





Gold Wing Road Riders Association

"Friends for Fun, Safety & Knowledge"

August 2018 **B-3 BUZZ** OH-B3

B3 Meets the $1^{\rm st}$ Saturday of each month except September or December at 9:00 am. Join us at 8:30 am for light refreshments and Coffee at the Village of Obetz Community Center, 1650 Obetz Avenue, Obetz, OH 43207

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Rob & Amanda Stufflebeam

Mary Bayes

MaryAnn Baughman

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Chapter Directors Rob & Amanda Stufflebeam



Greetings B3!

It's a wonderful summer day here in Lancaster – cooler and raining outside. We're moving into a week or so of continuous rain, at least according to the forecast, and I for one am hoping it won't be a complete washout. We have quite a few really good rides coming up, and we're only about half-way through the riding season!

We've already had so many great rides this year – both scheduled and unscheduled. Following our July Chapter Gathering, Ben Bayes led us on a completely made-up-on-the-spot ride where we rode down through the wilds of southern Ohio and went to see the murals on the floodwall in Portsmouth. Great weather and an amazing ride! Sue Gundy put some great pictures up on our Facebook page so be sure and check 'em out.

We had a dinner ride on the 10th where Fitzy's Diner saw a flood of yellow shirts invade their café. Many thanks to all who came out. The ladies lunch to Sunny Street Café was likewise well attended.

On July 14th, B3 journeyed north to Marysville and participated in the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation Ride for Kids. It was a first-time thing for Amanda and me, and a great event put on for a good cause. Steve Hombach and Margaret Moore both volunteered to have Gold Star survivor's ride with them, and many kudos shout out to the Marysville Police Dept. and the Union County Sheriff's Dept. for escorting a large group. With a count of 119 bikes (Cleveland only had 43 – HA!) and every intersection and crossroads blocked we had a great ride out through the countryside around Marysville. It took over an hour and we ended up back at Partner's Park in downtown for a great lunch and door prizes. B3 got called out several times as a group attending the event in what was great recognizability for the Chapter. And we weren't the only GW types there - Chapter Y also came to the ride and brought with them a sizeable donation. Following the main ride, Ben again stepped up to lead us towards home with the mandatory stop along the way for ice cream. By the time Amanda and I got home we'd put well over 200 miles on our bike. Many thanks to all who attended this worthy cause.

B3 has quite a few great rides coming up and with August just around the corner Wing Ding isn't far behind. GWRRA just recently added hotel spaces to their list of lodging availability so there's still time to attend if you so desire.

That's about it from the CD's chair for now. Amanda and I both hope your summer is going great and will see you on the road.

Rob & Amanda Stufflebeam

July 7th – B3 headed to Portsmouth





After a stop at the Second Street Dari Crème ($$1\ milkshakes - amazing!$), it was on to tour the floodwall murals . . .





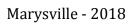
Then a slight detour to Kentucky so Amanda could hit three states during the week $\odot \dots$





and headed home...a very warm but delightful day.

Ride For Kids











The forecast of thunderstorms on the 21^{st} called for cancellation of our chapter ride to Grandma Jo's Polkadot Café in Moundsville, WV. Never let it be said, however, that B3 can't turn a rainy day sunny: Bowling at Tiki Lanes . . .









... was followed by lunch at Pizza Cottage.











Membership Enhancement & Social Coordinator Mary Bayes

THE LOVE OF MOTORCYCLING

Our love of motorcycling is hardly unique, taking into consideration of 70,000 Gold Wing members. The love of touring on a Gold Wing is very much shared by other. But, actually it does not matter who makes your motorcycle, the love of riding is the same.

Knowledge is the power in a recurring theme throughout GWRRA and one of the core values, but it is not the most important of them; that would be Friendship. Our Motto is "Friends for Fun, Safety, and Knowledge", that is the reason for the motto in that order.

There you have it six little words that convey the essence of our organization and the reason GWRRA exists. So being a member volunteering, going on Chapter rides, going to the business meetings, and attending Chapter Gathering and other activities planned by the Chapter keeps a member active and involved. In other words, making the "FUN" happen within the Chapter. Thus making ours an exciting Chapter. Remember to always mingle among all members and guests that are gathered.

With that being said it is now time to "RIDE." Ride safe and always have "FUN"............

Please remember the following:

Bill Ford: will be starting a new series of medications, keep Esther in mind also......

Evelyn Delong: Is back home again, Evelyn you have been missed...... Ed Richards: As Pat is going thru medical testing and his brother is recovering from a heart attack......

Shana Lewis and her husband Maurice were going to start riding with us, but she unfortunately suffered a heart attack. Their plans will resume when she has recovered. If you would like to send her a card, mail it to:

Mrs. Shana Lewis 2424 Sheridan Drive, Lancaster, Ohio 43130

Our thoughts and prayers are with these members and also for anyone I might have missed.....

Birthdays & Anniversaries MaryAnn Baughman



Birthdays for August

Mike Pallos August 5
Harry Durban August 12
Patrick Pallos August 14
Francis Pallos August 22
Rodney Freeman August 24

August Anniversaries

Ben and Mary Bayes August 2
Tim and Connie Ratliff August 2
Chaplain Ken and Linda Daft August 7
Mike and Francis Pallos August 16

August Dates in US History

August 2, 1776 - In Philadelphia, most of the 55 members of the Continental Congress signed the parchment copy of the <u>Declaration of Independence</u>.

August 5, 1861 - President Abraham Lincoln signed into law the first Federal income tax.

August 14, 1945 - V-J Day, commemorating President <u>Truman's announcement</u> that Japan had surrendered to the Allies.

August 17, 1786 – Davy Crockett was born Hawkins County, Tennessee. A tip of the coonskin cap.....

