a place in mind, please let me know. At this time, I am trying to secure my place of work, no answer at this time, when I do find out, will inform all of time and place.

On February 8<sup>th</sup>, a group of us are meeting to put together chapter rides, such as after meeting rides, overnight rides, long or short rides. What I would like from all is input or ideas for rides, please let me know, you can write to me at <u>fpizzardi64@gmail.com</u>. Or come to the meeting at my house in Haywood Knolls, 105 Harmony Drive, Hendersonville on the 8th at 6:30 pm.

I would like to say, MC-2 is a strong group and it is not going to disband in any way. I was talking to Tony at the Officer's Meeting and he informed me that our numbers are looking real good, and that's a good sign for our chapter. The officers will meet quarterly, to brainstorm and come up with new and different ideas for our chapter.

Again, if anyone has ideas or suggestion, please email them to me.



Frank Pizzardi

From the Top Reflections of the Membership Enhancement Coordinator





And we're off. Our first gathering of the year is in the books and, in case you missed it, I was sworn in as the Chapter Membership Enhancement Coordinator by our District Assistant Director Clyde Alexander. Thank you, Clyde, and to Dale and the rest of our chapter, I look forward to working and having some fun with ALL of you!

Immediately following our gathering most attendees stuck around to share ideas and information regarding the upcoming ride season. If you have any suggestions on where and when you'd like to ride, it's not too late to share your ideas. The more the merrier! Remember, we'd rather have too many options than not enough to fill our calendar. Look for Frank's article and elsewhere in the newsletter for additional meeting times.

Speaking of rides, we enjoyed a wonderful lunch at Binion's in Hendersonville, followed by our, now annual, Icycle Ride on January 1<sup>st</sup>. The weather was actually very nice, and we enjoyed a ride up to Jump Off Rock, where we could see clearly for miles, and toasted to the New Year with some sparkling cider. Thanks to Ken & Karen for putting it all together.

Also in January, I attended my first District Operations meeting, along with Dale, Rusti, and Frank. This was an opportunity to meet and visit with GWRRA Chapter and District Officers from all over the state of North Carolina, and to hear what's happening in other areas.

Be sure to wear RED to our Chapter Gathering on February 15<sup>th</sup>! I hope to see you there.

Go 9ers!

Bob Topper M2 MEC



March 21st	NC-H2	Durham Swap Meet
April 25th	NC-Z	Rocky Mount Blessing of the Bikes
May 16th	Bike for the	e Blue—Jimmy Case Memorial Ride Asheville
June 30-July 4	Wing	g Ding Springfield, MO
Sept. 24-26	Wing	gs Over the Smokies Haywood County Fairgrounds
Dec. 5th	Gifts	on Cycles J Iverson Riddle Developmental Ctr.
Dec. 12th	M2 (	Christmas Party Bay Breeze Seafood Restaurant



## BIKE NIGHT

## DURING MUSIC ON MAIN



7pm -9 pm



## HENDERSONVILLE

Friday June 19th Friday July 10th Friday July 24th Friday August 7th

## Save the Dates

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### More Happenings In January







Frank is M2's caregiver for this month!



Bob Topper installed as our new Membership Enhancement Coordinator by A.D.D. Clyde Alexander



Jerry is mighty happy to be awarded the Wing Nut Award!



**February Birthdays** 

2nd Xiao Gardner

27th Michelle Yager

**GWRRA** Anniversaries

None this month



February Anniversaries

None this Month

Look in the newsletter for your GWRRA number. If you see it.... let Michelle know at our next meeting and you will receive **Six** 50/50 tickets.



Winners January

<u>Chapter Pride</u> Ken Weglarz

<u>50/50</u> Jerry Boykin

<u>Ride Pots</u> Michelle Yager Bob Topper Rusti Boykin Michelle Yager

<u>M2 Caretaker for the Month</u> Frank Pizzardi Let Michelle know if it's your Birthday or Anniversary for an extra 50/50 ticket!

## WING NUT AWARD

Jerry Boykin



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#### **MEMBER'S INFORMATION**

"COOK'S NITE OUT"



## February 6, 2020

Place:

Moose Café 570 Brevard Road Asheville

<u>Time:</u>

6:30 pm

If you plan on going Please RSVP to newlarz@ yahoo.com by Wednesday at noon This is YOUR newsletter. If you attend any of the Chapter events, please take a few minutes to email some tidbits about the event and a picture or two...to newlarz@yahoo.com Don't worry about composition...your Editor will paste the words together.

Not everyone can be at ALL events and your sharedexperiences may make those that didn't attend; wish they had! Newsletter deadline: 28th of each month!

#### **Member Wellness**

Mark Quinn Victor Montgomery





# February 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	тни	FRI	SAT
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2	3	4	5	<b>6 CNO</b> Moose Café Asheville 6:30pm	7	8 Tour Meeting 6:30pm Frank Pizzardi's 105 Harmony Dr Hendersonville
9	10	11	12	13	14 Happy Valentines Day	15 M2 Eat 9am Meet 9:30am
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 Ash Wednesday	27	28	29

# March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3		5 CNO Dugan's Pub Brevard 6:30	6	7
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## <u>Chapters of the West Information</u>

<u>Chapter</u>	Place	Time	DP.
NC-G2 Waynesville 1st Sat.	Snappy's Restaurant 2769 Soco Road Maggie Valley	eat@3, meet @4	no
NC-I Asheville 4th Sat.	Ryans Steakhouse 1000 Brevard Road Asheville, NC	<b>NEW</b> eat@9, meet@ 10	yes
NC-L2 Mooresville 2nd Sat.	Johnny K's Family Rest 421 N Generals Blvd Lincolnton, NC	aurant eat@9, meet@10	no
NC-O2 Hickory 3rd Sun.	Dos Amigo's Hwy 70 SE (exit 128 of Conover, NC	eat@5, meet@6 ff I-40)	no
NC-X2 Wilkesboro 2nd Sat.	Cagney's Kitchen 1200 Central St. Wilkesboro, NC	eat@1, meet@2	no
NC-Y Morganton 4th Sat.	Granny's Kitchen 3448 Miller Bridge Rd. Morganton, NC	eat@6, meet@7 .(I-40 exit 116)	no
	"Let's Go Vis	sit!"	
Ke The <u>WING</u>	ep your eyes and ea <u>NUT AWARD</u> is alw	vays up for grabs!!!!!	

### Chapter NC-M2 Web Site Check it out: http://gwrrancm2.org

We have launched a Facebook Group open to all **GWRRA** members! Check it out at: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/587996265048173/</u>

Also visit our Facebook site: **Hendersonville Goldwings–Chapter M2**. Everyone can post pictures & comments there.



Happy Valentine's Day

from Your Friends at Chapter NC-M2

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