

30 Spring Fling (Pigeon Forge)

(Director's Corner Continued from page 1)	Birthdays	
I would like this newsletter to be more informative so	Anne Greer	21 Mar
please send me your articles. Remember religious and political articles may not be published.	Anniversaries	
There are some Team positions that need to be	Dwight and Betsy Hastings	5 Mar
filled. Look at page 1 and let me know if you are in-	Dennis and Anne Greer	27 Mar
terested. I keep forgetting to take pictures on our	GWRRA Anniversari	es
rides and at our dinner gatherings. Please help me by taking some pictures and sending them to me.	Terri Colbert	17 Yrs
Better yet why doesn't someone volunteer to be our	Tom Mowbray Dwight and Betsy Hastings	11 Yrs 7 Yrs
photographer.	John and Robyn LaCook	3 Yrs
No Chapter Couples came after the Chapter Couple	JD and Becky Bradford Rick and Faye Jernigan	2 Yrs 2 Yrs
of the Year Plaque last month. So, it is available for	Steve and Carole Sember	1 Yr
<u>all</u> Chapter Couples this month. We had a Sky Med presentation at our Gathering in Feb. It was very in-	Mike and Alesia Walden	1 Yr
formative. Everyone should consider some kind of	If I forgot someone's birthday or a	Inniversary
insurance that will take care of you if you are away from home.	please let me know.	
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We continue to have good participation at our dinner	If you are planning to attend the Hillb	illy Hoedown
rides often being joined by sister Chapter members. They sometimes win our quarters game.Our next	themed District Rally (Spring Fling) I	•••
dinner ride is to 122 West in Tullahoma on 26 Mar.	to get registered and get your hotel b sells out The same is true for Wing I	
Check page 1 for our other dinner rides.	and I are still on the District Team so	we will be tak-
Many of you know some American Legion Riders	ing our van to Spring Fling. We plan t Wing Ding on Mon so we can be ther	
have joined our Chapter. Steve asked if I would make some chili for their chili cook-off. You know	activities.	
they are desperate when they ask me to do that be-	If you like to ride, come join us. If you	like to eat
cause I have never prepared chili before. I told him	come join us. If you like to share your	
I'd try to convince Anne to prepare some also. Long story short, we both entered our chili into the contest	come join us.	
along with 15 other recipes. The Manchester Fire	Until next time, Ride Safe and Ride Often,	
Chief and the County Mayor judged all 17 chili's and 2 people from our Chapter won medals. Anne took	Dennis and Anne Greer	
2nd place while Rick Jernigan took 3rd.	TN-G Sr. Chapter Director	
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Rides

The 1st two Sundays in March have been excellent riding weather. On **Sun March 1st**, several of us, Randy, Lisa, Johnnie, Steve, Dale, Dennis W, and myself decided to ride to Bell Buckle to the Bell Buckle Café. Randy led us down some of the many backroads to Bell Buckle. We were surprised when we only had to wait long enough for them to set a table for the six of us. We had a wonderful lunch as always. Someone told me about the "grits" cake so I had to try it. Glad I did. They were sold out of the blackberry cobbler so Johnnie was disappointed. This was not unexpected since we got there in late afternoon. Since this was not a scheduled ride we had not set ride leader or set route. But that's OK those are some of the best rides. On the way back Randy led again. When we came to the fork in the road, actually it was a stop sign, we were trying to decide whether to turn right and head straight back to Manchester or go straight and run some more country roads. It was getting late since we had not set back our clocks yet so we took the direct route. Besides it was starting to cool down some. We got back to Manchester and we all went our separate ways to home. Good ride, good food, good company. Thanks Randy for leading.