August 18, 1920 - The 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified, granting women the right to vote.

Upcoming Rides and Activities

For a complete ride schedule see the chapter web site: http://www.gwrraohb3.com

This is your chapter. The events scheduled are not just for the staff. One of the goals of GWRRA is FUN, and it isn't as much fun without you there. The tentative schedule for 2018 has been planned, but there is space for more. There are lots of fun & exciting activities already scheduled so please be a part of your chapter! If you have any ideas for rides, events or other activities let a chapter team member know.

July

28th Chapter Ride – 9:00 am - Stewart's Hot Dogs - Huntington, WV Meet at Frisch's on South Hamilton, Groveport

August

- 1st Clippers Game with Gary 6:00-6:15 pm Huntington Park Meet by the Statue (Must have made reservations with Gary by July 21)
- 4th Chapter Gathering 9:00 am Obetz Community Center Meet there. Greeters – Bill and Esther
- 9th Ladies' Lunch 12:00 pm Steak and Shake 1759 Stringtown Road, Grove City Meet there.
- 11th Chapter Ride 9am Dogwood Pass, a western town 722 Adams Road, Beaver, OH. Meet at Frisch's on South Hamilton, Groveport
- 14th Dinner Ride 6:30 pm Culvers in Hilliard, 1444 Renta Drive, Columbus/ Meet there
- 16th Mid-month Team Meeting 7:00 pm Obetz Community Center Meet there
- 19th Chapter Ride 9 am Jungle Jim's International Market 5440 Dixie Hwy, Fairfield, OH Meet at Frisch's on South Hamilton, Groveport
- 25th Obetz Zucchini Festival 10:00 am Obetz Athletic Bldg 4175 Alum Creek Dr, Obetz. Meet there.
- 29th September 1st Wind Ding 40 Convention Center 701 Henley St., Knoxville, TN Meet there.

September

8th – Chapter Ride – 9 am – Thomas Edison Museum – 9 N. Edison Dr., Milan OH Meet at Frisch's on South Hamilton, Groveport

Events Around Ohio





BERT PAYNE MEMORIAL

TEDDY BEAR RIDE

WOOSTER COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Sunday, July 29th, 2018

We will leave the

Wayne County Fairgrounds at 1:00 p.m.

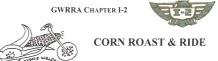
ALL BIKES WELCOME



For more information, please call: Ron Marcinko - 330-416-1460 Michelle Spencer - 419-602-2209

The City of Wooster Fire Department

will be our escort.



AUGUST 12, 2018

2:00 P.M.

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> CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION Ron or Rosie Stockton at 330-637-5191

\$8.00

Per Person Includes: 1 Hot dog, 1 bag of Chips, 1 drink and

The Fun Includes:

Corn Eating Contest Door Prizes

More food and drinks available

all the corn you can eat!!!

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Buckeye Camping, Cookout



Time Out Games,



Friday-Saturday September 14-15, 2019
It's time once again for the annual Ohio GWRRA camping and kick back weekend! Friends for Fun, Food and more Fun



Pastime Park, Plain City 370 N. Chillicothe Street, Plain City, OH 43064 https://www.plain-city.com/campground GPS: N 40° 06.869' W 83° 16.224'

Cost to camp? \$25 per night; Senior (over 65) \$22

Don't camp?

Make it a day ride on Saturday to join in the fun at Pastime Park.

Please take care of camping costs with Pastime Park upon your arrival. Thank you.

Any questions please contact: Rudy and Linda Copeland

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Here is a link to the Ohio District web site where you will find the District's latest newsletter. http://www.ohiogwrra.org

Chapter web sites are listed for the chapters.

Southeast Section Chapter Meeting Places & Times

Chapter	Location	When	Time
Α .	Marietta, Ohio gathers at Shoney's Restaurant, 44 Acme St., Marietta, Ohio. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. gathering follows.	1st Thursday	7:00pm
	Chapter web site https://ohioa3.shutterfly.com		
B3	Obetz, Ohio gathers at Obetz Comm. Center, 1650 Obetz Avenue, Obetz,	1 _{st} Saturday	9:00am
	Ohio. Light refreshments at 8:30 a.m., gathering follows.	(except Sep &	
	Chapter web site http://www.gwrraohb3.com	Dec)	
Ο	Newark, Ohio, gathers at Stacy's Buffet, 833 S. 30th St., Heath, Ohio.	3rd Thursday	7:00pm
	Dinner at 6 p.m., gathering follows.		
Q2	Circleville, Ohio, gathers at Huffman Homestead, 6906 Old Tarlton Place,	2nd Thursday	7:00pm
	Circleville, Ohio.		
	Chapter web site https://sites.google.com/site/gwrraq2/home		
Χ	Hocking Hills, Ohio gathers at Davidson Hall, Hocking College in	Last Sunday	1:30pm
	Nelsonville, Ohio.		

Newsletter Editor's Note - Submissions

The B3 newsletter welcomes your articles, photos, and opinions. Please email them to shombach@yahoo.com by the 20th of the month so they can be included in the next month's edition.

Member items for sale

FOR SALE

Samsung Galaxy Tab E, 8", 16 GB, Black, new, still in box with bar codes. It came "free" with upgrade to IPhone X. However, it also added a new line to my plan which I do not need. I want to sell it to pay off the line charges. I would like to sell it for \$150.00. Tom Eden, phone 614-634-1311

FOR SALE

AmeriDeck Hydraulic Loading System. Has motorcycle deck that will hold two motorcycles or one trike, 2,500 lb. load capacity, fits into 6 ½ or 8-foot truck bed. Check out http://www.powerdecks.com for demonstration and details. Bought new in 2011 for \$4,000 will sell for \$2,000.

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