

Gold Wing Road Riders Association Northeast Region



THE GREEN TEAM CHAPTER NH G



2010

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Monthly Get Together every second Sunday of the month at **THE FAMILY TREE RESTAURANT 927 Laconia Rd (Route 3) Tilton** - 8:30am unless otherwise noted.

This months Get together October 3rd is a week early due to the Poker Run being on our normal date. See you at The Family Tree, Shake down ride for the Poker Run will be held for NH G participants only.



Chapter Director Words

Hello All, October is right around the corner and we are getting prepared for our annual Fall Foliage Poker Run that is being held on Sunday Oct 10th.

I want to thank those that have stepped up and offered to help out to make the ride as successful as possible.

September seems to have flown by and before we know it, the riding season will be winding down for 2010. The summer might have flown by, but the weather for the summer could not have been better, when very few if any rainy weekends.

I hope that the members have had a chance to get out and ride.

September saw dine-outs at T-Bones and at Newicks and rides including Hobo Stew, a mystery ride (more on that later) and a ride to the District picnic.

Denise and I along with Mark and Ginny Perkins traveled to Lake George the weekend of the 24-26 hoping to see some Hot Air Balloons and enjoy a cookout with NY Chapter N.

We met up on the way to Lake George with Bob and Kaye Hamel and Buddy Larent who joined us for the weekend. The weather could not have been better for September.

Well, the balloons were scarce (we did see one up close as we were leaving NY) but did have a great cookout with Chapter N and even got in a ride to Fort Ticonderoga and had a great time there.

Will try to get some pictures on the website.

Had the opportunity to meet and speak to the new Regional Director Ed Bahrenberg



(caption provided by Ed Bahrenberg)

Two Ed's are better than one

Member, Chris Barrett and his wife Jeannie traveled with bikes to North Carolina and completed the Tail of the Dragon at Deal's Gap. While out on a ride returning to their motel, Jeannie experienced an accident on a slick wet road and did damage to her bike along with suffering injuries to her ribs. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Get well wishes go out to Priscilla Breton on her recent hip surgery and continued recovery with Claire Collins on her recovery from recent hip surgery.

October 3rd we will be having a monthly get-together at The Family Tree Restaurant we are having the get-together a week early because of the Poker run and the fact that we did not have a get-together in September because of the Hobo Stew. I hope that we have a good turn out.

Don't forget the Poker Run on 10-10-10

Ed Heath
Chapter Director

Mystery Ride

The Good, the Bad and the Opps.

On Sunday September 19th, We had a scheduled ride to the High Tide Restaurant and onto Walpole Creamery for Ice cream, and seeing that the NASCAR race was in town, Jim was not available to lead the ride, so I decided that I would put out an event alert for the ride and change the starting point from the usual London Dunkin Donuts to the Irving in BOW and I changed the ride to a “mystery” ride. I put out an event alert and arrived at the Bow Irving to be met by Glen and Laura Daniels, Chapter A Directors, Marty and Roger Cruzan Asst. Chapter Directors from A, Bruce and Linda Hartley, Gary and Sandy Williams, and Bill and Shirley from Chapter A and Don Swansburg.

Our Ride took us to Rte 77 out Clinton St, to Rte 114 in Weare and up to New London where we made a comfort stop. Next stop was in Newport for a bite to eat and then down Rte 10 to Lempster and over 123 to Hillsboro to the High Tide for ice cream.

While at lunch, one of the members asked why no chapter G members were not on the ride and I said that maybe it was because I changed the starting location or even that it was a mystery ride. Well the ride ended with everyone heading home and thanking me for leading Chapter A on a ride ! All had a **GOOD** time

Later that night while communicating with a member, it was mentioned that I should have put out an event alert for the ride. I said that I did send one out, and I resent the email that I sent and they said that they did not receive it.

I went back and looked at the people that I sent it to, and realized that I never sent it to Chapter G members ! **MY BAD !**

So to this I say, **OPPS**, sorry.... I try very hard to do a good job for the chapter and the members and I really am sorry for omitting the email to Chapter G members.



District Director message

Wow, summer is gone, the leaves are turning color and our short riding season will be coming to an end shortly. The feel of autumn is in the air. We had a great summer in New England and one of the best riding seasons that we can remember for the last few years.