Sun March 8th was another nice day that presented another chance for an impromptu ride. We talked about a ride during our Thur dinner. I looked at the weather and sent a notification out Fri evening. A couple of us talked about Paint Rock Valley. This is always a pretty ride. Just don't get too close to the shoulder of the road. I've ridden this route several times before but like to use my GPS so I don't embarrass myself and miss a turn. I attempted to load my route from the computer 3 times and it didn't work. But thought I got this. We met at the Murphy gas station in Winchester and off we went (me Randy and Lisa, Jimmie, Steve, Dale and Dennis W). All I had to do was turn at the Maxwell Grocery and continue to TN-97. You guessed it, I missed my turn but no problem I knew I could continue to Huntland and pick TN-97. We followed TN-97 to AL where the route changes to AL-65. We continued on AL-97 to Paint Rock, AL where we turned right onto US 72. We continued on US 72 to AL 35 in Woodville, AL where we stopped at the Citgo for a comfort break. While we were sitting and standing around, Jimmie said: right past the railroad tracks over there is AL-8. It's a pretty good road and takes you over to AL-79", which is the route I planned to travel. He said: have you been on that road before?" I told him I had not but if he wants to lead we would follow. I'm glad we did. It had more curves than my planned route. I'll travel that road again. When we got to AL-79 Jimmie pulled over to change his jacket and I took lead again. We proceeded down AL-79 past the Hytop radar back into TN where AL-79 changes to TN-16. We headed back to Winchester where Dennis W split off and headed home. We got to the Rafael's restaurant in the Walmart shopping center where Jimmie headed by home to get ready for a Church function. The rest of us ate at Rafael's. I was hungry for a pizza and ordered a medium to eat there and take home. The clerk told me it was a buy 1 get one free. So I changed my order to a small. We talked about the ride and everyone enjoyed the detour Jimmie lead us on. Looking forward to more roads like that.

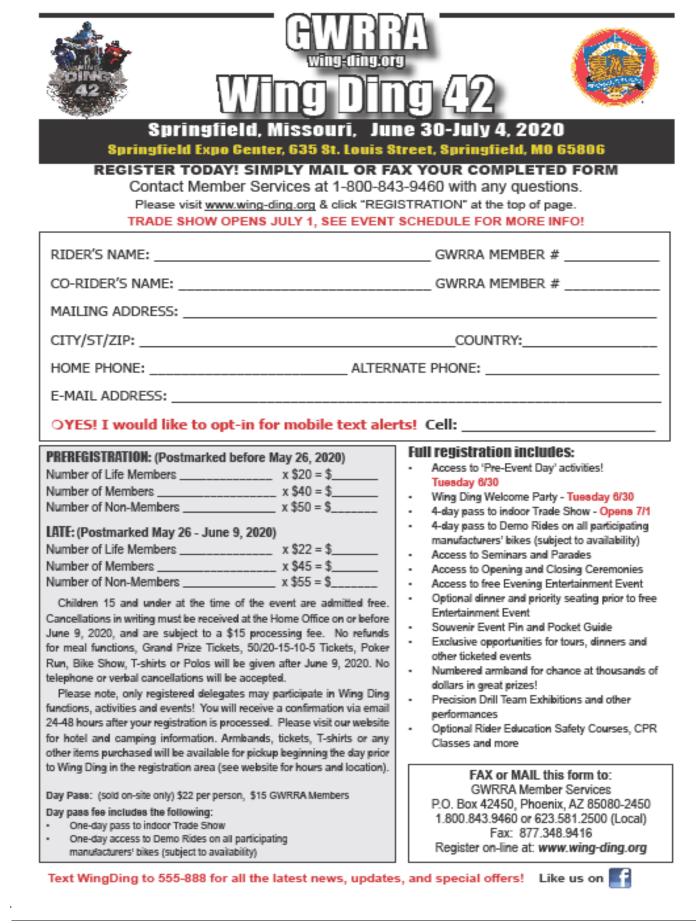
Mon Mar 9th Jerry and I rode to Rome, GA to get his bike triked. I rode my trike since he wanted to ride back with me. We rode the interstates since Jerry wanted to get back early in the afternoon. Jerry asked me to lead. Since I'm not yet familiar with the built-in GPS on my trike I had it set to avoid highways. I couldn't figure out how to change it until we got to Complete Cycles where I reread the book and changed my settings for the return trip. On the way home we stopped in Trenton, GA for lunch at Thatcher's BBQ and Grille. There was a Mexican restaurant on the square also call Lailito's. We had a Nashville Hot fish sandwich which was pretty good. We didn't try the BBQ but Yelp gives them a good rating. They also have Banana Pudding but we didn't indulge. I think the lunch made Jerry sleepy because I felt his helmet on mine a couple times. Everything went well and Jerry should be able to pick up his "new" trike next week.

