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Next Chapter Meeting September 1, 2009





" Lexington,NC "

September, 2009

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Randy Dezarn

Charity Golf Tourney a Success!

I was not able to attend the tournament but I understand it was a great success! I can't wait to hear how much money the event brought in. I'm also looking forward to the day when we can deliver the new wheelchair to Christine. I want to thank all the folks that had a hand in putting on the tournament.

This was not an easy task to pull off. A lot of time and hard work was put into this event to bring it all together.

There are only a few more weeks until Wings Over the Smokies. It will be exciting to see all the new buildings at the fairgrounds. We'll be working in air conditioned comfort this year! And our own couple, Bill and Deidre will be competing for the District Couple of the Year. I feel they have an excellent chance to win!

Until next time,

Randy D.





We're going to Wings over the Smokies. Hope you are coming, too.

2009 Wings Over The Smokies







Hello Folks,

Its almost time for our Wings Over the Smokies Rally and we need your assistance. <u>Time has come to turn in</u> your Silver wing Ticket stubs and money to Randy so he can get them to Andrew & Vickie Butcher.

Please bring the ticket stubs and money for the Silver Wing Ticket Raffle to the September chapter meeting. Andrew & Vickie will be at our September meeting to collect the stubs and money. It is very important that we get these items turned in before the rally and this will be our last chapter meeting before the rally.

Thank you for all your work and efforts getting these tickets sold as these sales will be the <u>backbone</u> for the support to the chapters this coming year from the District. We are only accepting ticket stubs and money , if you have not sold your tickets , get er done. The chapter your ticket sales supports may be your own.

Bernie Motley NC A2 Newsletter Editor NC District Newsletter Editor NC District Silver Wing Ticket Coordinator



The Tech Guy Tim Pennington



This months Tech Tip is part two on the Battery Bug Battery Monitor. Several people on the Message Board are praising this product and how it would prevent problems they have experienced. In the September issue of Rider Magazine the author, Eric Trow of the Riding Well article told of his son riding dad's Kawasaki back to college.

Eric received a call from his son that the bike had stranded him on a deserted road just as the cell phone goes as dead as the motorcycles battery. Another great example of a situation that this monitor would have prevented! I plan to purchase and install one.







Two Up = Heads Up

The person who occupies the back seat of a motorcycle has previously been called a passenger. Now they're called co-riders, and it isn't simply to be politically correct. The word passenger suggests a person who has no responsibility for the operation of the machine; one who is simply along for the ride. While the person on the back may have more freedom to enjoy the scenery without worrying about the technical part of the ride, they still share some of the responsibilities for the safe operation of the motorcycle.

Tempting as it may be, the co-rider should not bury themselves in a book, or take a nap. An unaware co-rider is of no help and may even be an additional danger, if the rider has to brake or swerve suddenly. Their reflex actions (such as to grab the rider suddenly or to lean away) may be exactly the wrong ones.

While it is always preferable that the co-rider has had a motorcycle safety course, even the normal street skills used in everyday driving will help in spotting and reacting to hazards. A good co-rider will know how the rider normally reacts and should be ready to help in that effort. If the rider does not show that reaction, the co-rider should speak up. An experienced co-rider knows when it's OK to move around, and will let the rider know when they will make a move, such as scratching an ankle, that may have an effect on the balance of the bike

The rider has a responsibility to communicate with their co-rider. They should let them know when a nasty bump is coming or if they want to counterweight a turn. They should inform the co-rider when hard-line braking will be necessary. This way the co-rider can prepare themselves by holding the grab rails and bracing their feet so that they won't slide forward, banging helmets and pushing the rider onto the tank.

Two-up riding is a team sport. That means working together to make the ride fun and safe for both.

Ride Safe, Gerry



Co - rider



Chapter A2 COUPLE OF THE YEAR





Bill & Deidre Sprinkle

Greetings from your Chapter Couple,

First of all, THE GOLF TOURNAMENT WAS A BIG SUCCESS!!!!!! We want to thank each of you for your participation. The desserts were wonderful. Everyone who participated had a good time, and except for mother nature throwing us a curve ball, the day went off without a hitch. Our own Gerry Grotberg and Sonny Dye who were members of Jim Simpson's team won a flight. Congratulations!!! We will be presenting some more money to Horizon at our September meeting.

