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Pennsylvania District Somerset, PA.



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Monthly Gatherings

Second Friday of each month. Eat at 6:00 Gathering at 7:00

> **Kings Restaurant** 1180 North Center Ave. Somerset Pa. 15501

Calendar of Events

OCTOBER 2018

6th Chapter Staff mtg.

12th Chapter Gathering

13th Chapter visit Morgantown WV.

31st Halloween

GARY & SUSAN YODER

CHAPTER DIRECTORS

From the Directors Desk, Wow, like where has the summer gone? It seems that the months are flying by. October is upon us and the trees will soon be changing colors before disappearing once again. I hope that you all get an opportunity to enjoy falls colors riding along some of the many scenic routes we have available to us. Before long we'll be prepping our rides for the winter season. Remember to watch out for the wildlife as this time of year they get pretty active and don't seem to mind running out in front of you. Also watch for wet leaves when riding they can turn an ordinary good ride into a scary one. Final plans are being put together for our Christmas Party, Dec. 15th at Oakhurst Tea Room in Somerset, PA, so I hope you plan on attending. There could be some surprises, that you don't want to miss. Remember ending mileage is due by Nov's gathering. For now ride safe and enjoy fall.

Gary and Susan Yoder

Pa.-T Chapter Directors



HAROLD & DIANE JACKSON DISTRICT DIRECTORS

Fall is officially here and so is the chilly weather. We rode with PA-N (our home chapter) to Erie for lunch and ice cream at Sara's on the peninsula. When we left home it was 53 degrees, it reached a high of 60; it was a beautiful ride.

With the weather changing, we need to remember to plan for the ride and that your ride will be different then it was this summer. Don't forget there are additional road hazards this time of year such as leaves, school buses and wildlife is moving around more. Stay safe and have FUN!

The PA District raffle tickets have been distriubited to your chapter. Hopefully, your Chapter has dispersed the tickets to you to sell. They make good chirstmas presents, stocking stuffers or tips for wait staff. They make a great "thank you" to a whole list of people who help and serve you such as your mail carrier, garbage collector, lawn mower or the person that removes snow. Remember for evey ticket you sell you are helping your Chapter.

We are looking for two (2) chapters to step up and host All Chapters East and All Chapters West. If you need any information or if your chapter is volunteering, please give us a call. It is a great fund raiser for the chapter and the event is FUN to host.

The registration form is online for the PA District Rally "Ride of the Roses", May 16-18, 209 at the Wyndham Garden in York, PA. Make sure you take time to review the registration and get it in early if you plan on attending any of the special events, many of them have limited space. We already have registrations! Don't forget to book your room at the hotel.

hope you did not miss Wing Ding 40! It was a great time in Knoxville, TN with 8,090 in attendance. PA had some awards distributed to individuals in the District; pleas take some time to look at that page and see who won.

Wing Ding 41 will be held in Nashville, TN at the Gaylord, August 27-31, 2019. The Gaylord is accepting reservations and can be reached at 615-889-1000; the room rate is \$149/night and \$10/day for parking. These are great rates and you need to make your reservation soon before the block of rooms is sold out.

The big event on the calendar this month is Halloween. Watch for trick or treaters (they may be hard to see in their costume) as they run between cars to get to the next house for their treat.

Remember to always ride safe!

Harold and Diane Jackson Your PA District Directors

Chuck Stone District Educator

The fall colors are some of the most beautiful scenery you will see during the remainder of the riding season.

With the cold weather soon moving in I think that most of us will start thinking of what we have to do to prepare the wings for winter storage.

Something you should consider doing before putting the wing away for the season is a **T-CLOCK** inspection.

<u>TIRES:</u> Your tires may need to be replaced. Now would be the time to start this project rather than waiting for the spring riding season to start.

<u>CLUTCH:</u> Check the clutch and brake reservoirs. Are they low in fluid or has the fluid turned a very dark color? If they have you should change both the clutch and brake fluid now.

LUBRICANTS: How long has it been since you changed your anti-freeze. Remember your anti-freeze has been working hard to keep your engine cool and to lubricate your water pump. MAKE SURE you use the proper anti-freeze when changing, as not all types of anti-freeze will work in your Wing.

OIL: You may wait until spring to change your oil but I personally do not think it is a good idea to leave the old oil in the engine over the winter because it contains acids as well as old oil has a tendency to turn to sludge as it sets and the dirt sinks to the bottom of the engine case.

<u>CABLES & CONTROLS:</u> You should check your throttle and choke cables for smooth operation. Make sure the throttle returns with a snap and to an idle when released. The choke, if equipped, also needs to work smoothly and to return to the open position.

KICKSTAND: Does your kickstand have free movement and a good spring to pull it up? Look at the switches and check the operation with the switch on. Check the center stand's return spring for smooth operation.

In addition to the T-Clock inspection, you should check the battery terminals and make sure they are clean and the water level in the battery is at the proper level.

If you are not going to run your motorcycle at least once a month during storage, you should put the battery tender on to keep the level of charge up to the maximum level.

Last but not least you should clean up the wing, wax it and cover it for the winter storage season to protect it from dust.

If you take the above precautions, you should be ready to go in the spring and have an enjoyable riding season having done your preparation during the winter season while the bike is being stored.

Ride Safe and Ride Proud

Chuck & Evelyn Stone
PA District Educators

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Chapter T Birthdays



7th Janet Shawley
12th Cathy Stahl
17th Barb Vasos
18th Dianne McKenzie
26th Sue Melius



Chapter T Anniversaries

BEST WISHES TO ALL OF YOU!



4th Rick & Lugene Dunmyer

5th Charlie & Dianne Mckenzie

6th Randy & Janet Shawley

10th Roger & Tammy Snuffer

21st Rick & Lugene Miller

Thinking of You...

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the following members for a speedy recovery!

GET YOUR FLU SHOTS!!!



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