Be sure to mention GWRRA to get the special rate.	Rates starting at \$88.00 per night	4034 River Road S.	CREEKSTONE INN	Rates starting at \$95.00 per night	204 Sharon Drive	COUNTRY CASCADES	their reservation center at 1-800-523-3919.	Reservations for any one of them can be made by calling	The following hotels are each part of SMOKY MOUNTAIN RESORTS	Additional Host Hotels	for the vendors and all activities to include the Talent Show and Closing	Be sure to mention GWRRA to get the special rate. This is the Host Hotel and the location	For Reservations Call 865-453-1876 Rates Start at \$88.00 / night Wed thru Sat.	Evergreen Smoky Mountain Lodge and Convention Center 4010 Parkway	HOST HOTEL
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Early Bird Deadline March 2, 2020 Early Bird prize is \$100.00 by DRAWING First Grand Prize is \$1,000.00 second Grand Prize is \$500.00 All Pre-registration forms must be <u>received</u> by April 1, 2020	Signature	Liability Release All Registrants Must Sign We agree to hold harmless GWRRA, the co-sponsoring organization, and any property owners for any loss or injury to self or property by any reason by participating in this rally. Signature Date	City State Zip Phone Email Distance to Rally (one way)	≠ Exp. Date Age Is this your first TN Distri that apply: Male Female 1UP 2UP Bike T	Registration Please Print Clearly Rider State Chapter GWRRA # Exp. Date Age Position Is this your first TN District Rally? Y N Circle all that apply: Male Female 1UP 2UP Bike Trike Sidecar Other Co-Rider State Chapter
Grand Total \$ Please make payment to TN GWRRA Mail Entire Page with Check or Money Order (no cash) to: Bob Mack 1470 River Road Kinaston, TN \$7765	<u>Soul of Motown</u> <u>The Grand Majestic Theater</u> 2330 Parkway, Pigeon Forge TN The show is after Closing Saturday 8:15 PM. There will be an all you can eat buffet before the show at 7:15 PM. Cost is \$39.50 per person. before the show at 7:15 PM. Cost is \$39.50 per person. You must Pre-register on this registration. Tickets will be in your packets.	Size Quantity Amount \$ SS Golf S, M, L, XL - \$27 / 2XL & up - \$29 Size Quantity Amount \$ Size Quantity Amount \$ Shirt Total \$ After closing Dinner Show \$39.50 X=\$	ee S, M, L, XL - \$20 / 2) Quantity	R orders ee S, M, L, XL - \$16 / 2) Quantity	All tull registrations will increase by \$5:00 after April 10, 2020GWRRA Members $$\exists 30 \times __= $$_\$

Kingston, TN 37763



RIDER EDUCATION COURSES

The number and availability of courses is dependent upon the number of participants. You will be notified of your class time and location as soon as possible. Note: Certification cost is per bike!*

ARC: Experience advanced techniques in turning, maximum braking, and swerving plus mental and situational strategies in GWRRA's own Advanced Rider Course. Co-Riders welcome. 8 hours (class and range) ARC (Recertification): The GWRRA ARC for those who have PREVIOUSLY COMPLETED the ARC. Includes discussions at the beginning of the course and between exercises. 5 hours (range only)

SIDECAR: Experience advanced techniques of riding with a sidecar as well as situation strategies and accident avoidance tactics. 8 hours (3 dassroom/5 range).

TRAILERING: Learn advanced trailering techniques and strategies for safe and enjoyable travel. Motorcycles only-no trikes or sidecars please. 8 hours (3 dassroom/5 range)

TRIKE: This course teaches advanced riding skills for the trike rider such as maximum braking, swerving and turning. 8 hours (3 dass/5 range) TRIKE/TRAILER: This course combines the Trike Rider Course (TRC) with some guided practice in backing a trailer. 8 hours (3 class/5 range) TRC-R (Recertification): The GWRRA TRC for those who have PREVIOUSLY COMPLETED the TRC. Includes discussions at the beginning of the course and between exercises. 5 1/2 hours (range only) Vanguard Rider Course: A performance based course to be used in conjunction with a 2 1/2 hour seminar to be taken separately.