Our next project for Christine is to sale chances for the Standard size Quilt Bernie Motley's mother made and generously donated. We will be selling chances for \$5.00 a piece and we will draw for the quilt at our December meeting.

Thank you to the members who came out to the Greensboro meeting to represent our chapter. Greensboro donated \$2,225.00 to Horizon and we gave them another \$2,900.00. We will announce our grand total to date at our September meeting.

Please do not forget your canned goods for the Senior Pantry. Our chapter has been very generous and they are very appreciative of our donations. As fall approaches and the seasons begin to change, we need to continue to remember those in need.

Please have a safe trip to WOS and until next time,

Safe Riding.

Bill and Deidre

PS Couples competition will be onsite this year. It'll be Friday morning in the log building down in the lower right of the venue. I think I heard someone say 9:00 AM. I believe the log building is called Heritage Building. Dottie



Our Sincere Thanks to Gerry Grotberg, and Sonny Dye for participating In the 2009 GWRRA Central Couples Tournament at Southwick Country Club in Graham NC on August 22nd in Honor of Christine .

With Help from Jim Simpson of Chapter B2 and Ray Griffith, former CD of Chapter G, this 4 member team won their flight of the Gold tournament and brought home the trophy.

WELL DONE GUYS !!

Thank you so much to Debbie, Edna, Robin, Ruby, Cathy, Betty, Lynn, and Dottie for baking desserts for the golf tournament.

A Big Thank You to the Couples in the Central Area who helped with the Golf Tournament. Thanks to all the chapters who helped. A Big Thank You to Greensboro for their contribution of over \$1,225.00 to Christine's Wheelchair, & Wallmart donated \$1000.00. Christine is a resident of Horizens Residential Home Care in Rural Hall

Christine Fundraisers:	Greensboro's Yard Sale	June 6	
	Central Couples Golf Tournament	August 22	
Wheelchair	High Point is doing goody bags, other chapters are donating fo		
	Burlington helped the couples with the g	olf tournament	
\$ 8,000 to 10,000	Lexington's Monthly Raffles and gifts to		
. , ,	Valentines, Easter, Birthday, & Christmas		
	Durham is selling desserts at their month		
	Bernie's mom donated a full size quilt	, ,	
	Earl Locklear's family ask that all memori	als go to Christine	

Christine's Birthday is September 14th

Christine's Raffle	Randy's Mom-CakeRuby Pennington-CakeDottie Motley-AfghanBetty Dye-CakeLynn Nicholson-CakeBill & Deidre-Dewey's Gift BasketSteve & Robin-BBQ tool setBernie's mom-lap quiltGerry & Peggy-Lynn Nicholson-Dottie Motley-AfghanTotal-\$ 522.94	





Built -Rite Trailer : 18 cubic ft. New Candy Apple Red Paint -Painted in 2008 In good shape , selling because owner needs bigger trailer Spare Tire with Chrome wheel, ice cooler with leather cover, must see to appreciate Selling for \$2,000.00 Contact Nick or Janet Hamrick/ Chapter Y/ Morganton, NC (H) 704-873-1645 (Cell) 704-682-8710







A note from our August meeting



Members-- 23

Visitors-- 16

 Vest Drawing
 \$ 5.00

 50/50 Drawing
 \$

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 \$

AC Pennington Kathy Miller - Hospice Dan Clayton - B2 Winston Wings





Wing Ding 32

July 2,3,4,5 – 2010 Des Moines, Iowa www.Wing-Ding.org



Please read the Wing World magazine for more details



"RIDE CALENDAR"

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	<mark>September Rides</mark> Sonny & Betty Dye	
September 12th	Round Robin - Breakfast Ride through Country Hot Dogs & Hamburgers- RSVP- Betty Dye Late afternoon	Sonny and Betty's House 9:00 Bernie & Dottie's House ??????
September 18th	Millers Restaurant in Mocksville	Leave Lexington Center 6:45
September 19th	Salisbury Chapter M -Day Rally Spencer Transportation Museum 9:00 til 3:00	Leave Lexington Center 8:30
September 24 - 26th	Wings over the Smokies Fletcher, NC	ТВА

October Rides Gerry & Peggy Grotberg			
October 3	Shirley's	Leave Lexington Center 10:00	
October 10	Parkway Ride to see the colors	ТВА	
	NC-M Salisbury Blue Bay Seafood, Innes Street	Eat at 6:00 Meet at 7:00	
October 16 - Dinner Ride	La Careta's Mexican Restaurant Mocksville	Leave Lexington Center 6:45	
October 17	NC - S & Y Poker Run - Morganton	ТВА	