We held our District Picnic at the Glen House in Gorham on Sunday and once again we got rain. Three years in a row, talk about raining on our parade. We enjoyed seeing everyone at the event, and though it was cloudy outside, inside our GWRRA family made it sunny and warm. We would like to know your feelings about any ideas, and/or suggestions you have for the NH District next year. I would like to continue to have one general get together with all chapters, participating, and certainly welcome any suggestions for a get together. Any other thoughts you have regarding our district will be greatly appreciated.

NH-E held their annual Hobo Stew, and a great time was had by everyone, and many folks went home with some nice game prizes. On October 10, NH-G will be holding their annual Fall Foliage Poker Run to raise money for the Ride for Kids. This is always a great ride so please come out and support Chapter G and enjoy the beautiful fall scenery along the way.

The Convention Committee visited the hotel chosen for next year's rally, and we think that all of you will enjoy the hotel. The Ramada Conference Center in Lewiston Maine will be the host hotel, a rally flyer should be posted shortly. There are two floors in the hotel and no elevator to the second floor, if you want a first floor room, be sure to make your reservations early. Room rate is \$89.90 plus tax, please be sure to mention GWRRA, telephone number is (207) 784-2331(207) 784- There will be self contained camping allowed for \$25.00 per night, electrical outlets are provided in the RV area. The theme for next year's convention is Hollywood in Maine, so start thinking about costume ideas.

As promised last month, Mike Stiger made the announcement that Dottie and Ed Bahrenburg from NY have been named as the new Region B Directors. There is a short article from Dottie and Ed on page four of the newsletter. Dottie and Ed will make excellent Region B Directors, please join us in welcoming them and congratulating them on their new appointment. We would also like to congratulate them on the birth of their new granddaughter, Cassady Wild Campbell born on September 4, 2010.

If you are interested in attending an OCP training there will be a program presented in Saco Maine on October 23 and 24th. If anyone is interested please see your Chapter Director and we will make arrangements for you to attend, and to assist with your lodging expenses. The OCP is an excellent program, it is very informative and we encourage anyone who is interested to attend. You will also get the opportunity to meet our new Region B Directors, Dottie and Ed.

Dick and I will be leaving for Florida on Friday, I believe all of you have our cell phone number and our address, please feel free to call anytime (we have unlimited minutes) or email us, with any questions concerns, or just to say Hello. We would love to hear from you, and you are never bothering us. If you should be coming south anytime during the winter please get in touch. We will be home for the month of December and hopefully we will get to visit with many of you at that time.

Until next month,

Ride safe, and Ride often (before the New England winter comes)

Pat & Dick



Regional Notes:

Greetings New Hampshire GWRRA!

We would like to thank all of the New Hampshire members who have either called or emailed us to wish us well in our new position as Northeast Region Directors. We really appreciate your support. Dottie and I have been members of GWRRA for 12 years and have enjoyed every minute. The fun we have experienced and the enthusiasm of the members has made our time with the association one we will always cherish.

One of our great joys has been to ride in New Hampshire. What wonderful roads and beautiful views are available within your District. We will be enjoying the great scenery on our way through New Hampshire in early October riding with our home Chapter as we travel to Maine. We also hope to meet more New Hampshire members when we attend the NH-A Extravaganza in early November.

We realize that New Hampshire as well as New England that there are some problems. However, we have been hearing a lot about what is right and good in the area also. Dottie and I would like to start our journey as Region Directors by focusing on what works well within the Region and then to build on what works to build a stronger Region. We would like to hear from the members about what they consider is right and works well within their Chapters and District. Our wish is to **“Highlight what is Right!”**. We would like to hear your positive thoughts about what is “right” in your GWRRA experience. Feel free to email us at gwrra.ed.dottie@gmail.com

We are looking forward to serving the members to the best of our abilities.

Ed & Dottie Bahrenburg
Northeast Region Directors



Dave and Sue Perrin District Educators

Flu Season & Prevention

With flu season right around the corner, your mother, doctor or other, will no doubt be reminding you of the usual preventive measures: Get a flu shot. Cover your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze. Turn your head to the side and down as you cough or sneeze into your shoulder. Wash your hands with an alcohol-based hand sanitizer or, even better, with soap throughout the day. But there's something else. Another step to ensuring virus-free hands: making sure they're dry.