AORC (Add-On Kit Rider Course): A Rider Course designed for the motorcycle with a 2-Wheel Add-on Kit installed.

CPR/First-Aid: This course is designed to teach and certify you in the basic principles of CPR and First Aid. 4 hours

#OF PEOPLE

_\$50 per bike = ____

TOTAL

CLASS

ARC

GRAND PRIZE	- Must be	present to win! Drewing	held at Closing	Ceremonies
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5 Tickets = \$15	10 Tickets = \$20
20 Tickets = \$30	40 Tickets = \$50
	Total

GRAND 50/20-15-10-5 (4 Winners!) Must be present to win!

1 Yard (18 Tickets) = \$10 3 Yards (54 Tickets) = \$20 7 Yards (126 Tickets) = \$40 Drawing held at Closing Ceremonies Total

GWIRRA DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT EVENT!

Includes Dinner and Entertainment! Pulled pork, Potato salad, BBQ sauce, Baked beans, Kaiser roll, Plated brownie, Tea and Water, (Seating is limited, while supplies last).

Number of people ____ x \$24 = ____

CORPORATE SPONSOR EVENING EVENT!

Includes Dinner and Entertainment with Tossed salad w/ 2 dressings, Grilled chicken w/ signature sauce, Roasted potato, Green beans, Plated cookie, Tea and Water. (Seating is limited, while supplies last).

Number of people x \$24 =

PFOPLE'S CHOICE BIKE SHOW! - Includes a souvenir pin.

Number of bikes x \$10 =

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Rider	Co-Rider	
ARC (Recert.)	\$50 per bike =	
Rider	Co-Rider	SOU
Sidecar	\$50 per bike =	
	Co-Rider	
Trailering	\$50 per bike =	-
Rider	Co-Rider	-
	\$50 per bike =	
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Small	x \$15 =	2XL x \$17 =
Medium	x \$15 =	3XL_x \$17 =
Large	x \$15 =	4XL_x \$20 =
XL	x \$15 =	

broidered Polo Shirt (moisture wicking performance material) all - XL (\$30 ea.) 2XL (\$35 ea.) 3XL (\$37) 4XL (\$40)

Total

	GRAND TOTAL: \$			
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March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 TN-O Gathering TN-B Gathering	4	5 TN-G R&D Holt's (W)	6	7 TN-L Gathering TN-N Gathering
8	9	10 TN-M Gathering	11	12 TN-G R&D Prater's (M) Jefferson's	13	14 TN-E Gathering TN-V Gathering TN-Z Gathering
15	16 TN-A2 Gathering	17 TN-C Gathering	18	19 TN-G Gathering TN-F Gathering TN-C2 Gathering	20	21 TN-Y Gathering TN-S Gathering TN-W2 Gather- ing
22	23	24	25	26 TN-G R&D 122 West (T)	27	28 TN-H Gathering TN-T Gathering
29	30 TN-Q Gathering	31 TN-A Gathering				

April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				2 TN-G R&D Urban Plantation (S)	3	4 TN-L Gathering TN-N Gathering
5	6	7 TN-O Gathering TN-B Gathering	8	9 TN-G R&D "new" Los 3 Ami- go's (M)	10	11 TN-E Gathering TN-V Gathering TN-Z Gathering
12	13	14 TN-M Gathering	15	16 TN-G Gathering TN-F Gathering TN-C2 Gathering	17	18 TN-Y Gathering TN-S Gathering TN-W2 Gather- ing
19	20 TN-A2 Gathering	21 TN-C Gathering	22	23 TN-G R&D Bluegill Grille (T)	24	25 TN-H Gathering TN-T Gathering
26	27 TN-Q Gathering	28 TN-A Gathering	29	30 TN-G R&D	oring Flir	ng