	December Rides	
December 5	Gifts on Cycles Bring a gift per list	7:15 Am Lexington Center
December 5	Christmas Party \$15.00 Dirty Santa Gift And a stuffed animal for Lex. hospital	Baptists Childrens Home Family Resource Center 7:00 PM





Expo Building Davis Arena, Pre-registration, Registration, Day Passes Air Conditioned & Restrooms in both

Log Building Classes, Pizza Party, Ice Cream Social Couples Competition, & Tours

Vendors are in between

Davis Arena's Cafeteria will be open Closing Ceremonies will be in McGough Building on Saturday night Drill Team, Trike Course, and On-bike games (parking lot beside McGough Bldg.) Bike Show beside Log Bldg Pre-registration parking is in top parking lot Registration and Day Passes in both parking lots







September 24, 25, 26 Back to the 60's

The NC District Staff cordially invites you and all your friends to come join us at the Agriculture Center in Fletcher, NC from 12:00 AM on Thursday until 7:30 PM on Saturday. Fun, Safety, and Knowledge gwrranc.org

For those interested in becoming a Certified Bike Show Judge: There will be a seminar Friday September 25th in the log building from 3:30 to 4:30. This will be a two part class with the second part on the Bike show field on Saturday September 26th during the Bike Show. Students taking the class will go around with the certified judges during the WOS Bike Show judging to see how the Bikes are judged to complete their certifications.

NC-K2, Fayetteville, will **CANCEL** their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-M, Salisbury, will **CHANGE** their meeting for **SEPTEMBER** ONLY to be at their Day Rally Event

on <u>September 19th</u>.

NC-M2, Hendersonville, will CHANGE their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY to be held near Wingo Over The Smokies. They will meet at J & S Cafeteria, 30 Airport Park Rd, Fletcher on Saturday, <u>September 26th</u> at 8:00 AM.

NC-Q, Dunn/Benson, will CANCEL their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-S, Lenoir, will **CANCEL** their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-S2, Sanford, will CANCEL their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-U2, Laurinburg, will **CANCEL** their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-X2, Mount Airy, will CANCEL their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY.

NC-Y, Morganton, will CHANGE their meeting DATE for SEPTEMBER ONLY to be held on Saturday,

September 19th. Same place and time.

NC-Z, Rocky Mount, will CHANGE their meeting for SEPTEMBER ONLY to be at their O'Beanie Road

Rally Event on September 12th.