A new study in the Journal of Applied Microbiology found that wet hands after washing increases the spread of bacteria:

The degree of wetness of hands appears to greatly influence bacterial transfer and dissemination to surfaces and items touched. This probably occurs not only because of the physical aspects of moisture droplets transferring between one surface and another but also because the bacteria may be maintained in a physiological state that makes them better able to survive in the new environment.

Patting your hands dry with paper is best. The new Airblade jet dryers, which do the drying work for you by forcefully stripping moisture away from your hands, came in second. And traditional air dryers came last, because people tend to use a rubbing motion under the air stream. The rubbing, the hands together rapidly, actually makes bacteria previously embedded in the skin come to the surface.

Special Days

Happy Birthday to;

Dick Breton 10/1

Mark Perkins 10/5

Eva Hurst 10/25

Ed Heath 10/31

Joe Gilbert 11/2

Jim Venne 11/5

Don Dituillo 11/6

Charlie Collins 11/25

Jeanne Barrett 11/27

Ron Hrasna 11/30

Happy Anniversary to;

Charlie & Claire Collins 11/11

Dick & Priscilla Breton 11/25

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CHAPTER G 2010 RIDE SCHEDULE

OCT

10/3 SHAKEDOWN RIDE CHAPTER G POKER RUN
10/5 DINE-OUT SODA SHOP FRANKLIN NH
10/10 NO MEETING, CHAPTER G POKER RUN
10/16 RIDE AROUND NEWFOUND LAKE
10/21 DINE OUT PIZZERA UNOS, TANGER OUTLET, TILTON 6:30

NOV

11/5-6 CHAPTER A WEEKEND EXTRAVAGANZA – GORHAM NH
11/6 STONEWALL KITCHEN- WILD WILLEY RIDE
11/14 MONTHLY MEETING

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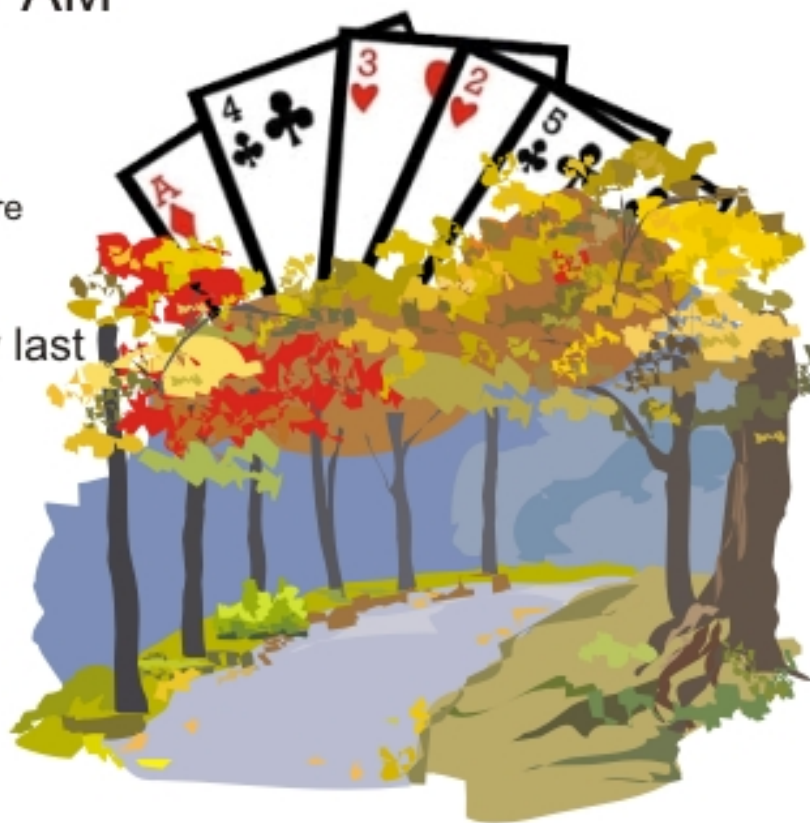
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Non Member \$8



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Goldwing Road Riders Association
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Third Annual Extravaganza Weekend



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GWRRA NH-A EXTRAVAGANZA WEEKEND

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City: _____ State: _____ Telephone: _____
Zip Code: _____

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