May 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Spring Fling F	
					Happy May Day	TN-L Gathering TN-N Gathering
3	4	5 TN-O Gathering TN-B Gathering	6	7 TN-G R&D Jiffy Burger (M)	8	9 TN-E Gathering TN-V Gathering TN-Z Gathering
10	11	12 TN-M Gathering	13	14 TN-G R&D Western Sirloin (W)	15	16 TN-Y Gathering TN-S Gathering TN-W2 Gather- ing
17	18 TN-A2 Gathering	19 TN-C Gathering	20	21 TN-G Gathering TN-F Gathering TN-C2 Gathering	22	23 TN-H Gathering TN-T Gathering
24	25 TN-Q Gathering	26 TN-A Gathering	27	28 TN-G R&D Oak (M)	29	30 Memorial Day
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Upcoming Events (items in <u>vellow</u> are planned Chapter rides/events)

	Mar 20
19-21	FL Rally Altamonte Springs, FL
26-28	LA Rally Houma, LA (Mardi Gras)
	Apr 20
16-18	SC Rally Clemson, SC (Sweet Dreams and Nightmares)
30	TN Rally (Spring Fling) Pigeon Forge Hillbilly Hoe Down
	May 20
1-2	TN Rally (Spring Fling) Pigeon Forge Hillbilly Hoe Down
	Jun 20
11-13	Ohio Rally
	Jul 20
1-4	Wing Ding 42 Springfield, MO
16-18	WV Rally Summersville, WV
	Aug 20
13-15	KY Rally Lawrenceburg, KY
	Sep 20
	Oct 20
1-3	AL Rally Eufaula, AL
8-10	GA Ride-In Dillard, GA

Lets Go Visiting! Last Tues Eat 6:00 PM Meet 7:00 PM Golden Corral, 315 Old Lebanon Dirt Rd, Hermitage, TN. Chapter A CD's Troy and Vickie Hurt (615) 351-6629 3rd Thursday Eat 6:30 PM Meet 7:30 PM Lacosta Mexican Restaurant, 138 The Crossings Crossville TN CD's Randy and Stephanie Ryan (985) 201-3791 Chapter C2 Chapter E 2nd Saturday Eat 9 AM Meet 10 AM Smyrna Bowling Ally, 96 Weakley Ln Smyrna, TN CD's Walter and Barbara Donnell (615) 273-4058 Chapter H 4th Saturday Eat 9 AM Meet 10 AM Shoney's 1306 Murfreesboro Rd, Franklin, TN.; CD Will and Thu Horsley (931) 483-2335 Chapter L 1st Saturday Eat 11 AM. Meet 12 noon :Painturo's Pizza 522 W. Main Lebanon, TN 37090 CDs Andrew & Debbie Smith (615) 784-9772 1st Saturday Eat 5 PM Meet 6 PM, Brook Shaw's Old Country Store, 56 Casey Jones Ln, Chapter N Jackson, TN CD Ross Cole (731) 415-9052 Chapter O 1st Tuesday Eat 6 PM Meet 7 PM Golden Corral 350 Stuart Rd NE (I-75 exit27), Cleveland, TN CD Shane McAmis (423) 310-5903 Last Monday Eat 6 PM Meet 7 PM. Golden Corral 2811 Wilma Rudolph Blvd, Clarksville, TN., Chapter Q CD's Cindy and Al Bidwell (731) 642-0415 Chapter S 3rd Saturday Eat 1 PM Meet 2 PM Milo's Coffee House, 100 Main St., Portland, TN. CD's Grant and Carol Bottomley (615) 337-8386 Chapter V 2nd Saturday Eat 9 AM Meet 10 AM Honda Southern Power Sports, 1394 Workman Rd, Chattanooga, TN., CD Corliss Cooper (423) 800-1515 Chapter W2 3rd Saturday Eat 6 PM Meet 7 PM Perkins 1340 Germantown Pkwy, Memphis, TN CDs Ivan and Leesa Coburn (870) 739-1079 3rd Sat Eat at 9 AM. Meet 10 AM: Trinity United Methodist Church. 2303 Jones Blvd. Chapter Y Murfreesboro, TN. CD's Wesley and Cindy Neal (615) 668-4448

Charlie and Pam Huffman (423) 586-0860

2nd Saturday Eat 5:30 PM Meet 6:30 PM Shoney's, 2225 Carmack Blvd, Columbia, Tn. CDs

REMEMBER IT'S THE SMART THING TO DO!.... CALL THE CD "BEFORE" YOU VISIT!'

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Dennis and Anne Greer Sr Chapter Director



Mar 2020