November Meeting Cancellation

NC-U2, Laurinburg, will **CANCEL** their meeting for NOVEMBER ONLY



NC District GWRRA Chapter Gatherings

CHAPTER DAY CITY TIME LOCATION ADDRESS

NC-A 2nd Thu	Greensboro	7:30pm	Captain Bills, 6108 West Market Street (Route 421)
NC-A2 1st Tue	Lexington	7:30pm	Cap'n Steven's Seafood, 4577 E. Hwy 150
NC-B 2nd Thu	Goldsboro	7:30pm	Wilber's Barbecue, 4172 E. Hwy 70
NC-B2 2nd Tue	Winston-Salem		Yacht House Seafood, 4881 Country Club Road.
NC-C 2nd Mon	Charlotte	7:30pm	
NC-C2 1st Tue	Smithfield	7:30pm	Parkside Cafe, Pine Level, (off I-95 exit 97)
NC-D 1st Thu	Greenville	7:30pm	
NC-D2 3rd Mon	New Bern		Golden Corral, 400 Hotel Drive
NC-E 3rd Tue	Cary		Perkins Family Restaurant, 908 US Hwy 64 West, in Apex
NC-E2 4th Thu	Elizabeth City		Golden Corral, 406 Halstead Blvd
NC-F 1 _{st} Sun	Jacksonville		Marina Café at 110 S Marine Blvd., Jacksonville, NC 28540
NC-F2 3 rd Thu	Garner		Carolina Barbeque, US Highway 70 East, Garner, NC. Starting June18th
NC-G 1st Thu	High Point	7:30pm	
NC-G2 1st Sat	Waynesville	5:30pm	Arf's Restaurant, 4352 Soco Road, in Maggie Valley.
NC-H2 3rd Thu	Durham	7:30pm	Mayflower Seafood Restaurant, 3742 Chapel Hill Blvd, Hwy 15-501
NC-I 4th Thu	Asheville	7:00pm	
NC-K2 4th Sun	Fayetteville	2:00pm	Hudson Bay Seafood Restaurant, 2816 Ramsey St.(Hwy401)
NC-L 3rd Tue	Gastonia	7:00pm	Jackson's Cafeteria (Akers Shopping Center), 1453 E. Franklin Blvd.
NC-L2 2nd Sat	Mooresville		Golden Corral, 120 Gallery Center Drive, Mooresville NC
NC-M 2nd Sat	Salisbury	7:00pm	Blue Bay Seafood, Innes Street (I-85 exit 76)
NC-M2 3rd Sat	Hendersonville		Quality Inn & Suites, 201 Sugarloaf Rd, I-26 exit 49
NC-N 4th Thu	Burlington	7:30pm	Western Charcoal Steakhouse, 142 Graham Hopedale Road
NC-O2 3rd Sun	Hickory	5:00pm	Golden Corral, 1053 Lenoir-Rhyne Blvd (I-40 exit 125)
NC-D2 3rd 3dl NC-P2 2nd Tue	Forest City	7:30pm	Rollins Cafeteria (formerly Scott's Restaurant), Route 74 Bypass
NC-Q 3rd Sat	Wilmington	6:00pm	Carolina Barbecue, 2703 N. College Road (Hwy 132).
NC-Q2 2nd Sun	Dunn	2:00pm	Pizza Inn, 1138 W. Broad St., I-95 exit 73
NC-Q2 2nd Sun NC-R 4th Tue	Thomasville		
NC-N 4th Thu		7:30pm 7:00pm	Loflins Restaurant,103 Sedge Hill Dr (Hwy 109 & I-85 exit 103)
NC-S 4th Thu NC-S2 4th Sat	Lenoir		Shoney's, 129 Wilkesboro Blvd
NC-52 4th Sat NC-T2 2nd Thu	Sanford		Golden Corral on Horner Blvd. Sanford /New Location started in August
NC-12 2nd Thu NC-U 2nd Sat	Albemarle Lumberton	6:00pm	Blue Bay Seafood 1901 East Main Street, Albemarle N.C. 28001 starting in June
NC-U2 4th Sat NC-V 1st Thu	Laurinburg Statesville	7:00pm	
			Captain's Galley, I-40 exit 151 (US 21 North)
NC-W 3rd Mon	Eden		Golden Corral, 1566 Freeway Drive, Reidsville
NC-W2 3rd Thu	Jefferson		Smoky Mountain BBQ, Hwy 194/Business 221, West Jefferson
NC-X 1st Sun	Wake Forest	9:00 a	Golden Corral, 11016 Capital Blvd. Wake Forest
NC-X2 4th Sat	Mt. Airy		Golden Corral, 2226 Rockford St. (Hwy 601 S.)
NC-Y 4th Sat	Morganton		Timberwood Restaurant, I-40 at Exit 106
NC-Y2 1st Sat	Monroe		Hill Top Bistro & Bar, 1602 E. Roosevelt Blvd. Monroe, NC 28112
NC-Z 2nd Tue	Rocky Mount	7:30pm	Western Sizzlin, US-301 North Corral: 2507 West Roosevelt Boulevard
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1st Week * 2nd Week * 3rd Week * 4th Week * AM * PM * New Location ~~~~~



Region N Rally News Come join us 15th Annual GWRRA Region N Appalachian Adventure Wingtobergest October 29, 30, 31 - 2009 Appalachian Fairground Gray, Tennessee

http://www.region-n.org/





Cathy Broughman Nicks



Group tours of the cookie factory are available by appointment. Call 336-764-1402 Small charge for tours.



Directions: US 52 to exit 100. Go west on Hickory Tree Road to first stoplight. Turn left on Highway 150. Cap'n Stevens is 7.5 miles on the right.

Visit us on the Web at www.geocities.com/gwrranca2/

Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge GWRRA CHAPTER NC-A2 Lexington, NC

Chapter Meetings: 1st Tuesday of Every Month

Capt'n Stevens Seafood Hwy 150 & Friendship Church Road Eat at 6:30 PM – Meet at 7:30 PM Next Meeting : September 1, 2009

Lexington Style Wings 201 Starfire Drive Lexington, NC 27295

